Hi,

My name is Karri Patterson and I am a Secretary working out of the Atlantic Regional Office in Dartmouth, NS, as well, I am the RVP for the Atlantic Region, the COPE Representative of our JOHS Committee and I was on the Bargaining Committee for this last round of negotiations.

I have been employed with CUPE for 6 years. I’m married and have a daughter. I have taken many educational courses such as bargaining skills, financial officers and steward learning series to name a few. From my other work experiences I have a broad understanding of Employee/Employer relations and I believe this wouId bring a fresh perspective to the position of National Vice President. Effective communication is essential to the strong functioning of this union, and I would be honored to contribute my skills and experience to this position.

In solidarity,

Karri