

TWU Local 556 Safety Team

Michael Massoni – 1st VP and National Safety/Security Coordinator

*...The mission of the Unions Safety Team is to provide **Union Leadership** in all issues of health & safety; **Technical Counsel** to the TWU Executive Board; **Representation** to our Membership; **Stewardship** within our Company, Industry, its regulatory bodies and most importantly, **facilitate Effective Communications** between all...*

To: TWU Local 556, Executive Board
CC: Cuyler Thompson, Recording Secretary
Date: June 11th, 2009
Re: June 2009 EB Safety Team Report

Currently the Safety Team has the following open and/or resolved action items:

Aviation Safety & Health Data Base (ASHDI) – Reports Under Review = **2**:

<u>Report</u>	<u>Acceptance Deadline</u>
ASHDI 1670 (AIR QUALITY INCL. TEMP)	Fri 6/19/2009
ASHDI 1677 (Aviation Safety/Security)	Fri 9/11/2009

ASHDI Incident Reports received to date:

- All Sponsor Unions / TWU = **3375+ / 246**
 - Accepted Reports to date (TWU) = **165**
 - See Attached Detail
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Southwest Airlines Event Notification System (ENS)

Fielded Events for Period:

- o 03/20/09 through 06/11/09 = **293**
- o Emergencies Declared = **45**
- o ALL OF 2009 to Date = **608**
- o ALL OF 2008 = **940**

ALL OF 2007 = 940

- On June 2nd, 2009 a **Southwest Airlines Safety Reporting System (SRS)** post implementation follow-up meeting was held. Please see attachments for a summary of statistics, topics and suggestions that were covered in the meeting.
- On June 9th, 2009 TWU 556 1st Vice President and National Safety/Security Coordinator Michael Massoni and TWU 556 National Health Coordinator Michele Moore attended **the full Crewmember debrief for N371SW operating as WN519**

MSY to HOU on 12MAY09. The event has been classified as an “Incident” by the NTSB and is currently under formal investigation. A narrative of the event as reported by the Crewmembers involved is attached. NOTE: As this is an NTSB investigation the attached narrative is classified CONFIDENTIAL, is marked accordingly and is not to be discussed, passed-on or distributed. Once the investigation is complete a public report will become available to all interested parties.

- **The TWU International Health and Safety Task Force (ISTF)** of which TWU 556 1st Vice President and National Safety/Security Coordinator Michael Massoni is a Member of held two day of Union focused Health and Safety training on June 9th and 10th, 2009. These two days of training were offered to all TWU Locals within the Air Transport Division. Both days of training were attended by a mixture of individuals from different TWU Locals including, Leadership, Staff, Health and Safety Chairpersons and Safety Representatives from across the country. Items covered in the training were:

- o What's Making Workers Injured, Ill or Stressed?
- o Body Mapping
- o Why Do People Get Hurt at Work?
- o Comparing and Contrasting Union and Employer Goals for Workplace Safety and Health
- o Controlling Hazards: How Do We Protect Workers from Safety and Health Hazards?
- o Hazard Mapping: Mapping the Workplace for Safety and Health Problems

The ISTF extended a special thanks to all TWU 556 Officers, Staff Members and Safety Representatives for their enthusiastic participation in these training sessions, which in the end, will help TWU International provide the necessary resources to improve the health and safety of all Members.

OPEN DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- OSHA 300 Logs (**see attachments**)
- ASHDI Handling Procedures for DEBMS
- Global Cabin Air Quality Executive Meeting (GCAQE) Minutes (**available for review**)

STANDING MEETINGS:

- Thursday May 28th, 2009 – Health & Safety Coordination (HASC) with Inflight Safety and Regulatory Standards
- Thursday May 28th, 2009 – Meeting w/Sonia Lacore – Health and Safety Related Committees (CISM & Professional Standards)
- Wednesday June 3rd, 2009 – Meeting w/TXRE Properties – NT Office Space
- Friday June 19th, 2009 – Health & Safety Coordination (HASC) with Inflight Safety and Regulatory Standards