




considering the designation decision under section 58.6 of the Code and the designation provisions of PSERA.

- The main proposition put to the Board is that it has no jurisdiction because the certified bargaining unit for all non-academic staff employees is not a “bargaining agent” as that term is used in section 58.6 of the Code.
- In the event that the summary dismissal application is granted on this basis, the decision would have a similar and significant impact on all other bargaining agents for non-academic employees or other similar bargaining units across the Province. It would mean that all of these bargaining agents would be prevented from making similar applications.
- A decision of such import mandates a full hearing before a full panel of the Board.

While we always prefer an in-person hearing, we are aware of the current pandemic related restrictions and are able and willing to appear on these matters remotely using zoom or other video platforms utilized by the Board.

We will send hearing dates to the Board Officer separately from this letter.

Yours truly,

  
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