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Fred Barrett, Administrator  
Employment Security Division  
P. O. Box 1728  
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Dear Fred:

The court ordered stay which prohibited the Board of Personnel Appeals from certifying the Montana Public Employees Association as the exclusive representative of Employment Security Division personnel has been vacated (see enclosure).

The purpose of this letter is to certify the results of the election conducted by the Board of Personnel Appeals on July 15, 1974 to determine the representative for collective bargaining purposes for employees of the Employment Security Division.

There were three hundred and twenty (320) employees eligible to vote of which two hundred and sixty (260) valid ballots were cast. One hundred and ninety-four (194) ballots were cast in favor of representation by the Montana Public Employees Association; ten (10) ballots were cast in favor of representation by the Joint Council of Teamsters #23; thirty-nine (39) ballots were cast in favor of representation by the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees, AFL-CIO; and, seventeen (17) ballots were cast in favor of No Representation.

There being a clear majority, the Board of Personnel Appeals does hereby certify the Montana Public Employees Association as the EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE for collective bargaining purposes of all non-exempt employees of the Employment Security Division of the Department of Labor and Industry.

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Robert R. Jensen  
Executive Secretary

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cc: Thomas E. Schneider  
George Hammond  
Emilie Loring

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