



PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION
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**DISPUTE RESOLUTION PANEL
MEMBER INFORMATION**

Name: Thomas F. Levak

Current or profession: Arbitrator and Fact-finder and Mediator

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EXPERIENCE AS AN IMPARTIAL IN LABOR DISPUTES: Number of cases handled:

As grievance arbitrator: 2600+

As interest arbitrator: 55

As mediator: 15

As fact-finder: 85

Brief description of industries and issues dealt with:

Industries: Federal, state, county and local sectors, airline, construction, manufacturing, transportation, secondary and higher education, mining, steel, aluminum, timber, pulp & paper, hospitals, and others.

Issues: Discharge, seniority, reclassification, and all other areas of contract interpretation; trust cases, including trustee disputes, trust-beneficiary disputes, MEPPA withdrawals.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:

B.A., Political Science, University of Oregon, 1960.

J.D., Law, Willamette University, 1964 (Editor, Law Review).

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSES:

Attorney, Admitted to bar, State of Oregon, 1964.

OTHER QUALIFYING EXPERIENCE:

Spears, Lubersky, Campbell & Bledsole From: 6/64 To: 1/67.
 Title or capacity: Labor-management attorney

Carney, Probst & Levak From: 1/67 To: 5/78.
 Title or capacity: Labor-management attorney

Lewis & Clark Law School From: /74 To: /76.
 Title or capacity: Adjunct Professor of Labor Relations Law

City of Eugene, Oregon From: /79 To: /82.
 Title or capacity: Labor Relations Hearings Officials

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:

National Academy of Arbitrators, Member since: 1984.
 Oregon State Bar (Chairman, Section on Labor Relations, 1981-82).

AVAILABILITY:

Grievance arbitration, Interest arbitration, Factfinding.

Constraints on availability: None.

CURRENT FEES:

Labor Arbitration/Mediation: \$1,400 per day.

Cancellation/Postponement Fees: \$1,400 per scheduled day if 12 calendar days' or less notice prior to the first scheduled hearing day; \$700, if more than 12 days but less than 30 calendar days' notice. Other fee arrangements apply to hearings of 3 or more days in length.

Travel/subsistence fees: Actual costs and expenses, including clerical.

Interest Arbitration/Factfinding: \$1,500 per scheduled day.

Cancellation/Postponement Fees: \$1,500 per scheduled day in the absence of 12 days notice prior to the first scheduled hearing day; \$750 per scheduled day, if more than 12 days but less than 30 days notice. Other fee arrangements apply to hearings of 3 or more days in length.

Travel/subsistence fees: Actual costs and expenses, including clerical.