



## BARGAINING UPDATE

### Union Files for Conciliation

LOCAL  
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Update On  
Bargaining  
Between NSGEU  
and Cape Breton  
County  
Homemakers

February 6, 2012

Negotiations for a new collective agreement continued on January 31<sup>st</sup> at the Cambridge Suites in Sydney. The talks were courteous, but little progress was made on the key monetary issues facing the bargaining unit.

At the conclusion of bargaining on the 31<sup>st</sup>, the Union notified the Employer that we will be filing for conciliation in an effort to reach an acceptable offer to present to our members. We have a strong strike mandate from our members and are determined to achieve the best deal possible for you.

President Joan Jessome has met with home care workers across the province and is seeing remarkable solidarity within our Locals as we strive for much needed improvements to our agreements within the sector.

We will advise the membership when dates are set for conciliation talks.

Please continue to support your Bargaining Committee's efforts.

Your Bargaining Committee thanks you for your continued support. If you have any questions, please contact a member of your Bargaining Committee, or the NSGEU Labour Resource Centre at 424-4063 (toll free 1-877-556-7438), or e-mail us at [inquiry@nsgeu.ca](mailto:inquiry@nsgeu.ca)

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