



Bulletin 72-06

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NOMINATIONS OPEN FOR 2006 FALL ELECTION

Nominations will be open at the next Regular Membership Meeting on Thursday, August 3, 2006 for the following offices and committees: Secretary/Treasurer (1); LRC Representative (1); Health Benefits Representative (1); Day Business Agent (1); Night Business Agent (1); Day Dispatcher (5); Night Dispatcher (1); Flex Dispatcher (1); Trustee (1); Sergeant-At-Arms (1); District Council (10); Political Action Committee (6) and Caucus Delegate (10). Nomination papers will be available at the Dues Office on Friday, August 4, 2006.

LRC AGREEMENT TO CHANGE DISPATCH

In a recent LRC Agreement dated July 11, 2006 the Union proposed the following changes be implemented for a 60-day trial period to alleviate the current problems of dispatching skilled men:

1. Commence dispatching all CY and Crane jobs (*Flex and Regular*) at 6:15 a.m. for the day dispatch and 4:15 p.m. for the night dispatch.
2. All other Flex jobs will continue to be dispatched at 6:15 a.m. for the day dispatch and 4:15 p.m. for the night dispatch.
3. Commence Regular dispatch at 6:40 a.m. for the day dispatch and 4:40 p.m. for the night dispatch for all other regular boards.
4. Class "B" Longshore workers will be eligible for comebacks on all jobs Monday through Friday. **

**CLASS "B" CLARIFICATION ON COMEBACKS

Information regarding comebacks for Monday through Friday: Class "B" registrants shall accept comebacks when dispatched Monday through Friday for the following jobs: UTR's, C/L, H/L, CY's, Gearmen and ALL basic jobs.

COMEBACKS FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

Class "B" registrants shall **ONLY** accept comebacks for UTR jobs on Saturday and Sunday.

INTERNATIONAL ELECTION

International ballots must be mailed back by
Monday, August 14, 2006

REMAINING SCHEDULED MEETINGS FOR JULY 2006

July 20, 2006	Thursday	Class "B" 70% L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
July 24, 2006	Monday	Casual L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at Local 13
July 26, 2006	Wednesday	Regular L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at Local 13
July 27, 2006	Thursday	Executive Board Meeting @ 12:30 p.m.

SCHEDULED MEETINGS FOR AUGUST 2006

August 3, 2006	Thursday	Regular Membership Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.
August 4, 2006	Friday	Nomination papers available at the Dues Office
August 9, 2006	Wednesday	Regular L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 10, 2006	Thursday	Executive Board Meeting @ 6:30 p.m.
August 11, 2006	Friday	Regular ADA L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 14, 2006	Monday	Casual L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 14, 2006	Monday	Class "B" Meeting @ 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.
August 15, 2006	Tuesday	Class "B" L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 16, 2006	Wednesday	Mechanic L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 17, 2006	Thursday	Class "B" 70% L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 23, 2006	Wednesday	Regular L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at PMA
August 24, 2006	Thursday	Executive Board Meeting @ 12:30 p.m.
August 28, 2006	Monday	Casual L.R.C. @ 9:30 a.m. at Local 13

INSTRUCTORS NEEDED

Instructors are needed for the following training programs: Semi-Tractor (UTR), Lashing, and Crane Training.

SEMI-TRACTOR (UTR) INSTRUCTOR

Anyone interested in being a Semi-Tractor (UTR) instructor for the Casual Semi-Tractor (UTR) Training Program may sign up for these positions with the ILWU Records Clerk at the Los Angeles/Long Beach Longshore Dispatch Hall, 343 North Broad Avenue, Wilmington. Up to 3 instructors are needed for day positions and 5 instructors are needed for second shift positions.

Qualified individuals must be a certified Semi-Tractor (UTR) operator and a Class "A Longshore Worker with a minimum of 5 years and be a member in good standing of Local 13.

Sign-up for Semi-Tractor (UTR) instructor must be received from July 13 through July 28.

LASHING INSTRUCTOR

Anyone interested in being a Lashing instructor for the Casual Lashing Training Program may sign up for these positions with the ILWU Records Clerk at the Los Angeles/Long Beach Longshore Dispatch Hall, 343 North Broad Avenue, Wilmington. Up to 3 instructors are needed for first shift positions.

Qualified individuals must be certified as a Class "A Longshore Worker with a minimum of 5 years and be a member in good standing of Local 13.

Sign-up for Lashing instructor must be received from July 13 through July 28.

CRANE TRAINING INSTRUCTOR

Anyone interested in being a crane instructor or alternate for the Crane Training Program may sign up for this position with the ILWU Records Clerk at the Los Angeles/Long Beach Longshore Dispatch Hall, 343 North Broad Avenue, Wilmington. Qualified individuals must be certified as a Class "A Longshore Crane Driver and be a member in good standing of Local 13.

Sign-up for Crane instructor must be received from July 12 through July 28.

FROM THE BUSINESS AGENTS

Rule 651 of the PCMSC requires workers to wear hard hats anywhere there is a possibility of head injuries from falling objects. Rule 1154 and 1609 of the PCMSC requires workers on a marine terminal to wear high visibility reflectorized safety vests. Failure to comply with these rules could get you fired with a complaint.

The Officers of Local 13