No Appointment Needed Times Expanded for Employees to have Photos Taken for New MTA Badges

(Dec. 14) Haven't had a photo taken for your Year 2000 ID badge? Human Resources is expanding the times when you can face the camera at MTA Headquarters – and no appointments are necessary.

Starting Wednesday, Dec. 15, and continuing through Dec. 23, you can have your photo taken from 10 a.m. until noon and from 1 until 4 p.m. in the Employee Activities Center on the Plaza level of Headquarters.

Human Resources also has arranged for employees to have their photos taken during the weekend at the Regional Rebuild Center, Dec. 18 and 19; at Division 9 on Jan. 8 and 9; Division 15 on Dec. 18 and 19; and Division 18 on Jan. 8 and 9. All sessions are scheduled from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. No appointments are necessary.

Distribution in January

The new badges are to be distributed to employees' work locations by Jan. 31 or early February, says Mario Perez-Ceballos, manager, Employment Services. Employees, eligible dependents, retirees and spouses, consultants, temporary staff, Board members and their staff members all should get new photos.

If you're satisfied with your current ID photo, it's not mandatory to have a new one taken. But, Perez-Ceballos notes that the badges also are used as transit passes.

For further information, call 922-7149, 922-7156, 922-7165, 922-7153 or 922-7159.

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