

**CASE DIGEST:**     *U.S. Dep't of the Army, Ariz. Dep't of Emergency & Mil. Affs.,  
Ariz. Army Nat'l Guard & Ass'n of Civilian Technicians,  
Chapter 61, 73 FLRA 617 (2023)*

The Arbitrator found the Agency violated the parties' agreement and the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute by rescinding a policy without bargaining. The Agency filed exceptions to the award on contrary-to-law grounds. Because the rescinded policy was contrary to 32 U.S.C. § 709, and thus the Agency's rescission of the policy was merely enforcing a statutory requirement, the Authority vacated the award as contrary to law.

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