## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR OFFICE OF LABOR-MANAGEMENT STANDARDS WASHINGTON, DC 20210

#### **DETERMINATION**

Determination of a Complaint Filed under Title IV of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959

On June 16, 2016, the Secretary of Labor received a complaint alleging violations of Section 401 of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 (LMRDA), in the regularly scheduled election of officers conducted in March 2016, by International Association of Machinists, District Lodge 141 in Elk Grove Village, Illinois.

Pursuant to Sections 402 and 601 of the LMRDA, the Department of Labor conducted an investigation. The investigation disclosed that members in good standing were denied the right to be candidates and hold office because the district improperly applied a recently enacted bylaw provision changing the number of local lodge endorsements that nominees needed to become bona fide candidates from 4 to 10.

Apprised of these findings, International Association of Machinists, District Lodge 141 agreed to conduct new nominations and a new election of officers under the supervision of the Secretary of Labor, in accordance with Title IV of the LMRDA. The agreed upon remedial election was concluded on February 10, 2018. It is, therefore,

<u>DETERMINED</u>, that there is probable cause to believe that violations of Title IV of the LMRDA occurred which may have affected the outcome of the election conducted by International Association of Machinists, District Lodge 141 in March 2016, but that these violations have been remedied by the new election, conducted in accordance with Title IV of the LMRDA, under the supervision of the Secretary of Labor, on February 10, 2018.

Therefore, civil action under Section 402(b) of the LMRDA to set aside the election conducted in March 2016 is not warranted.

Signed this 13th day of August, 2018.

Sharon Hanley Chief, Division of Enforcement

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August 14, 2018



Dear

The enclosed Determination represents the Department's final disposition of the matter mentioned therein.

Sincerely,



Sharon Hanley Chief, Division of Enforcement

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August 14, 2018

Mr. Michael Klemm, President International Association of Machinists, District Lodge 141 1771 Commerce Drive, Suite 103 Elk Grove, IL 60007

Dear Mr. Klemm:

The enclosed Determination represents the Department's final disposition of the matter mentioned therein.

Sincerely,

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Mr. Robert Martinez, Jr., International President International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers 9000 Machinists Place Upper Marlboro, MD 20772-2687

Dear Mr. Martinez:

The enclosed Determination represents the Department's final disposition of the matter mentioned therein.

Sincerely,



Sharon Hanley Chief, Division of Enforcement

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