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October 16, 2023

Mr. Ricardo Sanchez, General Chairman International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers – Local 589 38B Church Street Patchogue, NY 11772

## Re: Water Pump Station Preventative Maintenance Contract

Dear Mr. Sanchez:

This letter is to advise you of the intention of the Long Island Rail Road ("LIRR" or "Carrier") to utilize a third-party contractor for the above-referenced work.

The work involved includes inspection, testing, repairs and replacements as needed on various Pump Station Systems located at several Carrier facilities in Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and Nassau, including the following:

- 1. Manhattan West Side Storage Yard (13) Pump Stations
- 2. Brooklyn/Queens Atlantic Tunnel (14) Pump Stations
- 3. Queens- Arch Street Building/ Yard (4) Pump Stations
- 4. Queens- Jamaica F&A Building (1) Pump Station
- 5. Queens- Hillside Support Facility (1) Pump Station
- 6. Nassau Hempstead LIRR Station (1) Pump Station

The nature and scope of the work on these water pump systems cannot be met with the manpower, skills or equipment on the property and as such, a third-party contractor is required to ensure the extended lifespan of the pumps and panels and to perform repair services when needed. We do not believe this is a violation of the Agreement and hereby provide you this information and notification for awareness.

If you would like to discuss this project further, please contact the undersigned within ten (10) days of receipt of this letter. If we do not receive a response within this time frame, we will consider it as your concurrence and will proceed with the contract accordingly.

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Very truly yours,
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Deputy Chief Labor Relations Officer

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