

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT - Submitted by Barry Kemball

Since my last September report, I was appointed Co-ordinator of the Political Action Program. I attended a meeting at the PSAC on November 6. 1500 pamphlets related to the program were picked at the Regional Office. With the help of 12 members, 800 pamphlets were distributed to the members at home including the Labour Relations Board. I am sorry to report that only 50 members returned the questionnaire.

In the last week I have been quite busy with the members of the GS group. I drafted a telegram for Gilles Poirier's signature to be sent to Lloyd Fucile, Executive Secretary, National Component to delay the deadline of November 19 for the return of the GS ballots on the Conciliation Report. No success. A telegram outlining the highlights of the GS Conciliation Report was drafted, approved by APRS and sent to posts where GS members are serving. For the local distribution, Conference Room in Tower A, First Floor, has been reserved for November 17 and 18 between the hour of noon and 1:00 p.m. when GS members can cast their vote. Please note that the Conciliation Reports were ready and picked up on November 12. The stapling and labelling took place at the Local Office. We have approx. 100 members at home and 75 abroad. The GS members have also been notified of the Information Meeting being held tonight at the Civic Centre.

Last week our membership listing was updated and a GS print out along with labels was also requested.

Please note that our GS members abroad will be able to vote on the conciliation report by telegram directly to the PSAC Office. All ballots must be returned to the PSAC Regional Office before November 19.

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