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Local 1984, Service Employees International Union
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October 12, 1999

Ms. Mary Ann Steele
NH PERSONNEL APPEALS BOARD
State House Annex
Concord, NH 03301

RE: Appeal of Laura Volker
DOCKET #99-T-18

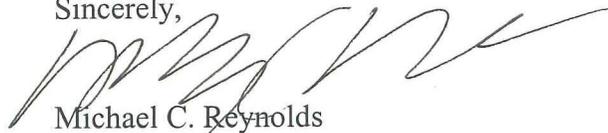
Dear Ms. Steele:

On behalf of Ms. Volker, I hereby withdraw the appeal filed March 19, 1999, with prejudice.

Therefore, the prehearing conference scheduled for October 13, 1999 will not be necessary.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Michael C. Reynolds
General Counsel

MCR/ba

Cc: Laura Volker
John Vinson, Esq.

State of New Hampshire



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APPEAL OF LAURA VOLKER DOCKET #99-T-18 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

March 31, 1999

At its meeting of March 24, 1999, the Personnel Appeals Board (Bennett, Johnson and Wood) met under the authority of RSA 21-I:58, and reviewed the March 18, 1999, request from SEA General Counsel Michael Reynolds regarding the appeal of Laura Volker, a former employee of the Department of Corrections. In the notice of appeal, Mr. Reynolds asked the Board to hold the appeal in abeyance pending the outcome of Ms. Volker's disability retirement claim. In support of that request, he also argued that Ms. Volker expected to prevail on her pending claim for workers' compensation, that would affect, retroactively, her work status at the time of termination.

Having reviewed the notice of appeal and attached copy of the March 3, 1999, notice of termination, the Board voted to grant Appellant's request for the appeal to be held in abeyance for a period of six months on the following conditions:

1. Appellant shall be responsible for notifying the Board on or before September 30, 1999, of the status of her Workers' Compensation claim and application for disability retirement benefits so that the matter can be scheduled for a hearing on the merits of the appeal, failing which the appeal shall be dismissed on that date.
2. Appellant shall obtain the concurrence of the Department of Corrections for any additional requests for postponement.
3. Any remedy or relief to which Appellant may be entitled as a result of her appeal to this Board shall be tolled for the period of time the appeal is held in abeyance at her request.

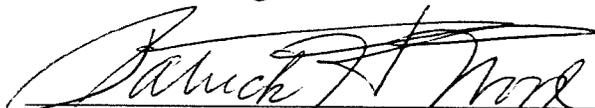
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