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JAY KRAMER NAMED ARBITRATOR
IN NYC PRIVATE HOSPITALS DISPUTE

Jay Kramer, former chairman of the New York State Labor Relations Board, has been appointed arbitrator in the wage dispute between the Association of Private Hospitals, Inc., representing 17 proprietary hospitals in the New York City area, and Local 144 of the Service Employees International Union.

The appointment was made by James F. Searce, national director of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service.

The dispute involves wage terms for some 3,000 employees. The hospitals have 3,200 beds and a total of 6,000 employees.

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