## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

FIRSTLINE TRANSPORTATION SECURITY, INC.

Employer

and

Case 17-RC-12354

INTERNATIONAL UNION, SECURITY, POLICE AND FIRE PROFESSIONALS OF AMERICA (SPFPA)

Petitioner

## NOTICE AND INVITATION TO FILE BRIEFS

On June 30, 2005, the Board (Chairman Battista, Member Schaumber; Member Liebman, dissenting) granted the Employer's Request for Review of the Regional Director's Decision and Direction of Election in the above-captioned case as it raises substantial issues "whether the Board has jurisdiction over privately employed airport security screeners and, if so, whether the Board should exercise that jurisdiction." See Firstline Transportation Security, Inc., 344 NLRB No. 124, slip op. at 1 (2005).

The parties and interested amici are invited to file briefs with the Board in Washington, D.C. on or before August 4, 2005, addressing the issue(s). Eight copies of the brief should be submitted, which shall not exceed 50 pages in length. The parties may file responses to these briefs on or before August 18, 2005, which shall not exceed 20 pages in length. No other responsive briefs will be accepted.

Dated, Washington, D.C., July 7, 2005.

By direction of the Board:

Lester A. Heltzer Executive Secretary