

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

IMPORTANT: Please read before completing nomination sheets.

For Locals 4091, 4092, 4094 & 4095 Members:

In accordance with Article 11 & Appendix C of the Bylaws, you can only run for one (1) of the following positions:

Local President - OR - Local Vice-President - OR - Local Secretary-Treasurer - OR - Local Trustee

For Local 4098 Members:

In accordance with Article 11 & Appendix C of the Bylaws, you can only run for one (1) of the following positions:

Local President - OR - Local Vice-President - OR - Local Secretary-Treasurer

- OR - one (1) of three (3) Toronto Base Vice-Presidents - OR - one (1) of two (2) Montreal Base Vice-Presidents
- OR - Local Trustee

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

1. LOCAL OFFICERS

Nomination sheets must have the following:

- A. Signatures from members in accordance with C.1.1
- **C.1** Eligible Voters for Local Votes
- **C.1.1** Eligible voters are all cabin personnel employed by Air Canada and currently based at the Local holding a vote, including all Local members on a leave of absence as defined under the Collective Agreement and applicable Letters of Understanding. The list of eligible voters shall be based on the most current Air Canada employee records and will be referred to as the "Membership List".
- B. Minimum number of signatures in accordance with C.4.3
- **C.4.3** Nominations forms as provided by the Component Tabulating Committee, as provided by the Component Tabulating Committee, must have signatures from lesser of either:
 - (a) Fifty (50) members of the eligible voters on the Local's Membership List; or
 - (b) Five (5%) percent of the eligible voters on the Local's Membership List.
- * For Local 4098 Base Vice-Presidents' nomination forms must have at least fifty (50) signatures from eligible voters on their <u>Base's</u> "Membership List" <u>or</u> signatures from five percent (5%) of their <u>Base's</u> eligible voters, whichever is the lesser.

NOTE: Altered forms <u>WILL NOT</u> be accepted.

2. COLLECTION OF SIGNATURES

Nomination sheets are available at <u>www.accomponent.ca</u> or on request from your Local office.

Any member may fill out and sign a nomination sheet. A member is defined as per Article C1 as follows:

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- **C.1.2** A member on laid off status and still eligible for recall in accordance with the Collective Agreement shall maintain their status as a member of the Local without obligation to pay Union dues and shall be eligible to vote. The list of members on laid off status and still eligible to vote shall be based on the most current Air Canada employee records.
- **C.1.3** Temporary cabin personnel shall be eligible to vote according to their base assignment. The list of temporary cabin personnel shall be based on the most current Air Canada employee records.
- **C.1.4** If during the voting process the Component Tabulating Committee is given evidence of an eligible voter's name that does not appear on the Membership List provided by Air Canada, the Component Tabulating Committee may add such name to the Membership List subject to verification of employment status and base location with Air Canada.

While members in good standing may nominate more than one candidate (even for the same position), each nomination sheet must be an original, with actual signatures. Photocopied signature and/or lists of signatures on anything other than an official nomination sheet will be ruled invalid.

To be valid, **each** nomination sheet **must** also indicate the name of the candidate and the position sought <u>at the top</u> <u>of each nomination sheet</u> in the space provided. Failure to provide this information will lead to the disqualification of **all** the signatures on that nomination sheet.

3. VERIFICATION OF MEMBERS

The Tabulating Committee will verify names on each nomination sheet, via the most current membership list (i.e., the most current employee list provided by Air Canada), once the documents are received.

While the Bylaws cited in points 1 and 2 above set out the <u>minimum</u> number of <u>required</u> signatures, the Tabulating Committee <u>recommends</u> that prospective candidates submit <u>extra</u> signatures to guard against the possibility of invalidation of any nominator(s). Of course, there is no limit to the total number of signatures that may be submitted by a candidate, for any position.

4. OATH OF NOMINATION

The Oath of Nomination is included in this document. A completed Oath of Nomination must be submitted to the Tabulating Committee, along with the nomination sheets.

C.4 Nomination Procedures for Local Officer Elections

C.4.4 The Oath of Nomination form (Appendix "F") must be completed in its entirety in order to be accepted by the Tabulating Committee.

5. DEADLINE

Completed original nomination sheets, with the required number of signatures, along with the completed Oath of Nomination, must be addressed to the following:

AIR CANADA COMPONENT TABULATING COMMITTEE

25 BELFIELD ROAD ETOBICOKE, ONTARIO M9W 1E8

Completed original nomination sheets and the Oath of Nomination must be <u>received</u> no later than, <u>February 15, 2024, at 16:00 EST</u> in order to be date stamped and secured by staff. Failing to comply with the above deadline will invalidate your candidacy. The Tabulating Committee recommends sending your documentation by registered mail to ensure timely delivery and receipt.

6. QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions, please contact the Tabulating Committee at tabulating@accomponent.ca.



LOCAL NOMINATION PAPERS

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If nominated I,			accept the nomination.		
Signati	ure of candidate _		Date:		
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Oath of Nomination

l ,	, promise to abide	by the CUPE Equality Statement and the Air Canada Component Code of			
Condu	ct. As a candidate I promise to:				
(a)	Be respectful, and professional to social media;	ards any candidate(s), member(s) or officer(s) on any platform including			
(b)	Be responsible for the actions and comments of any of my campaigning assistants/promoters while campaigning;				
(c)	Always ensure that all members have	privacy when casting their votes.			
As a ca	ndidate I promise not to:				
(b) (c)	Open any voting platform (website, Provide a hyperlink or any other electors); (personal campaign website, etc.); Campaign during my office hours of breaks or mealtime)).	t in harming another member of the Union; etc.) for any member; etronic link directly to a voting platform from a personal campaign medium thile on CUPE release time (I may campaign during my personal time (e.g. public devices (computers, etc.) to open personal campaign media or the			
	Candidate Signature	Candidate Employee Number			
	Candidate Print Name	Candidate Date			
	Witness Signature	Witness Employee Number			
	Witness Print Name	Witness Phone Number			

Witness Date