



# Professional & Technical Staff Union

at the University of New Brunswick in Saint John and Fredericton

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## INTERIM PTSU SECRETARY

For totally relatable reasons, our Interim PTSU Secretary, Rob Falkner, has had to step back from the duties of Interim PTSU Secretary. His time, dedication and energy were appreciated, and we thank him. There is, though, an urgent need for an Interim Secretary going forward until the PTSU Annual General Meeting (AGM) is held in November 2020. The duties/responsibilities of this position are set out in the PTSU By-Laws, available on our website.

**Might you be a PTSU Member – on either UNB campus - who could step-up and take on this type of important and valuable service to your Union? Please, let your President, Bruce Miller, know ASAP at [PTSU60551@gmail.com](mailto:PTSU60551@gmail.com).**

## PTSU COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT SIGNING

June 2020 has passed into history and, disappointedly, PTSU's 1<sup>st</sup> Collective Agreement is not yet signed. PSAC's Chief Negotiator let our Local know UNB's final review of the document – passed to them in early-June – remains incomplete. Although starting vacation, PSAC's Chief Negotiator want us to know he will take a day out of his leave to get this important signing done for PTSU, once UNB moves on their role in Collective Agreement review pre-signing.

## IMPORTANT - Do You Know ...

... a past UNB Employee who was a PTSU Member and has retired, resigned or had their term ended? If so, can you reach out to them and let them know the 1<sup>st</sup> Collective Agreement provides for **"Retroactive pay ... be(ing) paid to all employees who left employment with the Employer between 1-July-2016 and the date of ratification (7-May-2020) who identify themselves to HROD within ninety (90) days of ratification."** If you do know someone who fits this, they should immediately notify Debra Ward in HR&OD by email at [Debra.Ward@unb.ca](mailto:Debra.Ward@unb.ca) to be eligible for any retroactive pay consideration.

## MEMBERSHIP REMINDERS

- **A PTSU Member Older Than 65 And Eligible to Retire?**

If this is you, please make sure you check for important information about the **LOU: Transitioning into the new Retirement Allowance** that was in our June 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter.

- **Joint Health & Safety Committee Service**

PTSU is seeking rep(s) and alternate(s) for service on the JHS Committees on both the Fredericton and Saint John campuses. Full info in our June 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter.

- **PTSU By-Laws Revision Committee**

Will you sit as part of a 3-Member Committee to review and revise your Local's By-Laws? This service was explained in our June 16<sup>th</sup> Newsletter.

- **PTSU Member Working Irregular Schedule(s)?**

Does the position you hold fall into this category? If so, and you want input to the PTSU Committee working on terms and conditions of your employment (hours of work, overtime, vacation, on-call, standby, and travel), please make sure you identify yourself ASAP. A full explanation of input(s) sought was in our June 16<sup>th</sup> Newsletter.

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