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of the Plumbing and Pipe Fitting Industry
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John Telford
Director of Canadian Affairs
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September 9th, 2013

To: All UA Canada Business Managers,

At this past 2013 UA Canadian Conference held in St. John's, NL a resolution was submitted to the Canadian Advisory Board recommending travel card dues be increased from \$10.00 to \$15.00 per week effective September 1st, 2013.

The Canadian Advisory Board after careful review concurred with this resolution. The resolution was presented to and voted on by the conference delegates and unanimously accepted. (See attached Resolution)

Effective September 1st, 2013 Travel Card Dues will be \$15.00 per week.

Fraternally Yours,

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John Telford
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RE: TRAVEL CARD DUES INCREASE

WHEREAS, section #218 of the UA Constitution allows for Canadian autonomy in respect to the setting of travel card dues for Canadian UA Local Unions, and;

WHEREAS, there has not been an increase in UA Canadian travel card dues since the April 30, 2002 UA Canadian Conference held in Victoria, British Columbia, and;

WHEREAS, there has been a vastly increased cost of administration of Local Union Organizations since 2007, and;

WHEREAS, there remains an enormous discrepancy between the dues charge to a member of a home Local Union to that of a travelling member despite the fact that both groups are serviced equally;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the weekly travel card amount for Canadian travel cards travelling within Canada be increased to \$15.00 per week from the current \$10.00 per effective September 1, 2013.

Submitted by the Western Pipe Trades and the Saskatchewan Pipe Trades