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**TO: Ontario Bell Locals**  
**FROM: Sean Howes, National Representative**  
**RE: Article 24 Working Committee**

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Sisters and Brothers,

You will recall that one of the outcomes of the recent negotiations was a commitment to meet with Bell on the Joint Working Committee to review the details of the new Article 24 Job Posting procedures and make any appropriate enhancements on a “win-win” basis.

For Ontario Region the CEP local members of the committee are Kathy Reid from Local 25 and Ray Mortimer from Local 26.

The joint working committee has met for five days so far and has several future dates planned before the agreed deadline of November 30, 2008. Any changes that are made will then come into effect on January 1, 2009, along with the new Article 24. If any language changes are required, a ratification procedure by the membership could be required.

So far, the joint committee has been working well together and we are exploring various options for enhancements.

We will keep you informed as the process develops.

**Solidarity Works!**

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