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PETITION FOR INVESTIGATION OF QUESTION
CONCERNING REPRESENTATION

Form E-1 (9/2010)

Amended Petition in Case

Filing instructions: www.perc.wa.gov/Forms/E-1-inst.pdf

Applicable Rules: Chapters 10-08, 391-08 and 391-25 WAC

1. PARTIES The petitioner claims that a question concerning
representation exists involving certain employees of the
employer.

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INCUMBENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE
(If one exists) Washington Federation of State Employees
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2. DESIGNATION OF REQUEST Select ONE.

- RECOGNITION REQUEST The petitioner requests certification
as exclusive representative of the bargaining unit.
CHANGE OF REPRESENTATIVE The employees in the
bargaining unit want to designate the petitioner as their
exclusive bargaining representative.
DECERTIFICATION The employees in the bargaining unit no
longer wish to be represented by any employee organization.
INCLUSION OF UNREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES The petitioner
requests to have a group of employees added to an existing
bargaining unit pursuant to WAC 391-25-440.
EMPLOYER PETITION -- DEMAND FOR RECOGNITION The
employer has been presented with one or more demands for
recognition (per attached documents) and requests a
determination by the Commission.
EMPLOYER PETITION -- INCUMBENCY QUESTIONED The
employer has a good faith belief (per attached documents)
that a majority of employees no longer desire to be
represented by the incumbent bargaining representative.

3. BARGAINING UNIT

Department or Division Involved

Community Corrections

Number of Employees in Unit 975

Bargaining Unit Description On a separate sheet of paper:

For a new bargaining unit, describe the proposed bargaining
unit. Indicate proposed inclusions and exclusions.

If the bargaining unit already exists, provide the description
in the collective bargaining agreement or in the PERC
decision certifying the unit. Attach a copy of the parties'
current or most recent collective bargaining agreement, or
indicate the agreement is already on file with PERC.

4. SHOWING OF INTEREST

A petition filed by an organization or by employees must be accompanied by a showing of interest indicating that the petitioner
has the support of 30% or more of the employees in the bargaining unit.

5. OTHER RELEVANT FACTS Indicate if applicable.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION is set forth on separate sheets of paper attached to this petition

6. AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE FOR PETITIONER

Print Name Gladys V. Burbank Title Dir PERC Act

Signature Gladys V. Burbank Date June 5, 2012



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June 5, 2012

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Dear Mr. Sellars:

The Washington Federation of State Employees is filing the enclosed representation petition under WAC 391-25-440 to add the Correctional Records Technicians, who are employed at the Department of Corrections Headquarters in the Community Corrections Division, to the Community Corrections Nonsupervisory Bargaining Unit.

Our petition would add 9 employees to the existing unit. There are approximately 975 employees in the Community Corrections Nonsupervisory Bargaining Unit.

The addition of these employees to the existing unit is appropriate as they perform community corrections functions.

We are submitting showing of interest cards for a majority of the employees who would be added to the unit so we are requesting that the cross check procedures under WAC 391-25-396 be used to determine the desires of the employees.

Sincerely,

Gladys V. Burbank  
Director of PERC Activities  
Washington Federation of State Employees

CC: Angela Roberts, Department of Corrections  
Rick Hall, OFM Labor Relations

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## **Description of the Community Corrections Bargaining Unit**

PERC Decisions 10429 & 10429 – A (issued June 4, 2009)

All nonsupervisory civil service employees of the Washington State Department of Corrections performing community corrections functions excluding confidential employees, internal auditors, supervisors, Washington Management Service employees (on and after July 1, 2004) employees in other bargaining units and employees historically excluded from the unit by orders of the Washington Personnel Board or its predecessors.

## **Collective Bargaining Agreement**

The collective bargaining agreement is on file with PERC—General Government—Master Agreement--# 007-6-2013

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**Certificate of Service  
Department of Corrections**

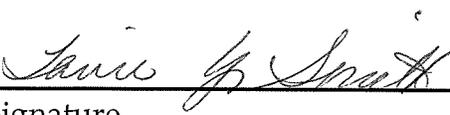
As per PERC Commission requirements and WAC 391-08-120(4), I, Tavie Smith, do certify that the following facts regarding servicing of the Representation Petition for the Community Corrections Bargaining Unit is true.

On June 5, 2012 I deposited in the United States mail, properly stamped and addressed a copy of the petition to Angela Roberts, Department of Corrections and Rick Hall, OFM Labor Relations. To the best of my knowledge and belief these are the representatives of the other parties that would need to be notified to fulfill our obligations under WAC 391-08-120 (4).

Signed on June 5, 2012 by

Tavie Smith

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Signature

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