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August 14, 2013

TO:

MUNICIPAL LABOR COMMITTEE

FROM:

HARRY NESPOLI, CHAIR

RE:

MLC TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER ON

HEALTH RFP

The MLC, last Friday afternoon, obtained a Temporary Restraining Order against the issuance of the RFP based largely on the claim that the City did not sufficiently involve the MLC in its development, as is provided for in the July 1992 Agreement between the City and the MLC.

On Monday, the City applied to the Appellate Division, First Department, for an order to vacate the TRO immediately as improperly granted. After argument, Justice Feinman declined to vacate the TRO, stating that the City could renew its request on formal motion (which would not be returnable before the MLC is back in Court on August 20, 2013 on its application for a preliminary injunction).

We will keep you informed of the latest developments.