



Public Service Alliance of Canada
Alliance de la Fonction publique du Canada

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To: Alliance Executive Committee
Bob Kingston, National President, Agriculture Union

From: Patty Ducharme
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Negotiations Section
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Re: **Input Call – Canadian Food Inspection Agency**

This will serve as input call for the above-mentioned bargaining unit.

Under the collective bargaining procedures as defined in Regulation 15A passed by the National Board of Directors, and as outlined in the attached Program of Demands, Locals are to forward bargaining proposals to their Component on the approved form and in accordance with the established time table.

It will greatly assist the bargaining process if the Local submits all the relevant background information to the proposals including a detailed explanation of the context behind the proposal such as problems experienced with the current provisions of the agreement, rationale for new provisions, underlying objectives that this proposal seeks to address, etc.

Only proposals with complete rationale and justification shall be considered by the Public Service Alliance of Canada.

Each bargaining proposal must indicate the origin of the proposal, be signed by a responsible officer of the Component, transmitted electronically in Microsoft Word as well as in paper format, in both official languages to PSAC: Angèle Bélair, Administrative Assistant to the Coordinator of Negotiations at belaira@psac-afpc.com.

The Public Service Alliance of Canada deadline for receipt of bargaining demands from the Components is Monday, April 11, 2011.



Details regarding the Bargaining Conference including delegate entitlements is forthcoming.

In solidarity,



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National Executive Vice-President



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