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## AND THEN THERE WAS ONE

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With the expiration of Chair Marvin Kaplan’s term at midnight tonight (Aug. 27), the composition of the NLRB has been reduced to one, David Prouty, who was appointed by President Biden. Although Trump had the opportunity to stack the Board with Republicans when there were two open seats, instead he fired Democrat Gwynne Wilcox, which left the Board short of the required quorum of three members.

As a result, the Board has issued only six rulings since Trump’s inauguration, compared to 94 handed down during a comparable period following Biden’s inauguration.

Eventually, we assume, Trump will fill all four of the vacancies, thereby cementing a Republican majority for years to come.

It’s a bleak picture that bodes ill for the labor movement.



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