

Bargaining to Resume

On June 28, 2005, a newly appointed provincial mediator called the parties to return to the bargaining table and re-commence negotiations in an attempt to settle our 14 week strike against Bell Subco.

The parties will convene with the mediator and re-commence negotiations on July 5, 2005 in Toronto.

While this is very encouraging news, it doesn't mean that the strike is over.

It is critical that over the next weeks members continue with their picketing activities.

By continuing to perform your picket duty, you will be supporting the bargaining committee in reaching an acceptable settlement.

We have all worked so hard and for so long to obtain the collective agreement that we deserve.

The work we do in the next weeks will determine how successful we will be.

Solidarity Works!

Sean Howes National Representative