

March 21, 2022

Board of Trustees Indiana Teamsters Pension Plan Indianapolis, Indiana

## Re: 2022 Actuarial Certification Under the Pension Protection Act

Dear Trustees:

The following information is intended to comply with the annual certification requirements of IRC section 432, with respect to the funded status of the Indiana Teamsters Pension Plan.

## **Identifying Information**

Plan Name: Indiana Teamsters Pension Plan EIN/Plan #: 35-1792964/001 Plan year of Certification: year beginning January 1, 2022 Plan Sponsor: Board of Trustees of Indiana Teamsters Pension Plan Sponsor Address: 6007 S. Harding Street, Indianapolis, IN 46217 Sponsor Telephone: (317) 639-3573 Enrolled Actuary Name: Erika L. Creager Enrollment Number: 20-07288 Actuary Address: 11590 N. Meridian St., Suite 610, Carmel, IN 46032 Actuary Telephone: (317) 580-8631

## **Certification of Plan Status**

I certify that the above-named Plan is in the following status(es) as of January 1, 2022 (all that apply are checked):

SafeNeither Endangered nor Critical Status	Х
SafeNeither Endangered nor Critical Status Due to Special Rule	
Endangered Status	
Seriously Endangered Status	
Projected to be in Critical Status within 5 years	
Critical Status	
Critical and Declining Status	

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This certification is based on the following results:

•	Projected funded ratio as of January 1, 2022:	119.8%
•	Previously emerged from critical status using IRC Section 432(e)(4)(B)(ii)(I) special emergence rule?:	No
٠	First projected deficiency:	None projected
•	At least 8 years of hanafit naymonts in plan	

 At least 8 years of benefit payments in plan assets?: Yes

## **Basis for Result**

The certification utilizes the assumptions, methods, plan provisions and demographic data as disclosed in the January 1, 2021 actuarial valuation report with the following exceptions:

- Based on the December 31, 2021 unaudited financial statements provided by the plan administrator, the asset return for the 2021 plan year is assumed to be 11.09%. We also updated the contributions, benefit payments, and expenses for the 2021 plan year based on these financial statements.
- All negotiated contribution rate increases from collective bargaining agreements established by January 1, 2022 have been included.
- Based on information provided by the Trustees regarding projection of future industry activity, the following hours were assumed: 1,700,000 for the plan year beginning in 2022 and for each plan year thereafter. For the 2021 plan year, our projections used actual hours of 1,637,099.

**Board of Trustees** 

I am a member of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinion contained herein. This certification is intended to be in good faith compliance with the necessary disclosures for certification and represents my best estimate of the Plan's funded position. We are available to answer questions regarding this certification.

Sincerely,

Eika J. Creager

Erika L. Creager, EA, MAAA Consulting Actuary Enrollment Number: 20-07288

Date of Signature: \_\_\_\_3/21/2022\_\_\_\_\_

cc: Secretary of the Treasury Mr. Michael Larson, Administrative Manager Mr. Michael Ledbetter, Fund Counsel Ms. Julie Phelps, Fund Auditor

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