



Union Evidence Presented to the Board

In January 2007, the Company presented its evidence to the Canadian Industrial Relations Board (CIRB). This past week was the Union's turn. The same panel that heard the company's case heard our evidence as well.

The mediation/adjudication process entered into was less formal and allowed for a comprehensive discussion of the evidence.

The Union presentation was substantial and covered a wide range of issues. Our legal counsel Dan Rogers and Debra Burton did an outstanding job of taking the board through our facts.

Our witnesses spanned both the business and the country. Rob Lumgair presented the collective bargaining aspect of our presentation. We had Toronto Reporter Sean O'Shea, Calgary On-Air Operator Linda Xavier, Calgary Assignment Editor Bob Sumner, Halifax Engineer Dave Bryan plus the entire GAC Executive. Each member of the Union team made valuable contributions over the three days of hearings.

The next step in the adjudication process will be the presentation of legal arguments before the panel beginning Monday April 30th, 2007.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please talk with your local president or contact your GAC executive.

On behalf of the Global Advisory Council, we thank you for your continued support.

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