STATE OF CALIFORNIA DECISION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS BOARD

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MIRIAM FLACKS, et al.,

Charging Party,

v.

REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA (DAVIS, LOS ANGELES, SANTA BARBARA AND SAN DIEGO), Case No. LA-CE-210-H Administrative Appeal PERB Order No. Ad-197-H October 26, 1989

Respondent.

<u>Appearances</u>: American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees by Cliff Fried, President Local 3238, Council #10, for Miriam Flacks, et al.; Edward M. Opton, Jr., University Counsel, for Regents of the University of California (Davis, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara and San Diego).

Before Hesse, Chairperson; Craib and Shank, Members.

DECISION AND ORDER

SHANK, Member: This case is before the Public Employment Relations Board (Board) on appeal by the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) Council 10 of the administrative determination denying AFSCME's request for a second extension of time to file exceptions to an administrative law judge's (ALJ) proposed decision.

The ALJ's proposed decision was rendered on August 22, 1989. On September 1, 1989, AFSCME requested an extension of time in which to file exceptions. That request, which was unopposed, was granted, resulting in a new filing deadline of October 2, 1989. On September 21, 1989, AFSCME filed a second request for an extension of time to file exceptions, which was denied by the Appeals Assistant to the Board. To protect its rights on appeal, AFSCME timely filed a statement of exceptions which it contends was prepared without sufficient time or information.

The Board, after full review of the request and the opposition filed by the Regents of the University of California, DENIES AFSCME's request for a further extension of time to file exceptions. The exceptions already filed by AFSCME to preserve its appeal rights are accepted as timely filed.

Chairperson Hesse and Member Craib joined in this Decision.