

P.E.R.C. NO. 2012-1

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

In the Matter of

BOROUGH OF NORTH ARLINGTON,

Appellant,

-and-

Docket No. IA-2011-050

POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION
LOCAL 95,

Respondent.

SYNOPSIS

The Public Employment Relations Commission vacates an interest arbitration award and remands it to the interest arbitrator to issue a new decision within 45 days. The Borough appealed the award to the Commission asserting that the arbitrator relied on an inaccurate exhibit in making his award on economic issues. The Commission agrees that the exhibit introduced into evidence at the arbitration hearing was inaccurate and misled the arbitrator who performed his duties diligently and in a timely manner. Thus, the circumstances require that the interest arbitration award be set aside.

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