



NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD
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In the Matter of the

REPRESENTATION OF
EMPLOYEES

of

DAKOTA, MINNESOTA &
EASTERN RAILROAD

Mechanics and Related Employees

37 NMB No. 35

CASE NO. R-7243
(File No. CR-6978)

DISMISSAL-
WITHDRAWN DURING
INVESTIGATION

April 23, 2010

The services of the National Mediation Board (Board) were invoked by the International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers (IAM) on April 15, 2010, to investigate and determine who may represent for the purposes of the Railway Labor Act (RLA), as provided by Section 2, Ninth, thereof, personnel described as “Mechanics and Related Employees,” employees of Dakota, Minnesota & Eastern Railroad (Carrier).

At the time this application was received, these employees were unrepresented.

The Board assigned Investigator Norman L. Graber to investigate.

Subsequently, IAM filed a letter with the NMB which stated, “[p]lease be advised that the IAM withdraws its application for Mechanics and Related employees of Dakota, Minnesota and Eastern Railroad.”

On the basis of the letter of withdrawal referred to above, the Board hereby converts this matter to NMB Case No. R-7243 and dismisses the application.

By direction of the NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mary L. Johnson".

Mary L. Johnson
General Counsel