

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL  
Division of Operations-Management

MEMORANDUM OM 98-68

August 17, 1998

TO: All Regional Directors, Officers-in-Charge,  
and Resident Officers

FROM: Richard A. Siegel, Associate General Counsel

SUBJECT: Amendment to Casehandling Manual Section 10284 –  
Submission of Unfair Labor Practice Cases  
to the Board by Stipulation

The Board in recent months has been reviewing various possible changes to its stipulated record procedures. Based on this review, the Board has decided that, in the future, a statement of the issue(s) should be set forth in the stipulation and that each party should also submit a short statement (no more than 3 pages) of its position on the issue(s) with the stipulation when it is submitted to the Board for its initial review and approval.

A statement of the issue(s) and short position statement will assist the Board in reviewing the stipulation and reduce the time it takes for the Board to decide whether to approve the stipulation. In the event the Board decides to approve the stipulation, as in the past, the parties will be afforded the opportunity to submit briefs fully explicating their positions.

Please take the necessary steps to notify members of your staffs of this change to ensure that this new procedure is followed in all future cases. The casehandling manual will be revised to reflect this change in procedure.

If you have questions concerning this matter, please contact me or your representative in the Division of Operations-Management.

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