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MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL STAFF @
Brookside Youth Centre
Bluewater Youth Centre
Cecil Facer Youth Centre
Sprucedale Youth Centre
Hamilton-Wentworth Detention Centre
Kenora Jail
Ottawa-Carleton Detention Centre
Thunder Bay Correctional Centre

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DATE: November 13, 2008

SUBJECT: UPDATE FOR ALL STAFF

The Employer (Ministry of Children and Youth Services (MCYS) and Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services (MCSCS)), and the Union (Ontario Public Services Employees Union (OPSEU)) continue to meet to discuss the application of the collective agreement during the final phase of disentangling the remaining youth units from the four co-located sites (Kenora Jail, Thunder Bay Correctional Centre, Hamilton-Wentworth Detention Centre and the Ottawa Carleton Detention Centre) as well as the existing youth centres (Brookside Youth Centre, Sprucedale Youth Centre, Cecil Facer Youth Centre and Bluewater Youth Centre) in conjunction with the commissioning of the new stand alone Youth Centres.

On October 30, 2008 agreement was reached on the transfer of Fixed Term contracts to Roy McMurtry Youth Centre and Thunder Bay Youth Centre.

On October 30, 2008, agreement was also reached on a common surplus date for those affected staff. The date will be December 29, 2008.

MCYS Youth Justice Services Division has began the work to implement the Memorandum of Agreement Regarding Appendix 24 – Unclassified Seniority Rollovers, dated September 11, 2008.

Vacancies created within MCSCS will be addressed by the Memorandum of Settlement in the Matter of the Grievances Concerning RPM and Conversion in AIS dated 12 February 2008 and the amendment dated 15 May 2008.

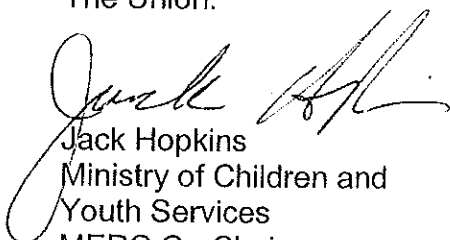
Letters are being distributed to impacted staff related to election results. Transitional job trades continue to be finalized.

The parties are continuing to meet with regard to the application of the collective agreement to MCSCS co-located sites and MCYS youth centres and the commissioning of the stand alone Youth Centres.

As agreements are reached, additional information will continue to be provided to employees at the Ministry of Children and Youth Services and the Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services.

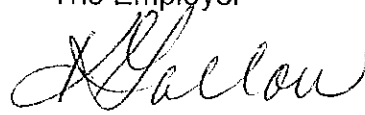
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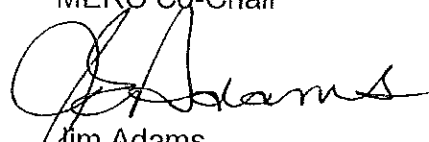
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