

MEMO

TO: All Air Canada Component of CUPE Members

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Dear Members,

On October 3rd, the four Local Presidents communicated to you that as a result of our continued difficulties within the Air Canada Component Executive, and in an effort to put your interests and the work of the membership first, we had requested our National Union's assistance by way of administration.

Today we received word from Paul Moist, President of CUPE National, that despite our grave concerns, our current situation does not meet the high threshold for administration. It is important to note that his response **did not state that our request was without justification**; in fact clear directives have been issued as a way forward.

Paul Moist has agreed to personally meet with the Air Canada Component Executive in three weeks' time. This is encouraging and we are hopeful that the necessary resources will be made available to us to ensure that your interests are protected.

In solidarity,

Your Local Presidents.