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MEDIA RELEASE

AWU Accepts CPO's 5% Offer with Other Salary Adjustments

April 22, 2025 - The Chief Personnel Officer (CPO), Commander Dr. Daryl Dindial and the Amalgamated Workers Union signed off on the collective agreement for the 5% salary increase covering the period 2020 to 2022, along with the consolidation of the Cost of Living Allowance (COLA), effective October 1, 2023 and other market rate based salary adjustments.

Commander Dindial commended Mr. Michael Prentice, President of the Amalgamated Workers Union and the Executive for their measured leadership and responsible decision-making on behalf of their membership. He noted that their willingness to engage constructively resulted in the acceptance of the offer.

The CPO, extended his gratitude to the City Corporation workers for their unwavering dedication to duty. He acknowledged that these workers are often on the frontlines of service ensuring clean streets, functional public spaces, and essential sanitation across communities. He further stated that their work, though often done behind the scenes is fundamental to the daily comfort, health and safety of citizens.

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