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## **EPP UPDATE**

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**Brothers and Sisters:** 

As the Employee Protection Provisions (EPP) bill gains momentum in Albany, the City of New York Department of Education on Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019 released a BID (B3409) for 1600 routes. I am happy to report to you that these 1600 routes include the EPP. Almost all of these routes were BID out by Mayor Bloomberg in 2014 with no EPP.

The BID also states that if for some reason, the EPP does not pass in Albany, the BID will be withdrawn.

Over the past several years we have stood together in this fight for the EPP. Your continued show of unity and support have brought us to this point and on behalf of the Executive Board and myself, we thank you.

Together we are committed to win this fight!

As always, we will keep you informed as we receive updates.

In solidarity,

Michael Cordiello, President/Business Agent

and the Executive Board

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