

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA
MIDDLE DISTRICT**

COUNTY OF LANCASTER,
PENNSYLVANIA,

Respondent

v.

AFSCME DISTRICT COUNCIL 89,

Petitioner

: No. 173 MAL 2026
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: Petition for Allowance of Appeal
: from the Order of the
: Commonwealth Court
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ORDER

PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 25th day of August, 2026, the Petition for Allowance of Appeal is
GRANTED. The issues, rephrased for clarity, are:

- (1) Is the Commonwealth Court's decision contrary to *Office of Administration v. Pa. Lab. Rels. Bd.*, 598 A.2d 1274 (Pa. 1991) and Sections 701 and 805 of the Public Employe Relations Act?
- (2) Did the Commonwealth Court majority err in concluding that the parties had not reached an impasse in impact bargaining prior to convening the arbitration panel?

Argument will be limited to these issues.