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TO: ILWU Watchmen Local 26

FROM: Jacquie Gasparro, Manager, Pension Plans

**SUBJECT: ILWU-PMA Watchmen Pension Plan - Pension Increases under the 2014-2019 Watchmen's Agreement between PMA and ILWU Watchmen Local 26**

The 2014-2019 ILWU Watchmen's Agreement between Pacific Maritime Association and ILWU Watchmen Local 26 provides for pension increases to Local 26 pensioners and survivor pensioners as described below. The increases effective July 1, 2017 will be reflected in the July 1, 2017 pension payments. There will be no change in the amount of the annuity payments issued by Allstate Life Insurance Company and Lincoln National Life Insurance Company.

- For Pensioners retiring on or after July 1, 2014, the Memorandum of Understanding provides an increase in the rate of pension accrual to \$148.00 per month per Year of Service effective July 1, 2017 and to \$153.00 per month per Year of Service effective July 1, 2018.
- A Limited Early Retirement Window will be available between August 1, 2018 and January 31, 2019 to eligible registered participants. Further information about the Early Retirement Window will be provided in a separate memo.

Individual notices describing the pension increase will be mailed to pensioners and survivors receiving a pension increase on July 1, 2017. A sample of the form of this notice is attached.

Enclosure

cc: Sam Alvarado, Southern California Area Welfare Director

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