



MEBA Benefit Plans

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MEBA TRAINING PLAN SUMMARY OF MATERIAL MODIFICATION

This Summary of Material Modifications advises you of changes in the information contained in the MEBA Training Plan (the “Plan”), as required by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. The Trustees of the Plan have amended the Plan to provide that mates shall receive credit for Training Plan eligibility for in-person attendance at the Maritime Institute of Technology & Graduate Studies.

Accordingly, effective January 1, 2021, a new Section 10 was inserted into the Plan to read as follows:

Section 10 Attendance at the Maritime Institute of Technology & Graduate Studies

A Licensed Officer who is a mate and fulfills the requirements set forth in Section 1 shall receive one day of Pension Credit and one day of credit towards Medical Plan eligibility for each calendar day that the Licensed Officer is attending MITAGS on and after January 1, 2021, in accordance with the MEBA Pension Trust Regulations and the Rules and Regulations establishing the MEBA Medical and Benefits Plan to the extent the Licensed Officer is not otherwise entitled to such credit by virtue of being in covered employment.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, call the Plan Office’s Member Services Department at 410-547-9111 or 800-811-6322. Keep this notice with your SPD so that when you refer to the SPD, you will be reminded of the above changes.

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