## BROTHERHOOD OF LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS AND TRAINMEN

## OFFICIAL NOTICE

THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT DIVISION 174 WILL CONDUCT A SPECIAL ELECTION IN AUGUST 2014.

SECTION 20(a) – LOCAL DIVISION RULES OF THE BLET BYLAWS STATES: "Any office left vacant by resignation, death, or otherwise, special election shall be held by ballot. Notice of nomination will be posted ten (10) days prior to regular meeting, and ballots will be mailed at least fifteen (15) days prior to regular meeting. Ballots must specify date to be returned to division secretary-treasurer. The president will fill office vacated by appointment until such election; provided, special election need not be held if vacancy occurs within twelve (12) months of regular division election."

ON JUNE 21, 2014 OFFICIAL NOTICE WAS POSTED AT ALL LOCATIONS WHERE MEMBERS REPORTED FOR DUTY, SATISFYING THE 10 DAY REQUIREMENT.

AT THE JULY 10, 2014 BLET DIVISION 174 MEETING, NOMINATIONS WERE OPENED FOR THE POSITION OF ALTERNATE LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVE. BROTHER **SHAUN E. FORSLUND** WAS NOMINATED AND IS IN GOOD STANDING. NO OTHER NOMINATIONS WERE SUBMITTED.

SECTION 7(e) LOCAL DIVISION RULES OF THE BLET BYLAWS STATES: "When only one candidate is nominated for any office, he shall be declared elected by acclamation"

BROTHER **SHAUN E. FORSLUND** HAS ACCEPTED THIS NOMINATION AND HAS BEEN DECLARED THE WINNER OF THE AUGUST 2014 SPECIAL ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION. BROTHER FORSLUND WILL ASSUME THE POSITION OF ALTERNATE LEGISLATIVE REPRESENTATIVE UNTIL THE NEXT TRIENNIAL ELECTIONS IN 2015.

AT THIS TIME, ELECTION BY BALLOT IS NOT REQUIRED AND THIS SPECIAL ELECTION IS COMPLETED.

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