

Decrees, Never Again!

In the dead of night on December 15, 2005, the Liberal Government unilaterally put an end to public sector negotiations and imposed a decree upon its 400,000 employees. Over the two years of “negotiations”, the first Jean Charest Government didn’t move from its initial position. The result: a two-year salary freeze, and further deterioration over seven years.

We have not forgotten!

Three years later, significant problems still remain in our public services. Whether it’s a matter of accessibility for the general population or manpower shortages, the decree didn’t resolve anything. The salary disparity between private sector employees and us is widening; it’s high time we caught up with them.

Bargaining is a right

Bargaining is also about respect! The Government must acknowledge the value of our work by taking our concerns into account.

The improvement of public services must also address negotiations. Over the years, CSN Unions have proposed many innovative solutions to improve the quality of services provided to the population. It’s time to listen up to what we’ve been saying.

Bargaining: the only way to move forward!



What are the political parties waiting for to take a stand and to recognize our right to bargain collectively?