

May 20, 2014

Jim Iker President British Columbia Teachers' Federation 100 - 550 West 6th Avenue Vancouver, BC, Canada V5Z 4P2

Dear Mr. Iker,

On behalf of the members of the Professional Employees Association, I am writing to express our support in solidarity with your struggle to negotiate a fair collective agreement for the Teachers in BC.

As a union that represents professionals working in the K-12 school system, we value the work you do. We recognize the commitment your members make towards the education of BC's children. We agree that fair and reasonable wage increases should be provided to your members and we support your fight for class size and compensation language in your collective agreement.

Our members will stand beside you in your job action during the week of May 26, 2014.

We wish you improved fortunes in your efforts to negotiate new contracts for your members.

In solidarity,

Frank Kohlberger President