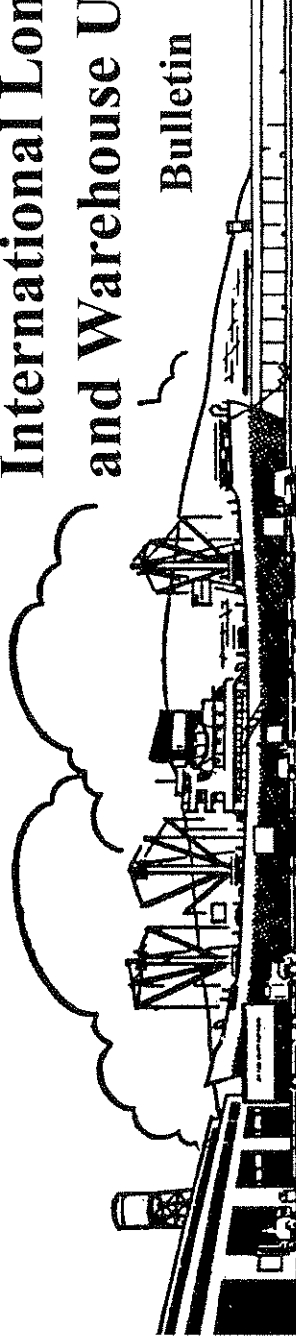


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STOP WORK MEETING THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 2010 @ 7:00 P.M.

2010 FALL ELECTION

Nominations will open at the Stop Work Meeting on Thursday, August 5, 2010, for the following offices and committees:

Secretary/Treasurer (1), Labor Relations Representative (1), Health Benefits Representative (1), Trustee (1), Day Business Agent (1), Night Business Agent (1), Day Dispatchers (5), Night Dispatcher (1), Flex Dispatcher (1), Day Flex Dispatcher (1), Sgt-At-Arms (1), District Council (10), Political Action Committee (6), and Caucus Delegates (10). Nomination papers will be available at the dues office on Friday, August 6, 2010.

Nomination papers must be turned in no later than 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 4, 2010 at ILWU Local 13, 630 S. Centre Street, San Pedro, CA 90731.

Elections will be held on Tuesday, September 7th, Wednesday, September 8th and Thursday, September 9th. Run-off elections will be held on Tuesday, September 21st, Wednesday, September 22nd, and Thursday, September 23rd. Voting will take place at the ILWU Memorial Hall, 231 W. "C" Street, Wilmington, 90744. The polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on each day.

ELIGIBILITY TO RUN FOR OFFICE

The 2010 Fall Election will be held under the current Constitution guidelines of Article IV, Section 1 and Article XI, Section 1, Sub-Section (b).

For a member to be considered in good standing, they shall have their dues, fines, and assessments paid in full every month, for twelve consecutive months prior to picking up a nomination paper. No nomination papers shall be issued to the member if this criterion has not been met. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

CL/HEAVYLIFT TRAINING

Anyone interested in being trained and certified in CL/Heavy Lift may sign-up for training with the Records Clerk at the Dispatch Hall. Individuals applying will be required to take and pass a physical, drug and alcohol test. All dues or other indebtedness to the Local must be paid. **Sign up period will be July 6, 2010 through August 6, 2010 @ 3:00 p.m.**

MESSAGE FROM THE VICE-PRESIDENT ALLIED DIVISION/MARSULEX FOOD BANK

If you are interested in donating can/dry food to the 23 brothers who were layed off from the Allied Division, you may drop the food off at the Records Clerk office in the Dispatch Hall or at ILWU Local 13 Dues Office.

FOREMEN/BOSS APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

The Joint Foreman's Labor Relations Committee (JFLRC) will be accepting applications for the Foreman/Boss position. **Applications will be available at the PMA office in Long Beach (300 Oceangate, 12th Floor) for a 30-day period, commencing on July 6, 2010 until August 6, 2010.** Only Longshore workers who have steady and reliable Class A registration in Local 13 for five (5) years as of July 6, 2010 are eligible to apply. (Registered mechanics are eligible only after 12 years of steady mechanic employment or after 15 years of service, pursuant to the November 23, 2002 Letter of Understanding Mechanic Employment Requirement). **If you wish to apply, your original application form, plus a copy of your completed application, must be submitted by 4:00 p.m. on August 6, 2010 to PMA.** Do not submit any additional information, such as resumes or photographs, with the completed applications (original and photocopy). Those wishing to obtain an application must show valid identification and may not obtain or return applications for others. Complete and sign the original application form and make two copies, one for submission and one for your records. An application not filled out completely or not signed, or not submitted with a photocopy, shall not be considered. Note: pursuant to Section 8.54 of the Foremen's Port Supplement, no applications will be accepted from applicants who have been offered and have declined registration to Foremen during the 12-month period preceding the application submission deadline of August 6, 2010.

CLERK TRANSFER APPLICATIONS

If you are interested in Clerk transfer, you **MUST** fill out an application. New applications will be available for a **period of 30 calendar days beginning Monday, August 2, 2010.** You may pick up an application from Ray Pearson in the Records Room at the Local 13 Dispatch Hall between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. **THE JOINT CLERKS' LABOR RELATIONS COMMITTEE DOES NOT ASSUME, AGREE, OR UNDERTAKE TO TRANSFER AS A RESULT OF MAKING APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE.**

All applications must be completely filled out, signed, and returned in person to the Pacific maritime Association's office in Long Beach **no later than noon on Thursday, September 2, 2010.** PMA's address is 300 Oceangate, 12th Floor, Long Beach, CA. Applications will be received by PMA Monday through Friday, between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. (PMA is closed between the hours of 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. for lunch) **Late applications will not be accepted.** In accordance with Supplement I-A and Supplement II of the Pacific Coast Longshore and Clerk Agreements and Section 5 of the Coastwise Rules, the following criteria must be met in order for Longshore workers to qualify for transfer to clerk registration:

- 1) Transfer applicants must have **five years of full Class "A" Longshore registration** as of September 2, 2010.
- 2) Transfer applicants must have worked the required hours to have qualified for a two (2) week basic vacation in each of the previous two (2) years. This requirement may be waived for up to a maximum of one (1) year for individuals off work due to industrial illness or injury.
- 3) Transfer applicants must pass the ARRO Cognitive Test.
- 4) Transfer applicants must pass a CRT Keyboard Skill Test, which includes a typing test for speed and accuracy.

Applicants that successfully meet the above requirements shall be placed in a pool of applicants for selection. Selection shall be from applicants by seniority for 50% of the total number of transfers, and the Employers shall select the remaining 50%.

Sign-up for the ARRO Cognitive and CRT Keyboard test will be available at PMA when applications are returned to the PMA Long Beach office.

LOCAL 13 WEBSITE ADDRESS IS:

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Fraternally,
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