CUPE National Convention October 10th Day 5

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The strategic plan was adopted by the convention. See <u>CUPE.ca</u> for a full report

Resolutions

Resolution 901:

Cupe will support the trade union movement in Haiti in defense of workers' rights, the Haitian peoples' right to self-determination and their opposition to foreign military intervention. **PASSED**

Resolution 111:

CUPE will lobby the federal government to suspend the Safe Third Country Agreement (STCA) with the United States over concerns for the safety of refugees claiming asylum, especially transgender and gender-diverse people as well as political dissidents. **PASSED**

Emergency Resolution No. 802:

CUPE will lobby the federal government to change the legislation in the Canada Labour Code to prevent the government from being able to invoke Section 107 of the Canada Labour Code – preventing federal regulated workers from being able to strike. **PASSED**

Emergency Resolution 806:

CUPE will act in solidarity with the Canadian Union of Postal Workers (CUPW) in their existential fight against the Liberal government's attacks on door-to-door delivery and affordable and accessible postal services. **PASSED**

Resolution 23:

CUPE will strike a working group composed of CUPE member to conduct a review of the trail procedure through a consultative process. **PASSED**

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Resolution 201:

CUPE will develop a campaign toolkit for locals and divisions to demand that provincial governments recognize that research is work, student workers are employees, and that they have a constitutional right to form and join a union. **PASSED**

Resolution 239:

CUPE will establish a National Task Force to enhance young workers engagement, in close collaboration with the National Young Workers committee to develop a comprehensive national strategy aimed at significantly increasing young worker participation across all levels of the union. **PASSED**

Resolution 81:

CUPE will research and develop educational materials related to second hand or incidental exposure to illicit substances including leading practices for reporting and responding to incidents. **PASSED**

Resolution 127:

CUPE will collaborate with CUPE National Library and National Literacy committees to develop a lobbying campaign to address the decline in literacy rates in K-12 education across Canada. **PASSED**

Resolution 176

CUPE will develop a course dedicated to teaching political organizing with curriculum that builds the knowledge and skills necessary to effectively engage in persuasive political conversations, undertake political campaigning and effectively connect political action to workplace rights and progress in conversations with members. **PASSED**