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Waiver of Self Pay Active Member

I hereby waive medical and prescription drug coverage under the Toledo Electrical Welfare Fund for myself and/or my family member.

Affirmation of Alternate Coverage

I affirm that I and/or my spouse and any dependents, have core medical coverage

under another employer's plan (e.g., a health plan provided by a spouse's employer). The alternate coverage is provided through:

Relative Name:

Relation:

Employer:

Plan Carrier / Administrator:

Effective Date:

I understand that if I reinstate in the Plan with the required work hours, Toledo Electrical Welfare Fund will become my primary medical coverage.

Member Signature:

Date:

TOLEDO ELECTRICAL WELFARE FUND Waiver of Self-Pay Participation for Active Members Frequency Asked Questions

When a member loses eligibility in the Health Plan and is eligible to make a self-pay to continue health coverage, other health insurance maybe available, such as through a spouse's employer.

The waiver of self-pay participation allows a member to accrue continuous service in the Plan, and not make a self-pay, by going into an alternate insurance.

FAQ

- **Q** What happens if my spouse loses his/her health insurance?
- **A** You will be able to rejoin the Toledo Electrical Welfare Fund under the self-pay rules.
- **Q** Why do the Trustees allow this program?
- A To save the member a self-pay, should coverage be available elsewhere.
- **Q** Will the Fund pick up out of pocket expenses from the other coverage?
- **A** No. However, any out of pocket expenses are eligible expenses from the Supplemental Fringe Benefit Fund/VEBA.
- **Q** If I lose my alternate coverage and come back into the TEWF, do I start from the beginning of the self-pay period?
- **A** Once coverage is lost due to a reduction in work hours, all extensions of coverage will run simultaneously. For example, if you opt-out to save on self-pays for six (6) months, and then lose the other coverage, you will have 14 of the 20 months allowed for self-pays left.