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International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers
Association internationale des machinistes et des travailleurs et travailleuses de l'aérospatiale

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE IAMAW WORKING FOR AIR CANADA, TMOS

Direct Negotiations Resume

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

As was previously reported, a meeting was held in Toronto on Wednesday, February 29, with the Local Lodge Presidents from across the country and the Negotiations Committee members. This meeting was to discuss the issues identified by the membership as problematic with the proposed tentative agreement and to plan for the union's return to the bargaining table.

Air Canada has responded to our letter requesting a return to bargaining. They have agreed to meet with us to discuss these issues with the negotiations committee, on condition that the IAMAW's General Vice President, Dave Ritchie, and the undersigned also be present.

Brother Ritchie and I have agreed so long as Kevin Howlett, Senior Vice President, Employee Relations, attends this bargaining session as the company's representative, along with the company's bargaining team.

Air Canada has agreed to this proposal.

The parties will be assisted by Mr. Jacques Lessard from the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service.

General Vice President Dave Ritchie and I will be meeting in Toronto with the union's Negotiations Committee on Monday, March 5, to start this new bargaining process.

We will keep you informed as the process moves ahead.

In solidarity,

Chuck Atkinson
President and Directing General Chairperson

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