

CUPE NOVA SCOTIA PER CAPITA INCREASE

To: All CUPE Nova Scotia Affiliated Presidents and Secretary-Treasurers

RE: CUPE Nova Scotia Per Capita Increase

Date: February 1, 2017

Sisters and Brothers.

Just a friendly reminder that the CUPE Nova Scotia Per Capita has been increased to **\$1.00 per member per month**. This increase was voted on and approved at the CUPE Nova Scotia 2016 Convention and took affect January 1st, 2017.

As per the CUPE Nova Scotia Constitution:

Article 7:01 (b) The revenue of CUPE Nova Scotia shall be derived from a Per Capita Tax to be paid by all persons paying dues to an affiliated Local. The Per Capita Tax shall be \$1.00 per member per month and shall be payable monthly. Per Capita Tax shall be paid by member Locals not later than the fifteenth (15th) day of each month following the date the Tax becomes payable, according to the provisions of this Article. Any Local three (3) months in arrears in payment of Per Capita Tax or Special Assessment will no longer be in good standing with CUPE Nova Scotia and can only be reinstated after the arrears are paid in full, but not to exceed six (6) months Per Capita. The special assessment as outlined in Article 7:01(c) must be paid in full for the year preceding convention. Payment of the special assessments as outlined in Article 7:01(c) shall not exceed the period of one year.)

I would like to remind everyone to please make all cheques out to CUPE Nova Scotia. I will be leaving some per capita books at each area office, if anyone needs one they can pick them up there or feel free to drop me a line and I can mail one to you. There are still some Locals sending mail to Sister Dianne Frittenburg, I ask that you please make sure the Secretary-Treasurer for your Local is aware of the change in officers and make sure my contact information is passed along to them.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for putting their faith in me and being so patient while I continue to transition into this role, it is very busy and challenging however I am enjoying it. I look forward to working with you all in the coming months.

In Solidarity,

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