



Date: July 16, 2009

To: All Employers Signatory to a Basic Crafts Agreement

RE: **HEALTH CONTRIBUTION INCREASE EFFECTIVE AUGUST 2, 2009**

Please be aware that the Active Health Plan contribution rate on behalf of Employees working under a Basic Crafts Agreement shall be increased, **effective August 2, 2009**, as follows:

	<u>Prior Rate</u>	<u>New Rate</u> <u>Effective 08/02/09</u>
<b>Active Health</b>	<b>\$ 1.6950</b>	<b>\$ 2.0450</b>
Retiree Health	\$ 0.3710	\$ 0.3710
Pension	\$ 1.2665	\$ 1.2665
IAP	<u>\$ 0.3050</u>	<u>\$ 0.3050</u>
<b>Total Composite Rate:</b>	<b>\$ 3.6375</b>	<b>\$ 3.9875</b>

Note that the contribution rates for the Retiree Health, Pension and Individual Account Plans remain the same. New Rate Group 05 Contribution Forms should be used for reporting covered hours worked or guaranteed on or after **August 2, 2009**. Please **do not** submit reports with the new rates for hours prior to (or with dates that overlap) August 2, 2009.

If you are not the appropriate person to receive this information, or if there are others in your organization that will need this information please forward this notice to them. If you have any questions, please contact the Employer Contracts department at extension 478, or by email at [employercontracts@mpiphp.org](mailto:employercontracts@mpiphp.org).

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