

## MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 15, 2020

TO: Saskatchewan Staff Reps

FROM: Gary Day, Union Education Representative; Tria Donaldson, Communications Representative

RE: **OH&S Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Zoom Webinar for All Saskatchewan CUPE Locals**

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The purpose of this webinar is to look at Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) practices during COVID-19 in light of fundamental health and safety principles, as well as rights, powers, and duties under the Occupational Health and Safety tenets of *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*.

The webinar will look to provide you with a sense of renewed confidence, leaving you to continue to do work safely, while knowing your rights, and while providing support to union members during these unprecedented times.

### Topics that will be discussed:

- Personal Protective Equipment
- Right to Refuse unsafe work.
- What are the duties of the employer, the supervisor, and a worker under the SEA?
- Best known practices around COVID-19.
- What controls should be in place for COVID-19?

**Please forward to all locals for registration to the webinar.**

**The link to the Zoom Webinar will be sent out the day before to the email provided on the registration.**

**Friday, June 26, 2020**

**9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**

**Limit: 480 people**

**Registration Deadline: June 24, 2020**

**Please register online via the CUPE National website [www.cupe.ca](http://www.cupe.ca) under “Union Education”**

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