



PERSONNEL APPEALS BOARD  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

CERTIFICATION OF CONDUCT OF ELECTION

GAO EMPLOYEES ORGANIZATION, IFPTE, and  
U.S. GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY OFFICE

No. LMR-07-01

Date of Manual Election: September 19, 2007  
Voting Place: Bid Protest Room, GAO Headquarters

Voting Date: Sept. 19, 2007

We acted as official observers in the conduct of the balloting at the above time and place.

**WE HEREBY CERTIFY** that such balloting was fairly conducted, that all eligible voters were given an opportunity to vote their ballots in secret, and that the ballot box was protected in the interest of a fair and secret vote.

For GAO :  
Name: Lisa Belasco  
Time in: 4:05  
Time out: 11:00

For GAO :  
Name: John Arabe  
Time in: 7:00  
Time out: 11:00

For Union :  
Name: Lise Levic  
Time in: 5:00  
Time out: 11:00

For \_\_\_\_\_ :  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time in: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time out: \_\_\_\_\_

For UNION :  
Name: Sacqueline Harpp  
Time in: 6:55 p.m.  
Time out: 11:00 p.m.

For \_\_\_\_\_ :  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time in: \_\_\_\_\_  
Time out: \_\_\_\_\_

FOR THE PAB: [Signature]



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TALLY OF BALLOTS

The ballots in the election have been counted and the results are as follows:

- 1. Approximate number of eligible voters ..... 1900
- 2. Number of void ballots ..... 7
- 3. Number of votes cast for GAO Employees Organization, IFPTE ..... 897
- 4. Number of votes cast against exclusive recognition ..... 445
- 5. Number of valid votes counted (sum of 3 and 4 above) ..... 1342
- 6. Number of challenged ballots ..... 5
- 7. Number of valid votes counted and challenged ballots (sum of 5 and 6 above) ..... 1347
- 8. Are challenges sufficient in number to affect the results of the election? Yes  No
- 9. A majority of the valid votes counted plus challenged ballots (item 7) has/has not been cast for the GAO Employees Organization, IFPTE.

The undersigned acted as authorized observers in the counting of ballots recorded above. We certify that the counting was fairly and accurately done, that the secrecy of the ballots was maintained, and that the results were as recorded above.

GAO Employees Organization, IFPTE  
Petitioner/Labor Organization

Lise L. Levie  
Jan J. Li  
(Signature)

Sacqueline Harpp  
Sacqueline Harpp  
(Signature)

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(Signature)

U.S. Government Accountability Office  
Employer/Agency

John A. Burke  
[Signature]  
(Signature)

Lisa Belasco  
Lisa Belasco  
(Signature)

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(Signature)

Date Issued: 9-19-07 Date and method of service of tally: 9-19-07 by hand

For the Executive Director: [Signature]