

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### TO AMEND THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES, REGULATION ESTABLISHING THE PROCEDURES, REQUIREMENTS AND OBLIGATIONS FOR THE ACREDITATION OF BONAFIDE PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS

The Department of Labor and Human Resources notifies municipal employee's, associations, federations or unions, as well as Government of Puerto Rico's public service employees associations, federations or unions that it intends to amend the Regulation that establishes the procedures, requirements and obligations that bona fide public service organizations must meet in order to be certified as such under Act No. 134 of July 19, 1960, as amended, known as the "Act to Authorize Dues Deductions by Associations, Federations or Unions of the Government of Puerto Rico's Public Service Employees" and Act No. 139 of June 30, 1961, as amended, known as "the Act to Authorize Dues Deductions by Associations, Federations or Unions of Municipal Employees of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico".

The purpose of the amendments to this Regulation is to incorporate all the rights and privileges granted by Act No. 358 of September 16, 2004, known as "Act to Regulate the Rights of Public Service Employees that Belong to Bona Fide Organizations". The legal basis for the enactment of this Regulation arises from Act. No. 155 of July 23, 1974, as amended, where by the Secretary of Labor and Human Resources delegates to the Labor Union Services Bureau the responsibility of establishing the procedures, requirements and obligations in order to be certified as a bona fide public service employee organization.

Copy of this Regulation and this Notice will be available to the public for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of publication of this notice. Those interested in reviewing the documents may visit the administrative offices of Bureau of Employment Security, Monday to Friday, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM and from 1:00 PM to 4:30 PM, GM Group Plaza Bldg., 4th Floor, Ponce de León Ave., No. 1590, Urb. Caribe, Río Piedras. Also, it can be reviewed at the following Internet site: <http://www.dthr.gobierno.pr>.

Any interested party may submit written comments within thirty (30) days after the publication of this notice or request an oral hearing regarding the proposed amendment, including petitioner's justifications for the hearing, to Adelia Aponte, Labor Union Services Bureau, Department of Labor and Human Resources, P.O. Box 195540, San Juan, PR 00919-5540; or through e-mail: [WTSARRIERA@trabajo.pr.gov](mailto:WTSARRIERA@trabajo.pr.gov).

In San Juan, Puerto Rico, December 23, 2011.



**MIGUEL ROMERO**  
Secretary

