

BARGAINING REPORT #1

2011 NEGOTIATIONS WITH BELL ALIANT FOR CEP CRAFT & SERVICES MEMBERS

October 21, 2011

Brothers and Sisters,

The Bargaining Committee met with the Company this week to start the negotiations process, with an exchange of documents on October 19, 2011. Both the Union and Employer demands can be found on the CEP National website www.cep.ca.

You will see that the Company demands are largely concessionary. As this process continues there will no doubt be rumours in the field along with managers asking your opinion. We ask that you do not engage in these types of activities including using the company intranet to discuss these issues, as they can negatively impact the work being done by your Committee during the bargaining procedure.

The Bargaining Committee will be meeting again with the Employer on November 7, 2011.

Strength Through Unity

Your Bargaining Committee

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