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From: Friedman, Howard
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To: Bargaining Unit
Subject: Update

Good morning. Here's an update on a few matters.

1. The Unfair Labor Practice was filed earlier in the week. Details will be forthcoming.
- 2. A number of you had promised to send me a declaration. I need to have them from you as soon as possible.**
3. Thanks to the following for making calls on their own time to applicants in an effort to garner support (I hope I didn't leave anyone out). These calls, which numbered more than 400, have resulted in letters being written to Mr. Rogan and Congress:

Brooke Beyer, Will Breckenfeld, Georgia Carty, Jennifer Chicoski, Catherine Faint, Anne Farrell, Timothy Finnegan, Christina Garner, Yvonne Jones, Janice McMorrow, Jan Mooneyham, April Rademacher, Andrew Rhim, Sudarshini Satchi, Nelson Snyder, Gwen Stokols, Elizabeth Winters, and John Yard.

4. Thanks also to those of you who attended the TPAC meeting Wednesday. I continue to hear good things both in and outside the office on our TPAC document, so let me thank again Dawn Feldman, Andrew Rhim, Sudarshini Satchi, John Yard, Brooke Beyer and also John Kelly, who I left out the first time around. Attached is a letter I sent the TPAC committee this morning. Thanks to Will Breckenfeld and Gwen Stokols for assisting.

5. We expect additional letters to be sent to Mr. Rogan from members of the House and Senate. The attached letter makes reference to another letter Rep. Berman sent Mr. Rogan as well as Mr. Rogan's response. I don't have an electronic version of those letters, otherwise I would attach.

6. Finally, in conjunction with the National office's summer membership drive, we are undertaking a membership drive. National is paying each local chapter \$25.00 for each member it signs up during the campaign. It is up to each chapter to decide how it wants to use that money. Your Executive Board has decided to pass that money on to you.

So, if you are one of the 135 who have not yet joined, let me set the table for you. The \$25.00 will just about cover September's dues, give or take a dollar. It always takes a little while to process the paperwork once you join...and it's now August 16. If the RIF goes through on September 30, your dues stop. If it

doesn't, well, I suspect it will have something to do with our efforts...and you will continue to draw a paycheck. Need I say more?

Please consider joining. Of course, the \$25.00 is also paid to those not subject to the RIF, so I ask those in that group to join also. Details on the drive are forthcoming. In the meantime, please see me or any other

Executive Board member or contact a member of our membership committee:

Ysa DeJesus, Goli Gharib,
Gwen Stokols, Andrea Nadelman, April Rademacher, Sharon Meier, Kelly Boulton, Catherine Faint, Mary Rossman, Jan Mooneyham, Gina Hayes, or Patti Horrall.

Have a good weekend.

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