



## **WATERFRONT COMMISSION**

### **RESOLUTION *NUNC PRO TUNC***

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter I, Part 8, Section 8.1(a) of the applicable Rules and Regulations of the New York Waterfront Commission, longshore workers and checkers included in the deep-sea longshore workers' register must work, or make themselves available to work, a minimum of ninety (90) days in each half-calendar year, distributed at least fifteen (15) days to each month during at least five (5) of the six (6) months in each half-calendar year; and

WHEREAS, on January 24, 2024 the Shipping Association of New York and New Jersey (SANYNJ) requested that the Commission's work requirements as set forth in Regulation 8.1(a) be temporarily modified temporarily for the six-month period from January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024 (Decasualization Round 6-E) for all individuals on employer lists for cruise ship operations in light of the marked decline of work opportunities for baggage handlers in the Port; and

WHEREAS, on January 27, 2025 the Shipping Association of New York and New Jersey (SANYNJ) requested that the Commission's work requirements as set forth in Regulation 8.1(a) be temporarily modified temporarily for the six-month period from January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025 (Decasualization Round 6-G) for all individuals on employer lists for cruise ship operations in light of the marked decline of work opportunities for baggage handlers in the Port;

WHEREAS, SANYNJ advised that such requests were being made after consultation with the International Longshoremen's Association (ILA); and

WHEREAS, the Commission determined that there was an apparent need for a temporary relaxation in the Commission's standard work requirements for individuals on employer lists for cruise ship operations under the circumstances;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it hereby

RESOLVED, *nunc pro tunc* that Chapter I, Part 8, Section 8.1(a) of the applicable Rules and Regulations of the New York Waterfront Commission shall be temporarily modified for the six-month period from January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024 (Decasualization Round 6-E); and it is further

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RESOLVED, *nunc pro tunc* that from January 1, 2024 through June 30, 2024 (Round 6-E) and January 1, 2025 through June 30, 2025 (Round 6-G), in order to qualify for retention in the deep-sea longshore workers' register, individuals on employer lists for cruise ship operations at Piers 0701, 0703, 0705 (Manhattan) and Pier 0112 (Brooklyn) shall only be required to work/make themselves available for work a minimum of forty-eight (48) days, distributed at least eight (8) days in each month during at least five (5) of the six (6) months.

**Adopted By the  
Commission on  
8/26/2025**

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