

National Maintenance Council for Canada

Hamilton Area NMA

Appendix D

Interpretation of Application of Lake Erie Steel \$25.00 per day Travel Payment

The following interpretation was discussed with signatory employers and local union representatives at a Hamilton Building Trades Council meeting March 21, 2007, and clarifies the appropriate application of the understanding in Appendix D of the agreement.

1. The payment will be made for all employees, including existing employees, who are assigned to a scheduled production outage to last no more than 24 hours.
2. Short duration, emergency outages are not covered by this policy.
3. Employees engaged in pre or post shutdown work will be paid the travel cost during eligible outages, but not for the pre or post work days.
4. Should an outage over run the scheduled 24 hours, it will still be considered an eligible outage. Travel payments will be made for eligible shifts within the scheduled 24 hour period.