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### **FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL**

Date: JANUARY 18, 2011

To: ALL MEMBERS SIGNATORY TO THE OAK HARBOR FRIEGHT LINES LABOR AGREEMENT; LOCALS 81, 174, 231, 252, 324, 483, 589, 690, 760, 763, 839 & 962 AND JOINT COUNCILS 28 & 37

From: KEN THOMPSON, FREIGHT DIRECTOR  
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Subject: OAK HARBOR FRIEGHT LINES UPDATE - NLRB DECISION & NEGOTIATIONS

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

Representatives from all of the Oak Harbor Local Unions met on Friday, January 14, 2011 to discuss the recent NLRB decision over the Unfair Labor Practice (ULP) charges we had filed against the Employer. We reviewed, with the Joint Council's Attorney, the decision of the Administrative Law Judge (ALJ), the fact that it appeared incomplete and our options for moving forward. After a thorough review, and discussions with the Joint Council Attorney, it was determined that the Union will appeal. In addition, the NLRB's General Counsel (top Attorney) also is likely to file an appeal due in part to the same deficiencies we believe exist in the decision. We will work cooperatively with the NLRB's General Counsel on any such appeal and continue to keep you posted as this case continues to move forward.

At the same time, we have sent a letter to your Employer requesting dates they are available to resume negotiations. Your Negotiating Committee is in the process of reviewing all of the proposals which were passed between the parties in the earlier rounds of negotiations so as to formulate our new proposal. Once we have heard from your Employer, and have scheduled dates for bargaining, we will let you know. Please remember it is with the solidarity and support of all of you that we will all be successful in these negotiations.

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