

**Vice-President Quebec**  
**Report to National Executive – August 2014**

I am hereby submitting the report on my regional activities for the region of Quebec from September 2011 to August 2014 inclusive.

As Regional VP, Quebec, the past three years have been very trying. The Conservative government attacked us head-on with every kind of law and above all with fierce job cuts, particularly in the Quebec region, and we are still feeling the aftershocks of these absurd decisions. Let us hope that the next few years will be quieter in terms of cuts, since our wounds are still healing.

Also, our internal investigation on the way DCC (Defence Construction Canada) operates was apparently investigated by DND and PWGSC, with the conclusion that our allegations were unfounded. Oddly enough, the respondent in the investigation was the accused, so we must now push on with our access to information requests (60 requests underway) and then file a complaint with the Integrity Commissioner. I would like to thank all the locals across the country for their help during our investigation, and a big thank you especially to Tim McGrath (subject matter expert) whom I had the great pleasure of working with on this file.

My region was very pleased to welcome the new Corpo St. Jean local (17752). This is significant since it is the first local in Quebec that is not under the Treasury Board. Welcome, Brothers and Sisters, to our family.

To conclude this report, the Quebec region is proud to be hosting you all in the beautiful city of Québec for UNDE's 16th Triennial Convention.

Lastly, I would like to thank my region's locals for their high-quality work and for fully supporting me.

Thank you,

Philippe Turcq  
VP Quebec, UNDE