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IAM / BAHAMASAIR NEGOTIATIONS RATIFICATION INFORMATION

As was communicated on June 11, 2010, representatives from District Lodge 142 were available at both the MIA and FLL stations today to discuss the details of the Tentative Agreement reached with Bahamasair. If there remains any further questions to be asked or explanations needed concerning the details of the Tentative Agreement, you will have the opportunity to do so prior to the ratification vote next week.

The ratification vote for both of the MIA and FLL stations will be conducted on Wednesday, June 23, 2010 from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. The location for the vote in MIA is 4349 NW 36th Street, Miami, FL, 33166 at the Local Lodge 368 building and the location for the vote in FLL is 580 Gulf Stream Way, Dania Beach, FL, 33004 where the monthly Local Lodge 368 meeting is held. Maps showing the location will be available from your Shop Stewards if needed. The times for this ratification vote were agreed upon by the Union and Bahamasair to allow everyone the opportunity to attend and not impact the operation. At the same time a ratification vote is taken, we will also be conducting a strike vote. It is important to understand that this vote does not mean you will be going on strike but is needed for the Executive Council of the IAM to sanction a strike if needed.

These have been tough times in a tough Bahamian and US economy and this Tentative Agreement is representative of that. The Agreement also looks out for your best interest at a time when the continued operation of Bahamasair could be in jeopardy. We again thank you for your patience during this process. With best wishes I remain,

Sincerely and fraternally,

James M. Samuel
GENERAL CHAIRPERSON

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