



October 28, 2008

**TO: Members of the Executive Council, Ranking Officers of Affiliated Organizations, Federations of Labour, Labour Councils and Directly Chartered Locals**

Greetings:

Please be advised that the Canadian Labour Congress has endorsed a National Consumer Boycott against Petro-Canada. The boycott is at the request of the Communications, Energy and Paperworkers Union of Canada (CEP) and is in support of the 260 locked out members of CEP Local 175 at the Petro-Canada Montreal refinery. Members of Local 175 have been locked out since November 17, 2007.

Enclosed please find a copy of the letter from Brother Dave Coles, President, requesting the boycott.

The support of your organization and membership is requested for these CEP members.

In solidarity,

**Ken Georgetti**  
President

KVG:jdl\*cope-225

N:\EXECUTIVE-DIRECTOR\Boycotts\Requests\2000-2009\Petro-Can-EC-endorse-E.wpd

Enclosures

cc: CLC Officers and Executive Assistants  
CLC Staff

