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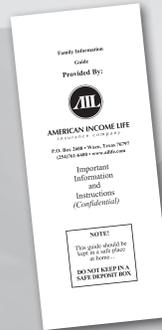
American Income Life is a 100% Wall-to-Wall union insurance company and for over 60 years has been dedicated to working families.

## No-Cost Programs Available For Your Union Members



### \$ Group AD&D Benefit

Provides 24-hour coverage to all members. Each member will be given the opportunity to designate a beneficiary.



### Family Information Guide

Helps eliminate confusion over funeral arrangements, insurance papers and estate information.



### Child Safe Kits

Provides vital information, including photos and fingerprints, to assist authorities should a child become lost or missing.

Endorsed by the International Union of Police Associations.



### Family Eye Care Discount Card

Provides household discounts on prescription eyewear.

## 3 Simple Steps:

- An approved letter is mailed to all members on the Union's letterhead, signed by an official from the Union. A reply card with postage-paid envelope is mailed with the letter to all members.
- All printing and mailing costs are paid for by AIL.
- Members who return the reply card will be contacted by an AIL representative to arrange a convenient time to deliver the no-cost benefits and explain additional insurance benefits available on a voluntary basis.



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**AIL in Canada Stands with Unions and working families in Solidarity from Coast to Coast. We support Labour at all levels both financially and on Policy Issues; Unions are an essential part of a strong democracy and play a crucial role in public and community life.**

- **AIL Supports Unions Scholarships**

AIL supports many Labour scholarships and education programs with Labour across Canada. Two examples are the **Jack Layton** Scholarship in Ontario and the **Dave Barrett** Scholarship funds.

- **AIL Supports Jack Layton Tribute**

AIL is a proud sponsor of the Jack Layton Memorial Statue which is a lasting tribute to a leader of great vision and integrity. He was not only a voice for working families but he stood up for those in our society who struggled daily to achieve the lives they deserve as Canadians.

- **AIL Supports Labour's Position on Canada Pension Reform**

No person who has spent their life working and creating benefits to Canada should be subject to losing their pension savings. In order to ensure that deferred salaries through pension plans remain solvent AIL supports the premise of applying a system to protect pensions as put forward by Labour. AIL also supports adjustments to the CPP and improved benefits under the Guaranteed Income Supplement to ensure no senior lives below the poverty line.

- **AIL Supports Public Services**

AIL supports public service being provided through all levels of Government, this in our view helps to ensure accountability, and value for the taxpayer. Looking at the public service, public interest must be seen as a key indicator in not to privatize. Privatization of Government services whether in Canada or in the United States in our view does exactly what has been referred to as *"private gains and public losses"* or also referred to *"privatization of profits and socialization of losses"*. Economic policies, which favour this type of concentration of capital, have been criticized as socialism for the rich and capitalism for the poor.

- **AIL Supports Workers right to Organize**

AIL supports the rights of all workers to belong to a Union. As an example AIL is proud to be working with the Agriculture Workers Alliance (AWA) and UFCW in offering a unique benefit package at no cost to the AWA for members to support their efforts in organizing.

- **Public Health Care**

AIL supports the right of universal accessibility to health care, and to a universal pharmacare plan. We believe, that all citizens should have access to health care, and access to prescription drugs, regardless of income or status. It is our view that a public health care program is good public policy and contributes to the growth and wealth of the country. *AIL supports the "Ten Goals for Good Health" as put forward by the Canadian Health Coalition* and a universal public pharmacare plan.

- **AIL Labour Advisory Board**

AIL's International Labour Advisory board is made up of senior Labour leaders and progressive thinking community leaders. This board guides AIL in its donations back to Labour and the Community by financially supporting many union sponsored charities, food banks, workers who are on strike or lockout.

- **AIL Opposes Bill 377**

AIL believes that Bill C-377 is an atrocious attack on workers and their Labour unions and interferes with the unions' ability to represent their members. The rules that unions would be required to follow are, in AIL's view, a breach of fundamental fairness as Corporations, charities and the Government would not be subject to the same rules.



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