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North Carolina Ratifies 1-Year Agreement

On November 1, 2005, the musicians of the North Carolina Symphony ratified a one-year financial agreement for the 2006-07 season. The North Carolina Symphony's 2003-07 collective bargaining agreement called for a financial negotiation in the spring of 2005 and 2006 to determine weekly wages for the next season. Any increase in the weekly wage is subject to a minimum of 0% and a maximum of 5%. This season the maximum increase of 5% allowed by the CBA was negotiated.

LENGTH OF SEASON: Remains at 41 weeks plus 2 optional weeks

WAGES:	[2005-06]	2006-07
Annual Salary –	[\$44,987.25]	\$47,236.51
Weekly Salary –	[\$1,097.25]	\$1,152.11

Thanks to the negotiating team: Bruce Ridge, Chair; Chris Caudill, Elizabeth Lunsford, David Marschall, and Oskar Ozolinch. Thanks also to Local 500 President Jimmy Gilmore and Attorney Michael G. Okun.

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