# THIS AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO THIS $13^{\text {th }}$ DAY OF AUGUST, 2022 

## BETWEEN:

MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc. (hereinafter called the "Company") OF THE FIRST PART,

## AND:

GENERAL TEAMSTERS, LOCAL UNION NO. 362
affiliated with
THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF TEAMSTERS
(hereinafter called the "Union")
OF THE SECOND PART.

July 1, 2022 - February 28, 2025

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The Parties hereto agree as follows:

## ARTICLE NO. 1 - DEFINITIONS

1.1 (a) Objects - It is recognized that the Company and the Union agree to co-operate fully in ensuring greater productivity and competitiveness by improving, wherever possible, the flexibility and efficiency of the work process.
(b) Union Co-operation - The Union as well as the members thereof, agree at all times as fully as it may be within their power, to further the interest of the Company.
1.2 For ease of expression, in all areas where the language in this Agreement refers to the male gender, such language shall also mean the female gender, and no discrimination between the sexes is intended or implied.
1.3 The word "Employee", whenever used in this Agreement, shall mean all Union Employees of MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.
1.4 A "full-time Employee", whenever used in this Agreement, shall mean an Employee who has completed the probationary period, makes themselves available to the Company for full-time employment, recognizes the Company as their primary Employer, and has read and understood Company Policies.
1.5 A "probationary Employee", whenever used in this Agreement, shall mean a newly hired full-time Employee who must serve a period of ninety (90) calendar days. On completion of their probationary period, such Employee shall be credited with a seniority date which is ninety (90) calendar days prior to the date on which they completed their probationary period, and thereafter shall be entitled to all conditions of this Agreement. A probationary Employee shall have no rights under the seniority provisions of this Agreement, and may be discharged by the Company with or without assigned cause, and at the sole discretion of the Company, and an Arbitrator shall have no jurisdiction to award any remedy, including reinstatement to a probationary Employee who has been laid off or discharged.

If a probationary part-time Employee is considered for full-time employment, the ninety (90) calendar days would be reduced proportionally by converting the number of part time regular hours worked into full-time days based on the full-time posing obtained ( $5 \times 8,4 \times 10$, etc.)

If a probationary full-time Employee requests to, and is approved, to change to part-time status their ninety ( 90 ) calendar day probationary period would be converted to five hundred and seventy-two (572) hours based on the number of days worked. They will remain probationary until the total of five hundred and seventy-two (572) hours are completed.
1.6 A "part-time Employee", whenever used in this Agreement, shall mean an Employee of the Company who shall not work more than thirty-five (35) hours per work week. A part-time Employee shall have no rights under the full-time seniority provisions, the Health \& Welfare Plan, or the Pension Plan as outlined in this Agreement.

All part-time Employees will be subject to a probationary period of five hundred and seventy-two (572) part-time hours worked.
1.7 A "temporary Employee", whenever used in this Agreement, will refer to a person who is from a temporary agency, and not paid as an Employee of MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc. Temporary Employees will not be used for the purpose of operating powered material handling equipment or performing work normally done by Union Employees, while the Company has full-time and part-time Employees available, and who desire that work. Any work that the temporary Employees undertake shall not take away any full-time work from any full-time Employee, and full-time Employees will always be permitted to replace temporary Employees if there is no other work available for the fulltime Employee within the department and building.
1.8 A "warehouseperson" is defined as a job within this Company that performs all duties pertaining to the operations of the warehouse, which includes but is not limited to picking, loading, and forklift operation.

## ARTICLE NO. 2 - SCOPE

2.1 The following terms and conditions shall govern the services of all Employees of the Company consisting of all Truck Drivers and Warehouseperson, hereafter together referred to as Employees or Employee as the case may be.

## ARTICLE NO. 3 - POSTING OF AGREEMENT

3.1 The Company will provide a bulletin board for the posting of this Agreement, and for such notices that pertain to Union business that the Union may from time to time wish to post. All such notices shall be signed by a Union official.

## ARTICLE NO. 4 - UNION SECURITY

4.1 a) Each new Employee covered by this Agreement who has been employed for seven (7) calendar days prior to the pay period in which regular Check-off is deducted shall, as a condition of employment, pay the monthly Union Dues as regular members of the said Union, or the equivalent thereof.
b) All Employees shall, as a condition of their employment, become Union Members within seven (7) calendar days of their date of employment maintaining such membership for the duration of this Agreement, or be replaced.
c) For the purpose of this Agreement, the sole definition of Membership in good standing means that they must pay in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, the regularly prescribed initiation fee, regular monthly union dues, and periodic assessments uniformly required of all Members in the Bargaining Unit.
d) The Company agrees that when it hires new Employees, the Company shall have such new Employees fill in the required Union Application for Membership cards on the first day worked and mail same into the Union Office.

The Company shall deduct and pay over to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Union, any monthly Union dues, Initiation fees and/or assessments which may be levied in accordance with the Union's By-laws, owing by said Employees hereunder to the Union.

The Company shall deduct the monies from the second pay of an Employee each month, and remit such monies to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Union on or before the fifteenth ( $15^{\text {th }}$ ) day of the following Month in which the monies are deducted, together with one (1) copy of the Check-off list as above mentioned. (Note: for the purpose of definition: "Check-off List", is the updated Union's Pre-Billing statement as indicated below).

The Company will, at the time of making each remittance hereunder to the SecretaryTreasurer of the Union, update the Union's Pre-Billing statement showing all Monthly dues submitted for Members along with current address, postal code, and date of hire.

It shall be the duty of Employees to notify the Company and the Union promptly of any change of address. If an Employee fails to do this, the Company will not be responsible for failure to reach such Employee.

The Monthly Check-Off List will reference any:

- New Members to be listed in alphabetical order with current address, Social Insurance Number, postal code, and date of hire;
- Terminations or resignations are to be clearly identified with current address, postal code, and date of termination or resignation;
- Any current address change to be updated as well as name changes (i.e. marriage) as provided by the Employee;

If an Employee works anytime during a month, the Company assures the Union that the total amount of the monthly dues as specified by the Secretary-Treasurer of the Union will be deducted and forwarded to the Local Union. Probation Employees included.
e) The Company shall not sell or lease equipment with the intention of evading the terms of this Agreement.
f) Employees on the full-time Seniority List shall not be laid off due to the Company hiring outside equipment when the Company has useable and appropriate licensed equipment available for the same work.

### 4.2 Part-time Employees

a) All persons employed to supplement the regular hourly work force to ensure customer service requirements are satisfied shall be classified as part-time Employees, and will become members of the Union and pay Union dues as outlined in Article 4.1 which will entitle them to all the conditions of this Agreement, excluding the Health \& Welfare Plan, and the Pension Plan.
b) The Company agrees to limit the number of part-time hours to up to twenty-five percent (25\%) of the total workforce hours per week. Therefore, a minimum of seventy-five percent (75\%) of the total work force hours shall be made up of full-time Employees, at all times. A one-on-one substitution shall be allowed for full-time Employees who are on Vacation, WCB, Short Term Disability (STD), Leave of Absence, and Sick Leave hours. Substitutions will be awarded by posting and upon the return of the full-time Employee, the substitution will end, and the part-time Employee will return to their original status, wage and shift.

The exception to the above percentages will be when the increased use of part-time hours happens during peak periods which includes the training during these periods.
"Peak Periods", at the end of first paragraph of Article No. 4.2 b). The month of AprilSeptember and the month of December.

In the event of shortage of work during the non-peak periods, and after the layoffs of parttime Employees have reduced the number of part-time hours to no more than a maximum of fifteen percent (15\%) of the total workforce hours, the company may temporarily reduce the scheduled hours for all Employees on an equitable basis across all shifts and across all Employees to a maximum reduction of one (1) hour per day per Employee. This temporary reduction of hours is not considered as a change in shift.

Upon the return of the full-time Employee who is on WCB or STD, the part-time Employee will revert back to their part-time position, and back to their part-time rate from the full-time base rate that was paid while backfilling for the full time position.
c) A part-time Employee shall:

1. Be carried on a random order part-time roster during their probationary period. Once the probationary period has been passed, they will be carried on a part-time seniority list for their department.
2. Be given an opportunity to qualify as a full-time Employee as openings become available, and will then be placed at the bottom of the full-time Employees seniority list, providing they meet all Company qualifications and requirements.
3. Not be called in to work if full-time Employees are available and willing to accept the work.
4. Not be covered under the provisions of the Health \& Welfare Plan or Pension Plan until such time as they are transferred to the full-time Employees seniority list.
5. Be paid their vacation entitlement per the guidelines set out in the Employment Standards Code.
d) Upon completion of two hundred and eighty (280) hours of work in any fifty-six (56) calendar days, a part-time Employee will be offered full-time employment and shall be entitled to all rights and privileges of this Agreement.

Their seniority shall be calculated from the first ( $1^{\text {st }}$ ) day of the fifty-six (56) calendar day period triggering the above clause.

Should the part-time Employee refuse, a full-time shift will be posted in accordance with Article No. 6, Section 6.8 a).

## ARTICLE NO. 5 - GENERAL

5.1 a) The Union will be advised of any alterations or changes to policies. The Employee shall sign a confirmation that they have received a copy of the Company's policies and procedures, and that the Employee understands their meaning.
b) Any Employee granted an approved day off, or whom has requested and has been approved to depart earlier than originally scheduled, will not have said day counted as a sick day. Such request will be submitted in writing.
5.2 a) The Parties hereto recognize all the clauses and stipulations of this Agreement are subject to the Grievance Procedure.
b) The Union may appoint or elect, one or more Shop Stewards per shift per department, from regular full-time Employees who have completed their probation period, and shall notify the Company in writing of such election or appointment. The Company shall recognize Shop Stewards and shall not discriminate against them for lawful Union activity.

Shop Stewards will be allowed reasonable time during the work day to attend Union business as long as management has been notified in advance.
c) The Company shall have the right to approve time off without pay to any person who is serving on a Union Committee, or as a delegate, or for any lawful Union activity, providing all requests for time off are reasonable and/or do not interfere with the proper operation of the business and provided seventy-two (72) hours written notice is given to the Company by the Union, specifying the length of time off. The Company will pay Shop Stewards their regular hourly rate of pay for Union Representation of Bargaining Unit Members during regular work hours. Outside of their regularly scheduled shift the rate will be time and one half ( $11 / 2$ ).
d) For the purposes of Collective Bargaining, the Parties agree that they will cost share the pay for all hours worked for Shop Stewards who attend those sessions. The costs share agreement shall be that the Company will pay the Members attending bargaining, for every hour spent in attendance at the appropriate rate of pay and will invoice the Union for fifty percent ( $50 \%$ ) of those costs to a maximum of three (3) Shop Stewards in attendance.
e) Authorized agents of the Union will request, and have access to the Company's establishment during working hours, for the purpose of investigating conditions related to the Union contract clauses, and shall in no way interrupt the Company's working schedule.
f) This Agreement shall be binding upon the Parties hereto, or their successors, Administrators, Executors and assigns. In the event an entire business, or any part thereof, is sold, leased, transferred or taken over by sale, transfer, lease, assignment, receivership or bankruptcy proceedings, such business or any part thereof shall without recourse to the Company, continue to be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement for the life thereof.
g) Employees required to operate equipment will be trained on such equipment, and then shall be certified as a power equipment operator at a later date, when time permits. Qualified fulltime and/or part-time Employees, chosen by the Company, may be used to assist in the equipment training of other Employees. Managers and/or Supervisors are not excluded from equipment training/certification activities.
h) Management or Supervisors will not operate machinery or do work normally performed by Employee's covered by this agreement when Unionized Employee's request or desire that work, unless business demands require Management or Supervisors to operate machinery or in case of emergency, or for training.

## ARTICLE NO. 6 - SENIORITY

6.1 Seniority shall be based on the length of continuous service an Employee has been on the payroll, subject to Section 6.2 of this Article.
6.2 An Employee shall lose all seniority rights for any one or more of the following reasons:
a) voluntary resignation,
b) discharge for cause, or
c) failure to return to work after a layoff under Section 6.3 of this Article.
6.3 a) Seniority shall prevail within the departments in the event of layoffs, with the junior Employee covered by this Agreement being laid off first, providing the senior Employee is capable of performing the remaining job.
b) The Company agrees to rehire laid off full-time Employees on a seniority basis, within the department, commencing with the last Employee laid off, provided the Employee is being recalled within five (5) months of layoff.

When recalling full-time Employees to work after being laid off, they shall be notified by telephone first and email second. If contact is made Employees will be allowed three (3) days from the date of contact to confirm their acceptance of a recall, and will be allowed seven (7) days to make arrangements to report to work. If the Employee does not accept the recall or does not make arrangements to return to work within the seven (7) days, they shall lose all recall rights.

If contact cannot be made by telephone or email, then notice shall be sent by Registered Mail, directed to the Employee's last known address, with a copy of such to the Business Agent immediately. It shall be the responsibility of the Employee to provide the Company with up to date contact information and address If the Registered Mail is not picked up after ten (10) days, the Employee shall lose all recall rights.
6.4 a) Daily call-in, Monday through Sunday, will be on a seniority basis in each department, providing the Employee is capable of performing the job.
b) 1. For overtime purposes only, the Company shall maintain separate seniority lists for each facility, as well as a department seniority list.
2. All Employees will be required to finish any current work assignment that commenced prior to quitting time, provided that any additional time beyond the daily maximum is paid at overtime rates as per Article 8.2.
3. Each facility will post a voluntary Overtime sign-up sheet on a daily basis at the start of each shift allowing Employees to indicate their desire for overtime hours if available.
4. Shift continuation overtime will be allocated by shift by building seniority, top down, on a voluntary basis within the affected building, provided the Employee is qualified. Should the overtime requirement not be met the overtime will be mandatory in reverse building seniority order. If the overtime requirement is not satisfied it will be offered to the department seniority list from the voluntarily from top down and mandatory from bottom up.
5. Additional Overtime required to staff additional shifts, or to add shifts during days when the facility is normally closed, will be posted in all facilities within the department whenever possible, and will be first allocated to Employees who have voluntarily signed up for the additional overtime, offered from the top of the department seniority list to the bottom, providing the senior Employee is qualified. After reaching the bottom of the list, if the required number of Employees is not met, the Company can force the junior most Employees, provided they are qualified in the department to work overtime.
6. In cases where the client account requires the building to be open, the staff already scheduled on those days will work the Statutory Holiday, without the requirement to post in other buildings.
c) Call-back overtime shall be allocated by seniority in a voluntary manner in each department in the same manner as 6.4(b) above.

There is no requirement to call-back additional full-time unionized Employees during a callback shift if Employees already at the workplace can complete the additional business demands in less than four (4) hours.

For emergency after-hours service in the Third Party logistics department, emergency overtime will be allocated by seniority. Telephone calls will be made, and voice messages will be left wherever possible, in seniority sequence to full-time Employees capable of performing the work. The first Employee(s) to answer or respond, and accept the emergency call-back will be given the overtime work.
d) Should a full-time Employee be required to work overtime, they shall so be informed two (2) hours prior to the end of their current shift.

Should the two (2) hours' notice not be given, the full-time Employee shall have the right to refuse the overtime.

Should a full-time Employee desire a long term exception to the overtime based on specific circumstances, such as human rights and other protected grounds, it shall be in writing and upon request supported by proper documentation. This will be reviewed by the Union, the Company, and the Employee concerned. Such exception will not be unjustly denied.

The above provision applies to Contract Warehousing Warehouseman as identified in Article No. 6, Section 6.53.
6.5 Seniority shall mean the length of continuous employment within this bargaining unit and shall be on a department basis.

The departments shall be:

1. All truck drivers
2. Third party logistics Warehouseman
3. Contract Warehousing Warehouseman
6.6 In the event of a shortage of work in a department, Employees may revert to any position within the Company's departments, according to their Company seniority, and providing they meet Company requirements and qualifications. Such moves shall be considered as temporary, and lasting only until such time as working force in their department is returned to normal. If an Employee works more than thirty (30) days in the new department, they shall have their full seniority transferred with them. There shall be no disruption to the current vacation schedule in the new department.
6.7 Company-authorized Leave of Absence, for any other reason than ill health, shall be in writing for anything from three (3) days to a maximum of thirty (30) days. Any extension of leave of absence over thirty (30) days, shall be in writing and agreed upon by the Union, the Company and the Employee concerned.
6.8 a) Seniority will prevail for any posted positions for shift preferential, vacancies, or increased staffing requirements in each department, providing that the Employee is qualified, but there shall be no job bumping privileges. When a part-time Employee applies on a full-time posting, merit will be considered first, where merit and seniority are the same; seniority will prevail. The posting will outline the Facility location, job duties and required qualifications. Any postings mentioned above shall be posted for bid for three (3) days. Once the three (3) days have expired, the Company will post notice of the successful applicant who will start the position within seven (7) working days, or depending on business demands, when the replacement is on shift. The successful candidate will be provided training based on the business needs. The Company maintains the right to assign the Employees to other Facilities.

The Company operates three (3) shifts per day:

1. The Day Shift
2. The Afternoon Shift, and
3. The Night Shift
b) The Company operates different shifts per day, and the starting time for each shift may vary for each Employee, depending upon business requirements.
c) Any Employee applying and successfully obtaining any internal posted position for a shift change within their department shall remain in that position for a period of no less than four (4) months. This provision does not apply to jobs/work that are forced upon any Member.
6.9 The Company will post and maintain Seniority Lists. Such up-to-date lists will be posted once a year for the Master Seniority List on April 1, and the Departmental Seniority List will be posted every three (3) months. Copies of current lists will be provided to the Local Union. Any Employee wishing to protest their seniority, must do so within thirty (30) days of the posting of the Seniority Lists. Lists will be made up as follows:
4. A Master Seniority List of all Employees covered by this Agreement, showing the official date each Employee became employed as a full-time Employee.
5. A Departmental Seniority List showing Employees official seniority in a department.
6.10 a) Promotion - When an Employee within the bargaining unit covered by this Agreement receives a Leave of Absence to take a position with the Company which is beyond the sphere of the bargaining unit, they may retain their seniority for a maximum of one hundred and twenty (120) days within the former unit. It is understood that during this leave period, the effected Member will continue to pay the regular monthly Union Dues in order to maintain their seniority.
b) At the end of this period of one hundred and twenty (120) days, the Employee must exercise their seniority rights by returning to their former unit or relinquish all such seniority rights.

## ARTICLE NO. 7 - SAFETY CONDITIONS

7.1 Maintenance of Vehicles and Equipment - It is to the mutual advantage, of both the Company and the Employee, that Employees shall not operate vehicles which are not in a safe operating condition.
7.2 It shall be the duty of the Employee to immediately report, in writing on the appropriate Company forms, all safety and/or mechanical defects on the equipment which they have operated during that shift or trip. These reports are to be made to the immediate Shift Supervisor.
7.3 It shall be the obligation of the Company to direct repairs as necessary to conform with the safe and efficient operation of that equipment.
7.4 In the event the repairs cannot be affected, the equipment will be correctly identified and be kept out of service until repaired. In the event a dispute arises as to the safety condition of a unit, the Service Technician will be required to sign that this unit is safe to operate.
7.5 The Company shall provide clean and adequate lunchrooms for its Employees at its main facilities, where such lunchrooms are to be used and kept in a clean condition by the Employees, otherwise the Employees shall forfeit the right of use.

## ARTICLE NO. 8 - HOURS OF WORK

8.1 The regular hours of work for full-time Employees shall be:

Daily Maximum - Five day week - eight (8) hours per day
Four day week - ten (10) hours per day
If increased scheduling flexibility is required to meet business demands, the Company reserves the right to add work schedules including but not limited to: twelve (12) hour shifts, shift rotation, continental shifts, etc. This will be done on a voluntary basis and the parties will meet to negotiate the terms of these shifts.

Weekly Maximum - forty (40) hours per week.
Part-time Employee shall not be used to deprive any full-time Employee from straight time hours.
8.2 All hours worked in excess of the daily or weekly maximum will be overtime and paid for as follows:
a) For all Employees while working, on shifts commencing Monday through Sunday:

1. Five day week - over eight (8) hours per day, one and one-half ( $11 / 2$ ) times the regular rate of pay, and shall have two consecutive days off; and,
2. Four day week - over ten (10) hours per day, one and one-half ( $11 / 2$ ) times the regular rate of pay, and shall have three (3) consecutive days off; and,
3. All hours worked prior to, and or after, a regular scheduled shift, over eight (8) hours per day on a five (5) day week, or over then (10) hours per day on a four (4) day week, or over forty (40) hours per work week shall be paid at one and one half ( $1^{1 / 2}$ ) the regular hourly rate of pay. This shall also apply to any company required training. Employees will not be paid for time spent attending voluntary educational curriculum or courses, whether sponsored or not by the company.
b) Statutory Holidays - Two (2) times the regular rates of pay for all hours worked.
8.3 a) The parties agree that should the Company wish to start up any transportation operation all terms and conditions shall be negotiated and agreed upon.

### 8.4 Daily Guarantee

a) When a full-time Employee is called, and reports for duty, on a regularly scheduled work day, they shall be guaranteed a minimum of four (4) hours pay on a $5 \times 8$ shift, or five (5) hours pay if on a $4 \times 10$ shift.
b) Full-time Employees reporting for duty on a call-out or call-back basis, inconsistent with their regular scheduled work day or shift, shall be guaranteed a minimum of four (4) hours pay at their regular overtime pay provisions, subject to Article No. 8.2 (b) above.

After completion of the duty the Employee is called for, they may book off with a minimum of two (2) hours pay at overtime rate, provided there is no further work. Should the Employee elect to book off earlier than the four (4) hours they will only be paid for the hours actually worked foregoing the minimum four (4) hours pay.
c) A call-back shall be considered as such, when an Employee has been effectively released from duty, has left the premises, and has subsequently been requested to report back for work. If the Employee is still on the premises, and has been requested to report back for work, the Employee shall be treated as if they had continued working on their original shift.

Any remaining overtime shifts in excess of two (2) days will be voluntary. If the company does not get the required number of volunteers for overtime, revert to section 6.4 b) of this Collective Agreement.

## ARTICLE NO. 9 - CLASSIFICATIONS AND MINIMUM RATES OF PAY

9.1 Rates effective the date of ratification for all active full time, and new hire full time employees:

| WAREHOUSEMAN/DRIVER | July 1, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 2 2}$ <br> $(+3.5 \%)$ | July 1, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 2 3}$ <br> $\mathbf{( + 2 \% )}$ | July 1, <br> $\mathbf{2 0 2 4}$ <br> $\mathbf{( + 1 . 5 \% )}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0-12$ months | $\$ 21.01$ | $\$ 21.43$ | $\$ 21.75$ |
| $13-24$ months | $\$ 21.95$ | $\$ 22.39$ | $\$ 22.73$ |
| $25-42$ months | $\$ 22.74$ | $\$ 23.19$ | $\$ 23.54$ |
| $43-60$ months | $\$ 23.78$ | $\$ 24.26$ | $\$ 24.62$ |
| $61-72$ months | $\$ 24.30$ | $\$ 24.79$ | $\$ 25.16$ |
| $73-84$ months | $\$ 25.09$ | $\$ 25.59$ | $\$ 25.97$ |
| $85-96$ months | $\$ 26.01$ | $\$ 26.53$ | $\$ 26.93$ |
| Senior employees +> 96 months | $\$ 26.93$ | $\$ 27.47$ | $\$ 27.88$ |

9.2 Rates per Hour for part-time Employees

| WAREHOUSEMAN/ <br> PART-TIME | Current | July 1, <br> 2022 <br> $(+3.5 \%)$ | July 1, <br> 2023 <br> $(+2 \%)$ | July 1, <br> 2024 <br> $(+1.5 \%)$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $<1375$ hours | $\$ 18.82$ | $\$ 19.48$ | $\$ 19.87$ | $\$ 20.17$ |
| $>2062$ hours | $\$ 19.50$ | $\$ 20.18$ | $\$ 20.58$ | $\$ 20.89$ |

All existing part-Time Employees to be tiered at the seniority level they are at, at time of Ratification.
9.3 Leadhand shall be paid one dollar (\$1.00) per hour higher than their regular classification rate of pay. The Leadhand shall not have the right to hire, fire, or formally discipline any individual.
9.4 Shift Premium - All Employees will be paid a shift premium of one dollar and seventy-five cents (\$1.75) per hour for all hours worked between 1800 and 0600 hrs .

## ARTICLE NO. 10-PAY AND WORKING CONDITIONS

10.1 a) All Employees covered by this Agreement shall be paid for all time spent in the employment of the Company.
b) Pay Time shall be computed from the time the Employee is ordered to report for duty, and registers in, whichever is the later, until the Employee is effectively released from duty.
10.2 a) All Employees covered by this Agreement shall be paid not less frequently than on every other Friday, before noon, all wages earned by such Employee to a day not more than seven (7) days prior to the day of payment. The pay period shall commence each Sunday, at 12:01 a.m..

All Employees will be requested to provide a private email address to the Company payroll department for payroll purposes.

The Company shall provide each Employee covered by this agreement, with an itemized payroll statement. Such statement shall set forth the dated pay period, the total hours worked or paid for, the total overtime worked at the applicable wage rate and all deductions made from the gross amount of wages.
b) If an error occurs in the payroll computation of an Employee's paycheque and the amount is equal to one (1) days pay or more, they shall be entitled, on request, to receive same within two (2) working days from the time they notifies the Company of said error. If an Employee improperly completes their time card or pay claim, or does not turn them in immediately on completion of their trip or tour, any pay so affected will be included with the next regular pay period.
c) In no event will the Company deduct any monies from an Employee's earnings, unless they have signed proper authorization.
d) Upon discharge, the Company shall pay as soon as possible, all money due to the Employee. Upon quitting, the Company shall pay all money due to the Employee, on or before the payday in the week following such quitting.
10.3 No Employee shall be asked to make a written or verbal agreement with the Company covering hours of work, wages or conditions during the term of this Agreement.
10.4 Employees shall be notified before quitting time if they will not be required to work their next regular work day.
10.5 There shall be no "split shifts", and the hourly paid full-time Employee's work week must be designated to them on the last day of the preceding week.
10.6 a) Any Employee working an eight (8) hour shift shall be entitled to two (2) paid coffee breaks not in excess of fifteen (15) minutes to be taken in the first and second half of any shift.
b) The Employee shall, except by mutual agreement between the Parties hereto, take at least one (1) unpaid continuous period for meals of not less than thirty (30) minutes, nor more than one (1) hour in any one (1) day, and must be on duty for more than three (3) hours in an eight (8) hour day in order to take that meal break.
c) When an Employee has worked their full shift of eight (8) hours, and is compelled to work two (2) hours or more overtime hours, said Employee will be entitled to one (1) fifteen (15) minute paid break before their overtime starts.
d) When an Employee has worked twelve (12) hours, they shall be entitled to receive thirty (30) minute pay for the unpaid lunch break taken during their regular shift.
10.7 When an Employee has invoked a grievance on their discharge, the Company shall pay only the Medical, Dental and Life Insurance portions of the Health \& Welfare Plan, plus Union dues. If an Employee goes off work, ill or on Compensation, the Company shall pay all of the Health \& Welfare fees, plus Union Dues, so that at all times, the Employee shall be protected to the utmost, provided:
a) the Employee reimburses the Company for such contributions made on their behalf, and is at no time more than five (5) months in arrears, and
b) the period of such coverage shall exceed twelve (12) months only by mutual agreement of the two Parties.

In the event of any Employee grievance being rejected, all monies paid by the Company under this section, including the total premium, shall be paid to the Company by the Employee.

When an Employee returns to work, the Company shall deduct from their earnings, any monies the Company has paid out in respect of their contributions.

In the event any Employee does not return to work, and the Employee refuses or neglects on demand at their last known address, to make restitution for such monies paid out, the Union shall then reimburse the Company for said amount.
10.8 a) Any Company or Government-required physical or medical examination shall be promptly complied with by all Employees, and such examination shall be made by a doctor chosen by the Company, who shall bear the cost of such examination. The Company shall pay for all time lost for such examination during working hours. The Company shall give the Employee twenty-four (24) hours notice prior to such examination, except when immediate testing is required as determined by Company policy.
10.9 Any Regular full-time Employee who is required to perform Jury Duty on a day on which they would normally have worked, or attends court in response to a subpoena only to give evidence as a witness concerning matters occurring during the regular course of their employment with the Company, will be reimbursed by the Company for the difference between the pay received for Jury Duty or Witness Attendance, and their regular straight time hourly rate of pay for their regularly scheduled hours of work. It is understood that such reimbursement shall not be for hours in excess of eight (8) hours per day or forty (40) hours per week, less pay received for Jury Duty or Witness Attendance.

The Employee will be required to furnish proof of Jury service or Witness Attendance and Jury Duty pay or Witness Fee received therefor, and the Employee shall be responsible to account to the Company for Witness Fee received both with a subpoena and subsequently to the service thereof. Any Employee on Jury Duty or Witness Attendance shall, subject to this provision, make themselves available for work before or after being required for such duty, whenever practicable.

This clause will have no application for an Employee on Leave of Absence, or when receiving benefits under the Health and Welfare program, Worker's Compensation, or as otherwise covered in this Agreement.
10.10 When death occurs to a member of an Employee's immediate family, the Employee will be granted upon request, three (3) paid days of bereavement to be taken within thirty (30) days following the death, upon request the Company may allow an extension. Members of the Employee's family are defined as the Employee's spouse or adult independent partner, mother or step-mother, father or step-father, children or step-children, sister, brothers, grandmothers, grandfather, mother-in-law and father-in-law.

If required, upon request, each Employee will be granted one (1) additional day for travel for funeral services held more than three hundred (300) kilometers from their place of work upon receipt of proof of travel (air ticket, receipt, or gas station receipt) they shall be compensated as noted below.

Pay for Employees will be for hours lost from their regular schedule and for full-time Employees at their regular straight time rate. Pay for part-time Employees will be based on an average of the previous two (2) pay periods. Maximum of three (3) days of paid time off. The Company reserves the right to request proof of death.

When an Employee desires to attend the funeral of an extended family member not specifically listed above, they are permitted up to three (3) unpaid days per calendar year in accordance with Alberta Employment Standards. Should an Employee require a leave of absence they may apply per 6.7.
10.11 a) Uniforms and coveralls supplied by the Company are the responsibility of the Employee to keep clean. Replacements will be given upon Company approval, and proof of the used items.
b) The Company will reimburse up to two hundred dollars (\$200.00) of the cost of safety footwear for all Employees who have completed their probationary period, and annually thereafter. The Company is authorized to deduct a prorated portion (by the number of months) of the cost of the footwear from the Employee's final pay should he leave the Company's employ before the expiry of one (1) year of full-time service. The footwear must be Grade 1, green triangle, CSA approved safety footwear. Employees must only wear safety footwear that are kept in good condition.

## ARTICLE NO. 11 - STATUTORY HOLIDAYS

11.1 a) All full-time Employees who have completed thirty (30) calendar days of employment shall be entitled to the following twelve (12) Statutory Holidays.

The said Statutory Holidays are:

| New Year's Day | Civic Day | Family Day |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Truth and Reconciliation Day | Thanksgiving Day | Remembrance Day |
| Christmas Day | Canada Day | Labour Day |
| Boxing Day | Good Friday | Victoria Day |

Should the Provincial Government add an additional Statutory Holiday, then both parties will meet to discuss and mutually agree which non-Statutory Holiday observed above will be removed from the list to maintain the cap of twelve (12).
b) Full-time Employees will receive eight (8) hours pay, or ten (10) hours pay, at their regular hourly work time job classification rate, based on their five (5) day shift or four (4) day shift respectively, for the Statutory Holidays as listed.
11.2 Full-time Employees shall be entitled to Statutory Holiday pay for the specified Holiday, subject to the following qualifications:
a) An Employee shall not be entitled to receive pay for any Statutory Holiday where such Holiday falls while the Employee is on expressed Leave of Absence for any reason whatsoever, or due to sickness or Compensation.
b) Employees absent from duty, other than for proven sickness or Company authorization, on the day before the Holiday and/or the day after the Holiday, shall not be paid for the Holiday.
11.3 In the event a full-time Employee is requested to work on their Statutory Holiday, the Employee shall receive the rate of pay as stipulated in this Agreement in addition to the rate of pay as prescribed for the Statutory Holiday.
11.4 In the event any of the above-mentioned Holidays fall during an Employee's annual vacation, they shall receive an extra day off with pay, added to their vacation for each Holiday.
11.5 In the event any of the above-mentioned Holidays fall on an Employee's regular day off, it will be at the discretion of the Company to decide whether the day given will be on the day before or the day after, depending on business requirements..

## ARTICLE NO. 12 - ANNUAL VACATIONS

12.1 Vacation will be calculated by using hours worked within a given vacation year. The hours worked will be less WCB, STD, layoff, or Leave of Absence, including voluntary leaves. Straight time worked will be added together until the Employee's anniversary date, then the Employee's hours will be supplemented with their overtime hours up to a maximum of the hours needed for that level of vacation. So the pay for such hours will be given on straight time until the completion of their anniversary. This calculation will start after completion of one year (no overtime hours can be used to reach the maximum in the first year.)
a) Each full-time Employee on completing one (1) year of continuous service with the Company, shall be granted two (2) weeks vacation with pay.

Payment for such vacation shall be in the amount equal to four percent (4\%) of the gross earnings worked by the Employee, during the year in which the Employee qualified for such vacation.
b) Each full-time Employee on completing five (5) or more years of continuous service with the Company, shall be granted three (3) weeks' vacation with pay.

Payment for such vacation shall be in the amount equal to six percent (6\%) of the gross earnings worked by the Employee, during the year in which the Employee qualified for such vacation.
c) Each full-time Employee upon completing ten (10) or more years of continuous service with the Company, shall receive four (4) weeks vacation with pay.

Payment for such vacation shall be in the amount equal to eight percent (8\%) of the gross earnings worked by the Employee, during the year in which the Employee qualified for such vacation.
d) Each full-time Employee shall be required to complete eighteen (18) years or more of continuous service with the Company to be granted five (5) weeks vacation with pay.

Payment for such vacation shall be in the amount equal to ten percent (10\%) of the gross earnings worked by the Employee during the year in which the Employee qualified for such vacation.
12.2 The time of vacation shall be fixed by the Company, consistent with efficient operation of the business. Preference of vacation time shall be given to senior Employees. Holiday lists, once posted, will be removed after sixty (60) days. Vacation procedures shall be in accordance with the Company Vacation Policy.
12.3 Any Employee laid off, or leaving the Company, before completion of a full year of service, shall be entitled to a pro-rated vacation with pay, computed on the same percentage of his gross earnings, during the portion of the year worked.
12.4 For an Employee to receive their vacation pay, the Employee will be required to fill out a form prior to taking vacation. The Employee will NOT receive their vacation pay any earlier than seven (7) consecutive days prior to the Employee taking vacation so the form must be received by payroll prior to the seven (7) days. The Employee will receive their vacation pay via direct deposit.

## ARTICLE NO. 13 - UNION CONTROVERSY

13.1 It shall not be a violation of this Agreement, or cause for discharge of any Employee, in the performance of the Employee's duties to refuse to cross a picket line, or pickup or deliver to a place where a labour dispute exists, which is recognized by the Union.

## ARTICLE NO. 14 - MANAGEMENT RIGHTS

14.1 The Union recognizes the exclusive right of the Company to manage and direct the Company's business in all respects and in accordance with its commitments, and to alter from time to time rules and regulations to be observed by Employees, which rules and regulations shall not be inconsistent with this Agreement.
14.2 The Company shall always have the right to hire and to discipline, demote or discharge Employees for proper cause.
14.3 The Company agrees to the steps of progressive discipline when dealing with all matters of the same or similar nature.
14.4 When discussions take place with Employees that are of a disciplinary nature, the Company will be required to have a Shop Steward present, unless refused by the member. In the absence of a Shop Steward, such Employee will be afforded the ability to call their Business Agent or another Member of their choosing to act as witness.. The Company will issue discipline to the affected Employee within their next seven (7) working days of being aware of the alleged infraction. Failure to abide by the above, will result in the discipline being null and void. Upon request the Union will allow an extension of the seven (7) work days, for Investigation Purposes.
14.5 The Company agrees to give the Union a copy of any reprimand provided to an Employee. A reprimand letter must be removed from the Employee's file twelve (12) months after the date of such reprimand.

## ARTICLE NO. 15 - GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

15.1 All questions, disputes, and controversies arising under this Agreement, or any supplement hereto, shall be adjusted and settled within the terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement, in the manner provided by this Article, unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement. The procedure for such adjustments and settlements shall be as follows:

STEP 1 - Any grievance of an Employee shall first be taken up between such Employee and the Operations Manager. The Employee shall be entitled to representation by a Shop Steward or representative of the Local Union. Whether the issue is resolved or not, a form must be filled out signed by both Parties. If this issue is not resolved, this form must be given to the Teamsters Union in order to launch a formal grievance.

STEP 2 - Failing settlement under Step 1, such grievance shall be taken up between the representative of the Local Union, or Shop Steward, and the Human Resources Department. Such grievance shall be in writing, and signed by the grieving Employee.

Time limit to institute grievance:
Termination, lay-off and all others five (5) working days
STEP 3 - Failing settlement under Step 2, such grievance and any question, dispute, or controversy that is not of the kind that is subject to Steps 1 and 2, shall be reduced to writing, and referred to, and taken up between, the Secretary-Treasurer or other bargaining representative of the Union, and the Company representative, authorized by the President of the Company.

STEP 4 - Failing settlement under Step 3, the matter will be taken up in presentation to a Board consisting of two (2) members selected by the Union, and two (2) Company members appointed by the President of the Company.

STEP 5 - If the grievance is not settled at Step 4, the matter may be referred to an agreed upon neutral Arbitrator, who will meet with the Board to hear both sides of the case. The Arbitrator's decision will be final and binding.

Failing to agree upon a neutral Arbitrator, the Department of Labour will be requested to appoint a neutral Arbitrator, whose decision will be final and binding.

The cost of the Arbitrator will be borne equally by the Union and by the Company.

## ARTICLE NO. 16 - HEALTH AND WELFARE PLAN

### 16.1 Section "A"

The Company shall establish and operate a Health and Welfare Plan, covering members of the Union employed by the Company.
a) Any member of the Union, who is in the employ of the Company on the effective date of the Health and Welfare Plan, shall join the Plan from that date.
b) Any Employee who is hired by the Company after the effective date of the Health and Welfare Plan, shall join the Plan on the first (1st) day of the month immediately following completion of one hundred and twenty (120) days with the Company except whereby Company policy requires that an Employee join the Plan at an earlier date.
16.2 Section "B"

The Plan shall provide the following benefits:
a) Group Insurance with a Life Insurance Company licensed to operate in Canada, that will provide a minimum coverage of no less than twenty thousand dollars ( $\$ 20,000.00$ ) for loss of life of the Employee. Details about life insurance, dependant life, and AD\&D will be as outlined in the Employee's benefit booklet.
b) Non-occupational Short Term Disability (STD/Weekly Indemnity) Coverage will be no less than fifty-seven percent (57\%) of the Employee's weekly earnings (non-taxable). Details regarding STD coverage will be as outlined in the Employee's benefit booklet.
c) Long Term Disability (LTD) Coverage will be no less than one thousand two hundred dollars ( $\$ 1,200.00$ ) per month, but this amount will be reduced by the amount the Employee received from CPP due to being disabled. Details regarding LTD coverage will be as outlined in the Employee's benefit booklet.
d) Medical, Surgical and Obstetrical coverage in accordance with the standard plan of service provided by Alberta Health Care.
e) It shall be the responsibility of the Company to provide to the Employees, the necessary Health and Welfare forms.
f) It shall then be the responsibility of the Employee to cause such forms to be filled out and completed by their doctor, in order they can be processed in order.
g) The Company shall provide to the Employees, a booklet outlining all the important provisions of the benefits to which eligible Employees and their dependants are entitled, and procedures to be followed should claims arise.
h) Where major medical benefits are not provided within Alberta Health Care, coverage shall be provided with benefits that are basically equal to those benefits provided within the Company Group Insurance Plan, including eye glasses for Employees and dependents.
i) The Company shall provide coverage of ninety percent (90\%) of prescription drugs. As well the Company shall implement direct pay drug cards.

### 16.3 Section "C"

The Company will provide a basic and major restorative Dental Plan to all eligible Employees.

### 16.4 Section "D"

Premium Cost Share: The cost of the Health \& Welfare Plan shall be borne as follows:

|  | July 1, <br> 2022 | July 1, <br> 2023 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Company Portion | $80 \%$ | $85 \%$ |
| Employee Portion | $20 \%$ | $15 \%$ |

Notwithstanding the cost sharing formula noted above, the Employee will always pay one hundred percent ( $100 \%$ ) of the WI and LTD premiums as part of the Employee portion of the premium share.

### 16.5 Pension Plan

All full-time Employees of MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc., covered by this Agreement, will be entitled to the Prairie Teamsters Pension Plan. Pension contributions for full-time Employees will be as follows:

Rates per Hour for NEW full-time Employees hired or promoted after July 1, 2022:

|  | July 1,2022 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Less than 12 Months Seniority | $\$ 1.25$ per hour |
| 12 to 24 Months Seniority | $\$ 1.50$ |
| $24-36$ Months Seniority | $\$ 2.00$ |

Rates per Hour for full-Time Employees before July 1, 2019:

|  | Date of Ratification |
| :--- | :---: |
| CURRENT | $\$ 2.75$ per hour |

Pension contributions will be for each hour worked. Pension contributions will commence the first of the month following completion of one hundred and twenty (120) days with the Company.
16.6 Each full-time Employee shall earn Relief Days at the rate of one half (1/2) day per each three (3) months of full-time employment to a maximum of three (3) banked days.

Relief Days are to be applied to the standard wait period associated with approved Short Term Disability claims.

One (1) banked Relief Day is equal to one (1) day of regular earnings of the Employee.

## ARTICLE NO. 17 - UNION/MANAGEMENT COMMITTEES

17.1 Union/Management Committees will be established for the purpose of communication of various day-to-day issues relating to working conditions and safety. The meetings shall be held once each quarter unless otherwise agreed to by the Committee.
17.2 This Committee will consist of Shop Stewards who will represent the various departments, and Management who will include but are not limited to Operations and Human Resources.

## ARTICLE NO. 18 - STRIKES AND LOCKOUTS

18.1 It is agreed that there shall be no strike, lockout, or slowdown occurring by reason of a dispute between the Company and the Union during the term of this Agreement.

## ARTICLE NO 19 - TEAMSTERS UNION/INDUSTRY ADVANCEMENT FUND

19.1 The Teamsters Union/Industry Advancement Fund shall be for the enhancement of all persons depended upon any industry represented by the Teamsters.

Effective January 1, 2016, the Company shall make contributions of five cents ( $5 \phi$ ) per hour for each hour worked to a maximum of one hundred and sixty-eight (168) hours per month, for each Employee and dependent contractor covered by this Collective Agreement.

Payment of said funds shall be made to General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362 Union/Industry Advancement Fund by the fifteenth $\left(15^{\text {th }}\right)$ of the month following that to which they refer.

This payment will be independent and separate from any other payment made to the General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362.

## ARTICLE NO 20 - EFFECTIVE DATE OF AGREEMENT

20.1 The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall become effective on the first (1st) day of July 2019, and any negotiated renewal shall take effect on the thirtieth ( $\left.30^{\text {th }}\right)$ day of June 2022.

## ARTICLE NO. 21 - TERMINATION AND AMENDMENTS

21.1 This Agreement shall remain in full force and effect as of the first (1st) day of July 2022, and continue in full force and effect through the twenty-eighth $\left(28^{\text {th }}\right)$ day of February 2025, and from year to year thereafter as hereinafter provided.
21.2 If amendments are desired by either Party to become effective in the next ensuing year, the Party proposing such amendments shall give notice in writing to the other Party, not less than ninety (90) days before thirtieth $\left(30^{\text {th }}\right)$ day of June in any year.
signed this 25 day of Novermber 2022

ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY:
MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.


Ashley Whittaker Human Resources Manager

ON BEHALF OF THE UNION:


## LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING \#1

## BETWEEN: MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.

Hereinafter called the "Company"

## AND: GENERAL TEAMSTERS, LOCAL UNION NO. 362

Hereinafter called the "Union"
Should the Company require mandatory overtime on the current shift they must first offer it on a voluntary basis to full time Employees from the top of the seniority list to the bottom of the seniority list then to part-time Employees on a voluntary basis from the top of the seniority list to the bottom.

If the mandatory overtime requirement is not satisfied the Company will require part time Employees to work three (3) additional hours if qualified. If this does not satisfy the overtime requirement, full time Employees will be required to work the mandatory overtime.

The third ( $\left.3^{\text {rd }}\right)$ additional hour worked for part-time Employees will be paid at overtime rates.
Part-time Employees working such mandatory overtime will not trigger clause 1.6 a.) or 4.2 d.) of the collective bargaining agreement. Additional hours will be paid per Article 8.1 and 8.2 of the CBA.

The above provision applies to Contract Warehousing warehouseman as identified in Article No. 6, Section 6.5.3 and only during peak periods as defined in Article 4.2 b.)

The Company and the Union agree that if any issues arise from this overtime language the parties will meet to discuss.
signed this 25 day of Nowemlor 2022

ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY:
MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.


ON BEHALF Of THE UNION:


## LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING \#2

## BETWEEN: MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.

Hereinafter called the "Company"
AND: GENERAL TEAMSTERS, LOCAL UNION NO. 362
Hereinafter called the "Union"

The parties agree that overtime is a requirement of the job, due to the nature of the Company's business. With that understanding, the parties agree they will monitor overtime requirements throughout the term of the CBA. The Company and the Union agree if any issues arise from the overtime language, the parties will meet to discuss.
signed this 25 day of November 2022

## ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY:

MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.


Ashley Whitaker
Human Resources Manager

ON BEHALF OF THE UNION:
General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362

## LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING \#3

## BETWEEN:

MTE LOGISTIX EDMONTON INC
(herein after referred to as the Employer)

AND:

## RE: Pension Plan - Employees over the age of 71

The Parties hereto agree to the following:
Due to changes in the Federal Pension Legislation that became effective in 2022:
All employees who are 71 years of age or older, will have pension contributions remitted to the Teamsters Prairie Provinces Pension Plan (T4P) only until December $31^{\text {st }}$ in the year they turn 71.

Effective January $1^{\text {st }}$ of the year following the year an employee turns 71 , an amount equal to the value of the pension contributions will be added as income to each pay period.


ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYER:
MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.


Doug Pahl
Senior Vice President - Strategic Development MTE Logistix Group of Companies

## ON BEHALF OF THE UNION:

General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362


Erin Goldie
Business Agent
General Teamsters Local Union No. 362

## LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING \#4

## BETWEEN:

MTE LOGISTIX EDMONTON INC (herein after referred to as the Employer)

AND:
GENERAL TEAMSTERS, LOCAL UNION NO. 362
(herein after referred to as the Union)

## RE:

Job Protected Leaves - As designated by the province of Alberta

## Whereas:

- Job protected leaves are legislated by the Provincial Government and,
- The length and terms of leave are governed by such legislation and,
- The company is required to reinstate employment at the end of a job protected leave.


## Therefore the Employer and Union agree as follows:

- An absence due to a job protected leave may, if required by the company to maintain a smooth workflow and avoid overtime, be back filled following Article 6.8 a) and b) for the time of the actual leave request provided it not exceed the length of the job protected leave.
- For the purposes of this LOU Article 6.8 c ) is waived.

The parties reserve the right to dissolve this Letter of Understanding by providing thirty (30) day's written notice to the other party, otherwise, this Letter of Understanding shall expire February 28, 2025.

Signed this $21^{\text {st }}$ day of July, 2023

ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYER:
MTE Logistix Edmonton Inc.


Gail Kohse
Sr.Manager, Human Resources
MTE Logistix Group of Companies

ON BEHALF OF THE UNION:
General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362


Erin Goldie
Business Agent
General Teamsters Local Union No. 362

