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Attention: Mr. Kevin Payne – Labour Relations Consultant

Dear Kevin;

Re: Collective Agreement (CA) Implementation and Rollout

The Union writes to acknowledge the Employer's email of April 24, 2020 and further to our letter of April 22, 2020 with respect to implementation, of all aspects, of the Collective Agreement negotiated and ratified in the fall of 2019. We acknowledge and agree with the Employer's suggestion last week.

As you are aware there are many timeline sensitive deadlines, unresolved issues and action items which are outstanding or needing to be addressed. The Union requests all committees be immediately reinstated and move ahead with their mandates and requirements. The Union is requesting the Employer's earliest dates to meet for the Joint Provincial CA Implementation Committee and all other committees.

We consider the work of the CA Implementation and its rollout to be of an urgent nature and accordingly, it is imperative that the parties move ahead with implementation of all agreed to terms in a timely fashion.

We request once again, in view of organizational changes who will be replacing, if applicable, both Nancy Kotani and Judy Doyle on the Joint Provincial CA Implementation Committee and the Employer's representatives on the various other committees.

Again, the Ambulance Paramedics & Emergency Dispatchers of BC have the electronic means available to conduct all meetings in a virtual manner to comply with social distancing.

May we be advised, as requested, of the earliest dates of availability for BCEHS?

Sincerely,

Troy Clifford
Provincial President
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CUPE Local 873

Cc: Provincial Executive Board, Local 873
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