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To: Office of the Legislative Counsel
Subject: Our Nova Scotia Teachers

Dear Premier McNeil and Minister of Education, Karen Casey

I no longer have children as students in the Nova Scotia School system and as you know, I am not a teacher. However I am really disappointed in the way you and your government have handled the contract negotiations with our teachers. The contract is only the tip of the ice berg regarding problems in our education system. Only by working together, government and teachers, can we hope to continue to provide quality education. Legislating the teachers to accept a contract and be required to do volunteer work will only compound the problems.

I presume that you, the government, want quality education for our students. I know that the front line workers, our teachers, want a quality education for our students. Please resolve to work together with the teachers, to listen, to learn what the true concerns are and then give them the tools, resources and the respect that they need to fix the system.

Sincerely

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