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TRANSPORTATION DISTRICT 140 DISTRICT DES TRANSPORTS 140

International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers
Association internationale des machinistes et des travailleurs et travailleuses de l'aérospatiale

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE IAMAW Air Canada/Aveos

Transition Meetings

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

Your committee of General Chairpersons met with the company in Montreal July 6,7,8, to further discuss and attempt to resolve, some of the more than seventy (70) outstanding issues and questions that have been raised by us and our membership, regarding the selection process when and if transition occurs.

Should the Canadian Industrial Relations Board (CIRB), agree with both companies and order the bargaining certification split, our intent was to hold information sessions across the country for our members.

Our expectation was that the companies would allow our members to take some time during shift to attend the meetings, in order to obtain instruction on how to complete the selection forms.

Both companies advised us, that they would not release members for these roll downs but would take into consideration the possibility of allowing us to have on site information centers in the major cities and bases to assist our members with any questions prior to them filling in their selection forms. Needless to say, we were less than impressed with the companies' responses to *allowing* our members to access the most information possible prior, to making a possible *life altering decision*. Once again, they demonstrate their care and concern for their employees.

Some of the issues that were raised are beyond the discussion phase and will either be arbitrated, or answered by the CIRB.

There is still considerable work to do in answering all these questions as well as issues before any final document or bulletin can be released identifying what can be resolved and what remains for dispute resolution.

We will update you as often as we can with any and all answers that we have as we get them.

Please feel free to contact your District 140 Representative for any further clarification.

We thank you for your continued support and patience.

In solidarity,

Tony Didoshak
General Chairperson

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