#### ONTARIO LABOUR RELATIONS BOARD



#### Labour Relations Act, 1995

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# COVER LETTER

#### TO THE PARTIES LISTED ON APPENDIX A:

The Board is attaching an <u>Amended Notice of Electronic Vote</u> which extends the Vote Poll time by 24 hours, and adds Help Desk hours on December 8, 2022 from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. (Eastern Standard Time).

Please note that the Teleconference call has been rescheduled to take place on December 8, 2021 at 3:00 p.m. An <u>Amended Notice of Electronic Vote Count</u>, with a change to the date, is also attached.

DATED: December 02, 2022

Catherine Gilbert Registrar

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## CONFIRMATION OF POSTING

Instructions: Each Employer or Employer's Representative must fill out this form after posting of <u>applicable</u> documents and send it to the Registrar of the Board. Although the Application and Notice to Employees must be posted immediately, the Employer may wait to complete ONE form to indicate posting of Application, Notice to Employees and Response, and then file this form along with its Response.

Forms indicating immediate posting of OTHER documents should be filed as and when the documents are posted.

Name of Employer completing the Posting:				
Name and Title of Person completing this Form:				

I declare that the above-named Employer has posted, according to the above instructions, copies of the following documents (if and as applicable) at the workplace(s) or at worksite(s) where the documents are most likely to come to the attention of the employees or other individuals affected by the Application.

DOCUMENT	NUMBER POSTED	DATE POSTED	TIME POSTED
Application and Notice to Employees of Application			
Response			
Decision and Notice of Vote, Vote Poll(s), Vote Count, Meeting, Hearing			
Vote Office's Report			

DATE: SIGNATURE:

# Ontario

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Application Date: November 29, 2022

THIS IS AN OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE BOARD AND MUST NOT BE REMOVED, DEFACED OR DESTROYED

THE EMPLOYER MUST IMMEDIATELY POST THIS NOTICE (IN LOCATIONS WHERE IT IS MOST LIKELY TO COME TO THE ATTENTION OF EMPLOYEES OR OTHER INDIVIDUALS AFFECTED BY THE APPLICATION) NEXT TO THE BOARD'S NOTICE TO EMPLOYEES OF APPLICATION AND/OR THE BOARD'S DECISION ORDERING A VOTE

THE EMPLOYER OR ITS REPRESENTATIVE MUST RETURN A CONFIRMATION OF POSTING TO THE REGISTRAR

THIS NOTICE MUST REMAIN POSTED FOR 45 BUSINESS DAYS

#### AMENDED NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC VOTE

#### TO THE PARTIES LISTED ON APPENDIX A:

The Board has ordered a Representation Vote. A copy of the Board's Decision ordering the Vote is posted with this Notice.

#### VOTING CONSTITUENCY

The Board has ordered that the following group of voters (the voting constituency) is eligible to vote:

all employees of the employer at 8265 Huntington Road, Vaughan, Ontario, save and except office staff, sales staff, supervisors, persons above the rank of supervisor, quality assurance, inventory control.

This voting constituency includes all employees (including dependent contractors) who were in the bargaining unit who had an employment relationship with the Employer on the Application Date at the top of this Notice. Employees having an employment relationship include employees on maternity leave, sick leave, vacation, workers' compensation, lay-off, etc. so long as there is a reasonable expectation of their return to employment.

#### METHOD OF VOTE

The vote will be conducted ONLINE and by TELEPHONE.

#### VOTE DATE(S)

The vote starts on December 6, 2022 at 2:00 PM and ends on December 8, 2022 at 2:00 PM (Eastern Standard Time).

#### **VOTE INSTRUCTIONS**

A personal identification number ("PIN") is needed to vote. Eligible voters will receive an email containing their confidential PIN and detailed instructions before the vote commences. PINs are strictly for personal use by voters and must not be shared with anyone.

If an employee believes they are eligible to vote and does not receive a PIN, or requires any assistance to vote, they may contact the Ontario Labour Relations Board ("OLRB") Help Desk (see hours and contact information below). If no one answers, employees should leave a detailed message with their full name, contact information, and OLRB case number, and a Vote Officer will respond to the message as soon as possible.

#### OLRB Help Desk Telephone:

(416) 326-7432

#### OLRB Help Desk Hours of Operation:

December 6, 2022 - 3:00 PM to 5:30 PM

December 7, 2022 - 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM

December 8, 2022 - 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM

All times listed are Eastern Standard Time.

# **TELECONFERENCE**

Representatives for each of the parties are required to participate in a conference call with the Vote Officer after the Vote to discuss any outstanding issues. The Board has scheduled the following:

Date and Time: December 8, 2022 at 3:00 PM

Method: Teleconference (Call coordinates to be provided later)

#### **VOTE COUNT**

If the parties agree at the vote about the eligibility of employees to vote, the ballots will normally be counted and a report that sets out the results of the vote will be posted next to this Notice. If any issues are not resolved, the results of the vote may not be announced, and a meeting and/or hearing may be held. However, many applications are settled by discussions with a Board Mediator without the need for a meeting or hearing.

The date, time and location of a Vote Count (if one is held) and of meetings and hearings (if meetings or hearings are scheduled) are attached.

# SECRET BALLOT

The vote will be by secret ballot. Voters are entitled to vote without interference, restraint or coercion.

#### QUESTION ON THE BALLOT

The ballot that will be provided to voters contains the question which appears on the attached Schedule A.

If you wish to say something to the Board about this Application and to participate in any meetings and/or hearings held, you must send a written statement to the Board (as described on the Notice to Employees of Application) not later than December 15, 2022, the Vote Objection Date. Your written statement must be served on all other parties before you file it with the Board.

You should not write to the Board if the only thing you want to say is that you support or do not support the Union. You will have an opportunity to express your wishes by voting.

DATED: December 02, 2022

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# SCHEDULE A

# QUESTION ON THE BALLOT

The ballot that will be provided to voters contains the following question:

In your employment relations with your Employer, do you wish to be represented by the Union?

# ONTARIO LABOUR RELATIONS BOARD IMPORTANT NOTES

The Board's forms, Notices, Information Bulletins, Rules of Procedure and Filing Guide may be obtained from its website http://www.olrb.gov.on.ca or by calling 416-326-7500 or toll-free at 1-877-339-3335.

#### FRENCH OR ENGLISH

Vous avez le droit de communiquer et recevoir des services en français et en anglais. La Commission n'offre pas de services d'interprétation dans les langues autres que le français et l'anglais.

You have the right to communicate and receive services in either English or French. The Board does not provide translation services in languages other than English or French.

#### CHANGE OF CONTACT INFORMATION

Notify the Board immediately of any change in your contact information. If you fail to do so, correspondence sent to your last known address (including email) may be deemed to be reasonable notice to you and the case may proceed in your absence.

#### ACCESSIBILITY AND ACCOMMODATION

The Board is committed to providing an inclusive and accessible environment in which all members of the public have equitable access to our services. We will aim to meet our obligations under the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act in a timely manner. Please advise the Board if you require any accommodation to meet your individual needs. The Board's Accessibility Policy can be found on its website.

#### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY

Personal information is collected on this form under the authority of the Board's governing legislation to assist in the processing of cases before it. Information received in written or oral submissions may be used and disclosed for the proper administration of the Board's legislation and processes. Any relevant information that you provide to the Board must in the normal course be provided to the other parties to the proceeding. The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act may also address the collection, use and disclosure of personal information. If you have any questions, contact the Solicitors' Office at the numbers listed above or in writing to the OLRB, 505 University Ave., 2nd floor, Toronto, ON M5G 2P1.

#### E-FILING AND E-MAIL

The Rules of Procedure and Filing Guide set out the permitted methods of filing. In the event of emergencies or other circumstances, the Board may post a Notice to Community on its website, which will prevail over the Rules of Procedure and Filing Guide. You should check the Board's website prior to filing. Note that the efiling system is not encrypted. Contact the Client Services Coordinator at the numbers listed above if you have questions regarding e-filing or other filing methods. If you provide an e-mail address with your contact information, the Board will in most cases communicate with you by e-mail from an out-going only generic account. Incoming emails are not permitted.

#### HEARINGS AND DECISIONS

Hearings are open to the public unless the Board decides that matters involving public security may be disclosed or if it believes that disclosure of financial or personal matters would be damaging to any of the parties. Hearings are not recorded and no transcripts are produced.

The Board issues written decisions, which may include the name and personal information about persons appearing before it. Decisions are available to the public from a variety of sources including the Ontario Workplace Tribunals Library and www.canlii.org. Some summaries and decisions may be found on the Board's website.

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## AMENDED NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC VOTE COUNT

#### TO THE PARTIES LISTED ON APPENDIX A:

As set out in the Notice of Vote, a teleconference has been scheduled with representatives for each of the parties to discuss any outstanding issues.

The ballots in this Representation Vote will be counted/tabulated on December 08, 2022 at 05:00PM. A Vote Officer's Report communicating the results of the Representation Vote will be released to the parties following the count.

DATED: December 02, 2022

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