Special levy for the Defence Fund

BE IT RESOLVED THAT, as recommended by successful member resolutions at the October 6, 2026 Membership Budget Meeting, the TR and EC Collective Bargaining Committees and the Finance Committee, CAPE apply a special levy to strengthen the Defence Fund and our position at the bargaining table, as our two largest bargaining units pursue the conciliation track for the first time;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the levy be $5.00 per pay period, deducted in addition to regular dues for each pay period in which regular dues are deducted over 12 months;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT all proceeds, estimated at $3 million, be deposited in the Defence Fund to support members in potential job actions and legal defence;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the levy end after 12 months of collection.