

Your CF Negotiating Team met yesterday with a Conciliator appointed by the Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development to update them on the status of negotiations. After meeting with the Administration separately, both Parties went back to the table, to continue negotiations with the assistance of the Conciliator.

Although progress was made throughout the day on some of the minor outstanding issues, we were disappointed --- but not surprised --- that the Administration has not budged whatsoever on major outstanding items, including job security and compensation.

Given this lack of progress, we directed the Conciliator to request a No Board Report from the Ministry. Once we receive the report, there will be a 17-day period before we are in a legal strike position and the Administration is in a legal lock-out position. During that 17-day period, we intend to continue bargaining with the assistance of a mediator, the goal being to reach a fair and equitable agreement.

This 17-day period will put us in a position for job action somewhere between the 14<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of November. Your Action Committee is making plans for all possibilities and will be keeping you informed.

For more information on negotiations:

- Watch for Negotiations emails from WLUFA and your Action Committee
- On Twitter @precariouswlu
- [WLUFA CF Negotiations](#)

In solidarity,

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