



November 7, 2006

Mr. Stephen Waddell
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Dear Steve:

We have been monitoring the situation with ACTRA's current negotiations to conclude a new collective bargaining agreement, and as you know, AFTRA's National Director of Organizing attended your negotiation sessions during the week of October 23rd.

It is AFTRA's hope that the producers will move towards a compromise and reach a fair and reasonable agreement with ACTRA. Please be assured that AFTRA supports its sisters and brothers of ACTRA in their efforts to conclude a fair contract.

To that end, please be advised that in the event of a work stoppage being declared by ACTRA against film and television producers in Canada, AFTRA will take all action legally possible to support striking ACTRA members, and in such event we will advise our members not to accept any engagements for struck work, whether in Canada, or relocated to the U.S. or elsewhere in an effort to undermine ACTRA's efforts.

Please accept our best wishes and solidarity to you and our colleagues at ACTRA in your efforts to negotiate a fair agreement for professional performers in Canada.

Fraternally,

Kim Roberts Hedgpeth
National Executive Director

Cc: John P. Connolly, AFTRA National President
Theodore Bikel, President, Associated Actors and Artistes of America