Bereavement Leave (Exception Code B)

In the event of a death in the employee's family, the employee shall be entitled to absence with full pay per death not chargeable to the employee's sick leave accumulation for:

- (a) Four (4) days in the case of the death of a spouse (including domestic partner), child (including foster child or stepchild who resides with the employee), mother, father, brother or sister;
- (b) Three (3) days in the case of death of a mother-in-law, father-in-law, grandmother, grandfather, grandchild or any other relative living in the employee's household;
- (c) One (1) day in the case of death of an aunt, uncle, sister-in-law or brother-in-law.

If more than the above days of bereavement leave are needed, such additional time must be charged to annual or personal leave.

NOTE: Some union contracts contain provisions which may differ from the above. Union members are encouraged to check their applicable union contract.

