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E:Alert! All Employee Meeting on Training

Dear members:

AFGE Council 222 has been advised that the Secretary will hold an all employees' meeting on September 14 that focuses on training. The Secretary will provide a broad overview of plans for FY 2007 and 2008; Assistant Secretary for Administration Keith Nelson will provide more details; and Deputy Director of Training Services William Johnson will set forth a timeline for implementation over the next year.

Management has provided the Council with a preliminary meeting about their plans. We are pleased to hear that Management is seeking a significant increase in training funding for the next two years. We have expressed our concern that training plans be fair and that Management follow through with both monetary and time resources.

We're especially interested in hearing your input as we continue our dialog with Management. After the all employees' meeting, if you have ideas and concerns, please talk with your Local President or send us an email.

In solidarity,

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