STATE OF MICHIGAN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION LABOR RELATIONS DIVISION

In the Matter of:

INTERURBAN TRANSIT PARTNERSHIP, Public Employer-Respondent,

-and-

Case No. C06 E-099

AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION, LOCAL 836, Labor Organization-Charging Party.

APPEARANCES:

Miller Johnson, by Craig A. Mutch, Esq., for Respondent

Law Offices of Mark H. Cousens, by John E. Eaton, Esq., for Charging Party

ORDER VACATING DECISION AND APPROVING WITHDRAWAL OF CHARGE

On August 24, 2007, we issued a Decision and Order adopting the April 27, 2007 Decision and Recommended Order by Administrative Law Judge (ALJ) Julia C. Stern in the above-entitled matter. Since neither party filed exceptions, we issued our Decision and Order without review of the ALJ's Decision and Recommended Order. On September 17, 2007, the Commission received a letter from Charging Party requesting that the charge be withdrawn. Charging Party asserted that a settlement of the dispute underlying the charge was reached prior to the issuance of our Decision and Order but, due to the unavailability of a necessary individual, the parties were unable to execute the agreement before the deadline for submitting exceptions. In accord with Charging Party's request, our August 24, 2007 Decision and Order is hereby vacated. Charging Party's request to withdraw its charge is approved. This Order and the Decision and Recommended Order of the Administrative Law Judge will be published in accordance with Commission policy.

MICHIGAN EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS COMMISSION

Christine A. Derdarian, Commission Chair

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Eugene Lumberg, Commission Member

Dated:_____