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Bargaining Team Serves Canada Post With Notice to Bargain

Bargaining Package Overwhelmingly Ratified by Membership.

Throughout the month of April ratification votes were held at membership meetings across the country. Coast to coast to coast, PSAC/UPCE members at Canada Post voted in full support of the bargaining package that was put together by our elected Bargaining Team.

On May 1st, our union sent Canada Post our notice to bargain – four months before the expiration of our contract. Our goal is to get to the table as soon as possible to commence negotiations for a new agreement. Under federal labour law, management has twenty days to respond to our notice.

After an extensive worksite survey, input calls, membership meetings, a National Bargaining Conference to discuss worksite issues and demands, and a full membership ratification process, our team has been given a clear mandate by Canada Post employees represented by PSAC/UPCE: **bargain a contract that addresses workplace problems and that minimally meets the standards already agreed to by Canada Post for its other unionized employees. We deserve nothing less.**

We'll be sure to update once we have dates and as things progress. If you have any questions speak with your Shop Steward, a member of our bargaining team, your UPCE Regional Vice President, or go to www.psac.com.

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