

5229.0010 DEFINITIONS.

Subpart 1. **Collective bargaining agreement.** For the purposes of parts 5229.0010 to 5229.0060, "collective bargaining agreement" means a written agreement between one or more employers and the certified and exclusive representative of its employees as to the terms or conditions of employment. The agreement must be for a specified project or period of time and contains procedures for amending the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Subp. 2. **Certified and exclusive representative.** For the purposes of parts 5229.0010 to 5229.0060, "certified and exclusive representative" means a labor organization that:

A. has entered into a collective bargaining agreement with an employer or group of employers;

B. is the exclusive bargaining representative for the employer's bargaining unit employees covered by the agreement; and

C. meets the criteria of a labor organization as defined by United States Code, title 29, chapter 11, subchapter I, section 402, subsection (i), Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act, as amended through October 31, 1996.

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