- The left column shows the current language of the UAW CONSTITUTION.
- The center column shows the proposed change:
- ⇒ All deletions are struck through with lines.
- ⇒ Additions appear underlined.
- The *right* column shows the Constitution if the proposed change is approved (new language bolded).

Article 30 Charges and Trials of International Officers Edits to Section 1 as follows:

Current Language

Section 1. Charges against International Officers or International Executive Board Members may be filed in either of these manners:

- (a) Upon written affidavit signed by five (5) or more Board Members and filed with the International Secretary-Treasurer.
- (b) Upon written affidavit signed by a Local Union member and endorsed by the member's own Local Union and by at least ten (10) additional Local Unions in the International Union, or in the case of charges against an International Executive Board Member, upon written affidavit signed by the Local Union member and endorsed by the member's own Local Union and a majority of the Local Unions within the

Proposed Change

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- (a) Upon written affidavit signed by five (5) or more Board Members and filed with the International Secretary-Treasurer.
- (b) Upon written affidavit signed by a Local Union member and endorsed by a majority vote of the members in good standing of the member's affiant's own Local Union attending a special membership meeting held for that purpose, and by a majority vote of the members in good standing of at least five (5) other local unions at a special membership meeting held for that purpose, at least ten (10)

Result

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- (a) Upon written affidavit signed by five (5) or more Board Members and filed with the International Secretary-Treasurer.
- (b) Upon written affidavit signed by a Local Union member and endorsed by a majority vote of the members in good standing of the affiant's own Local Union attending a special membership meeting held for that purpose. and by a majority vote of the members in good standing of at least five (5) other local unions at a special membership meeting held for that purpose. In the case of

Current Language

region from which the International Executive Board Member is elected.

Proposed Change

additional Local Unions in the International Union, or iln the case of charges against an International **Executive Board Member** (i.e., Regional Director), all Local Unions involved in initiating or affirming such charges must be within the region from which the International Executive Board Member is elected, upon written affidavit signed by the Local Union member and endorsed by the member's own Local Union and a majority of the **Local Unions within the** region from which the International Executive Board Member is elected. In the case of charges filed against an International Officer or International **Executive Board Member** subject to this Article 30. the charges shall be referred to the Courtappointed Monitor for review and consideration of possible disciplinary action described in the

Consent Decree.

Result

charges against an International Executive Board Member (i.e., Regional Director), all Local Unions involved in initiating or affirming such charges must be within the region from which the International **Executive Board Member** is elected. In the case of charges filed against an International Officer or **International Executive Board Member subject to** this Article 30, the charges shall be referred to the Court-appointed Monitor for review and consideration of possible disciplinary action described in the Consent Decree.