

## Chapter WFSB 8

### MEDIATION

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**WFSB 8.01 Who may act as mediator.** A competent, impartial disinterested person designated by the board or selected by the parties may act as the mediator in the dispute.

**History:** Cr. Register, November, 1984, No. 347, eff. 12-1-84.

**WFSB 8.02 Selection of mediator.** The board, after receiving a request for the appointment of a mediator, shall immediately submit to the parties a list of 5 mediators. Upon receipt of such list, the parties shall alternately strike names until a single name is left, who shall be appointed a mediator. The petitioning party shall notify the board in writing of the identity of the mediator selected. Upon receipt of such notice, the board shall formally appoint the mediator.

**History:** Cr. Register, November, 1984, No. 347, eff. 12-1-84.

**WFSB 8.03 Function of mediator, effectuate settlement.** Upon the consent of the parties to mediation, it shall be the function of the mediator to bring the parties together voluntar-

ily under such favorable auspices as will tend to effectuate the settlement of the dispute, but neither the mediator nor the board shall have the power to impose a settlement upon either party.

**History:** Cr. Register, November, 1984, No. 347, eff. 12-1-84.

**WFSB 8.04 Mediation proceedings. (1) NATURE.** The mediator may hold separate meetings with the parties or their representatives and such meetings may be closed, pursuant to s. 19.85 (1) (e), Stats.

**(2) WHEN AND WHERE CONDUCTED.** Mediation meetings shall be conducted at such time and place agreed to by the mediator and the parties or their representatives.

**(3) RECORDS.** All records of meetings between the mediator and the parties are subject to the provisions of subch. II of ch. 19, Stats., Open Records Law.

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