STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

BUREAU OF SECURITIES REGULATION

| IN THE MATTER OF: |)) |
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| Local Government Center, Inc.; Government Center Real Estate, Inc.; Local Government Center Health Trust, LLC; Local Government Center Property-Liability Trust, LLC; |)))) |
| Health Trust, Inc.; New Hampshire Municipal Association Property-Liability Trust, Inc.: LGC – HT, LLC Local Government Center Workers' Compensation Trust, LLC; And the following individuals: Maura Carroll; Keith R. Burke; Stephen A. Moltenbrey; Paul G. Beecher; Robert A. Berry; Roderick MacDonald; Peter J. Curro; April D. Whittaker; Timothy J. Ruehr; Julia A. Griffin; and John Andrews | Case No.: C-2011000036 Case No.: C-2011000036 Case No.: C-2011000036 |
| RESPONDENTS |))) |

ORDER SCHEDULING HEARING ON MOTIONS TO INTERVENE AND MOTION TO AMEND MOTION TO INTERVENE

- 1. On Tuesday, October 4, 2011 a pre-hearing conference was conducted in the above captioned matter with all counsel present.
- 2. Among several procedural issues addressed were the pending motions filed on behalf of retired members of the Professional Firefighters of New Hampshire, the Professional Firefighters of New Hampshire (PFFNH), and on behalf of the New England Police Benevolent Association to intervene in these proceedings as "interested parties."

- 3. In addition, the counsel for the PFFNH also filed a Motion to Amend the earlier motion to intervene requesting that to include additional organizations who seek counsel to represent them as "interested parties", namely the following: State Employees' Association of New Hampshire, SEIU Local 1984 ("SEA"); National Education Association New Hampshire ("NEA-NH"); American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, Council 93 ("AFSCME"); and American Federation of Teachers New Hampshire ("AFT"). All of these organizations assert that they represent individuals that "receive benefits from the LGC."
- 4. The LGC has filed its objection to these several requests to intervene and requested a hearing be conducted thereon; and, the LGC has been joined in its objection and request for hearing by counsel representing other individually named Respondents.
- 5. It is anticipated that such a hearing will consist of legal oral arguments by counsel and the submission of supporting legal memoranda as counsel for the potential intervenors represented the relevant facts were not in dispute and that it was a solely a legal issue. This representation was not contradicted by the several other counsel who were present.
- 6. Counsel for the PFFNH requested time to provide a written response to the LGC objection to the pending motions.

Therefore, it is hereby ordered that:

- A. The PFFNH shall provide its written response to the administrative hearing office and all counsel of record no later than 12:00 PM on Monday, October 17, 2011.
- B. All parties' counsel desiring to make oral argument during the hearing shall be limited to fifteen minutes and five minutes for rebuttal, providing further, however, that to the extent multiple parties request oral argument in opposition to intervention, counsel for the moving intervenors may be granted an additional time for oral rebuttal should it be deemed necessary by the presiding officer.
- C. A hearing shall be conducted on Tuesday, October 18, 2011 at a time and place to be later specified by supplemental notice to the parties.

D. Any legal memorandum, or supplemental legal memorandum to be submitted in support of a party's position shall be filed at the time of hearing; and, any rebuttal memoranda of law shall be filed no later than 5:00 PM on Friday, October 21, 2011.

Issued this 6th day of October, 2011

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