Inquiry Sub-Committee on Local 4 c/o AUCE Provincial Office #901 - 207 West Hastings Street Vancouver, B.C. V6B 1J8

April 13, 1982

Mr. Robert McKee, President AUCE Local 4 c/o Capilano College 2055 Purcell Way North Vancouver, B.C. V7J 3H5

Dear Robert:

Re: Inquiry into Local 4 Members' Petition to Secede

Thank you for your letter of April 7, 1982, which was received by me on April 8, 1982. The Inquiry Committee has discussed the concerns raised in your letter and responds as follows:

The Provincial Executive's Inquiry Committee is indeed deliberately bypassing the Local 4 Executive by contacting our Provincial members at Local 4 directly. It is our view that the Local Executive has no role in the request for secession received from members of the Local and that the Local Executive has no role in the inquiry being conducted by the Provincial Executive (except insofar as members of the Executive are also members of the Local and will receive questionnaires, ballots, etc. which are part of the inquiry/referendum).

With respect to portions of the questionnaire dealing with demographic information (for example age and sex) the Inquiry Committee feels that your criticism is well taken and no members of the Provincial Association need complete this portion of the questionnaire.

As for allegations raised in the questionnaire of Local 4 acting in violation of the Constitution, I can only say that these are matters which have indeed come to the attention of the Inquiry Committee, and we take the view that it is part of our role to

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investigate such matters in an attempt to explore fully the basis on which the Petition was forwarded, and to make sure that the membership has been given a full opportunity to discuss the issues surrounding the proposed secession.

For your information, the next Executive meeting of the Provincial is on April 24, 1982.

Yours very truly,

Nancy Wiggs, President on behalf of Inquiry Subcommittee on Local 4

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