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AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

P.W. TRANSPORTATION LTD.

AND

P.W. TRANSPORTATION DRIVERS' ASSOCIATION

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This Agreement entered into this 27th Day of **MARCH** AD, 1999 shall be in force and effect as hereinafter particularly specified.

BETWEEN P. W. TRANSPORTATION LTD, and its Successors
(Hereinafter referred to as the "Company") Of the first part,

AM): P. W. TRANSPORTATION DRIVERS' ASSOCIATION
(Hereinafter referred to as the "Association")
Of the second part.

WHEREAS the Association was formed for the purposes of bargaining on behalf of certain of the employees of the Company on a collective basis;

AND WHEREAS it is the desire of both parties to this Agreement to maintain and improve harmonious relations and settle conditions of employment between the Company and the Association.

NOW THEREFORE IN CONSIDERATION of the mutual covenants hereinafter contained, the parties agree as follows:

"TOGETHER WE ARE COMMITTED TO QUALITY CUSTOMER SERVICE"

ARTICLES 1 - SCOPE OF THIS AGREEMENT

- 1.01 The Company agrees to recognize the Association as the sole exclusive Collective Bargaining Agent for all its Members.
- 1.02 If the Company wishes to enter into an Agreement, either expressed or implied, with any Member or group of Members covered by ~~this~~ Collective Agreement, it shall be through the medium of this Collective Agreement. The Company maintains the right to establish the rates of pay ~~and~~ selection of Members for exclusive services outside this Collective Agreement. Members accepting work outside of this Collective Agreement on behalf of the Company, shall not be covered by the Association, nor shall the Association be liable or responsible for any actions taken by the Company during the time which the work is occurring or as a result thereof.
- 1.03 It is agreed that each Member shall faithfully, honestly, loyally and to the best of their ability strive to provide the Company and its customers Quality Service. This enhances the Company's ability to attract and maintain business, therefore providing opportunities and security for the Members.
- 1.04 All references to days contained herein shall refer to calendar days **unless** otherwise stipulated.

ARTICLES 2 - ASSOCIATION SECURITY

- 2.01 It is agreed that, as a condition of employment in any classification covered by the Association, each employee shall become and remain a Member in good standing of the Association.
- 2.02 The Association will supply the Company with Application ~~Forms~~ for Association Membership and dues deduction, which shall be signed by all new Members on the day on which the Member is hired. All completed copies of the Application Form for Membership shall be returned to the Association Treasurer and shall serve as notification of commencement of employment.

- 2.03 The Company agrees, for the duration of **this** Agreement, to deduct fees and assessment as prescribed by the Association from those Members covered by **this** Agreement. The said monies will be forwarded along with a list of the Members from whom the money was deducted, on or before the 15th of the following month, to the Treasurer of the Association. These deductions will be indicated on annual T4 slips.
- 2.04 People not covered under the terms and conditions of **this** Agreement will not perform the duties of Members except in the cases where the movement does not generate revenue for the Company or in emergency situations.
- 2.05 Staffing requirements of ticket distribution locations one hundred percent (100%) owned or leased, or controlled by the Company will be fulfilled by Members.
- 2.06 In the event that the Company establishes a new District/Division in Ontario, the Employees working in the new location/section shall be bound by the terms and conditions of **this** Agreement. Upon the establishment of a ~~new~~ District/Division, the parties shall meet forthwith to determine whether **this** Agreement requires amendments having regard to the requirements of the new District/Division.
- 2.07 The Association agrees to indemnify and to save the Company harmless for any and all claims which may be made against the Company by any Member or Members arising out of any amounts deducted from their pay as provided in **this** Agreement.
- 2.08 Understanding that Company business takes precedence, the Company agrees that there will be **no** discrimination, interference, restraint, coercion or intimidation exercised or practised by the Company or by any Representatives of the Company with respect to any Member because of membership in, or, affiliation with the Association, or in the performance of any Association work to which the Member was duly elected to or appointed to by the Association and/or the Association Executive.

ARTICLES 3 - FULL-TIME/PART-TIME DEFINITION

- 3.01 A Member shall be considered a Full-Time employee of the Company when:
- a) They have been selected and accepted as such by the Company; and
 - b) They ~~make~~ themselves available to the Company for Full-Time employment.
- 3.02 A Member shall be considered a Part-Time employee of the Company when:
- a) They have been selected and accepted as such by the Company; and
 - b) They make themselves available to the Company for Part-Time employment.
- 3.03 Part-Time Employees shall not exceed Full-Time Employees in number (see attached Letter of Understanding-I).

Probationary Period

- 3.04 Newly hired Full-Time and Part-Time Employees will be on a probationary basis for a period of six- (6) months service from the date of hire. During the probationary period, Employees will be entitled to all rights and privileges of this Agreement, except with respect to discharge. Employees may be terminated at any time during the probationary period without recourse to the grievance procedure.
- 3.05 Should a Part-Time Employee become a Full-Time Employee, that individual will be subject to the complete probationary period as outlined in 3.04.

ARTICLES 4 - MANAGEMENT RIGHTS

- 4.01 The Association recognizes the exclusive right of the Company to manage and direct the Company's business in all respects in accordance with its commitments, and to alter ~~from~~ time to time rules and regulations to be observed by Members, which rules and regulations shall be consistent with this Agreement.

- 4.02 The Company shall always have the right to hire, promote and to discipline, demote or discharge Members for just and proper cause.

ARTICLES 5 - MEMBER CLASSIFICATION

- 5.01 The Company will maintain **nine** (9) Membership Classifications. The Member Classifications are as follows:

a) **Classification A (Contract Shuttle/Transit)**

Classification A consists of those Members employed primarily to operate services under a Contract Shuttle, including Transit.

Purpose: To **perform** their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver Quality Customer Service to **all** Customers of the Company. To operate a motor coach under a Contract Shuttle or Transit service in a safe manner within the constraints of all applicable motor vehicle laws of the Highway Traffic Act for the province of **Ontario**.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Complete a Pre-Trip Inspection of their assigned vehicle. Operate the vehicle according to assigned shift work scheduled and/or as instructed by dispatch and/or an on-duty supervisor. Changes in routing may be made between the start and finish time of the assigned shift. Fuel the coach immediately prior to returning to the yard. Assist with the boarding and disembarking **of** all passengers and maintain accurate passenger counts (where applicable). Load and unload passenger baggage. Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicle at all possible intervals. Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Contract Shuttle Operator's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know how: The incumbent requires the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. An Ontario Class "B" driver's

license with a "Z" endorsement is required. The incumbent must also demonstrate the ability to operate and manoeuvre Class "A" equipment with a standard transmission.

b) Classification B (Charter - Class "A")

Classification B consists of those Members employed primarily to operate services classified as Charter with Class "A" motor coaches.

Purpose: To perform their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver Quality Customer Service to all customers of the Company. To operate a motor coach in a safe manner and within the constraints of all applicable motor vehicle laws within Canada and the United States.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Complete a Pre-Trip Inspection of their assigned vehicle. Operate the vehicle according to dispatch charter orders and/or as instructed by dispatch. Fuel the vehicle immediately prior to returning to the yard, complete Trip Reports, Daily Log Book entries and other required documentation. Collection of charges when applicable and accounting of all Operator incurred expenses. Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicle at all possible intervals. Assist in boarding and disembarking passengers. Loading and unloading of baggage. Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Charter Motor Coach Operator's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know how: The incumbent requires the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. An Ontario Class "B" driver's license with a "Z" endorsement is required. The incumbent must also demonstrate the ability to operate and manoeuvre class "A" equipment with a standard transmission.

c) Classification C (Airport Express - Class "A")

Classification C consists of those Members employed primarily to

operate services classified as the Airport Express with class "A" motor coaches.

Purpose: To perform their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver **Quality** Customer Service to all Customers of the Company. To operate a motor coach as the Airport Express Service in a safe manner and within the constraints of all applicable motor vehicle laws of the Highway Traffic **Act** for the province of Ontario.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Complete a Pre-Trip Inspection of their assigned vehicle. Operate the vehicle according to assigned **shift** work scheduled and/or **as** instructed by dispatch and/or an on duty supervisor. Changes in routing may be made between the **start and** finish time of the assigned shift. **Fuel** the coach immediately prior **to returning** to the yard. Sell tickets to passengers as required and account for all cash, credit card slips, coupons, vouchers and float **funds** received. Assist with the boarding and disembarking of all passengers including **use** of wheelchair lifts as and when required. Load and unload passenger baggage. Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicle at all possible intervals. Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Airport Express Motor Coach Operator's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know bow: The incumbent requires the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. An Ontario Class "B" driver's license with a "Z" endorsement is required. The incumbent must also demonstrate the ability to operate and manoeuvre class "A" equipment and may be required to operate equipment with a standard transmission.

d) **Classification D (Airport Express - Class #D#)**

Classification D consists of those Members employed primarily to operate shuttle services in connection with the Airport Express using Class "D" vehicles.

Purpose: To perform their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver Quality Customer Service to all Customers of the Company. To operate a class "D" vehicle as the Airport Express Connector Service in a safe manner and within the constraints of all applicable motor vehicle laws of the Highway Traffic Act for the province of Ontario.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Complete a Pre-Trip Inspection of their assigned vehicle. Operate the vehicle according to assigned shift ~~work~~ scheduled and/or as instructed by dispatch and/or an on-duty supervisor. Changes in routing may be made between the start and finish time of the assigned shift. Fuel the vehicle immediately prior to returning to the yard. Sell tickets to passengers as required and account for all cash, credit card slips, coupons, vouchers and float funds received. Assist with the boarding and disembarking of all passengers. Load and unload passenger baggage. Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicle at all possible intervals. Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Airport Express Connector Operator's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know how: The incumbent requires the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. An Ontario Class "F" driver's license is required as a **minimum**. The incumbent must also demonstrate the ability to operate and manoeuvre class "D" equipment.

e) **Classification E (Charter - Class "D")**

Classification E consists of those Members employed primarily to operate Charter with Class "D" vehicles.

Purpose: To perform their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver Quality Customer Service to all customers of the

Company. To operate a vehicle in a safe manner and within the constraints of all applicable motor vehicle laws within Canada and the United States.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Complete a Pre-Trip Inspection of their assigned vehicle. Operate the vehicle according to dispatch charter orders and/or as instructed by dispatch. Fuel the vehicle immediately prior to returning to the yard, complete Trip Reports, Daily Log Book entries and other required documentation. Collection of charges when applicable and accounting of all Operator incurred expenses. Maintain the cleanliness of the vehicle at all possible intervals. Assist in boarding and disembarking passengers. Loading and unloading of baggage. Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Class "D" Charter Operator's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know how: The incumbent requires the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. An Ontario Class "F" driver's license is required as a minimum. The incumbent must also demonstrate the ability to operate and manoeuvre class "D" equipment.

f) **Classification F (Customer Service Representatives)**

Classification F consists of those Members employed primarily for the distribution of tickets for passage and related services.

Purpose: To perform their duties in a safe and professional manner and to deliver Quality Customer Service to all Customers of the Company. To sell tickets, vouchers and related services at any location or area.

Duties and responsibilities: It is the intent to provide Members with a general outline of expectations as follows: Maintain a tidy work environment. Sell tickets and/or vouchers to passengers as required and account for all cash, credit card slips, coupons, vouchers and float

funds received, Perform any other duties, which fall within the scope of the Customer Service Representative's vocation and are directly related to the above duties.

Know how: The incumbent requires a minimum Grade 12 education or the equivalent in practical experience and background in Customer Service. Sales qualities and the inter-personal skills and attitude necessary to provide Quality Customer Service to all passengers in a professional manner. The incumbent must be fluent in English (written & oral) and be able to converse in French.

g) Classification G (Spareboard)

Classification G consists of those Members employed primarily to augment the staffing of the Classifications A through F.

h) Classification H (Part-Time Customer Service Representatives)

Classification H consists of those Members who are employed to fill Part-Time Customer Service Representative positions and to augment Full-Time Customer Service Representatives positions.

i) Classification I (Part-Time Operators)

Classification I consists of those Members who are employed as operators on a Part Time basis to augment Classification G.

ARTICLES 6 - SENIORITY

6.01 Service Seniority - The length of service with the company commencing with the first day of paid duties under the Collective Agreement after the date of last hire.

6.02 Classification Seniority - The length of service within a specific Member Classification commencing with day of transfer or in the case of a new hire, the first day of paid duties. Classification Groups are as follows:

Group I -Classification A, B, C, **D, E, G**
Group II -Classification F

A Member's Classification Seniority will be effective for all classifications within their respective Groups.

- 6.03 Service Seniority shall be used for the following:
- (A) Pay Entitlements under Articles 7;
 - (B) Vacations under Articles 10;
 - (C) Leave of Absence;
 - (D) Permanent Lay-off;
 - (E) Recall ~~from~~ Permanent Lay-off; and
 - (F) Bumping Rights for Permanent Lay-off.
- 6.04 Classification Seniority shall be used for the following:
- (A) Filling of Vacancies;
 - (B) ~~Shift~~ Selection;
 - (C) Temporary Lay-off; and
 - (D) Recall ~~from~~ Temporary Lay-off.
- 6.05 Transfer ~~between~~ Member Classifications shall only be permissible when vacancies occur. Members shall be allowed to apply and be considered.
- 6.06 Each initial vacancy will be posted and interested applicants will ~~be~~ invited to apply for the vacancy and or any other vacancy that could result from filling the initial vacancy.
- 6.07 A Member shall lose all seniority rights for any one or more of the following reasons:
- (A) Promotion beyond the scope of this Agreement;
 - (B) Discharge for just cause;
 - (C) Failure to ~~return~~ to work after lay-off under Articles 6.11 or 6.12; and
 - (D) Voluntary Resignation.

Lay Off and Recall

- 6.08 Classification Seniority shall prevail in the event of Temporary Lay-offs, with the most junior Member in a Membership Classification being laid off first.

- 6.09 A Member who has been permanently laid off, may exercise their Service Seniority to bump into another Member Classification, pursuant to the following:
- Affected operators of "A" Class vehicles may bump into Member Classifications which operate "A" or "D" Class vehicles;
 - * Affected operators of "D" class vehicles may only bump into Member Classifications, which operate "D" class vehicles;
 - * Affected non-operator Members may only bump into other non operator Member Classifications; and
 - * Any Member who has been on Temporary Lay-off for more than eight (8) consecutive months shall be deemed to be on Permanent Lay-off.
- 6.10 Any Member who has been on lay-off for twelve (12) consecutive months shall be removed ~~from~~ the Seniority List and the company shall be under no further obligation to such Member.
- 6.11 The Company agrees to recall temporarily laid off Members on a Classification Seniority basis commencing with the last Member to be laid off. When recalling laid off Members, they shall be notified by registered mail directed to the last known address and such Member will be allowed seven days to respond to the Company and must be available for duty within seven (7) days of their receipt of the Call Back Notice.
- 6.12 Members wishing to be carried on a "Laid ~~off~~ and Available List" must inform the Company, in writing, at the commencement of their Lay-off.
- 6.13 Seniority Lists - The Company will post and maintain Service and Classification Seniority Lists. The Service Seniority list will include: Name, Service Seniority Date, and Seniority Position. The Classification Seniority List will include: Name, Classification Seniority Date, and Seniority Position. Seniority lists will be posted semi-annually. Any member wishing to protest their seniority must do ~~so~~ by formally reducing their protest to writing and submitting same to their supervisor and the Association within thirty (30) days of posting of said Seniority List.

- 6.14 In the event a Full-Time Employee becomes Part-Time, the Member's Service Seniority will be ~~recognized~~ for the purpose of pay classification. The Member will however begin with a new seniority date effective the first day of paid duties as a Part-Time Employee.
- 6.15 In the event a Part-Time Employee becomes Full-Time, the Member will be given a new seniority date effective the first day of paid duties. The probationary period will commence simultaneously with the new hire date. For the purposes of pay classification the Member's original Service Seniority date will be recognized.
- 6.16 No Part-Time Employees shall be used when qualified Full-Time Employees are laid ~~off~~ and have made themselves available.

ARTICLES 7 - ~~PAY AND WORKING CO~~

- 7.01 *PAY PERIOD* - is a fourteen (14) consecutive day period beginning on a *SATURDAY* and ending on a *FRIDAY*.
- 7.02 *FREQUENCY OF PAY* - every two (2) weeks.
- 7.03 The rates of pay as described in this Agreement shall be compensation in full for all time on duty and all work performed, which shall cover all work required of a Member before, after and during their assignment. A Member's rate of pay will be determined by the classification of the work they are performing. Classifications are as outlined in Article 5.01.

99/00 Effective March 27, 1999
00/01 Effective March 25, 2000

Full-time

Work Classification	Start to 1 Year		1 Year to 2 Years		After 2 Years	
	99/00	00/01	99/00	00/01	99/00	00/01
CHARTER						
C Hourly	10.54	10.75	10.92	11.14	11.68	12.11
D Multi-day	126.48	129.01	131.04	133.66	142.51	145.36
E						
F						
G						
H						
A						
CONTRACT SHUTTLE (including transit)						
C Hourly	8.93	9.10	9.19	9.37	9.83	10.02
D Multi-day	107.10	109.24	110.25	112.46	117.94	120.29
E						
F						
G						
H						
A						
AIRPORT EXPRESS						
C Hourly	12.55	12.80	13.02	13.28	14.03	14.31
D						
E						
F						
G						
H						
A						
CUSTOMER SERVICE REPS						
C Hourly	10.00	10.20	10.00	10.20	10.00	10.20
D						
E						
F						
G						
H						
A						
CUSTOMER SERVICE REPS						
C Hourly	9.92	10.12	10.13	10.34	11.09	11.31
D						
E						
F						
G						
H						
A						

Part-time

Work Classification	Start to 1 Year		1 Year to 2 Years		After 2 Years		
	9900	0001	9900	0001	9900	0001	
	CHARTER						
C I S S A	Hourly	9.92	10.12	10.13	10.34	10.71	10.92
	Multi-day	119.07	121.45	121.59	124.02	128.52	131.09
C I S S D	Hourly	8.40	8.57	8.66	8.84	8.93	9.10
	Multi-day	100.80	102.82	103.95	105.03	107.10	109.24
CONTRACT SHUTTLE (including interest)	Hourly	9.92	10.12	10.13	10.34	10.71	10.92
AIRPORT EXPRESS	Hourly	11.71	11.94	12.13	12.37	12.75	13.01
C	Hourly	9.50	9.69	9.50	9.69	9.50	9.69
CUSTOMER SERVICE REPS	Hourly	9.29	9.48	9.45	9.64	9.98	10.17

OVERNIGHT RATES OF PAY

For overnight trips which return after twenty-four hundred hours (24:00) on the return date of a trip, the following additional pay schedule will apply:	
24:00 - 04:00	No remuneration
04:01 - 06:00	Hourly rate as outlined in Article 7.04. Payment will commence at 24:00 hours and go until actual return time.
After 06:00	Day rate as outlined in Article 7.04

7.05 **OVERNIGHT ALLOWANCE** When Members are required to stay away from their home base, while performing day work, they will be paid an hourly rate of pay as outlined in Article 7.04. In addition to the hourly rate of pay, a subsistence allowance of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) will be provided per overnight stay.

7.06 **SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE**

- a) Room - free - one (1) Member per room. Occasions may exist where it is required to share accommodation. Such situations will be permitted provided it is agreed to by the Company and the Association prior to departure.
- b) Overnight Per Diem On **Tours** - Twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) per calendar day in the currency of country you are in.

7.07 **DAILY GUARANTEE** When a Member is called and reports for work they shall be guaranteed four (4) hours work and/or pay for that day.

7.08 A separate list of reasonable time values will be established by the Company and the Association for specific duties.

7.09 A separate list of allowable times between cities and towns will be made up by the Company with input from the Association and posted.

7.10 UNIFORMS: The Company Uniform will consist of the following:

- Five shirts or blouses and two ties
- One uniform jacket, one all-weather parka
- Three trousers or skirts and one sweater
- Transit - One all weather jacket in lieu of parka and uniform jacket

The Company will defray fifty percent (**50%**) and the Member will defray fifty percent (**50%**) of the cost of the first uniform. Should, at any time, a Member leave the employ of the Company, **uniforms** will be returned to the Company. All non-crested uniform components shall remain the property of the Member.

After one year of service, uniform components will be replaced at the Company's discretion with the Company bearing the **full** cost for replacement.

7.11 TRAINING

- a) Mandatory Training and Mandatory Meetings will be paid to existing Members at a rate of **\$7.00** per hour. These earnings will be paid through normal payroll. In addition, Members will earn **\$3.00** per hour on these hours. These earnings will accrue and be paid on demand effective the first pay period in December. Members must be employed with the Company or on Temporary Lay-off on December 1 of each year to qualify to receive the accrued earnings.
- b) Should a meeting interfere with a Members regular assignment, they will **be** remunerated at their regular rate of pay. The Company will endeavour to schedule such programs as to not interfere with Members' regular assignment and will provide adequate notice to all Members required to participate.

7.12 COMPANY/ASSOCIATION MEETINGS: For any meeting called by the Company with the Association Executive Committee, the Company will be responsible for **50%** of the attending Member's lost hours due to attendance. Members attending on a day off will be guaranteed four hours pay at their regular rate of pay. For the purpose of this clause Charter Operators rate of pay will be calculated using the appropriate day rate.

- 7.13 CONTINUING EDUCATION With the Company's prior approval, the Member will be compensated 50% of course fees which they have taken and successfully completed in order to improve themselves and the performance of their duties.

ARTICLES R - HOURS OF WORK

- 8.01 Dispatch rules may be altered from time to time with consultation from the Association. When ever possible, changes will be posted giving **30 days** notice.
- 8.02 Members may elect to bank hours into a **time** bank at straight time. Banked hours may be used to offset hours lost due to illness or time off mutually agreed upon by the Member and the Company. Banked hours will be paid at straight time and shall not be used in the calculation of hours eligible for overtime. Members will be able to accrue as follows:
Members in Scheduled Service Classifications A, C, D, F- **120 Hours**
Members in Charter Classifications B, E- **300 Hours**
- 8.03 Annual Averaging covers those Members, which work irregular shifts. Modified Work Schedule covers those Members, which work regular, pre-established schedules.
- 8.04 Seniority rights shall prevail to allow Members to work in excess of standard hours. Hours worked in excess of standard hours shall be paid at straight-time. The Canada **Labour** Standards Regulation will be the determining document.
- 8.05 The Company will not promote overtime nor will any Members be forced to work overtime or forced to work on a scheduled day off unless they are the available junior Member in the applicable Member Classification. Should a Member Classification be exhausted, **the** next available qualified Member will be forced in reverse service seniority. Members forced to work outside their classification will be remunerated at the greater of their normal rate of pay or the classification in which they were forced.

ARTICLES 9 - STATUTORY HOLIDAYS

ARTICLE _____

LENGTH OF SERVICE SENIORITY	VACATIONS TIME ENTITLEMENT	VACATION ACCRUAL RATE
LESS THAN FIVE (5) YEARS	TWO (2) WEEKS	4% OF GROSS EARNINGS
FIVE (5) YEARS LESS THAN TEN (10) YEARS	THREE (3) WEEKS	6% OF GROSS EARNINGS
TEN (10) YEARS LESS THAN FIFTEEN (15) YEARS	FOUR (4) WEEKS	8% OF GROSS EARNINGS
FIFTEEN (15) YEARS LESS THAN TWENTY (20) YEARS	FIVE (5) WEEKS	10% OF GROSS EARNINGS
TWENTY (20) YEARS OR GREATER	SIX (6) WEEKS	12% OF GROSS EARNINGS

- 10.03 Vacations as set out above may be taken at such times, in such numbers and under such conditions as set out within the various regulations which may be amended ~~from~~ time to time by the parties hereto.
- 10.04 Order of preference of vacation selection time shall be given within the classification based on the Service Seniority of the Members.
- 10.05 Vacation weeks shall coincide with pay periods, starting on Saturday and ending on Friday.

ARTICLES 11 - BENEFITS

- 11.01 The Medical and Group Insurance Package shall be as agreed to by the Company and the Association. The cost of the said Package shall be borne seventy percent (70%) by the Company and thirty percent (30%) by the ~~Member~~.
- 11.02 The Company will offer a Registered Retirement Savings Plan for each Full-Time Employee covered under this Agreement and contribute \$11.00 biweekly to that Plan, except for employees on Temporary Lay-off. All contributions and/or accruals will commence after six (6) months of Full-Time employment. Eligible Members may contribute to the Plan at any time.
- 11.03 **LAY OFF COVERAGE** During periods of Lay-off, Members will be permitted to maintain allowable employee group benefits. The full cost to be borne by the ~~Member~~.
- 11.04 **BEREAVEMENT LEAVE:** Full-time Members who have completed three months or more of continuous service with the Company shall be entitled to bereavement leave as follows:

When death occurs to a Full-Time Member's immediate family, the employee will be granted, upon request, an appropriate leave of absence. If the employee attends the funeral, they shall be compensated for the hours lost from their regular schedule on the day prior to, the day of and the day after the funeral. ~~Members~~ without regularly scheduled hours will be compensated eight (8) hours per day for the applicable days. Members with regular scheduled hours will be compensated for the scheduled hours missed for the applicable days.

- Immediate Family means, in respect of an employee,
- (a) the spouse of the employee, including a common-law spouse;
 - (b) the father and mother of the employee and the spouse of the father or mother, including a common-law spouse;
 - (c) the children of the employee or spouse;
 - (d) the brothers, sisters, brother-in-law and sister-in-law of the employee;
 - (e) the father-in-law and mother-in-law of the employee and the spouse of the father-in-law or mother-in-law, including a common-law spouse;
 - (f) grand parents;
 - (g) any relative of the employee who resides permanently in the employee's household or with whom the employee permanently resides

11.05 LEAVE OF ABSENCE: A requested Leave of Absence shall be in writing and will consist of a maximum of thirty (30) days. Any Leave of Absence over thirty (30) days shall be in writing and agreed upon by the Association, the Company and the Member concerned. The Company will advise the Association in writing of all leaves and their expected duration.

11.06 Any Company requested physical or medical examination shall be promptly complied with by all Members, providing however, the Company shall pay for such physical or medical examination if the said medical is not covered by the provincial health plan. The Company will remunerate the Member for the aforesaid medical at a rate equivalent to two- (2) hours pay.

ARTICLES 12 - DISCIPLINARY ACTION

12.01 In the event disciplinary action is necessary, Members shall be notified within seven (7) days of the Company becoming aware of the matter. Disciplinary action must be consistent with all cases. Disciplinary action, if taken, must be given within twenty-one (21) days of the incident. In the case of an accident, this period may be extended by written notice to the Association.

12.02 A Member will receive a copy of any disciplinary record placed on their file, including written reprimands with a copy to the Association. Letters of reprimand or discipline more than two years old from the date of incident shall be removed from a Member's personnel file.

ARTICLES 13 - GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

13.01 Members will be entitled to representation by a Shop Steward or Association representative at all levels. Members must attend hearings at all steps. All questions, disputes and controversies arising under this Agreement or any supplement hereto shall be adjusted and settled within the terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement in the manner provided in this Article, unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement. The procedure for such adjustment and settlement shall be as follows:

Step 1: (Verbal) Within seven (7) days of grieved issue occurrence.

Any grievance of a Member shall first be discussed between the Member and the Company Representative.

Step 2: Within seven (7) days of the Company's response at Step 1.

Failing settlement under Step 1, the Grievance and any questions, disputes, or controversy that is not of a kind that is subject to Step 1, the grieving party shall reduce their grievance to writing and it will be referred to and taken up between the Shop Steward or other bargaining representative of the Association and the Company's General Manager, or representative. Within seven (7) days of the hearing, the Company will respond in writing, to the Member and the Association.

Step 3: Within seven (7) days of the Company's written response at Step 2.

Failing settlement under Step 2, the Grievance will be taken up in presentation to a Board consisting of two (2) Association Members selected by the Association and two (2) Company Members appointed by the General Manager. Within seven (7) days of the hearing, the Company will respond in writing, to the Member and the Association.

Step 4: Within twenty-eight (28) days of the Company's written response at Step 3.

The Association will advise in writing of their intent to proceed to Arbitration. Failing settlement under Step 3 and within twenty-eight (28) days of the Association making their intentions known, the matter will be referred to an agreed upon neutral Arbitrator. Failing to agree upon a neutral Arbitrator, Labour Canada will immediately be requested to appoint an Arbitrator. The Arbitrator's decision will be final and binding and will be applied forthwith.

The cost of the Arbitrator will be borne equally by the Association and by the Company. Any and all time limits, within the grievance procedure, may be altered pending mutual agreement, in writing, between the Association and the Company.



ARTICLES 14 - GENERAL

14.01 Health & Safety Committee: Shall function as regulated by the Canadian Labour Code, Part II.

14.02 There shall be no Strikes or Lockouts during the term of this Agreement.

ARTICLES 15 - TERM

15.01 This Agreement shall be in full force and effect as of the 27th Day of MARCH 1999, and continue in full force and effect through the 27th Day of MARCH 2001.

15.02 Either party may, by mutual consent, and ratification by the General Membership of the PWTDA, amend specific clauses in this Agreement prior to the 27th day of March 2001. Intent to renegotiate this Agreement must be in writing to the other party not less than sixty (60) days prior to the expiration of this Agreement.

15.03 If notice to negotiate has been given by either party prior to date of such termination, this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect during any period of negotiations, even though such negotiations may extend beyond the expiry date.

APPENDIX A

DEFINITIONS

CLASS A Refers to those vehicles defined as Class A under regulation 982 of the Public Vehicles Act.

CLASS D: Refers to those vehicles defined as Class D under regulation 982 of the Public Vehicles Act.

LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING - J

Re: Article 3.03

The parties acknowledge that the first obligation when assigning work in following with this Agreement is to Full-time employees.

Further, it is acknowledged that Part-Time employees are required to augment seasonal and periodic peaks placed on our operation and to cover certain shifts, which do not provide for enough hours to support Full-Time employees.

Given the above, the company will attempt to maintain a ratio which would see Part-Time employees not exceed 50% of Full-Time Members in a particular Membership Classification.


LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING - II

Re: Article 6.02

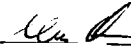
There shall be no grandfathering of Classification Seniority for Members who have already transferred from operating Class "D" equipment to Class "A" equipment, except for those operators who have transferred into Class "A" equipment after March 27, 1999.

Signed this 21st Day of September 1999.


FOR THE FIRST PART:
P. W. TRANSPORTATION LTD.



Mark C. Hannah



Clare Hannah




Sandy Lombardo

FOR THE SECOND PART:
P. W. TRANSPORTATION DRIVERS' ASSOCIATION



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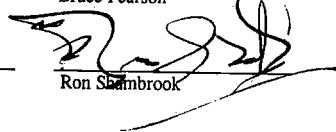
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