[J-111-98] IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE DISTRICT

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE : Nos. 180, 181 M.D. Appeal Dkt. 1997

COUNTY OF CHESTER,

: Appeals from the Order and Published

Appellee/Cross- : Opinion of the Commonwealth Court, Appellant : entered March 12, 1997 at 1477 C.D.

1996, reversing the order of the State CivilService Commission, dated May 17, 1996,

v. : at No. 18970

: 692 A.2d 1122 (Pa. Commw. 1997)

DECIDED: APRIL 30, 1999

PENNSYLVANIA STATE CIVIL SERVICE:

COMMISSION,

:

Appellant/Cross-

Appellee : ARGUED: April 29, 1998

CONCURRING OPINION

MR. JUSTICE SAYLOR

I join the majority's opinion save for its discussion of standing in Section I. In my view, an assessment of the Commission's ability to enforce the veteran's preference provisions of the Military Affairs Act does not implicate principles of standing, but merely the authority of the Commission under its enabling legislation, the Civil Service Act.