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REPORT OF THE  
2ND VICE PRESIDENT  
LOCAL 70125

Since our last meeting I have been busy with Local affairs as well as National ones. I had an opportunity to touch base with Local members in a different forum at the beginning of the month. It provided an opportunity to discuss situations at post much as one would discuss with members at HQ situational problems. It was an opportunity to really touch base with our members in the field and let them know that there was a union presence back at HQ looking out for their interests at all levels. It was an important time as well since we all know and have come through the recent Strike Mandate Vote.

I also fielded a few phone calls resulting in pay grievances. As the number of grievances against the employer not to grant an acting incumbent annual step increments grows the decision is that much more looked forward to. Hopefully it will be rendered soon and a lot of members can know where they stand after having performed acting duties for an extended period of time.

I participated in the Strike Vote Mandate on Wednesday, November 23 and was glad to see the turn out. I would have liked to see more but Wednesday's turnout will hopefully symbolize a future monthly meeting.

I confer regularly with the President and have been kept fully abreast of issues as they unfold. Similarly, I understand the External Affairs Day Care will be meeting regularly once again and I will be making the transfer of files shortly.

I'll take this opportunity to wish everyone a MERRY CHRISTMAS since the next time I'll see you in print will be after the holidays.

In Solidarity,

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