



## How Do You Bring About An Election Under Law?

By signing a **Confidential Blue Authorization Card** you are saying you want an election to determine who you want to represent you.

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| <b>AUTHORIZATION CARD</b> |    | <b>National Correctional Employees Union,<br/>United Public Service Employees Union</b> |  |
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|                           | Name _____<br><small>(Print Full Name)</small>  |   |   |
|                           | Address _____ City _____  |   |   |
|                           | State _____ Zip _____ Email _____   |   |   |
|                           | Occupation _____ Telephone _____  |   |   |
|                           | Employed By _____   |   |   |
|                           | Address of Public Employer _____ Unit: OPT <input type="checkbox"/> SLT <input type="checkbox"/>  |   |   |
|                           | I hereby authorize NATIONAL CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES UNION / UNITED PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES UNION to act as my representative for better wages, hours and working conditions in negotiations with my employer. |   |   |
|                           | Date _____ Signature _____  |   |   |

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If UPSEU gets a majority of cards from the OPT and SLT Bargaining Units, we would file a petition for elections between UPSEU and the Food Workers Union.

A secret ballot election will then be conducted for you to vote to determine which union you want to represent you.

**If you are ready to commit to an opportunity to change unions,  
we will be there all the way to support your rights  
to belong to the union of your choosing.**

**“REMEMBER BY LAW NEITHER THE COUNTY NOR THE FOOD  
WORKERS UNION WILL EVER KNOW YOU SIGNED A CARD.”**

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