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Policy Group	Membership
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**PURPOSE** To ensure members receive compensation for approved work of the Union.

SCOPE Members

## POLICY STATEMENT

SUN recognizes its financial responsibility of remuneration to members on approved union business.

# PROCEDURE

Claims for expenses shall be submitted within thirty (30) days of the date expenses were incurred.

If event is presented virtually, compensation will be limited to salary.

#### **Orientation to Newly Certified Locals**

Newly certified Locals shall be orientated to SUN Local administration by an Employment Relations Officer, a Network Lead, and a Network Representative or designate.

Two (2) Local members shall be paid salary as applicable:

- Salary continuance shall be paid for a scheduled shift up to twelve (12) hours (Paid Union leave) for approved provincial union business.
- Any member who is on approved provincial union business on a day off shall be compensated for eight (8) hours at the current salary step.

Members on approved union business will be eligible for funding for all meal per diems except for meals included in the event.



### **Non-Reimbursement**

All members are accountable to SUN for their absence at authorized meetings and/or events of the Union. Failure to supply valid reasons for such absence will result in loss of pay and denial of expense reimbursement.

#### **Retroactive Pay**

All members shall receive retroactive pay in accordance with each new collective agreement for all hours billed directly to SUN for amounts greater than the cost of processing said payment.