

Stand with Locked-out Workers

D-J Composites – Unifor 597

Thirty-two workers in Gander, a small town in Newfoundland, Canada have been locked out by their American-based employer since December 19, 2016.

Their employer, **D-J Composites**, demanded huge concessions, attacked seniority protections, and proposed changes that would undermine the union – Unifor - in the workplace.

On Labour Day the company delivered another blow and **advertised to hire scabs!**

It all amounts to union busting.

The workers, who are members of Unifor Local 597, have been determined to fight back against the company's union-busting attempts and have weathered one of the worst winters in recent memory and continue to stand strong, often repeating their motto: **"One day longer, one day stronger!"**

In May 2017, the Newfoundland and Labrador Labour Board found D-J Composites guilty of bad faith bargaining – but that hasn't stopped the employer's bad behaviour.

You can help!

Send DJ Composites a message to end this lock-out.

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Unifor continues to fight for a fair deal for these workers and to strengthen labour laws to protect all workers against unfair treatment. **Show your labour solidarity!**

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Support unionized workers to defend their right to free and fair collective bargaining. It's about fairness!

Here are three ways you can help:

1. E-mail a letter to Rezaul Chowdhury, President of D-J Composites (Engineering) rezaul@djgrp.com

2. Call the corporate office at: 316-775-1212

3. Send solidarity! Write and donate.

Messages and e-transfers can be sent to info@unifor597.ca with security answer local597

Mail a letter to Unifor Local 597 - D-J Composites Unit:
P O Box 922, St. John's NL A1C 5L7.