

Issue: Compliance-consolidation of grievances for purposes of hearing; Ruling Date: March 7, 2002; Ruling #2002-052; Agency: Mary Washington College; Outcome: consolidated



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA
Department of Employment Dispute Resolution

COMPLIANCE RULING OF DIRECTOR

In the matter of Mary Washington College

Ruling #2002-052

March 8, 2002

ISSUE:

Should the grievant's November 7, December 4, 2001 and January 16, 2002 grievances be consolidated?¹

RULING:

Yes. This Department's rulings on matters of compliance are final and nonappealable. See Va. Code § 2.2-1001(5).

EXPLANATION:

This Department has long held that grievances may be consolidated by mutual agreement of the parties unless the surrounding facts and circumstances render consolidation impracticable. In this case, the parties agree to consolidation, and it appears that consolidation would not lead to impracticable results.

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