

# STATE OF ILLINOIS OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL

Frank J. Mautino, Auditor General

# SUMMARY REPORT DIGEST

# **ILLINOIS EDUCATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

**Compliance Examination** For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2019 Release Date: January 13, 2021

FINDINGS THIS AUDIT: 2				AGING SCHEDULE OF REPEATED FINDINGS						
	New	Repeat	<u>Total</u>	<b>Repeated Since</b>	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3			
Category 1:	0	0	0	2013		19-1				
Category 2:	0	2	2	2007		19-2				
Category 3:	_0	0	0							
TOTAL	0	2	2							
FINDINGS LAST AUDIT: 2										

## **SYNOPSIS**

• (19-01) The Illinois Educational Labor Relations Board (Board) did not maintain sufficient controls over its equipment.

Category 1: Findings that are material weaknesses in internal control and/or a qualification on compliance with State laws and regulations (material noncompliance).
Category 2: Findings that are significant deficiencies in internal control and noncompliance with State laws and regulations.
Category 3: Findings that have no internal control issues but are in noncompliance with State laws and regulations.

### ILLINOIS EDUCATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD COMPLIANCE EXAMINATION For the Two Years Ended June 30, 2019

EXPENDITURE STATISTICS		2019		2018		2017	
Total Expenditures	\$	1,697,425	\$	1,674,514	\$	1,481,114	
OPERATIONS TOTAL % of Total Expenditures	\$	1,697,425 100.0%	\$	1,674,514 100.0%	\$	1,481,114 100.0%	
Personal Services Other Payroll Costs (FICA, Retirement) All Other Operating Expenditures		820,445 722,730 154,250		823,576 679,503 171,435		727,725 583,428 169,961	
Total Receipts	\$	85	\$	333	\$	-	
Average Number of Employees		9		10		9	

AGENCY DIRECTOR During Examination Period: Mr. Victor Blackwell Currently: Mr. Victor Blackwell

#### FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

#### INSUFFICIENT CONTROLS OVER EQUIPMENT

The Illinois Labor Relations Board (Board) did not maintain sufficient controls over its equipment.

During testing, we noted 122 items, totaling \$80,965, were obsolete to the needs of the Board (Finding 1, page 9). This finding has been repeated since 2013.

We recommended the Board take action to ensure all transferable equipment is reported to CMS.

The Board agreed with our recommendation.

#### **OTHER FINDINGS**

The remaining finding pertains to inadequate segregation of duties. We will review the Board's progress towards the implementation of our recommendations in our next compliance examination.

#### **ACCOUNTANT'S OPINION**

The accountants conducted a compliance examination of the Board for the two years ended June 30, 2019, as required by the Illinois State Auditing Act. The accountants stated the Board complied, in all material respects, with the requirements described in the report.

This compliance examination was conducted by the Office of the Auditor General's staff.

#### SIGNED ORIGINAL ON FILE

JANE CLARK Division Director

This report is transmitted in accordance with Section 3-14 of the Illinois State Auditing Act.

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FRANK J. MAUTINO Auditor General

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122 items were obsolete

**Board agrees**