

TRANSPORT WORKERS UNION OF GREATER NEW YORK - AFL-CIO - LOCAL 100

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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Janno Lieber CEO Metropolitan Transportation Authority 2 Broadway New York, NY 10004

RE: INTENTIONAL MISUSE OF VIDEO OF UNION REPRESENTED BUS OPERATOR

Dear Mr. Lieber:

We have learned that a confidential videotape of an incident on March 4, on a New York City Bus, which can only have been recorded at our training facility at Zerega, has been released and disseminated electronically.

This unwarranted disclosure can only have been effectuated by upper-level management, possibly with the consent of your office, in order to further embarrass the subject of the video.

Apparently, the camera footage was captured on video and then circulated. We are aware that only non-represented employees are able to view these bus camera recordings.

Accordingly, I am demanding a complete investigation of how the video of the bus camera footage was accessed, by whom and on what date, whose access key was used to enter the room at the time this footage was viewed, and any and all details surrounding the retrieval of this footage.

The MTA's credibility with the workforce has been severely damaged by this incident, and only a full disclosure of the facts can begin to repair it.

Sincerely,

John Chiarello President

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