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Julia Akins-Clark Confirmed as FLRA General Counsel Clark Joins Obama Administration After 21 Year Career at IFPTE

LAS VEGAS, NV – International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers (IFPTE) General Counsel, Julia Akins (Julie) Clark was confirmed today by the full Senate to serve as the next General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority (FLRA).

Speaking from Las Vegas, where IFPTE will be hosting their 56th Convention next week, President Junemann offered the following comments on behalf of the union:

“During her twenty-one years of employment with IFPTE, Julie has served with extraordinary honor and distinction. She has worked tirelessly to provide assistance to all IFPTE Locals, in which her efforts had a significant and positive impact on every Local and every sector of our union. In addition to her outstanding legal work, Julie has been a remarkable negotiator, social activist, political campaigner, and an extraordinary leader.

“Above all else, Julie will be revered as a true friend and confidant to countless leaders and members of IFPTE. How fitting it is that Julie’s Senate confirmation comes at a time when IFPTE prepares for our 56th Convention here in Las Vegas, giving her the opportunity to celebrate this great accomplishment among her colleagues and the union members she has served for so many years.

“President Obama and the American people are gaining an outstanding individual to serve as FLRA General Counsel. All of us in the IFPTE family wish her God speed and our best wishes.”

The FLRA is an independent agency tasked with administering the labor-management relations program for federal employees throughout the world.

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