W.R.D.S.B. EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANTS ASSOCIATION

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The Latest Information to Keep YOU Informed

Dear Members:

EAA Members and Education Support Workers are unfortunately living in a historical moment. We are being bullied by a government that has no regard for our schools, our students, our well being, or our collective human rights.

As you know, unions representing Education Workers have been fighting to be heard at the bargaining table over the last few months. In so doing, we have followed the collective bargaining process laid under the law - a process which is supposed to provide everyone with a fair shot at being heard and having their needs addressed.

However, the Ford government has demonstrated that they have no interest in fairness nor an interest in addressing the legitimate needs of our schools and our Members. Instead they have passed a new law which not only crushes our existing process for collective bargaining, but which also heavily penalizes any individuals and unions that would stand against them.

Enough is enough!

CUPE and their Members have decided to take a stand and have begun protesting the government's actions. These workers are standing up for us all and we support them every step of the way!

province between Monday to Friday from 7:30 am to 11:30 am and from 12:00pm to 4 pm. Forward any photos to wrdsbeaa@gmail.com so we can share on social media.

In addition, our Executive Committee has scheduled an emergency meeting this morning to determine what further action we might take as a union in the coming days to support CUPEs protests – which may include a similar call to action for our Membership. Please stay in touch to make sure you do not miss important updates in this regard.

The EAA will continue to send out messaging on ways to support our collective bargaining rights and keep you informed as the situation evolves.

Yours in solidarity,

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