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## HENNESSY, BUHLE NAMED TO THE GENERAL EXECUTIVE BOARD

### *Teamster Leaders Bring Wealth of Experience to New Positions*

(Washington, D.C.) – International Brotherhood of Teamsters General President Jim Hoffa today announced the appointment of Brian Buhle and Stan Hennessy to General Executive Board as Vice Presidents.

Hennessy, who will serve as Vice President for Canada, is the president of Teamsters Local Union 31 in Vancouver, Canada and serves on the Western Transportation Advisory Council. In addition to his new role as Central Region Vice President, Buhle is the Secretary-Treasurer of Teamsters Local Union 135 in Indianapolis, Ind. and is Vice President of Joint Council 69.

"These two men are outstanding additions to the General Executive Board," Hoffa said. "Throughout their careers, they have shown an unwavering dedication to furthering the cause of working families. I look forward to having their counsel on the issues that face our union."

Buhle grew up a Teamster, working for Local 135 for more than 20 years and learning what the true meaning was to be a union member from his father Ken Buhle, who served as President of Local 298.

"This is truly an honor," Buhle said. "I have dedicated my entire career to fighting for working men and women in Indiana. I look forward to working with President Hoffa and the General Executive Board to help rebuild the middle class and grow our union."

Hennessy began his career as a Teamster in 1972 working as warehouseman. He has served as president of Local 31 since 2002 where he has represented the interests of a membership that covers a wide array of industries, including freight, courier, cartage, warehousing and the public sector.

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"I find it an honor just to serve in this capacity," Hennessy said. "I look forward to working with the General President and the General Executive Board to help address all the issues that face our international union."

The International Brotherhood of Teamsters represents more than 1.4 million hardworking men and women throughout the United States, Canada and Puerto Rico.

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