

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

HYDE LEADERSHIP)	
CHARTER SCHOOL –)	
BROOKLYN,)	
)	
Employer-Petitioner,)	
)	
and)	29-RM-126444
)	
UNITED FEDERATION OF)	
TEACHERS, LOCAL 2, AFT,)	
AFL-CIO,)	
)	
Union.)	
)	

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF AS *AMICUS CURIAE*

The American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations moves for leave to file the accompanying brief as *amicus curiae*. The AFL-CIO is a federation of 56 national and international labor organizations with a total membership of approximately 12.5 million working men and women.

At issue in this case is whether Hyde Leadership Charter School – Brooklyn is a political subdivision under Section 2(2) of the National Labor Relations Act, 29 U.S.C. § 152(2), and therefore outside of the National Labor Relations Board’s statutory jurisdiction. The question of whether charter

schools are outside of the Board's jurisdiction is of concern to the many AFL-CIO affiliates who represent school employees. For this reason, the AFL-CIO previously filed an *amicus* brief in *Chicago Mathematics & Science Academy Charter School, Inc.*, 359 NLRB No. 41 (Dec. 14, 2012).

The AFL-CIO therefore respectfully requests that the Board grant leave for the AFL-CIO to file the accompanying brief as *amicus curiae*.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Matthew J. Ginsburg
Lynn K. Rhinehart
Harold C. Becker
James B. Coppess
Matthew J. Ginsburg
Nicholas Hart
815 Sixteenth Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006
(202) 637-5397