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March 15, 2024

Public Employment Relations Commission
112 Henry St. NE, Ste. 300
Olympia, WA 98504

Dear Director Sellars:

The WFSE is filing this representation petition to create a new unit at the Secretary of States office. This unit is made up of all employees in the Information Security & Response unit.

Our records show that we have a majority of interest cards and ask that a card check be performed.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Herb Harris".

Herb Harris
Manager of PERC Activities

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REPRESENTATION PETITION

Is this an amended petition? Yes No If yes, provide the case number: _____

PARTIES Include information for all parties involved.

EMPLOYER Secretary of State

Contact Don Freier

Title HR Operations Director

Address 6880 Capitol Blvd SE

City, State, ZIP Olympia, WA 98504

Phone 360-704-5212 **Ext.** _____

Email donald.freier@sos.wa.gov

PETITIONER Wash. Federation of State Employees

Contact Herb Harris

Title Manager of PERC Activities

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Email herbh@wfse.org

CURRENT BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE

(If One Exists) _____

Contact _____

Title _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____ **Ext.** _____

Email _____

TYPE OF REQUEST Select ONE of the following.

- NEW ORGANIZING** to be certified as the representative of employees currently unrepresented.
- ADD UNREPRESENTED EMPLOYEES** to an existing bargaining unit as described in WAC 391-25-080.
- CHANGE REPRESENTATIVE** of existing bargaining unit.
- REMOVE REPRESENTATIVE** of existing bargaining unit.

BARGAINING UNIT

For a new organizing petition, fill out section 2. For a petition to add unrepresented employees, fill out **both** sections 1 and 2. For a petition to change or remove the representative, fill out section 1.

SECTION 1—Describe the Existing Bargaining Unit:

Number of Employees in Existing Unit _____

SECTION 2—Describe the Proposed Bargaining Unit:

All civil service employees of the Secretary of State in the Information Security & Response Unit.

Number of Employees in Proposed Unit 11

If a CBA exists, what is the expiration date? 6/30/2025

SHOWING OF INTEREST

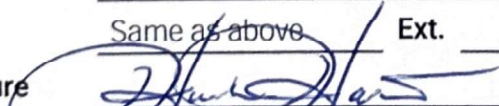
A showing of interest indicating the support of at least 30 percent of the employees in the bargaining unit must be filed with the petition. **See instructions for more information.**

PETITIONER REPRESENTATIVE

Name Herb Harris

Address Same as above

Phone Same as above **Ext.** _____

Signature 

Title Manager of PERC Activities

City, State, ZIP Same as above

Email Herbh@wfse.org

Date 3/15/2024

Certificate of Service

Office of Secretary of State

As per PERC Commission requirements and WAC 391-08-120(4), I, Herb Harris do certify that the following facts regarding servicing of the Representation Petition is true.

On March 15, 2024, I sent via email a copy of the petition to Don Freier, SOS and to OFM/LRD. To the best of my knowledge and belief these are the representatives of the other parties that should be notified to fulfill our obligations under WAC 391-08-120(4).

Signed on March 15, 2024

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Herb Harris', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Herb Harris
Manager of PERC Activities

From: [Herb Harris](#)
To: [PERC, Filing \(PERC\)](#); [Freier, Don](#); [OFM mi Labor Relations](#)
Cc: [Tim Tharp](#); [Benjamin Peterson](#); [Shannon Madden](#)
Subject: New Petition Sec of State ISR Unit
Date: Friday, March 15, 2024 11:08:12 AM
Attachments: A. Petition-MS-CS.pdf

External Email

Dear Parties,

Please find attached a representation petition for a group of employees at the Secretary of State office.

If you have any problems opening the attachment, please let me know.

I will send the required showing of interest to PERC in a separate email.

Thanks,

Herb

Herb Harris

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From: [Herb Harris](#)
To: [PERC, Filing \(PERC\)](#)
Cc: [Tim Tharp](#); [Benjamin Peterson](#); [Shannon Madden](#)
Subject: SOS/ISR Unit Showing of Interest
Date: Friday, March 15, 2024 11:10:59 AM
Attachments:

External Email

Dear PERC please find the showing of interest cards for the new rep petition just file for the SOS ISR unit.

Thanks

Herb

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