

January 15, 1976

Duane Berkey, President
Burnaby Teachers' Association
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Dear Mr. Berkey:

This is to acknowledge receipt of a copy of your letter of December 12, 1975 to the Faculty of Education re their non-support of our December 3-10 strike. We thank you very much for your support and the effort you made in reaching out to other teachers.

In discussing your letter at a recent Executive meeting, we felt it would be advantageous to also send a copy of this letter to the Faculty Association (president, Donald M. McRae), the organization officially representing faculty on campus. The Faculty Association refused to take a stand during our strike saying it was the responsibility of each individual faculty member as to whether or not they would respect our picket lines.

We hope you will act on this suggestion.

Sincerely,



Peggy Smith
Union Organizer
on behalf of the Executive of
AUCE Local 1