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DECISION

Protest I-07-2024 (campaigning
on paid time)

By email dated September 19, 2024, Matthew Francis filed a protest alleging that Abdullah Wilson, a candidate on the Slate, was collecting signatures during work time at Mother Clara Hale Depot on September 18 at 20:17. Mr. Wilson denies that he was collecting signatures. The picture provided as evidence by the Protester shows a different person holding the clipboard with the petition while Mr. Wilson looks on. The Protester did not comply with repeated requests from the Neutral Monitor to supply further evidence to contradict Mr. Wilson's claim that the petition belonged to the other person in the picture and he was merely talking to his co-worker.

Protest denied.

In accordance with the International Constitution and the Election Rules, any interested party unsatisfied with this determination may appeal to the Transport Workers Union of America Committee on Appeals. Any appeal shall be in writing and shall be filed in accordance with the procedure set forth in Article IV(B)(9) of the Election Rules and Article XXII of the International Constitution for the appeal to the International from decisions of Local Unions.



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