



## Bargaining Update

### Nunavut Employees Union/Public Service Alliance of Canada (Local 7) members working at Qulliq Energy Corporation (QEC)

#### Membership ratifies tentative agreement

**August 17, 2017** – Our members ratified the new collective agreement with Qulliq Energy Corporation.

The bargaining team wants to thank everyone who took the time out of their busy schedules to cast their vote and help shape the future of QEC.

The new collective agreement includes modest economic gains and increases to Special Leave provisions.

“The bargaining team worked tirelessly to ensure our members received a fair and equitable contract,” said Jack Bourassa, PSAC North Regional Executive Vice President. “I’m very pleased with the deal we’ve achieved.”

The voting took place both in-person and by mail-in ballots to ensure members in communities all across the territory had the opportunity to cast their ballot.

“I’m happy we reached a deal so quickly,” said Bill Fennell, Nunavut Employees Union President. “We were pleased to reach a deal that had no concessions for our members.”

The new four-year collective agreement will expire on December 31, 2020.

Our bargaining team reached the tentative agreement during negotiations June 23, 2017.

Your **solidarity with and support for the Bargaining Team** have been essential in achieving a fair collective agreement for QEC employees. Without your hard work and commitment, we could not have reached an equitable deal we were happy to bring forward to you.

In Solidarity,

#### Your Bargaining Team

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