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TO ALL CUPE CHARTERED ORGANIZATIONS

Dear Sisters, Brothers and Friends:

April 28, 2021

National Day of Mourning for Workers Killed or Injured at the Workplace

Every year, CUPE members across the country organize events to mark the National Day of Mourning in recognition of CUPE members, and all workers, who were injured, made sick or killed at work. This past year has been especially challenging for many of our members as they worked to provide frontline services through the COVID-19 pandemic.

We are pleased to send this year's April 28 National Day of Mourning materials, including a bookmark, the annual poster, workers' statement and checklist. Day of Mourning flags, pins, and t-shirts can be ordered online at cupe.ca/store. Please order your materials early to ensure we are able to fulfill your order.

Putting up the posters, lowering flags to half-mast, and reading the workers' statement at Day of Mourning ceremonies are ways to promote awareness of CUPE's role in fighting for health and safety improvements in the workplace.

We hope that on April 28, you will join with workers around the world to renew our resolve to demand healthier and safer workplaces. For additional information or copies of materials, please contact your CUPE staff representative or the Health and Safety Branch at National Office.

In solidarity,



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