

# NORTHEASTERN STATES ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT



between the

# International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers & Helpers, AFL-CIO and THE FIRMS WHOSE SIGNATURES ARE AFFIXED HERETO

Effective January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024



# **BOILERMAKER CREED**

I AM A BOILERMAKER.

I AM A SKILLED CRAFTSMAN AND A MEMBER OF A TEAM.

I SERVE MY FAMILY, MY CREW, MY LOCAL, MY UNION AND MY EMPLOYER.

I SERVE A BROTHERHOOD WHOSE **EXCEPTIONAL** LEGACY SPANS OVER 130 YEARS.

I HONOR THOSE WHO CAME BEFORE ME, MY **MENTORS**.

I HONOR THEIR STRUGGLE TO PROVIDE ME WITH A UNION OPPORTUNITY.

I RESPECT THEIR KNOWLEDGE, LEADERSHIP AND INTEGRITY.

I WILL SHOW UP ON TIME, READY TO WORK.

I WILL GIVE QUALITY WORK FOR QUALITY PAY.

I WILL HONOR THE NEGOTIATED CONTRACT AND LET MY STEWARDS AND UNION REPRESENTATIVES DO THEIR JOBS.

I WILL BE **RESPONSIBLE** AND **ACCOUNTABLE** FOR MY ACTIONS.

I WILL DO IT RIGHT THE FIRST TIME.

I AM AN EXCELLENT PROBLEM SOLVER.

I AM A GUEST AT JOB SITES AND CONDUCT MYSELF ACCORDINGLY.

I AM CONSTANTLY LEARNING AND SHARING THAT KNOWLEDGE.

I AM ALWAYS WORKING **SAFELY** AND DEMAND THE SAME FROM THOSE AROUND ME.

I AM A GUARDIAN OF CRAFTSMANSHIP AND THE UNION WAY OF LIFE.

I AM PART OF A BROTHERHOOD.

I AM A BOILERMAKER.



# NORTHEASTERN STATES Articles of Agreement

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1 PREAMBLE 2 WHEREAS, the parties hereto have maintained a mutually satisfactory bargaining relationship in 3 4 the work area covered by collective agreements between them which have been in effect over a 5 substantial period of years; and 6 7 WHEREAS, the International Brotherhood of 8 Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Forgers and Helpers and/or subordinate subdivisions thereof 9 embrace within their membership large numbers 10 of qualified journeymen who have constituted in 11 the past, and continue to do so, a majority of the 12 employees employed by the Employer herein; 13 14 NOW, THEREFORE, the undersigned Employer and Union, in consideration of the mutual promises 15 and covenants contained herein, agree as follows: 16 17 **ARTICLE 1** 18 SCOPE AND PURPOSE OF AGREEMENT 19 (a) This Agreement shall apply exclusively to the States of Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, 20 Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut and the 21 following Counties in New York State: 22 23 Albany, Allegany, Broome, Cattaraugus, Cayuga, Chautauqua, Chemung, Chenango, Clinton, 24 Columbia, Cortland, Delaware, Erie, Essex, 25 26 Franklin, Fulton, Genesee, Greene, Hamilton, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Livingston, Madison, 27 Montgomery, Niagara, 28 Monroe. Oneida. Onondaga, Ontario, Orleans, Oswego, Otsego, 29 Rensselaer, St. Lawrence, Saratoga, Schenectady 30

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- 1 Schoharie, Schuyler, Seneca, Steuben, Tioga,
- 2 Tompkins, Warren, Wayne, Washington, 3
- Wyoming, Yates.
- This agreement shall apply to the entire Employers' 4

5 field construction work (including construction,

erection, rigging, field fabrication, assembling, 6

dismantling and repairing performed in the field) 7

- that is recognized as coming under the jurisdiction 8
- of the Union. 9

(b) The parties to this agreement recognize that 10 stability in wages and working conditions and 11 12 competency of workmen are essential to the best interest of the industry and the public and they 13 14 agree to strive to eliminate all factors which tend toward unstabilizing these conditions. The 15 signatory parties agree that all matters affecting 16 17 the relationship established by this agreement shall be first discussed by conference between 18 the individual parties. The parties further agree 19 20 to cooperate fully in carrying out the intent of this paragraph. 21

(c) It is the intent of the Employer and the Union 22 in establishing working rules herein to carry 23 out the Policies and Declaration of Principles 24 announced by the Building and Construction 25 26 Trades Department AFL-CIO. It is understood that the NCA-BCTD Work Rules Agreement, dated 27 June 1, 1973, will apply on all projects where said 28 29 rules are enforced uniformly on the project.

# ARTICLE 2 RECOGNITION

The Employer agrees that, upon the Union's 3 presentation of appropriate evidence of majority 4 5 status among its employees in the bargaining unit of the Employer covered by this collective 6 bargaining agreement the Union 7 shall be voluntarily recognized as the exclusive collective 8 9 bargaining agent under Section 9(a) of the NLRA for all employees within the bargaining unit of 10 Employer on all job sites within the jurisdiction of 11 this Agreement. In the event of such a showing, 12 the Employer expressly waives any right to 13 condition voluntary recognition on the Union's 14 certification by the NLRB following an NLRB 15 election, unless a representation petition has been 16 17 filed by a Petitioner other than the Employer prior to the Employer's voluntary 9(a) recognition. The 18 Employer expressly waives the right to seek an 19 NLRB election during the term of this contract, 20 or any right to abrogate or repudiate this contract 21 during its effective term. 22

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# ARTICLE 3 UNION SECURITY

25 (a) As of the effective date of this Agreement, all employees under the terms of this agreement must 26 be or become members of the Union thirty (30) days 27 thereafter; the employees hired after the effective 28 29 date of this agreement shall be or become and remain members of the Union thirty (30) days after 30 their date of employment in accordance with the 31 provisions of the National Labor Relations Act. 32

- 1 (This clause shall be effective only in those states
- 2 permitting Union Security.)

3 In the event Federal Legislation should be 4 passed changing Union Security regulations in 5 the construction industry, upon proper notice 6 by either party, this Article shall be opened for 7 further negotiations.

8 (b) The Union and the Employer agree to abide by
9 all Executive Orders and subsequent amendments
10 thereto, regarding the Civil Rights Act of 1964,
11 pertaining to non-discrimination in employment,
12 in every respect.

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# ARTICLE 4 FUNCTIONS OF MANAGEMENT

15 The Employer shall have full right to direct the progress of the work and to exercise all 16 function and control, including but not limited 17 to, the assignment of duties to employees, the 18 19 selection of the kind of materials, supplies or equipment used in the prosecution of the work, 20 the qualifications of his employees and the right to 21 22 discharge any employee for any just and sufficient cause, provided, however, that no employee 23 24 shall be discriminated against. In addition to the employer's prerogative to terminate individuals 25 with excessive absenteeism, the employer has 26 the right to keep an ongoing record of employees 27 with a record of absenteeism and for instances 28 not warranting termination to refuse to allow the 29 30 employee to work overtime on Saturday, Sunday, 31 or Holidays.

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If either of the measures are taken, the employer,
 shall notify the local union, and if requested
 provide attendance records.

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# ARTICLE 5 JOB SITE SUBCONTRACTING

6 No Employer shall subcontract or assign any of the field construction work described herein which 7 8 is to be performed at a job site to any contractor, subcontractor or other person or party who does 9 not comply with all the terms of this Agreement or 10 a field construction agreement in effect in the area 11 12 where the work is erected which has been approved 13 by the International Brotherhood, and does not stipulate, in writing, compliance to the applicable 14 fringe benefit funds and Trust Agreement or 15 Agreements covering same. 16

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# ARTICLE 6 JOB NOTICE

19 (a) In order to insure the satisfactory progress
20 of each job, the Employer will furnish the
21 local Business Manager and the International
22 Headquarters with the following job information
23 as soon as possible and practical:

- 24 i. Location of job site
- 25 ii. Approximate staring date and duration
- 26 iii. Type of job
- 27 iv. Approximate manpower requirements

28 (b) When an employer signatory to the Northeast

29 Agreement is bidding a project against non-union

30 bidders said employer shall have 100% selectivity

from the local out of work list. The contractor
 shall request this in writing to the Local Business
 Manager. The contractor shall provide the bid list
 and scope of work to be performed. Final approval
 to be granted by the International Vice President
 of the area.

# ARTICLE 7 REFERRAL OF PERSONNEL

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9 (a) The referral of personnel shall be in accordance with the provisions of Appendix "C" 10 attached hereto. However, in the event the Union 11 is unable to fill the request for Employees within a 12 forty-eight (48) hour period after such request 13 14 Employees (Saturdays, Sundays, for and Holidays, excepted), the Employer may employ 15 workmen from any source. The Employer shall, 16 under the terms of this Agreement, request the 17 Union to furnish all competent, drug screened, 18 safety trained, and qualified field construction 19 boilermakers, boilermaker apprentices, and other 20 21 applicable classifications in this Agreement. Only referral applicants possessing a current 22 23 MOST drug screen/safety training certification or a timely chain of custody receipt indicating that 24 a MOST drug screen certification may be issued 25 26 shall be considered available for referral and employment. If a Boilermaker has two (2) OSHA 27 28 recordable incidents within a five-year period he must undergo MOST OSHA 10 Safety Training 29 before being referred to another job. 30

1 (b) Boilermakers Employees shall supply their2 own small tools.

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i. ANSI Compliant Safety/Steel-toed bootsii. Long-sleeve shirt

5 (c) An employer shall furnish each boilermaker
6 with a set of work/welding gloves. Except for
7 gloves damaged through fair wear and tear,
8 each boilermaker is responsible for replacement
9 gloves at his/her expense for the term of his/her
10 employment on that site.

(d) The first two (2) boilermakers on the job shall 11 12 be the foreman, selected by the Employer and the steward as designated by the Union. The Employer 13 14 may then select the first seven (7) applicants per shift for employment from the appropriate out 15 of work list, with the next seven (7) per shift 16 17 designated by the Union. Thereafter, additional referrals shall continue on a one-to-one ratio not to 18 exceed twenty-five employer requests per project. 19

20 (e) The Employer may also transfer up to ten (10)
21 boilermakers from one project to another within
22 the geographical jurisdiction of local union or zone.

23 (f) On any short duration job under contract at 30 days or less, if the duration of the job continues 24 25 beyond 30 days the Employer shall discuss with the Business Manager or his designee the possibility 26 of extending the duration. The Employer has 27 the right to bring the first man as a working 28 foreman throughout Local 5's Zone 7, 175 and 29 Zone 197. The Union will supply the second man 30

(the Steward). The next man will be requested by
 the Employer and the man after will come from
 the appropriate zone's out of work list up to a total
 of ten (10) men. If a 2nd and 3rd shift is required,
 the manning will be in the same order.

6 (g) The Employer will have the right to transfer 7 a crew of ten (10) men including the foreman 8 throughout Zones 7, 175 and 197. In addition, it is 9 understood that the wage package for the applicable 10 zone where the work is being performed shall be 11 paid to all transferees. Any additional employees 12 will come from within the zone jurisdiction.

# ARTICLE 8 TRADE JURISDICTION

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15 (a) This Agreement, except as otherwise provided for herein, covers the working rules and conditions 16 of employment for all journeymen boilermakers 17 and apprentices employed in the boilermaking 18 trade by a signatory Employer, including but 19 not limited to: boilermaking, welding, plasma 20 arc, overlay welding, acetylene burning, rubber 21 22 lining, fiberglass, riveting, chipping, caulking, rigging, fitting-up, grinding, reaming, impact 23 24 machine operating, unloading and handling of the boilermakers' material and equipment, and such 25 other work that is recognized as coming under the 26 trade jurisdiction of the boilermakers. 27

28 (b) Journeymen boilermakers may be required29 to perform any work coming within the scope of30 this Agreement.

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1 (c) It is agreed that the jurisdiction of work
2 covered by this agreement, is that provided
3 for in the Constitution of the International
4 Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders,
5 Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers as adopted at
6 the 34th Consolidated Convention held virtually
7 on July 19, 2021.

In recognition of the established jurisdiction of 8 the trade as set forth preceding this agreement, 9 it is understood that the claims are subject to 10 the trade Agreements and Final decision of the 11 12 AFL-CIO as well as the decisions rendered by the 13 Impartial Jurisdictional Disputes Board or any successor agency of the Building and Construction 14 Trades Department. 15

16 (d) There shall be no work stoppage because of 17 jurisdictional disputes.

18 (e) When an employers' major craft on a job is19 Boilermakers and a tool room man and or men are20 required, the tool room man or tool rooms shall be21 manned by Boilermakers.

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# ARTICLE 9 UNION ACCESS TO JOB

The Business Manager, or his designated
representative shall be admitted to jobs where
the Employer is performing work for a customer.
Such admission, however, shall be subject to the
customer's regulations governing the admission
of visitors.

# ARTICLE 10 SUPERVISION

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3 (a) The selection and number of foremen and general foremen shall be entirely the responsibility 4 5 of the Employer. It is understood that in the selection of foremen, the Employer will give first 6 7 consideration to and request the referral of those who have successfully completed the Boilermaker 8 Foreman Training Program or other qualified men 9 available in the local area without persuading any 10 employee to leave one employer for another. The 11 12 Employer shall have the right to send general foremen into any local territory where work is 13 being performed as follows: 14

15 (**b**) All foremen shall be practical mechanics of 16 the trade.

17 (c) There shall be a foreman on every job and as18 many foremen as the Employer deems necessary19 thereafter.

20 (d) Where eight (8) or less men are employed 21 on a job, one (1) shall be a foreman who 22 shall work with the tools if required by the 23 Employer. Where nine (9) or more men are 24 employed on a job, one (1) shall be a foreman 25 who shall not work with the tools but act in a 26 supervisory capacity.

27 (e) It is agreed that all classifications of foremen
28 referred to herein shall accept instructions from
29 the Employer's superintendent(s). However,
30 the superintendent(s) shall not give instructions

1 to the other employees covered by the terms of

2 this Agreement.

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3 (f) When desired by the employer, with mutual
4 agreement from the Business Manager, for
5 specific projects, the foreman may also serve as
6 Company Superintendent.

# ARTICLE 11 Job Steward

9 (a) It is understood and agreed that the 10 steward's duties shall not include any matters 11 relating to referral, hiring or laying off 12 of employees.

13 (b) Stewards shall not, by reason of their position as stewards, be exempt from the work required 14 15 of journeymen on the job site and shall work the 16 full day of journeymen except when specifically engaged in handling grievances of the Union and 17 18 other recognized duties related to the successful prosecution and completion of the job. Stewards 19 shall receive the regular journeyman's rate of pay 20 provided he remains on the job or has authorization 21 from his Employer to leave the jobsite. 22

(c) The Employer agrees that the steward will not
be laid off until proper notification has been given
to the Union and that he will be the last employee
laid off (other than the foreman) providing he is
qualified to perform the remaining work.

28 (d) The Steward or designate who has completed29 the MOST Hazard Recognition course, and the

1 Contractor site representative shall perform a 2 daily job-site walk through and mutually review 3 safety issues and toilet and wash facilities at no 4 liability to the Union. On job sites where no one 5 has completed the MOST course, the designee 6 shall be the job steward.

### ARTICLE 12 NO PIECE WORK AND LIMITATION AND CURTAILMENT OF PRODUCTION

10 There shall be no contract, bonus, bit or task work;11 nor shall there be any limit on or curtailment12 of production.

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# ARTICLE 13 HOURS OF WORK

15 Eight (8) hours per day shall constitute a day's
16 work and forty (40) hours per week, Monday
17 through Friday, inclusive, shall constitute a
18 week's work.

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### ARTICLE 14 SHIFTS

21 Shifts may be established by the Employer on the 22 following basis:

23 (a) The regular work day shall be a 24 hour period starting with the first or day shift at 7:00 A.M.; the 24 regular starting time for the second shift shall be 25 3:30 P.M. and the regular starting time of the third 26 27 shift shall be 11:30 P.M. The foregoing starting times may be changed when mutually agreed to 28 between the Employer and the Representative of 29 the Union having jurisdiction of the job. 30

The regular shift work week having commenced
 with the day shift on Monday morning shall
 continue daily and be concluded at the end of the
 third shift at 7:00 A.M. on Saturday.

5 (b) When shifts are required the first (1st) shall work eight (8) hours at the regular straight time 6 7 rate. The second (2nd) shift shall work eight (8) hours at the regular straight time rate plus a \$2.00 8 per hour shift additive. The third (3rd) shift shall 9 10 work eight (8) hours at the regular straight time rate plus a \$2.25 shift additive. A thirty (30) minute 11 lunch period shall be mutually agreed upon by the 12 13 Superintendent and Union Representative and shall not be considered time worked. 14

15 (c) No employee shall be required to work more 16 than eight (8) hours in any twenty-four (24) hour 17 period for straight time. Beginning of the twenty-18 four (24) hour period for such purposes shall be 19 the regular starting time of the shift upon which 20 the employee is regularly employed.

(d) When an employee is required to work beyond
ten (10) hours, he shall be entitled to a thirty (30)
minute paid meal period, immediately after the
tenth hour. He shall be entitled to an additional
thirty (30) minute paid meal period after every
fourth hour worked thereafter except at the
completion of the work period.

28 (e) By mutual agreement between the Business29 Manager and the Employer, a work week may be

established consisting of four (4) days of ten (10)
 hours per shift, Monday through Thursday at the

3 straight time rate. Work performed outside of the

4 regular established shift hours shall be paid for at

5 the applicable overtime rate.

6 (f) By mutual agreement, lost time due to bad
7 weather or conditions beyond the contractor's
8 control (excluding holidays) may be made up on
9 Friday. Friday makeup days shall be for a full 10
10 hours shift and pay for such makeup time shall be
11 at the straight time rate unless the makeup hours
12 extend into overtime.

13 (g) Men required to work during regularly
14 established meal periods, unless otherwise
15 approved by the Business Manager or Job Steward
16 will be paid the overtime rate and allowed a regular
17 lunch period upon completion of such work.

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### ARTICLE 15 MINIMUM PAY AND REPORTING TIME

20 (a) An employee starting to work or called to work after starting time of a shift, Monday through 21 Sunday inclusive, shall receive not less than four 22 (4) hour's pay at the applicable rate, and if such 23 24 employee is required to continue on the second period of the shift, he shall receive not less than a 25 26 full day's pay at the applicable rate. The provision 27 will also apply to employees who are laid off because of completion of work. 28

29 (b) Should an employee be required by the 30 Employer to report for work and not given

1 work, he shall receive four (4) hour's pay at the

2 applicable rate.

(c) The foregoing requirements shall not be 3 applicable where the employee is sent home by 4 5 reason of bad weather, breakdown of machinery, or any other cause beyond the direct control of the 6 7 Employer, in which event he shall be paid (1) not less than two (2) hours' pay, (2) not less than four 8 (4) hours' pay if he starts to work, or (3) for actual 9 10 time worked or time required to remain on the job, whichever is greater. 11

12 (d) In order to qualify for pay provided for 13 herein, the employee must remain on the job, 14 available for work, during the period of time for 15 which he receives pay unless released sooner by 16 the Employer.

17 (e) If an employee is sent home before regular18 starting time on premium days, he will be paid two19 (2) hours at the applicable overtime rate.

(f) Any employee who is called out for an 20 emergency repair work on premium time shall 21 be paid at the applicable rate for actual hours 22 worked; however, an employee shall be given a 23 minimum of four (4) hours' pay at the applicable 24 25 rate provided he remains on the job during this period unless released sooner by the Employer's 26 27 principal supervisor.

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# ARTICLE 16 OVERTIME AND HOLIDAYS

3 (a) All work performed before or after the regular 4 scheduled eight (8) hour work day, Monday 5 through Friday and work performed during the 6 established lunch period, shall be paid for at 7 the time and one half  $(1 \frac{1}{2})$  rate. Time and one 8 half  $(1 \frac{1}{2})$  shall be paid for all work performed 9 on Saturday.

- 10 (b) Double time (two hours for one) shall be paid
- 11 for all time worked on Sundays and the following
- 12 recognized holidays:
- 13 New Year's Day
- 14 Presidents Day
- 15 Memorial Day
- 16 Independence Day
- 17 Labor Day
- 18 Veterans Day
- 19 Thanksgiving Day
- 20 Christmas Day
- 21 (c) When a holiday falls on Sunday, the day
- 22 observed by the State or Nation shall be observed,
- 23 and when a holiday falls on Saturday, Friday will
- 24 be observed as the holiday.

25 (d) Overtime is not to be demanded of any26 Employer by any workman covered by this27 Agreement as a condition for employment on28 a job.

# ARTICLE 17 Pay day

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3 (a) Payday shall be weekly and in no case shall there be more than three (3) day's pay held back. 4 5 Any employee who is discharged or laid off by the 6 Employer shall be paid in full immediately; failure to pay immediately; unless otherwise approved by 7 the Business Representative of the Union, shall 8 9 entitle the employee to receive straight time until full payment is made. Any employee who quits 10 shall be paid on or before the next regular payday. 11 12 If the Contractor does not have a bank set up for check cashing, the Contractor will reimburse the 13 employee for check cashing fees (up to \$10.00) 14 15 upon the employee submitting an original receipt.

16 (b) Except under extenuating circumstances
17 beyond the control of Employer and/or by
18 agreement with Business Manager and/or job
19 steward, failure to pay wages during working hours
20 on specified dates, men shall receive overtime
21 for waiting.

22 (c) On emergency jobs, checks may be transmitted by first class mail to laid off employees on the first 23 business day following termination. Envelope 24 must be post dated by noon of first business day 25 following termination. Should an Employer fail to 26 transmit the checks as required by this section, the 27 employees will be entitled to four (4) hours waiting 28 time each day of non-compliance. At the option of 29 the employee wire transfer may be utilized. 30

1 (d) Effective January 1, 1991, the parties adopt
2 the Mobilization, Optimization, Stabilization and
3 Training Fund (MOST) – Safety and Training
4 Program which shall be administered in accordance
5 with the trust documents and procedures of the
6 MOST Fund.

# ARTICLE 18 CHECK-OFF

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9 (a) The Employer will, subject to the individual
10 signed authorization by the employee, deduct
11 from all weekly wages the amount of the Field
12 Dues of the Union. Copies of the authorization
13 form to be used will be furnished by the Union to
14 the Employer and it shall conform to all applicable
15 government regulations.

16 (b) The Employer agrees to provide a copy of the17 Authorization Form to each employee for signature18 and, upon being signed, to keep the form on file19 until completion of employment of the employee.

20 (c) All Field Dues deducted by the Employer 21 will be transmitted to the Local Union on or before the 15th day of each month. The amount 22 23 of Field Dues deducted in the preceding month and a list of employees with the weekly amounts 24 25 deducted, will be forwarded by the Employer with the transmitted Field Dues. Failure to transmit 26 Field Dues and Building Fund contributions by 27 28 the 15th day of the month will result with a fee of 5% Liquidated Damages and a 12% interest 29 fee. If referred to legal for collection, Liquidated 30 Damages will increase to 12%. 31

1 (d) The Union shall indemnify and save the
2 Company harmless against any claims or liability
3 that shall arise out of reason of action taken by the
4 Company in reliance upon Field Dues deduction
5 authorization cards submitted to the Company by
6 the employee or Union.

(e) Effective January 1, 1990, on all work 7 performed in the jurisdiction of Boilermakers 8 9 Local 29 and upon receipt of a signed authorization by an employee, the Employer will deduct thirty 10 cents (\$.30) per hour worked effective January 11 12 1, 2022 and reevaluated every January 1st for duration of the agreement, from all weekly wages 13 for the Boilermakers Local 29 Building and 14 15 Training Fund. Such deductions will be transmitted to Boilermakers Local 29 on or before the 15th 16 17 day of each month along with a list of employees showing the weekly amounts deducted. 18

19 (f) Effective January 1, 2022 the Employer will deduct a minimum of ten cents (\$.10) from all 20 21 weekly wages for Boilermakers Local 237 (per 22 hour worked), twenty-five cents (\$.25) for Local 5 Zone 7, and thirty cents (\$.30) for Local 5 Zone 23 24 175 and Local 5 Zone 197 (per hour paid) for the Building and Training Fund. Such deductions be 25 26 transmitted to the Local where the work is being performed on or before the 15th day of each month 27 along with a list of employees showing the weekly 28 amounts deducted. 29

- 1 (g) All locals agree to deduct \$1.00 per hour worked
- 2 (PHW) or per hour paid (PHP) for contribution to
- 3 the M.O.R.E. Work Investment Fund. Noted in
- 4 local lodge wage rate sheets under Article 19.

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### ARTICLE 19 WAGE SCALES

- 7 (a) The Employer shall pay and the employees
- 8 covered by the terms of this Agreement shall
- 9 accept the following minimum wage scales:

10	Classification	Rate
11	General Foreman	negotiable between
12		the employee and
13		employer, but may
14		not be less than
15		\$7.00 above
16		Journeyman rate.
17	Foreman	\$5.00 above the
18		Journeyman rate.

### LOCAL 5, ZONE 7

Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautauqua, Chemung, Erie, Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Niagara, Ontario, Orleans, Shuyler, Steuben, Wayne, Wyoming, and Yates

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$35.60	\$40.60	\$42.60
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25
PENSION (PHP)	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHP/DW)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHP/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$67.54	\$72.54	\$74.54

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\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

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	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%
WAGES (PHP)	\$33.82	\$32.04	\$30.26	\$28.48	\$26.70	\$24.92	\$23.14
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25	\$2.25
PENSION (PHP)	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96	\$17.96
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67	\$5.67
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25	\$0.25
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHP/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$65.76	\$63.98	\$62.20	\$60.42	\$58.64	\$56.86	\$55.08

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

PHW = Per Hour Worked

PHP = Per Hour Paid

DW = Deducted from Wages

### LOCAL 5, ZONE 175

Cayuga, Clinton, Cortland, Franklin, Jefferson, Lewis, Madison, Oneida, Onondaga, Oswego, St. Lawrence, Seneca, and Tompkins

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$36.23	\$41.23	\$43.23
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50
PENSION (PHP)	\$15.19	\$15.19	\$15.19
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$3.75	\$3.75	\$3.75
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHP/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$63.48	\$68.48	\$70.48

### Effective JANUARY 1, 2022 through DECEMBER 31, 2022

\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

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	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%
WAGES (PHP)	\$34.42	\$32.60	\$30.80	\$28.98	\$27.17	\$25.36	\$23.55
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50
PENSION (PHP)	\$14.43	\$13.68	\$12.90	\$12.13	\$11.38	\$10.63	\$9.87
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$3.56	\$3.38	\$3.19	\$3.00	\$2.81	\$2.63	\$2.44
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHP/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$60.72	\$57.97	\$55.20	\$52.42	\$49.67	\$46.93	\$44.17

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

PHW = Per Hour Worked

PHP = Per Hour Paid

DW = Deducted from Wages

### LOCAL 5, ZONE 197

Albany, Broome, Chenango, Columbia, Delaware, Essex, Fulton, Greene, Hamilton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Otsego, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Schoharie, Tioga, Warren, and Washington

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$39.94	\$44.34	\$46.34
PENSION (PHP)	\$15.08	\$17.19	\$18.24
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$3.50	\$3.06	\$2.85
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHP/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$66.23	\$72.90	\$75.74

Effective JANUARY 1, 2022 through DECEMBER 31, 2022

\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

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	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%
WAGES (PHP)	\$37.37	\$35.41	\$33.44	\$31.47	\$29.51	\$27.54	\$25.57
PENSION (PHP)	\$14.32	\$13.57	\$12.82	\$12.06	\$11.30	\$10.56	\$9.80
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$3.33	\$3.15	\$2.98	\$2.80	\$2.63	\$2.45	\$2.28
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHP/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$63.33	\$60.44	\$57.55	\$54.64	\$51.75	\$48.86	\$45.96

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

PHW = Per Hour Worked PHP = Per Hour Paid DW = Deducted from Wages

### LOCAL 29

#### Massachusetts and Rhode Island

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$46.37	\$51.37	\$53.37
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$14.03	\$15.74	\$16.58
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$6.00	\$5.86	\$5.80
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
**MA BLDG FUND (PHW/DW)	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$74.71	\$81.28	\$84.06

### Effective JANUARY 1, 2022 through DECEMBER 31, 2022

\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

	Ah	Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Enective 01/01/2022					
	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%
WAGES (PHP)	\$44.05	\$41.73	\$39.41	\$37.10	\$34.78	\$32.46	\$30.14
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$13.35	\$12.63	\$11.94	\$11.23	\$10.53	\$9.83	\$9.14
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.70	\$5.40	\$5.10	\$4.80	\$4.50	\$4.20	\$3.90
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
**MA BLDG FUND (PHW/DW)	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01	\$0.01
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$71.41	\$68.07	\$64.76	\$61.44	\$58.12	\$54.80	\$51.49

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

\*\*Massachusetts Only

PHW = Per Hour Worked PHP = Per Hour Paid DW = Deducted from Wages

### LOCAL 29

#### Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$38.58	\$43.58	\$45.58
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$10.64	\$12.12	\$12.86
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$6.00	\$5.69	\$5.53
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$63.53	\$69.70	\$72.28

### Effective JANUARY 1, 2022 through DECEMBER 31, 2022

\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

						65%	
WAGES (PHP)	\$36.65	\$34.72	\$32.79	\$30.86	\$28.94	\$27.01	\$25.08
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$2.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$10.11	\$9.58	\$9.05	\$8.51	\$7.99	\$7.46	\$6.92
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.70	\$5.40	\$5.10	\$4.80	\$4.50	\$4.20	\$3.90
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30	\$0.30
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$60.77	\$58.01	\$55.25	\$52.48	\$49.74	\$46.98	\$44.21

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

PHW = Per Hour Worked PHP = Per Hour Paid DW = Deducted from Wages

### LOCAL 237

	JOURNEYMAN	FOREMAN	GEN. FOREMAN
WAGES (PHP)	\$44.46	\$49.46	\$51.46
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$14.70	\$16.48	\$17.39
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.50	\$6.18	\$6.32
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.10	\$0.15	\$0.15
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHP/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$72.97	\$80.43	\$83.48

### Effective JANUARY 1, 2022 through DECEMBER 31, 2022

\*Negotiable between Employee and the Employer, but never less than \$7.00/hour above Journeyman rate.

	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%
WAGES (PHP)	\$42.24	\$40.01	\$37.79	\$35.57	\$33.35	\$31.12	\$28.90
VACATION (PHW/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
PENSION (PHP)	\$13.96	\$13.22	\$12.51	\$11.76	\$11.01	\$10.28	\$9.54
ANNUITY (PHP)	\$5.23	\$4.95	\$4.68	\$4.40	\$4.13	\$3.85	\$3.58
H&W (PHP)	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07	\$7.07
MOST TRUST (PHW)	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
APPRENTICE (PHW)	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90	\$0.90
BLDG & TRN (PHW/DW)	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.10
M.O.R.E. WIF (PHP/DW)	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
TOTAL PKG	\$69.74	\$66.58	\$63.29	\$60.04	\$56.80	\$53.56	\$50.33

Apprentice Percentage of Journeyman Rate- Effective 01/01/2022

- 1 The following increases will take place
- 2 as noted:

	2022	2023	2024		
Local 5, Zone 7	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		
Local 5, Zone 175	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		
Local 5, Zone 197	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		
Local 29, NNE	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		
Local 237	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		
Local 29	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		

ANNUAL INCREASE FOR DURATION OF AGREEMENT

- 3 Effective January 1, 2022, a 2.0% increase in
- 4 pension will be applied to the above rates and
- 5 every January 1st thereafter. Reflected below:

#### Local 29 (ME, NH, VT)

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

#### Local 29 (MA & RI)

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

#### Local 237

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

#### Local 5 Zone 7

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

#### Local 5 Zone 175

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

#### Local 5 Zone 197

Effective January 1, 2022: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024: \$1.00, plus 2% pension increase

- 1 Wage sheets shall be distributed annually.
- 2 For up to date wage package information contact
- 3 the local having jurisdiction.

4	Apprenticeship Period	% of Journeyman Rate
5	1 st	6 months 65%
6	2nd	6 months 65%
7	3rd	6 months 70%
8	4th	6 months 75%
9	5th	6 months 80%
10	6th	6 months 85%
11	7th	6 months 90%
12	8th	6 months 95%

13 (b) The wage rate for Boilermaker Helpers/Trainees shall be 65% of the Boilermaker Journeyman wage 14 rate, following the apprenticeship wage rate table. 15 The first 1,000 hours of employment shall be a 16 probationary period during which time they shall 17 not acquire any rights or status under this agreement, 18 nor under the National Joint Rules and Standards 19 governing operation of Exclusive Referral Plans, nor 20 21 under any Local Joint Referral Rules and Standards. Contributions to fringe benefits under this Agreement 22 shall not be required during the probationary period. 23 After the probationary period, all benefits provided 24 for by this Agreement shall be paid. 25

26 (c) Except in a broken work week not created as 27 a result of the intervention of a holiday and, at the 1 beginning or conclusion of a job, when a foreman

- 2 works three (3) or more days in any work week,
- 3 he shall receive a minimum of forty (40) hours
- 4 pay provided he reports to the job daily during
- 5 work week.

(d) Effective October 1, 2009, Non-Boilermaker 6 craft journeymen, unless Common Arc certified, 7 shall be paid a total package amount (wage rate 8 9 and boilermaker fringe benefits) equivalent to their union's total package rate for the area in which 10 the work is performed, unless that local union's 11 total package rate is higher than the boilermaker 12 package, in which case the boilermaker wage and 13 fringe benefit rates will be paid. Non-Metal craft 14 skilled journeyman, unless Common Arc certified, 10 shall start at the rate of 80% of the journeyman 15 16 until obtaining 3,000 hours within the rate Boilermaker industry. 17

(e) Vacation Fund - Effective January 1, 2022, upon 18 notification, the Employer shall deduct from the 19 employee wages for each hour worked, the sum 20 of one dollar (\$1.00) per hour worked from each 21 employee covered by Local 237, the sum of two 22 dollars (\$2.00) per hour worked by all employees 23 covered by Local 29, the sum of two dollars and 24 25 twenty five cents (\$2.25) per hour worked by all 26 employees covered by Local 5, Zone 7, and the 27 sum of two dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50) per hour 28 worked by all employees covered by Local 5, Zone 29 175.

- 1 One Hundred Percent (100%) participation for the
- 2 duration of agreement is mandatory per Local to
- 3 participate in the Vacation Fund. The Employer
- 4 shall remit these deductions to the Boilermaker
- 5 Vacation Trust.

i. The Employer agrees to and shall be bound by
the Trust Agreement creating the Boilermaker
Vacation Trust and all amendments now or
hereafter approved by the Board of Trustees. Said
agreement and amendments are incorporated by
reference and made a part of this agreement as if
affixed hereto.

- ii. The Union and Contractor agree that if Article
  14 19(e) is not used by the end of the contract the
  article will be removed.
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### ARTICLE 20 TRANSPORTATION AND TRAVEL ALLOWANCES

- 18 (See Appendix "A" for travel allowance.)
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# ARTICLE 21 HEALTH AND WELFARE FUND

21 The Employer shall pay into the Boilermakers 22 National Health and Welfare Fund the sum 23 of seven dollars and seven cents (\$7.07) per 24 hour for each hour paid by the Employer 25 for all his employees who are covered by 26 this agreement.

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# ARTICLE 22 NATIONAL PENSION PROGRAM

29 (a) The Employer shall pay into the Boilermaker-30 Blacksmith National Pension Trust on a per hour

paid basis, in the states of Maine, New Hampshire,
 Vermont, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode
 Island, and New York in the jurisdictions of Albany,
 Oswego and Buffalo. The Employer agrees to and
 shall be bound by the provisions of Appendix "D"
 attached hereto.

# ARTICLE 23 ANNUITY PROGRAM

9 (a) The Employer shall pay into the Boilermakers

	2022	2023	2024
Effective Date:	1/1/22	1/1/23	1/1/24
Local 5, Zone 7	\$17.96	\$18.32	\$18.69
Local 5, Zone 175	\$15.19	\$15.49	\$15.80
Local 5, Zone 197	\$15.08	\$15.38	\$15.69
Local 29, ME, NH, VT	\$10.64	\$10.85	\$11.07
Local 29, MA & RI	\$14.03	\$14.31	\$14.60
Local 237	\$14.70	\$14.99	\$15.29

1/1/2022—NATIONAL PENSION—JOURNEYMAN CLASSIFICATION

10 National Annuity Trust

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- 11 \$5.67 per hour paid in the jurisdiction of Buffalo, NY
- 12 \$3.75 per hour paid in the jurisdiction of Oswego, NY
- 13 \$3.50 per hour paid in the jurisdiction of Albany, NY
- 14 \$6.00 per hour paid in the states of ME, NH, and VT
- 15 \$6.00 per hour paid in the states of MA and RI
- 16 \$5.50 per hour paid in the state of CT

17 for each hour paid by the Employer for all 18 employees covered by this Agreement. The 19 Employer shall provide the employee with a 20 weekly payroll stub itemizing the amount paid 21 to his annuity. The Employer agrees to and shall be bound by the Trust Agreement creating
 the Boilermakers National Annuity Trust and
 all amendments now or hereafter approved by
 the Board of Trustees. Said Agreement and
 amendments are incorporated by reference and
 made a part of this agreement as if affixed thereto.

7 (b) The Union reserves the right to increase
8 allocations from the Annuity Fund to the Pension
9 Fund in January, of each year, for the duration of
10 this Agreement, with the understanding that the
11 increase(s) will not revert back to the Annuity
12 Fund.

# ARTICLE 24 APPRENTICE TRAINING

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15 The ratio of apprentices to journeymen on all work covered by this agreement shall be at least 16 one (1) in four (4) when available. In the event 17 apprentices are not available in sufficient number 18 19 to comply with the ratio, then pre-apprentices may be used to fulfill requirements. The Employer 20 agrees to and shall be bound by the provisions 21 of Appendix "E" attached hereto relating to said 22 Apprenticeship fund. 23

(a) The Employer agrees to contribute ninety
cents (\$.90) per hour for all hours worked by
employees covered by this agreement to the
Boilermakers National Apprenticeship Program,
eighty cents (\$.80) will be returned to the Northeast
Area Apprenticeship Fund by the BNAP to support
the Northeast Apprenticeship Program. (The

1 ninety cents (\$.90) includes the five cent (\$.05)

2 increase agreed to during the 2014 negotiations)

3 **(b)** By mutual agreement between the chairmen 4 of the respective Committees, this Article may be 5 opened up for negotiations at any time during the 6 life of the Agreement. (January 1, 2022 through 7 December 31, 2024)

8 (c) When any apprentice is working outside his 9 zone, local jurisdiction or area apprenticeship 10 program, he shall be paid Journeyman's rate for 11 the local jurisdiction he is working in.

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### ARTICLE 25 MOST

14 (a) The Employer agrees to contribute the 15 Apprenticeship contribution rates established 16 in Article 24 plus (\$0.34) per hour worked to the Mobilization, Optimization, Stabilization & 17 Training (MOST) Fund effective August 1, 2010. 18 The Employer agrees to and shall be bound by 19 Trust Agreement, policies and procedures creating 20 21 MOST, and all amendments or revisions to policies and procedures now or hereafter approved by the 22 Board of Trustees. Said Trust Agreement, policies, 23 24 procedures, and amendments or revisions are incorporated by reference and made a part of this 25 26 Agreement as if affixed hereto.

(b) In the event the boilermaker participants inthe MOST Programs cease participation in anyaspect of the MOST Programs, then the Employer

- 1 contribution requirements contained in this
- 2 agreement are null and void and the Employer will
- 3 immediately cease all contributions to MOST.

4 (c) Effective January 1, 1991, the parties adopt
5 the Mobilization, Optimization, Stabilization
6 and Training Fund (MOST) – Safety and
7 Training Program which shall be administered
8 with the trust documents and procedures of the
9 MOST Fund.

(d) Drug Screening Program – Effective August 10 15, 1993, the Employers and Union incorporate the 11 12 MOST Mandatory Drug Screening Program into the Mobilization, Optimization, Stabilization and 13 14 Training Fund – Safety and Training Program. The MOST Mandatory Drug Screening Program shall 15 be administered in accordance with this contract, 16 the trust documents and the policy and procedures 17 of the Mobilization, Optimization, Stabilization 18 19 and Training Fund.

(e) A subcommittee will be formed under the 20 21 Northeastern States Safety Training Program to 22 keep abreast of the latest developments, changes, 23 and technology pertaining to drug screening 24 programs. All proposed changes will be submitted to the full labor management committee at a 25 26 quarterly meeting for recommendation to MOST. 27 The program will be a ten (10) panel category with the addition of alcohol, based on a .04% blood 28 29 alcohol level.

(f) MOST Hazard Recognition Safety Training
 will become MANDATORY effective October
 1, 1994. Training is to begin as soon as possible
 and completed by January 1, 1996. Training
 schedules are to be coordinated by the MOST
 Hazard Recognition Training Program in Kansas
 City, Kansas.

8 (g) One cent (\$0.01) is a voluntary contribution 9 to the National Association of Construction

9 to the National Association of Con 10 Boilermaker Employers (NACBE).

(h) It is understood that the MOST Program is
intended to be an Employer sponsored program.
In recognition of the Boilermaker's participation
in the programs on their own time, the Employers
will fund any increases to the MOST Program as
required by the Board of Trustees.

17 (i) Any increases or decreases shall be 18 implemented on the first full payroll week following 19 notification from MOST to the Co-Chairmen of 20 the Northeastern States Articles of Agreement, or 21 as otherwise specified.

(j) By mutual agreement between the chairmen
of the respective Committees, this Article may be
opened up for negotiations at any time during the
life of the Agreement.

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# ARTICLE 26 WELDER CERTIFICATION

28 (a) Any welder who is required to take a welding

29 test on a job-site shall be paid for the time required

30 to take the test.

(b) If an Employer participates in the National
 Welder Certification Program (Common Arc), no
 compensation shall be required for welders testing
 or upgrading under the program.

5 (c) Welders shall be furnished suitable replacement
6 of welding gloves, and where possible provided
7 a clean, dry, warm, suitable area, free from dust,
8 wind, etc. for a welder to perform test procedures.

9 (d) Each Common Arc Welder employed by participating contractor shall receive a copy of 10 their Welder History record update in each process 11 in which they are qualified (G.T.A.W., S.M.A.W., 12 13 etc.) upon layoff. If this report is not filled out and sent in accordance with the Common Arc 14 requirements within 7 days of the end of the 15 16 job, the Contractor will pay \$25.00 per person to Common Arc for the administration expenses 17 incurred in processing late reports. 18

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### ARTICLE 27 UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION - NOTICE OF SEPARATION

(a) The Employer shall, regardless of the number
of employees in his employ, become a subject
employer under the terms of the applicable State
Unemployment Compensation Agency where the
work is being performed.

(b) Employees, upon separation from the job, shall
be given the required separation slip including a
reason in writing for their separation, if requested.
(c) A surety or Escrow Agreement may be
required to insure payment of fringe benefits

from Employers not previously signed to any 1 2 Boilermaker collective bargaining agreement or job understanding requiring employer contributions 3 4 to the Boilermakers National Pension, Annuity, 5 Health and Welfare or Apprenticeship Funds or an Employer who has been or is delinquent in the 6 payment of fringe benefit contributions to any 7 8 fringe benefit funds.

9 (d) The amount of the bond will be 125% of fringe benefit contributions based on the number 10 of potential and/or actual employee's hours times 11 the appropriate contribution rates as estimated 12 by the Union. The bond is intended to cover the 13 contribution principal liquidated damages, interest 14 and collection costs including attorney fees. 15 Additional bonds may be required if the original 16 estimate is insufficient. 17

(e) The Union may refuse to refer employees to 18 and may withdraw employees from any Employer 19 who has not posted a bond when required, and such 20 refusal or withdrawal will not constitute a violation 21 of the Agreement. Such refusal or withdrawal is 22 23 not the Union's exclusive remedy and any legal 24 or equitable course of conduct or action may be 25 pursued.

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# ARTICLE 28

# SAFETY MEASURES AND MEDICAL TREATMENT

28 (a) All work of the Employer shall be performed29 under mutually approved safety conditions which30 must conform to State and Federal regulations.

(b) A warm, dry place shall be provided for men 1 2 to change their clothes, eat lunches, and suitable drinking water will be made available. Attempts 3 will be made to obtain the use of the customer's 4 5 toilet and wash facilities. Upon failure to gain 6 the use of customer facilities, the Employer shall, where access to running water and sewer is 7 reasonable, provide a means to wash up. Hand 8 soap or similar cleaning agents shall be provided, 9 including paper hand towels and toilet tissues. 10

Scaffolding, 11 staging, walks, ladders. (**c**) 12 gangplanks and other safety appliances shall provided where necessary and shall 13 be be constructed in a safe and proper manner by 14 15 competent mechanics.

16 (d) In addition to the Employer being required to
17 furnish adequate safety measures and equipment,
18 it shall also be a requirement of the workmen
19 to conform to safety regulations and measures
20 as provided.

(e) Employees required to take time off from 21 their employment during working hours to secure 22 23 treatment because of injury or sickness arising out of and in the course of their employment, shall 24 receive pay for such time plus necessary travel 25 expenses incurred in so doing on the day of injury. 26 Extent and frequency of subsequent treatments if 27 28 questioned by the Employer must be approved by the Employer's doctor. 29

1 (f) Employees shall not be required to take a
2 physical examination, except as required by
3 governmental agencies having proper jurisdiction,
4 and there shall be no age limit except as provided
5 by law. (Testing for cause to be addressed by a
6 side letter, MOST language).

7 (g) In the event employees are required to take a
8 physical examination, they shall be reimbursed
9 for all time and/or travel expense provided
10 that such employees who pass the examination
11 must accept employment in order to receive
12 such reimbursement.

13 (h) On nuclear repair projects where Radiation 14 other than Radiography is involved, employees 15 shall be given a physical examination at the 16 start of the job and also upon completion of the 17 employee's employment.

# ARTICLE 29 GRIEVANCE MACHINERY

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(a) All grievances involving the interpretation
and application of this Agreement other than those
pertaining to general wage rates or jurisdictional
disputes that may arise on a job covered by this
Agreement, shall be handled in the following
manner with the understanding that there shall be
no suspension of work or strike or lockout.

(b) Any such grievance shall be first consideredby representatives of the local union and theEmployer, and if a settlement satisfactory to theEmployer and local union cannot be reached

- 1 within seven (7) calendar days, it will be reduced
- 2 to writing and submitted to:

3 (c) The International Representative of the Union 4 and the Employer involved, and if a settlement 5 satisfactory to the Employer and Union cannot be 6 reached within seven (7) calendar days

7 (d) Then the grievance will be submitted in writing 8 within seven (7) calendar days by the Union 9 or by the Employer or by both to an Arbitration Committee consisting of a representative of the 10 Union, a representative of the Employer, and a 11 12 third member to be chosen by those two (2) jointly. The decision of the majority of the Arbitration 13 14 Committee shall be final and binding on the parties 15 involved. Such decisions shall be within the scope and terms of this Agreement, but shall not change 16 such scope and terms; shall be rendered within 17 ten (10) calendar days from the time of reference 18 to the Arbitration Committee and shall specify 19 whether or not it is retroactive and the effective 20 21 date thereof.

(e) If the two members of the Arbitration 22 Committee fail to select a neutral member within 23 24 five (5) calendar days, the two members already 25 appointed shall within five (5) calendar days, 26 call upon the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service to make the third selection. In the event 27 28 either Employer or Union's representative fails to cooperate in calling upon the Federal Mediation 29 30 and Conciliation Service within the said five (5) calendar days, the other representative shall have 31 32 the authority to make such request.

(f) The expense of the third member of the
 Arbitration Committee shall be borne by the party
 receiving the adverse decision in the subject case.
 All other expenses of the arbitration procedure
 will be borne by the party incurring them.
 (g) Any grievance must be submitted in

7 writing to the other party within fifteen (15) 8 calendar days of occurrence or it will be 9 considered closed.

# ARTICLE 30 NO STRIKE NO LOCKOUT

12 During the life of this Agreement, each of the 13 signatory parties agrees that there shall be no strikes, work stoppages, or lockouts by members 14 of the Union or by the Employer. This no strike, no 15 lockout commitment is based upon the agreement 16 17 by both parties to be bound by the grievance and arbitration provisions of this Agreement. The 18 19 parties also agree that a breach of this no strike, no lockout provision shall constitute a breach of the 20 entire agreement. 21

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### ARTICLE 31 POLITICAL ACTION FUND DEDUCTION

(a) The Employer agrees to deduct five cents
(\$.05) per hour worked for Local 5 Zone 7, Local
29 and Local 237, and ten cents (\$.10) per hour
worked for Local 5 Zone 175 and Zone 197 for the
Boilermakers LEAP Campaign Assistance Fund
upon written authorization by the employee.

30 **(b)** Where feasible, the Employer agrees to 31 provide a copy of the Authorization Form to the

- 1 Steward, for employee signature, and upon being
- 2 signed to keep the form on file until completion
- 3 of employment.
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# **ARTICLE 32**

MASSACHUSETTS STATE BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION TRADES COUNCIL DEDUCTION

7 (a) The Employer will, subject to the individual's
8 signed authorization by the employee, deduct
9 one cent (\$.01) for each hour worked in the State
10 of Massachusetts for the Massachusetts State
11 Building and Construction Trades Council.

12 (b) A copy of the signed authorization form13 to be used will be furnished by the Union to14 the Employer.

15 (c) This money is to be transmitted to the16 Secretary-Treasurer of Local 29 on or before the17 15th of each month.

# ARTICLE 33 PROJECT AGREEMENTS

20 Project Agreements negotiated by the International
21 shall supersede this Agreement to the extent of
22 any modifications or changes specifically set
23 forth therein.

The Business Manager of the Local Lodge may modify articles of this agreement on a specific job when, in his judgment, it is in the craft's best interest to do so. Any such agreement shall apply only to that job or project and will automatically terminate at the conclusion of the work. All changes will be reduced to writing, signed by the
 parties with copies furnished to the Chairmen of
 the Employers and Union Negotiating Committee
 before work commences, if possible. Labor/
 Management, when feasible will work to enhance
 a Market Recovery Program.

# ARTICLE 34 AGREEMENT QUALIFICATIONS

9 (See Appendix F for maintenance and repair agreement)

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(a) It is not the intent of either party hereto to 10 violate any laws or any rulings or regulations 11 of any Governmental authority or agency 12 having jurisdiction of the subject matter of this 13 Agreement and the parties hereto agree that, 14 15 in the event any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful or void by any tribunal 16 having the right to so hold, the remainder of the 17 Agreement shall remain in full force and effect, 18 unless the parts so found to be void are wholly 19 inseparable from the remaining portions 20 of 21 this Agreement.

22 (b) It is further understood that this Agreement was negotiated with the Union on an area-wide basis 23 24 by Employers engaged in the field construction industry in the area. Should this Agreement, by 25 notice given as herein provided, be reopened for 26 27 further negotiations, such negotiations shall be conducted on an area-wide basis by the Employers 28 who have executed this agreement and/or 29 Employers signatory to the National Agreement. 30

(c) Continued deliberate violations of this 1 Agreement other than work assignments involved 2 in jurisdictional disputes, unless corrected or 3 discontinued after proper written notice 4 to 5 the Employers, will be sufficient cause, after 6 investigation and approval of the International President of the Union, for the cancellation of this 7 8 Agreement between the violating Employer and the International Brotherhood 9

10 (d) Conditions which are applicable to any 11 particular area covered by this Agreement 12 and provided for herein, not general in 13 scope or application, will be covered in the 14 appendices attached to, and made a part of the 15 complete Agreement.

(e) During the life of the Agreement, the members
of the Employers committee and the members of the
Union committee agree to hold quarterly meetings
for the purpose of clarifying the Agreement
and/or discussing problems of mutual concern in
the industry.

(f) Disagreement over the interpretation of
this Agreement shall be submitted to the two
negotiating chairmen for their ruling which shall
be in writing. Such ruling is subject to appeal
under the grievance procedure.

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# ARTICLE 35 DURATION OF AGREEMENT

3 (a) This Agreement shall become effective January 1, 2022, and except as otherwise provided 4 5 herein, shall remain in full force and effect until midnight December 31, 2024, and from year to 6 7 year thereafter unless either party shall, at least sixty (60) days prior to any anniversary date 8 thereof, notify the other party in writing of a desire 9 to modify or terminate this Agreement. In the event 10 such notice is given the parties, in accordance 11 12 with the provisions of Article 34, Section (b), shall meet not later than fifteen (15) days after receipt 13 of such notice. Should an understanding not be 14 reached within thirty (30) days from the date such 15 notice was filed, the procedure outlined in Section 16 17 8 of the Labor Management Relations Act will be followed. 18

This Agreement, as negotiated by the foregoing committees in East Hartford, Connecticut is hereby accepted by the parties' signatory hereto this 30th day of November, 2021, with the full understanding that this Agreement is between the Union and the individual signatory Employers.

# **REPRESENTING THE EMPLOYERS:**

Thomas H. O'Connor III, Chairman John Valvo, Fresh Meadows Power NE, LLC Laurie Laube, APCom Power Inc. John Housel, KE Fabricating Brian Maxwell, Troy Boilerworks John Burke, IPC Lydon Bill Novak, American Boiler

### **REPRESENTING THE UNION:**

John T. Fultz, IVP Chairman Chuck Hancock, BM/ST L 29 Chris O'Neill, BM/ST L 237 Steve Ludwigson, BM/ST L 5 Tom Ryan, President L 5 Michael Bogue, Ass't BM L 5-Z7 William Bailey, Ass't BM L 5-Z197 Greg Peterson, Ass't BM L-5/Z175 John Clark, IR-CSO Daniel DeCarlo, IR-CSO Daniel Watson, IR-CSO

# FOR THE EMPLOYER:

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Employer Chairman Thomas O'Connor, III

# FOR THE UNION:

Union Chairman John T. Fultz

1	APPENDIX "A" TRAVEL ALLOWANCE
2 3	1. Article 20
4 5 6	(a) It is the intent of this article to fairly compensate and share incurred travel costs of employees covered by this agreement.
7 8 9	(b) Employees shall be reimbursed for travel allowance from their residence city to the job site in keeping with the below schedule.
10 11 12 13	(c) Any falsification of information supplied regarding the legitimate residence city of the employees shall be handled in accordance with Section 8.3 and 8.3.1 of the Joint Referral Rules.
14 15 16	(d) Compensation will be based on the most direct route as determined by RAND McNALLY-Household Goods Carrier Bureau.
17 18 19 20	(e) Travel allowance will be paid on a daily basis, one way, provided the employee works a minimum of four (4) hours, unless released sooner by the Employer.
21 22 23 24 25 26	(f) Travel allowances outlined in this article shall be paid for all holidays falling within the regular work week provided the employee is employed and works the regular scheduled work day immediately preceding and immediately following the holiday.

1 (g) Travel allowance rates	5:
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25-45 miles	\$10.00
Over 45-60 miles	\$25.00
Over 60 miles	\$35.00

2 These rates will become effective for all work3 bid from January 1, 2007.

### APPENDIX "B" BOILERMAKERS NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE

7 Section 1. In the Agreement to which this is an
appendix, the Boilermakers National Health and
9 Welfare Fund is referred to as "National Welfare
10 Fund," "Welfare Fund," or "Fund." The Contractor
11 is referred to as "Employer" and the Contractors
12 are referred to as "Employers."

13 Section 2. Employer agrees to be bound by the
14 Agreement and Declaration of Trust entered into as
15 of October 1, 1954, establishing the Boilermakers
16 National Health and Welfare Fund and by any
17 amendments to said Trust Agreement.

18 Section 3. Payment of Employer contributions to
19 the National Welfare Fund shall be made on the
20 dates and in the manner and form prescribed by
21 the Trustees of said Fund.

22 Section 4. Employer shall furnish the Trustees
23 with information such as names of employees,
24 classifications, Social Security numbers, hours
25 worked and such other information as may be

1 required or deemed necessary by the Trustees

2 for the proper and efficient administration of 3 the fund.

4 **Section 5.** Employer hereby authorizes and 5 directs the committee in this Agreement named as representing the Employers, and as to the future 6 7 the committee named in the current agreement 8 successor to this Agreement with the Union or any local thereof to do each and all of the following in 9 10 his(Employer's)name and behalf, either individually or in conjunction with other Employers covered 11 by this Agreement. 12

13 (a) Execute the Agreement and Declaration of Trust14 establishing the National Welfare Fund;

15 (b) Exercise any rights, powers and authority 16 given or provided by said Trust Agreement or any 17 amendments thereto, to elect, select, appoint or 18 to vote for one or more Employer Trustees and 19 successor Employer Trustees of the Fund and to 20 remove or vote for or against the removal of any 21 Employer Trustee of the Fund.

(c) Exercise any and all other rights in connection
with or relating to the National Welfare Fund or its
Trust Agreement which are given the Employer,
either individually or together with other
Employers, under said Trust Agreement.

In exercising or in not exercising the power and
authorities herein granted, the committee shall act
on and in accord with, but only on and in accord
with, the vote of a majority of the then members of

the committee. Having so acted, the committee may
 designate its then chairman, alone or together with
 one or more of its members, or one or more other
 members of the committee, to vote or to execute
 any document on behalf of the committee and/
 or all or some of the other Employers covered by
 this Agreement.

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# APPENDIX "C" LOCAL JOINT REFERRAL RULES AND STANDARDS

Each Local Lodge covered by this agreement shall
have local joint referral rules which are and shall
remain in compliance with the National Joint Rules
and Standards Governing Operation of Exclusive
Referral Plans.

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# APPENDIX "D"

# 16 **BOILERMAKER-BLACKSMITH NATIONAL PENSION TRUST**

Section 1. In the Agreement to which this is an
Appendix and, in this Appendix, the BoilermakerBlacksmith National Pension Trust is referred to
as "National Pension Trust," "Pension Trust" or
"Trust," the Contractor is referred to as "Employer"
and the Contractors are referred to as "Employers."

23 Section 2. Employer agrees to be bound by the
24 Trust Agreement entered into as of June 2, 1960,
25 establishing the Boilermaker-Blacksmith National
26 Pension Trust and by any amendments to said Trust
27 Agreement, and to execute an individual acceptance
28 of said Trust Agreement and amendments upon
29 request of the Union.

1 **Section 3.** Payment of Employer contributions to the National Pension Trust in the amount specified 2 3 in the Agreement to which this is an Appendix shall be made on the dates and in the manner and 4 5 form prescribed by the Trustees of said Trust; provided that no contributions shall be made prior 6 to the receipt by such Trustees of a ruling from 7 the Internal Revenue Service to the effect that 8 the Pension Plan under said Trust qualifies under 9 Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code 10 11 and that such Trust is tax exempt under Section 501(a) of the Code; after receipt of such ruling, 12 contributions shall be payable as of the effective 13 14 date specified in the Agreement to which this is an Appendix. 15

Section 4. Employer shall furnish the Trustees
with information such as the names of employees,
classifications; Social Security numbers, hours
worked, and such other information as may be
required or deemed necessary by the Trustees
for the proper and efficient administration of
the Trust.

23 **Section 5.** Employer hereby authorizes and 24 directs the Committee named in this Agreement 25 as representing the Employers, and as to the future, the Committee representing Employers 26 named in the then current Agreement successor 27 to this Agreement with the Union or any local 28 29 thereof to do each and all of the following in his 30 (Employer's) name and behalf, either individually or in conjunction with other Employers covered 31 32 by this Agreement.

(a) Execute the Trust Agreement establishing the
 National Pension Trust;

(b) Exercise any rights, powers and authority
given or provided by said Trust Agreement or
any amendments thereto, to elect, select, appoint
or to vote for one or more Employer Trustees
and successor Employer Trustees of the Trust
and to remove or vote for or against the removal
of any Employer Trustee of the Trust;

(c) Exercise any and all other rights in connection
with or relating to the National Pension Trust
or the Trust Agreement, which are given the
Employer, either individually or together with
other Employers, under said Trust Agreement.

In exercising or in not exercising the power and 15 authorities herein granted, the Committee shall act 16 on and in accord with, but only on and in accord 17 with, the vote of a majority of the then members 18 of the Committee. Having so acted, the Committee 19 20 may designate its then chairman, alone or together with one or more of its members, or one or more 21 other members of the Committee, to vote or to 22 23 execute any document on behalf of the Committee and/or Employer and/or all or some of the other 24 Employers covered by this Agreement. 25

26 Section 6. Employer hereby irrevocably designates
27 the Employer Trustees appointed pursuant to said
28 Trust Agreement, and their successors collectively
29 as his (Employer's) representatives for the purposes
30 set forth in said Trust Agreement.

# APPENDIX "E" APPRENTICESHIP

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3 Section 1. In the Agreement to which this is an Appendix and, in this Appendix, the Boilermakers 4 5 Area Apprenticeship Funds are referred to as "Area Apprenticeship Funds," "Apprenticeship Funds" 6 and "Funds." The National Joint Apprenticeship 7 Board is composed of an equal number of Employer 8 and Union representatives selected to represent the 9 various areas established by the Trust Agreement. 10 The Committee is the "Employers' or Contractors' 11 Negotiating Committee." The Contractor is 12 referred to as "Employer" and the Contractors are 13 referred to as "Employers." 14

15 Section 2. Employer agrees to be bound by the
16 Agreement and Declaration of Trust establishing
17 the Boilermakers Area Apprenticeship Funds and
18 by any amendments to said Trust Agreement.

19 Section 3. Payment of Employer contributions to
20 the Boilermakers Area Apprenticeship Funds shall
21 be made on the dates and in the manner and form
22 prescribed by the National Joint Apprenticeship
23 Board of said Funds.

24 **Section 4.** Employer hereby authorizes and directs the Committee in this Agreement named 25 as representing the Contractors, and as to the 26 future, the Committee named in the then current 27 agreement successor to this Agreement with the 28 Union or any local thereof, to do each and all of 29 the following in his (Employer's) name and on 30 behalf, either individually or in conjunction with 31 other Employers covered by this Agreement. 32

(a) Execute the Agreement and declaration
 of Trust establishing the Boilermakers Area
 Apprenticeship Funds;

4 (b) Exercise any rights, powers and authority 5 given or provided by said Trust Agreement or 6 any amendments thereto to elect, select, appoint 7 or to vote for one Employer Member of the 8 National Joint Apprenticeship Board and a 9 successor Employer Member of such Board and 10 to remove or vote for or against the removal of any Employer National Board Member selected 11 12 under this Agreement;

(c) Exercise any and all other rights in connection
with or relating to the Boilermakers Area
Apprenticeship Funds or its Trust Agreement,
which are given the Employer, either individually
or together with other Employers, under said
Trust Agreement.

19 In exercising or in not exercising the power and authorities herein granted, the Committee shall act 20 on, and in accord with, but only on and in accord 21 22 with, the vote of a majority of the then members of the Committee. Having so acted, the Committee 23 may designate its then chairman, alone or together 24 25 with one or more of its members, or one of more other members of the Committee, to vote or to 26 27 execute any document on behalf of the Committee 28 and/or Employer and/or all or some of the other Employers covered by this Agreement. 29

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# APPENDIX "F" MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR AGREEMENT

# ARTICLE 1 RECOGNITION

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(1) The bargaining unit under this Agreement 5 shall be comprised of Boilermaker Employees, 6 now employed and employed in the future for 7 maintenance, repair, replacement, and renovation 8 in various plants within the jurisdiction of the 9 International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron 10 Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers, 11 AFL-CIO. This Agreement does not apply to 12 General Superintendents, Superintendents, 13 14 Assistant Superintendents, office and clerical employees, watchmen or other professional or 15 supervisory employees as defined in the National 16 Labor Relations Act, as amended. 17

(2) It is agreed between the Union and the 18 Employer that this Agreement is applicable to 19 maintenance, repair, and replacement of parts 20 21 and renovation work that is primarily within the recognized and traditional jurisdiction of the 22 Union and shall be performed in the accordance 23 with the terms of this Agreement. It is further 24 agreed that should the plant owner also award 25 work to the Employer that is within the recognized 26 and traditional jurisdiction of another union with 27 which the Employer has a similar Agreement 28 for the performance of that work, then work 29 assignments shall be made in accordance with 30 Agreement and Decisions of record, established 31

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trade practice, or prevailing area practice. Since 1 presently established jurisdictional dispute 2 3 settlement procedures are not applicable to the 4 work covered by this Agreement, then any disputes 5 that arise from such assignments shall be referred to the International Representative assigned by 6 the International Vice President for resolution. In 7 any settlement discussions developing there from, 8 9 it is agreed that the Representatives of the plant 10 owner who awarded the work to the Employer will actively participate, along with the Employer and 11 12 Union Representatives, to insure an expeditious resolution of the dispute. Should any dispute fail 13 14 to be resolved, the parties may submit to the Office of the International Vice President for resolution. 15

16 (3) The Employer recognizes the Union herein
17 as duly constituted for the purpose of bargaining
18 collectively and administering this Agreement
19 for the members affiliated with the International
20 Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders,
21 Blacksmiths, Forgers, and Helpers, AFL-CIO.

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# ARTICLE 2 SCOPE OF WORK

24 (1) This Agreement covers all work assigned by25 the Owner to the Employer and performed by the26 employees covered by this Agreement.

27 (2) This Agreement does not cover work performed
28 by the Employer of a new construction nature, in
29 which event said work shall be done in accordance

30 with existing construction agreements.

1 (3) The Union and the Employer understand that 2 the Owner may choose to perform or directly 3 sub-contract or purchase any part or parts of 4 the work necessary on his project with due 5 consideration given to achieving the highest 6 maintenance standards and harmonious working 7 conditions herein.

8 (4) All sub-contractors to the Employer under9 this Agreement shall abide by the terms and con-10 ditions of this Agreement for Boilermaker work.

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# ARTICLE 3 DEFINITIONS

13 (1) Maintenance shall be work performed for
14 the repair, replacement, renovation, revamp and
15 upkeep of property, machinery, and equipment,
16 within the limits of the plant property or other
17 locations related directly thereto.

18 (2) The word "repair", used within the terms of this
19 Agreement and in accordance with maintenance, is
20 work required to restore by replacement of parts of
21 existing facilities to efficient operating conditions.

(3) The word "renovation", used within the 22 of this Agreement and in 23 terms connection with maintenance, is work required 24 to improve and/or restore by replacement or by 25 revamping parts of existing facilities to efficient 26 operating condition. 27

28 (4) The term "existing facilities", used within the29 terms of this Agreement is limited to a constructed30 unit already completed and shall not apply to any

new unit to be constructed in the future, even
 though the new unit is constructed on the same
 property or premises.

4 (5) In the event a dispute arises as to whether a
5 work operation is new work or work falling within
6 the scope of this Agreement, the matter shall be
7 referred to a committee consisting of International
8 Vice President, Union representative and two (2)

9 Representatives of Contractors Committee.

10 (6) When an Employer has a Nuclear repair job, 11 employees will be rotated out of Radiation Permit 12 Areas (commonly called hot work in Nuclear 13 Plants) where circumstances permit, in order to 14 insure them the maximum number of working 15 hours available during the duration of the job.

16 On a repair job where rotation of employees is17 not possible because of the nature of the work, the18 Local Union office will be notified in advance,19 when possible, or at the earliest possible date.

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# ARTICLE 4 HOLIDAYS

The Local Business Manager and Employer along
with other involved crafts may agree to standardize
the holidays and celebrate the same on another
work day during the week the holiday falls in.

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### ARTICLE 5 WORK HOURS PER DAY AND OVERTIME

28 (1) Employees who have been called out for 29 emergency repair work which is started during the 30 hours prior to 8:00 A.M. at the time and one half 1  $(1 \frac{1}{2})$  rates, shall continue to receive time and one

2 half  $(1 \frac{1}{2})$  rates for all hours which they continue

3 to work until granted a minimum rest period of

4 eight (8) hours.

5 (2) All time worked before and after the 6 established work day of eight (8) hours, Monday 7 through Friday, and all time worked on Saturday, 8 shall be paid at the rate of time and one half  $(1 \frac{1}{2})$ .

- 9 All time worked on Sundays, and the Holidays as
- 10 stated in Article 16 shall be paid for at the rate of
- 11 double time.

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12 (3) Employees shall be at the base of the structure13 or gang box at regular starting time.

14 (4) For purposes of maintenance work as defined 15 in this appendix, there shall be no minimum 16 number of days required for shift work. The Employer may establish a second and/or third shift 17 18 at any time without any duration requirement. If 19 such shift is established without twenty-four (24) hour notification to the Union, the first day of such 20 21 shift shall be paid at the appropriate overtime rate. 22 Every day thereafter shall be paid at the appropriate 23 shift rate

# ARTICLE 6 APPRENTICES

26 The Union agrees that the needs of plant 27 maintenance may warrant differing apprentice 28 ratios than those established. The Employer and 29 Union, therefore, agree to negotiate such ratios 30 from time to time as the conditions warrant.

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# ARTICLE 7 HIRING AND TRANSFER OF MEN

3 The Employer agrees to hire men in any territory where work is being performed or is to be performed 4 5 in accordance with the hiring procedure existing in the territory where the work is being performed 6 7 or is to be performed; however, in the event the Local Lodge is unable to fill the request of the 8 Employer for Employees within a forty-eight 9 (48) hour period after such request for Employees 10 (Saturdays, Sundays, and Holidays excepted), 11 the Employer may employ workmen from any 12 source. The Employer shall have the right to move 13 qualified Boilermaker General Foreman, Foreman, 14 Assistant Foreman and Employees from one job 15 assignment to another within the plant location 16 17 where they are working.

# NORTHEASTERN STATES AGREEMENT

### September 25, 1986

# Joint Negotiating Committee Interpretations Of Pay For Friday Makeup Days When Jobs Work Four (4) Tens (10s) Work Week

	Μ	Τ	W	T	F	
Shifts	10	10	10	10	10	All hours worked Friday at overtime
New Employee	X	X	X	10	10	All hours worked Friday at overtime
Employee Misses Time	10	0	10	10	10	All time worked Friday at straight time
Job rained out, show up time paid	10	2	10	10	10	First eight (8) hours at straight time. Last two (2) hours at overtime
Job misses time due to bad weather or conditions beyond Contractor's control	10	5	10	7	10	First eight (8) hours at straight time. Last two (2) hours at overtime
Start of Job	X	X	10	10	10	All time worked on Friday at overtime
Job rained out on a makeup day	10	2	10	10	2	Two hour's pay on Friday per Article 15 (c)
Foreman guaranteed 40 hours Job Works	10	2	10	10	10	*All time worked on Friday at overtime

\*Provided foreman qualifies for guarantee 40 requirement per Article 19 (b) of revised agreement.

# Thomas H. O'Connor, III, Contractor Chairman John T. Fultz, IVP, Union Chairman

# NORTHEASTERN STATES AGREEMENT CONTRACT STIPULATION

(Area Agreement)

By their signatures hereto the undersigned Employer and Union bind themselves to the Northeastern States Collective Bargaining Agreement, in effect from January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024.

The parties hereto stipulate and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of the aforesaid labor agreement for the duration thereof and it is further stipulated and agreed hereby that they will be similarly bound by all successor agreements unless the Union or the Employer receives from the other written notice of cancellation of this agreement at least sixty (60) but not more than ninety days (90) prior to the termination of any such Agreement.

# NORTHEASTERN STATES AGREEMENT SIGNATORY CONTRACTORS

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### Article 7: Referral of Personnel

7(a): Line 31: If a Boilermaker has two (2) OSHA recordable incidents within a five-year period he must undergo MOST OSHA 10 Safety Training before being referred to another job.

7(b): Boilermaker employees shall supply their own:

- i. ANSI Compliant Safety/Steel-toed boots
- ii. Long-sleeve shirt

7(d): The first two (2) boilermakers on the job shall be the foreman, selected by the employer and the steward as designated by the Union. The employer may then select the first seven (7) applicants per shift designated by the Union. Thereafter, additional referrals shall continue on a one-to-one ratio not to exceed twenty-five employer requests per project.

7(e): The employer may also transfer up to seven (7) boilermakers from one project to another within the geographical jurisdiction of local union or zone.

7(f): On any short duration job under contract at 30 days or less, if the duration of the job continues beyond 30 days the Employer shall discuss with the Business Manager or his designee the possibility of extending the duration, the Employer has the right to bring the first man as a working foreman throughout Local 5's Zone 175, 197 & 7. The Union will supply the second man (the Steward). The next man will be requested by the Employer and the man will come from any Zones' out of work list up to a total of eight (8) men. If a 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> shift is required, the manning will be in the same order.

7(g) (ADD): The Employer will have the right to transfer a crew of eight (8) men including the foreman throughout Zones 175, 197 and 7. In addition, it is understood that the wage package for the applicable zone where the work is being performed shall be paid to all transferees. Any additional employees will come from within the Zone jurisdiction.

### Article 8: Trade Jurisdiction

8(c) (REPLACE): It is agreed that the jurisdiction of work covered by this agreement, is that provided for in the Constitution of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers and Helpers as adopted at the 33<sup>rd</sup> Consolidated Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada, July 18-21, 2016.

In recognition of the established jurisdiction of the trade as set forth preceding this agreement, it is understood that the claims are subject to the trade Agreements and Final decision of the AFL-CIO as well as the decisions rendered by the impartial Jurisdictional Disputes Board for the settlement of Jurisdictional Disputes.

### Article 15: Minimum Pay and Reporting Time

15(e): If an employee is sent home before regular starting time on premium days, he will be paid two (2) hours at the applicable overtime rate.

### Article 16: Overtime and Holidays

16(c) Line 15: observed, when a holiday falls on a Saturday, Friday will be observed as a holiday.

### Article 17: Pay Day

17(c) Line 30: be entitled to four (4) hours waiting time each day of non-compliance.

### Article 18: Check Off

18(c) (ADD): "Failure to transmit Field Dues and Building Fund contributions by the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month will result with a fee of 5% Liquidated Damages and a 12% interest fee. If referred to legal for collection, Liquidated Damages will increase to 12%.

18(e) Line 11: will deduct thirty cents (\$.30) per hour worked (ADD) effective January 1, 2018 and reevaluate every January 1st for duration of agreement.

18(f) Line 19: will deduct a minimum of \$.15 from all weekly wages for Boilermakers Local 237 (per hour worked), and \$.30 for Local 5 Zone 175, and Local 5 Zone 197 (per hour paid) for the Building and Training Fund.

### Article 19: Wage Scales

19(a) Line 14: Foreman - \$5.00 above the Journeyman rate.

	2018	2019	2020
Local 5, Zone 7		\$1.00	\$1.25
Local 5, Zone 175	\$1.30	\$1.30	\$1.30
Local 5, Zone 197	\$1.30	\$1.30	\$1.30
Local 29, NNE	\$1.30	\$1.30	\$1.30
Local 237	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.50
Local 29	\$1.65	\$1.65	\$1.65

The following increases will take place as noted:

\*\*Effective March 1, 2018, a 2.0% percent increase for pension will be applied to the above rates and every January  $1^{st}$  thereafter. Reflected below:

Local 29 (ME, NH, VT) Effective January 1, 2018 \$1.30, effective March 1, 2018 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2019 \$1.30, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2020 \$1.30, 2% pension increase

Local 29 (MA & RI) Effective January 1, 2018 \$1.65, effective March 1, 2018 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2019 \$1.65, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2020 \$1.65, 2% pension increase

Local 237

Effective January 1, 2018 \$1.50, effective March 1, 2018 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2019 \$1.50, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2020 \$1.50, 2% pension increase Local 5 Zone 175 & Zone 197 Effective January 1, 2018 \$1.30, effective March 1, 2018 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2019 \$1.30, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2020 \$1.30, 2% pension increase

Local 5 Zone 7 Effective January 1, 2019 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2020 \$1.25, 2% pension increase

(CHANGE) Maintenance of benefits will be used for mandatory 2.0% increases in pension. If this money is not used, it will not carry over from year to year or will not be allocated to the Locals.

### Article 21: Health and Welfare Fund

The Employer shall pay into the Boilermakers National Health and Welfare Fund the sum of seven dollars and seven cents (\$7.07) per hour for each hour paid by the Employer for all his employees who are covered by this agreement.

### Article 22: National Pension Program

22(a): Update all sums to reflect 2.0% increase per year, effective March 1, 2018 and January  $1^{st}$  every year thereafter for duration of Agreement.

### Article 23: Annuity Program

23(b) Line 34: Change "October" to "January."

### Article 24: Apprentice Training

Line 8: least one (1) in four (4) when available.

24(c) (ADD): When any apprentice is working outside his zone, local jurisdiction or area apprenticeship program, he shall be paid Journeyman's rate for the local jurisdiction he is working in.

### Article 28: Safety Measures and Medical Treatment

Delete 28(i)

### Article 31: Political Action Fund Deduction

31(a): Local 29 and Local 237 will remain at \$.05 for remainder of agreement. Local 5, Zone 175 and Zone 197 will change to \$.10.

### Article 35: Duration of Agreement

35(a) (UPDATE): This Agreement shall become effective January 1, 2018, and except as otherwise provided herein, shall remain in full force and effect until midnight December 31, 2020...

#### Memorandum of Understanding

between

The International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers & Helpers, AFL-CIO

and the

Contractor Employers Signatory to the Northeastern States Articles of Agreement, effective January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2020

#### regarding

Northeastern States Articles of Agreement Extension, 2021

Due to the circumstances in our country pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic, the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers (Union Chairman) and the Contractor Employers (Employer Chairman) signatory to the Northeast States Articles of Agreement agree to extend the current agreement for a period of twelve (12) months, or one (1) year, effective January 1, 2021 through December 31, 2021.

All terms, conditions, and addendums within the current agreement will continue to apply. Employers have agreed to pay the 2.0% annual increase referred to in Article 19(a). Pension rates for each area are enclosed.

This Memorandum of Understanding is for the limited purposes contained herein and shall not be used as a precedent in any other circumstances.

This Memorandum of Understanding is effective January 1, 2021 and will remain in effect until December 31, 2021.

Signed on this twenty-second (22nd) day of July 2020.

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Thomas O'Connor, III (Employer Chairman)

### Northeastern States Agreement- Agreed upon changes- 12/01/2021

### Article 7: Referral of Personnel

7(e) Lines 20-22: The employer may also transfer up to ten (10) boilermakers from one project to another within the geographical jurisdiction of local union or zone.

7(f) Page 8, Lines 3-6: The next man will be requested by the Employer and the man after will come from the appropriate zone's out of work list up to a total of ten (10) men.

7(g) Lines 8-10: The Employer will have the right to transfer a crew of ten (10) men including the foreman throughout Zones 7, 175, and 197.

#### Article 10: Supervision

10(a) Line 3: Remove "assistant foreman."

10(a) Line 6: Remove "assistant foreman."

10(b) Line 16: Remove "assistant foreman."

10(c) Lines. 18-21 (CHANGE): "There shall be a foreman on every job and as many foremen as the Employer deems necessary thereafter.

### Article 18: Check-Off

(ADD) 18(g): All locals agree to deduct \$1.00 per hour worked (PHW) or per hour paid (PHP) for contribution to the M.O.R.E. Work Investment Fund. Noted in local lodge wage rate sheets under Article 19.

#### Article 19: Wage Scales

19(a) Line 12: General Foreman - \$7.00 above the Journeyman rate. 19(a) Lines 16-17: Remove Assistant Foreman classification

The following increases will take place as noted:

	2022	2023	2024
Local 5, Zone 7	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Local 5, Zone 175	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Local 5, Zone 197	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Local 29, NNE	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Local 237	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
Local 29	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00

\*\*Effective January 1, 2022, a 2.0% percent increase for pension will be applied to the above rates and every January 1<sup>st</sup> thereafter. Reflected below:

#### Local 29 (ME, NH, VT)

Effective January 1, 2022 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024 \$1.00, 2% pension increase

#### Local 29 (MA & RI)

Effective January 1, 2022 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024 \$1.00, 2% pension increase

#### Local 237

Effective January 1, 2022 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024 \$1.00, 2% pension increase

Local 5 Zone 175 & Zone 197

Effective January 1, 2022 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024 \$1.00, 2% pension increase

Local 5 Zone 7 Effective January 1, 2022 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2023 \$1.00, 2% pension increase Effective January 1, 2024 \$1.00, 2% pension increase

19(a) Pages 21-26: (REMOVE) Assistant Foreman classification from local wage tables

19(b) Line 10: (CHANGE) The wage rate for Boilermaker Helpers/Trainees shall be 65% of the Boilermaker Journeyman wage rate following the apprenticeship period wage rate table. All benefits to be paid after 1,000-hr probationary period.

### Article 22: National Pension Program

22(a): Update all sums to reflect 2.0% increase per year, effective January 1, 2022 and January 1<sup>st</sup> every year thereafter for duration of Agreement. Table below:

	2022	2023	2024
Local 5, Zone 7	\$17.96	\$18.32	\$18.69
Local 5, Zone 175	\$15.19	\$15.49	\$15.80
Local 5, Zone 197	\$15.08	\$15.38	\$15.69
Local 29, ME, NH, VT	\$10.64	\$10.85	\$11.07
Local 29, MA & RI	\$14.03	\$14.31	\$14.60
Local 237	\$14.70	\$14.99	\$15.29

### Article 24: Apprentice Training

24(a) Page 33, Lines 9-10: (CHANGE) January 1, 2022 through December 31, 2024.

### Article 35: Duration of Agreement

35(a) (UPDATE): This Agreement shall become effective January 1, 2022, and except as otherwise provided herein, shall remain in full force and effect until midnight December 31, 2024...

#### General Language Update

(CHANGE) All "Pre-Apprenctice" classifications to "Helper/Trainee."