To: Communications Committee

Could you please print the following little blurb in "On Cue."

DUTIES OF THE TRUSTEE

The trustees are independent advocates for the members' interests, charged with ". . . exercising general supervision over the property of the Local Union" . . . (and with reporting every six months) ". . . on the condition of the funds . . . together with such other information (as) they may deem necessary to the efficient and honest administration of the Local Union." *

Our local is in a sound position financially, is making preparations for contract negotiations in timely fashion, is well-served by a hard working executive, staff, stewards, committees, and the CUPE national representative, Joe Denofreo.

Over the past several months we have seen the emergence of an excellent newsletter, and the consequent improved communication has helped to build unity and morale amongst our members.

I was sworn in as your trustee on January 19. I will make a more expansive report to the members on the state of the union when the year-end audit is presented to you.

Sandy Lundy Surgery

* Local union by-laws of the Cupe National Constitution, p. 54