

CONSTRUCTION LABOUR RELATIONS ASSOCIATION OF MANITOBA

IMPORTANT NOTICE

TO: Electrical Trade Division Collective Agreement (Local Union 2085)

DATE: April 29 2024

**SUBJECT: COMMUTING ALLOWANCE, TRAVEL TIME ALLOWANCE AND
SUBSISTENCE ALLOWANCE**

The current collective agreement negotiated by the C.L.R.A.M. with the Union requires C.P.I. adjustments to be updated, **effective May 1, 2024**, by percentage changes in the Statistics Canada Consumer Price Index (C.P.I.), for All Items Manitoba (**percentage change to the nearest 5 cents**) between the calendar period of March 2023 to March 2024.

Effective May 1st, 2016 and each year thereafter the parties agreed to utilize the allowable in-year CRA Vehicle Allowance per kilometer Guideline in order to ensure that this vehicle cost remains as a non-taxable allowance to the employee. **For May 1, 2024, the current guideline is 70¢/km for the first 5,000 kilometers driven, 64¢/km driven after that.**

The C.P.I. for All Items Costs (Manitoba) reports the percentage change as an **increase of 0.8%** (adjusted to the nearest 5 cents).

Article 18:02 (A) Zone A from \$96.80 to \$97.60 per day worked.

Article 18:02 (A) Zone B from \$167.55 to \$168.90 per day worked.

Article 18:02 (A) Zone C from \$193.30 to \$194.85 per day, seven (7) days per week (\$1363.95).

Thank you for your attention to this matter **and please forward this information on to your Payroll Department as soon as possible.**

Peter Wightman
Executive Director
C.L.R.A.M.