December 15, 1976

Mr. Brian Foley
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Public Administration Division
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Canadian Building
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Ottawa, Ontario
KIP 6B1

Dear Mr. Foley:

With reference to your letter dated December 6, 1976, in which you apprised both parties of the Board's decision with respect to our 1975-76 collective agreement, representatives from AUCE Local #1 and University of British Columbia representatives met for discussion December 14, 1976.

During this meeting it became clear that equitable implementation of the Board's decision will require a fact-finding investigation and several meetings between both parties before recommendations can be put before the bargaining unit for ratification. It is the opinion of both parties that in light of the approaching Christmas season we will have little time available in which to meet the requirements of the Board. We would, at this time, respectfully request a time extension.

As both parties received notification of your decision on December 6, 1976 we presume our compliance with that decision is expected by January 4, 1977. It is the feeling of both AUCE Local #1 and the University of British Columbia that we would require an extension until January 31, 1977.

The consideration given to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Fairleigh Funston

Union Organizer, AUCE Local #1

Robert Grant Director Employee Relations University of British Columbia

cc: AUCE Local #1 University of British Columbia David Chapman, AIB Vancouver