

**25
SEPTEMBER
2019**

UNION REQUIREMENTS

CALL TO BARGAINING CONFERENCE

Article 8 Convention & Bargaining Conference

Section 6 - Credentials

(a) The Secretary-Treasurer, Provincial Executive shall mail the Call to Convention to all Locals at least one hundred and fifty (150) days prior to the date of Convention along with the correct number of credentials forms as allowed by membership records at the time of the call.

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**CREDENTIAL
FORMS
SENT TO LOCALS**

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Section 5 - Delegates to Convention and Bargaining Conference

Members of the Provincial Executive, Ships' Officers' Component Executive and Deas Dock Component Executive shall be delegates by right to the Convention of the Union.

Other delegates to Convention shall be elected from each Local, by referendum of the Local membership, on the following basis:

One (1) delegate for the first five (5) members of the Local; and

One (1) additional delegate for each additional fifty (50) members, or any fraction thereof.

(c) When a Local elects its delegates to Convention, unsuccessful candidates for position of delegate, ranking according to the number of votes received, shall be alternate delegates to Convention.

A delegate must be a member in good standing.

A member may nominate in a POA they have a position in or a POA that they are working in when nominations close, but may only nominate in one and once elected shall represent that Local regardless of their physical location when the Local Call for Nominations is made. (New table in Constitution)

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ARTICLE 8 - CONVENTION AND BARGAINING CONFERENCE

The Provincial Executive shall arrange that each delegate to Convention shall be sent a copy of all resolutions to be submitted to the Convention, including the Resolutions Committee's recommendations, at least twenty (20) days prior to the Convention date.

**DEADLINE:
2 JANUARY
2019**

**PEM TO
REVIEW
BARGAINING
RESOLUTIONS
COMMITTEE
REPORT AND
POSITION
PAPERS**

**3 FEBRUARY
2020**

**MAIL OUT A
COPY OF
RESOLUTIONS
TO DELEGATES**

Section 4 - Bargaining Conference

A Bargaining Conference shall be held not later than seven (7) months and not earlier than ten (10) months prior to the expiry of the Collective Agreement. Submission of resolutions and selection of delegates shall be in accordance with this Constitution. The prime purpose of the Conference will be to establish bargaining priorities. All resolutions adopted by the Conference shall be adopted in principle only and shall in no way be considered to mandate a Bargaining Committee. Article 8, Section 6 shall apply.

**2 & 3 MARCH
2020**

**BARGAINING
CONFERENCE**