

AFFIDAVIT OF PATRICIA E MAUKO

Patricia E Mauko, being duly sworn, upon her oath deposes and says:

1. I am employed as a Lieutenant by the Union County Department of Corrections. I have been employed by them since I was hired off a Civil Service List in 1988. I became a Lieutenant on May 3, 2011.
2. In addition, since May 2010, I was the Secretary of FOP Lodge 213, which represents the Superior Officers employed at the Union County Jail. Upon the resignation of Jim Rinaldo as President, I assumed the Presidency in the beginning of September 2011. Accordingly, I am currently the President of FOP Lodge 213.
3. I have been advised by our attorney that the FOP must submit Affidavits in support of our claim that the Petition filed by the PBA with PERC for an election must be blocked due to the Unfair Labor Practice Charge which we filed months ago. Many of the events pertain to past President, Jim Rinaldo; however, Lieutenant Rinaldo's wife is having surgery so he cannot provide an Affidavit by the time they are due at PERC.
4. I will address the First Count of the ULP first. I have personal knowledge that as recently as a few years ago Director Riordan in writing informed the Board of Freeholders that he absolutely needed four Captains to run the Jail. The Freeholders agreed and since then we have had four Captains. Jim was the number one candidate on the existing promotional list for Captain at the Jail. Captain John Staba retired in or about May 2011 and Jim would have been the next person to be promoted. However, rather than promote Jim, he was advised by Mr. Riordan that he (Riordan) had determined all of a sudden that he only needed three Captains. He

