

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Presidents with members in the Ministry of Community & Social Services
All Stewards in the Ministry of Community & Social Services

FROM: Brian Gould, OPS Supervisor/Negotiator

DATE: 19 June 2007

SUBJECT: **Ministry of Community & Social Services
ERC Minutes – March 21, 2007**

Attached, for your information, are the minutes of the above captioned meeting.

Please post or otherwise make them available to the members in your workplaces.

Also attached is a MERC referral form which should be used when referring unresolved local issues to the ministry level. The referral should be sent care of the Job Security Unit with all the supporting documentation, (e.g. minutes, correspondence, etc.), with any referrals.

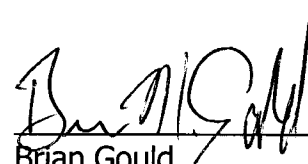
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Warren (Smokey) Thomas
President



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OPS Supervisor/Negotiator

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cc: MERC Chairs
Ministry ERC

“CONFIDENTIAL TO LABOUR RELATIONS”

1.0 Minutes

1.1 Review of the February 2007 Minutes

- The Union provided their revisions to the February 2007 minutes.

Action Item: Revise the February 2007 minutes for sign off by the Union at the next meeting.

2.0 Business Arising

2.1 Review of Action Items

- Action Items from the February 2007 minutes were reviewed.
- A communication was released to the Subcommittee on March 5, 2007. Sandra Richardson has replaced Joanne Grandame as a member of the management team.
- The Union provided their feedback on the revised Communication Protocol. SAMO will finalize the document, release to all ODSP staff and post on the SAMO website.

Action Item: Finalize revised Communication Protocol, release to all ODSP staff and post on the SAMO website.

2.2 Transition of Joint Problem Solving Process (JPSP) to Mainstream


- Using Interest-Based Problem Solving (IBPS) process, the Subcommittee commenced the discussion on the transition of JPSP to mainstream. The discussion will continue at the next Subcommittee meeting.

3.0 Meeting Adjourned

Approved on June 13, 2007 by:



Martin Thumm
Management Co-Chair



Norm Pilon
OPSEU Co-Chair