The following constitutes an official action of the National Maintenance Agreements Policy Committee, Inc.:

Bulletin IX – 6 * National Maintenance Agreement

Subject: Article IX – Benefits and Other Monetary Funds

Industry Advancement or Promotion Fund Recognition

The Committee was requested to provide clarification under Article IX – Benefits and Other Monetary Funds specifically Section 3, wherein it states Industry Advancement or Promotion Funds; “if approved by the NMAPC, these funds must be paid in accordance with the Local Labor Agreements.”

Conclusion

The Committee determined that the NMAPC Labor-Management Committee has the sole authority to decide whether or not any discretionary fund is recognized under Article IX of the National Maintenance Agreements. Such funds will be approved for the calendar year and need to be reviewed annually by the Committee. A list of the funds that have been reviewed and approved by the Committee may be found on the NMAPC website at www.nmapc.org.

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Re: NMAPC Meeting of 10-26-11