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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

I am pleased to report that there are some new classes available through our JATC for Journeymen. An instrumentation class is in the works, and the dates should be announced soon. Additionally, there will be a Fire Alarm class offered, as well as a "NEW AND IMPROVED" First Aid/CPR Class (Hybrid – part online, part classroom). This certification is good for 2 years. In our ongoing effort to provide the best continuing education available, we invite you to take advantage of the classes offered. Keep your training up-to-date and earn a stipend for doing it. It's a win-win offer! (Complete class list on back of Death Benefits page).

We have been getting several calls from finance companies to verify employment. I would like to remind you all that you do NOT work for IBEW. You are a member, but to verify your employment, you must list the contractor that you are working for. If you are unemployed, you should state you are unemployed. We do not have the information finance companies need to approve your loan.

We hope to see you all at the next meeting!

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