RESUME FOR NOMINATION FOR DELEGATE THE 2027 PSAC TRIENNIAL CONVENTION

My involvement in the union has grown steadily since I became a steward in 2023, driven by a strong commitment to supporting members and advocating for fair, equitable, and healthy workplaces. I later took on the role of Occupational Health and Safety Representative on my local executive, where I worked to address workplace hazards and promote safer working conditions.

I now serve as Internal Vice-President for CEIU 40811, where I support members, mentor stewards, and help guide the local's work. Beyond the local level, I was proud to serve a two-year term on the CEIU Mental Health and Wellness Committee, representing the Manitoba/Saskatchewan region and ensuring regional concerns were brought forward at the national level.

In 2025, I was honoured to be a delegate to the PSAC National Health and Safety Conference. This opportunity allowed me to learn from activists, health and safety representatives, and union leaders from across the country. It strengthened my understanding of workplace health and safety issues and reinforced the importance of education, prevention, advocacy, and meaningful member participation. I was able to bring those lessons back to my local and share them with fellow members and stewards.

Through these roles, I have developed a well-rounded understanding of the challenges our members face and the importance of strong, informed advocacy. Attending the 2027 PSAC Triennial Convention would be an important next step in my continued growth as a union activist. It would allow me to bring forward the voices and concerns of our members, learn from delegates across the country, and contribute to discussions shaping the future of our union.

I would be honoured to represent our members and ensure their priorities, experiences, and voices are heard at the 2027 PSAC Triennial Convention.

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