

ARTICLE V – MEC COMMITTEES

PURSER COMMITTEE

Position: MEC Chairperson

DESCRIPTION AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The MEC Committee Chairperson's duties shall consist of the following:

1. Be thoroughly familiar with Section 9 of the Flight Attendant Agreement, Purser, and Generally with other sections of the contract, especially sections 5 and 6, Hours of Service and Scheduling.
2. Coordinate with the MEC and the Company to ensure that all provisions of the contract regarding pursers and the related sections are upheld, especially section 9.D. regarding purser training.
3. Communicate with and assist the Local Executive Committee (LEC) Purser Chairpersons at each base where such positions exist.
4. Maintain a good working relationship with the MEC and the Membership.
5. Prepare periodic, germane communication pieces relevant to the Committee that are to be distributed to the general Membership through normal and sanctioned channels of the Union.
6. Schedule and participate in a quarterly meeting with the MEC Vice President. Although an "in-person" meeting may be preferred, a teleconference shall suffice to satisfy this obligation.
7. Provide a written quarterly report to the MEC regarding the communications and activities that the Chairperson has engaged in during the specified time as related to the purser position.
8. Perform other related duties as assigned by the MEC.

QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Be an AFA member, dues current, and otherwise in good standing.
2. Have been a purser qualified (PQ) Flight Attendant for at least one year.
3. Be motivated, a self-started, able to follow direction and to follow through.
4. Possess excellent oral and written communication skills.
5. Exhibits leadership skills required of a purser and a Union leader.
6. Displays a professional demeanor at all times.
7. Shows strong interpersonal skills.
8. continues to develop purser core competencies in self and others.