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FLRA REGIONAL DIRECTOR APPOINTED

The Office of General Counsel (OGC) of the Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Sandra LeBold as Regional Director of the Chicago Regional Office. Ms. LeBold will be responsible for management of personnel and operations relating to the investigation, analysis, resolution, and litigation of unfair labor practice cases in the Chicago Region, which covers Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, North Dakota, Ohio, Tennessee, and Wisconsin. In addition, she will supervise the processing of representation petitions for cases arising in her Region.

Ms. LeBold has been an attorney in the Chicago Regional Office of the FLRA since 1979. She was a Supervisory Attorney from 1986 through 1988, and she has been a Regional Dispute Resolution Specialist since 2003. Ms. LeBold was also an Administrative Law Judge with the Illinois Human Rights Commission from May 1997 through April 2000. She earned a Bachelor of Arts from Indiana University, a Masters in American Studies from Purdue University, and received her J.D. from DePaul University College of Law.

The FLRA OGC is the independent investigative and prosecutorial component of the FLRA. Through its seven regional offices, the OGC investigates, settles, and prosecutes unfair labor practice charges, resolves representation disputes, including the conduct of secret ballot elections, and provides training to union and management representatives. The FLRA administers the labor-management relations program for 2.1 million non-Postal federal employees worldwide, approximately 1.2 million of whom are represented in 2,200 bargaining units. It is charged with providing leadership in establishing policies and guidance related to federal sector labor-management relations and with resolving disputes under, and ensuring compliance with, the Federal Service Labor-Management Relations Statute.