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association of university and college employees

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President D.T. Kenny Main Mall N. Admin. Building Room 107 The University of British Columbia Campus Mail

Dear Mr. Kenny:

At our September 23rd Executive meeting, the Local Executive of AUCE Local #1 voted unanimously to protest any possible reductions in our already overworked and underpaid bargaining unit that may arise from proposed cutbacks.

Any action which may reduce the number of our members will undoubtedly have an impact on the quality of service to both the University community and the community at large.

It is unfortunate that our Union has to catch wind of possible budgetary cutbacks through interdepartmental memoranda passed on to us by our own members. When decisions, tentative or not, are made which may have an effect upon either the direct livelihood of our members or which may lead to a diminution in our bargaining unit through attrition, we feel that it is only proper to be consulted, at the very least notified.

We trust that we have registered our opposition to the announced intention of the University to pursue budgetary cutbacks which may have an adverse impact on the level of service presently provided by the staff of the University.

Yours truly,

Ray Galbraith Secretary-Treasurer AUCE Local #1