

To: All OSSTF members

Re: Negotiations update

Date: July 21, 2015

We have been advised that the No Board Report from the Conciliator was issued yesterday.

After some consultation with Harvey Bischof and Karl Dean from our Provincial Office, we advised the University yesterday that we have set our strike deadline for Monday, August 10, 2015.

The Union's goal continues to be to reach a fair collective agreement for our membership and we have already expressed our willingness to meet with the University and the Conciliator at any time.

The Executive and Table Team are meeting today to discuss next steps and we will be arranging for a membership meeting very soon.

We understand there are many questions and we will do our best to get them answered through further bulletins, FAQs and meetings as required.

If you have not already supplied a personal email address, or cell phone number, in order for us to send further Union communications to you, please do so ASAP by responding to this email.

If you have any questions please direct them to Debi Rideout and Norm Westbury.

In solidarity,

Debi Rideout, Chief Negotiator
Norm Westbury, President