



April 15, 2024

**IATSE ANNUITY FUND:
RELIEF EXTENDED FOR FUND PARTICIPANTS AFFECTED BY THE RECENT
MOTION PICTURE/TELEVISION INDUSTRY STRIKES
THROUGH *July 31, 2024***

IATSE NATIONAL HEALTH AND WELFARE FUND RELIEF *EXPIRES JUNE 30, 2024*

The Board of Trustees of the IATSE Annuity Fund (the "Fund") is aware that the recent WGA and SAG/AFTRA strikes, though settled, continue to impact employment in the industry. The Board has therefore extended the Annuity Fund relief that was previously adopted to assist the Fund's participants whose work has been affected by the strikes through July 31, 2024. This notice describes the relief and who is eligible.

ANNUITY PLAN: NO WAITING PERIOD ON DISTRIBUTIONS FOR PARTICIPANTS OUT OF WORK DUE TO THE STRIKES, FOR APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED THROUGH JULY 31, 2024:

Eligible participants who are not currently working may take a distribution from their Annuity Fund account without the usual 6-month (or 2-month) waiting period.

You are eligible to take a distribution from your Annuity Fund account due to termination of employment *without* the usual waiting period (which is six months without work for those younger than age 55, and two months for those age 55 to 64) if you are currently out of work due to the recent WGA and SAG/AFTRA strikes and:

- your work under a motion picture/television contract has been affected by the strikes, and you worked under one of those contracts within the 6-month period January 1 to June 30, 2023,
- you are not currently working in any work covered by the Fund, and
- your complete application is submitted to the Fund Office and postmarked by July 31, 2024.

You will be required to complete a statement attesting to the fact that you meet the first two requirements above, in addition to the regular application requirements. Please allow at least three weeks for your application to be processed.

Note: The IATSE National Health & Welfare Fund's relief, as provided due to the aforementioned strikes, has not been extended beyond the April 2024-June 30, 2024 coverage quarter.

For the most up-to-date information about the IATSE National Benefit Funds, register for the online portal (if you have not already done so) and check the Funds' website, www.iatsenbf.org regularly. The Summary Plan Descriptions are also on the website. If you have further questions or would like to request a hard copy of the Funds' Summary Plan Descriptions, please contact the Participant Services Department: Email: psc@iatsenbf.org, Phone: 212-580-9092 or 800-456-FUND (3863) (Toll Free outside of New York).