

In the Matter of **KAY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT COMPANY and FURNITURE  
WOODWORKERS AND FINISHERS LOCAL 18-B**

*Case No. R-474*

**SUPPLEMENTAL DECISION**

AND

**ORDER**

*February 14, 1938*

On January 20, 1938, the National Labor Relations Board, herein called the Board, issued a Decision and Direction of Election in the above-entitled case.<sup>1</sup> The Direction of Election directed that an election by secret ballot be held among all employees of the Kay Musical Instrument Company, Chicago, Illinois, herein called the Company, excluding foremen, office and supervisory employees, and employees who quit or were discharged for cause before the election, to determine whether or not they desire to be represented by the Furniture Woodworkers and Finishers Local 18-B, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, herein called the Union, for purposes of collective bargaining.

Pursuant to the Direction, an election by secret ballot was conducted on February 2, 1938, at Chicago, Illinois, under the direction and supervision of the Regional Director for the Thirteenth Region (Chicago, Illinois). On February 5, 1938, the said Regional Director, acting pursuant to Article III, Section 9, of National Labor Relations Board Rules and Regulations—Series 1, as amended, issued and duly served upon the parties an Intermediate Report on the ballot. No exceptions to the Intermediate Report have been filed by any of the parties.

As to the results of the secret balloting, the Regional Director reported as follows:

Total number eligible to vote.....	62
Total number of ballots cast.....	62
Total number of votes in favor of Furniture Woodworkers & Finishers Local 18-B.....	23
Total number of votes against the afore-mentioned union.....	38
Total number of voided or spoiled ballots.....	1
Total number of challenged ballots cast.....	0
Total number of blank ballots cast.....	0

<sup>1</sup> 4 N. L. R. B. 1082.

The results of the election show that no collective bargaining representative has been selected by a majority of the employees. The petition for investigation and certification of representatives of employees of the Company will therefore be dismissed.

### ORDER

By virtue of Section 9 (c) of the National Labor Relations Act, 49 Stat. 449, and pursuant to Article III, Sections 8 and 9, of National Labor Relations Board Rules and Regulations—Series 1, as amended, it is hereby ordered that the petition for investigation and certification of representatives of employees of Kay Musical Instrument Company filed by Furniture Woodworkers and Finishers Local 18-B be, and it hereby is, dismissed.