



INFORMATION UPDATE

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MESSAGE TO MEMBERS

Despite the union's readiness to immediately sign the new collective agreement and global agreement, the employer is delaying due to scheduling issues apparently caused in part by the prorogation of Parliament. The official signing was originally set for October 15, but has now been put off until possibly the first week of November.

As we announced at the end of July we reached a tentative agreement that both parties have officially endorsed. It's now just a matter of getting all the parties together for the formal signatures in Ottawa.

Once this is completed it will allow us to move forward with the implementation of the agreements.

While we understand and share your frustration, we thank you for your patience on this matter. We will communicate the new date for the signature of the two agreements as soon as we can schedule it with the employer.

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