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**VIA UPS OVERNIGHT**

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**Re: Election Office Case No. P-178-LU504-ENG**

Gentlemen

A pre-election protest was timely filed pursuant to Article XI of the *Rules for the IBT International Union Delegate and Officer Election*, revised August 1, 1990 ("*Rules*") In his protest, Mr David Robbins states that Mr. Weldon Mathis, General Secretary-Treasurer of the IBT, by letter dated December 20, 1990, to IBT Vice President, Francis W Hackett, authorizing the investigation as to the viability of Local 504 Mr Robbins contends that Mr. Mathis's action was motivated by the fact that Mr. Robbins, Secretary-Treasurer of Local 504 is a supporter of the Ron Carey Campaign for IBT International President and has been elected as a delegate to the 1991 IBT International Convention by the members of Local 504.

By letter dated January 17, 1991 to Mr Robbins, Mr Mathis stated that he would advise Vice President Hackett to not to proceed with the investigation requested in the prior December 20, 1990 letter By reason of the foregoing, the protest has become moot and on that basis is dismissed.

If any interested party is not satisfied with this determination, they may request a hearing before the Independent Administrator within twenty-four (24) hours of their receipt of this letter The parties are reminded that, absent extraordinary circumstances, no party may rely upon evidence that was not presented to the Office of the Election

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Officer in any such appeal. Requests for a hearing shall be made in writing, and shall be served on Independent Administrator Frederick B. Lacey at LeBoeuf, Lamb, Leiby & MacRae, One Gateway Center, Newark, New Jersey 07102-5311, Facsimile (201) 622-6693. Copies of the request for hearing must be served on the parties listed above, as well as upon the Election Officer, IBT, 25 Louisiana Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20001, Facsimile (202) 624-8792. A copy of the protest must accompany the request for a hearing.

Very truly yours,



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cc: Frederick B Lacey, Independent Administrator  
Elizabeth A Rodgers, Regional Coordinator