



International
**LONGSHORE & WAREHOUSE
UNION**

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LOCAL 500 BULLETIN

5 O’CLOCK SHADOW AND HEAVY STUBBLE ARE CONSIDERED “BEARDS”

- **Longshore workers must be clean shaven at time of despatch to be despatched to any “No Beards” jobs.**
- **You will not be despatched to VanWharves #1 or any other “No Beards” job if you cannot get a proper respirator seal.**
- **A 5 o’clock shadow and heavy stubble impede such a proper seal and are considered “beards”.**
- **If you have a beard please swipe in at the appropriate kiosk so as not to waste your time or the Dispatchers’ time.**

Local 500 Officers