

PENSION FUND
REVIEW COMMITTEE APPEALS PROCEDURE

If you are not satisfied with the Fund's decision, you have the right to ask the Fund's Review Committee to review your case (procedures on next page). If you would like the Committee to review your case, please complete and return this original form within 90 days of the decision, to the following address:

International Brotherhood of Teamster Union
Local No. 710 Pension Fund
9000 W. 187th Street
Mokena, IL 60448
Attention: Review Committee

Member's Name

Member's Social Security No.

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone Number

Issue to be reviewed:

Please present your reason for disagreement with the decision and what action you feel should be taken (use additional sheets if necessary):

Member's Signature

Date

Please check whether you and/or your representative intend to appear personally before the Review Committee. _____ Yes _____ No

APPEAL PROCEDURES

If you are not satisfied with the decision concerning your claim for benefits, you have the right to file an appeal. If you choose to file an appeal, you must file a written appeal and send it to the Fund within 90 days from your original benefits determination. You may contact the Fund by letter. If you file an appeal by letter, this letter must contain: (1) member's name and address; (2) member's current phone number (3) EXACT reason you are dissatisfied. If the Fund needs any additional material or information from you to process your appeal, we will send you a separate letter that will describe that information necessary and explain. If special circumstances require an extension of time to process your appeal, you will be notified by the Fund.

You may request a personal appearance when your appeal is considered. A request for a personal appearance must be made in writing. You may have anyone you designate represent you at the review meeting. If you decide to make a personal appearance or have another party represent you, it must be done at your own expense. If you do request a personal appearance, and then fail to appear on a designated date, you will lose your right to personally appear before the Trustees.

If your appeal is denied, you will have the right to bring suit under Section 502 (a) of ERISA in an attempt to recover benefits due under the terms of the Plan, enforce rights under the terms of the Plan, or to clarify rights to future benefits under the terms of the Plan.

You are entitled to receive, upon request and free of charge, reasonable access to, and copies of all documents, records, and other information relevant to your claim for benefits. You also have the right to bring an action under Section 502 (a) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA).

All requests or questions concerning your appeal should be directed to:

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