
The Arbitrator granted the Agency’s motion for summary judgement and dismissed the Union’s grievance, finding that the Agency had no obligation to bargain over a change in the staffing roster. The Union raised essence, bias, exceeded-authority and nonfact exceptions concerning the award and the Arbitrator’s management of the arbitration process. The Authority found that the Union failed to establish the award was deficient on those grounds, and denied the exceptions.

Chairman DuBester concurred, noting concerns with the manner in which the Arbitrator handled the case.

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