

## **RIO UPDATE**

## **Expertech Craft & Services Bargaining Unit**

## **BARGAINING BULLETIN #2**

July 17, 2014

Brothers & Sisters,

Your bargaining team has told Expertech management, that we do not consent to the allocation of the 40 RIO offers in Ontario on the basis of prioritizing applications from the 705 region headquarters identified by the company in its announcement last week.

We made our position clear: the 40 RIOs in each province must be accepted on the basis of seniority province-wide.

However, we agreed that it makes sense for the company to send the offer packages as scheduled to all eligible technicians in Ontario so that we can see who is willing to accept the offer, and in which headquarters they are employed. When we have those responses by August 15th, the company and the union bargaining team will meet to see if there is any opportunity to resolve this issue in keeping with province-wide seniority. This meeting would likely take place in the last two weeks of August.

In Solidarity,

Your Bargaining Team:

Daniel Campeau Eric Johnson Jim McCulley Vince Gibbons Patrick Levéilée Frank Singer

Your National Representatives,

Howard Law, Alain Portelance