

(a) Joint Coast Labor Relations Committee meeting within twenty-four (24) hours; and

(b) Coast Arbitrator within twenty-four (24) hours.

Such hearing shall include all information regarding the dispute. At the request of either party, the Coast Arbitration shall be held at the site of the dispute. If such request is made, the timeline shall be extended by twenty-four (24) hours.

17.262 The Joint Coast Labor Relations Committee and the Coast Arbitrator shall have power to review decisions relative to the operation of dispatching halls, or the interpretation of port working and dispatching rules, or discharges, or pay (including travel pay and penalty rates), but shall exercise it in any case only if the Committee decides to review the specific case.

17.263 When either the Union or the Association claims that there has been a violation of Section 13 by anyone bound by this Agreement, the grievance shall be submitted to the Joint Coast Labor Relations Committee and shall be resolved there or referred to the Coast Arbitrator for hearing and decision in accordance with the applicable contract provisions.

17.27 In the event that the Employer and Union members of the Joint Coast Labor Relations Committee fail to agree on any question before it, including a question as to whether the issue was properly before the Coast Labor Relations Committee, such question shall be immediately referred at the request of either party to the Coast Arbitrator for hearing and decision, and the decision of the Coast Arbitrator shall be final and conclusive.

17.271 Referrals to the Coast Arbitrator must be submitted and heard by the Coast Arbitrator within 6 months following the date of disagreement at the Coast Labor Relations