Dear Sisters and Brothers,

The Canadian Conference of the International Union of Operating Engineers is calling for applications for ten (10) bursaries of seven hundred fifty dollars ($750.00). These educational bursaries are intended to provide financial assistance to IUOE member’s dependents.

The bursary recipient must be entering the first year or subsequent of a full-time course of study (at least two years in length) leading to a diploma, certificate or degree from any recognized public Canadian college or university. Each bursary will be payable at the commencement of the first or subsequent term of the student’s year of at least a two (2) year program.

Applicants from the following five regions will be considered for the respective bursary:

1. Atlantic Canada (P.E.I., New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland)
2. Quebec and Ontario (Gary O’Neil Bursary)
3. Saskatchewan and Manitoba (Brian Woznesensky Memorial Bursary)
4. British Columbia
5. Alberta

Applications must be supported by transcripts of high school achievement and accompanied by a detailed letter of recommendation from an individual with personal academic knowledge of the candidate outlining reasons why the bursary should be awarded. In addition, applicants must submit a one thousand (1000) word essay on the reason why the bursary will be of assistance or the impact that being a dependent of a union member has had on the applicant’s life.

The deadline for receipt of the applications is August 1st. The decision process will be handled internally by a committee from the Executive of the Canadian Conference of Operating Engineers.

The Canadian Conference of Operating Engineers is pleased to be able to offer some financial assistance to the dependents of our members. Please ensure that this bursary is known to your entire IUOE local union membership.

Marc Lafond,
Canadian Conference Secretary Treasurer
**Bursary Application Form**

**Part 1 – The Student**

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**Post-Secondary Course and Institution You Are Attending**

I hereby declare that ALL the information provided in this application form is complete and correct.

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**Important Documents to be Included with Your Application Form:**

1. Attach *high school transcripts* or other evidence of potential ability to succeed in a post-secondary program.
2. Attach *letter of recommendation* from an individual with personal academic knowledge of the person making this application and why a bursary should be awarded.
3. Attach *statement of interests and goals*.
4. Attach an essay of not more than 1000 words on the subject of either A. or B.:
   - **A.** “Reasons why this bursary will help me.”
   - **B.** “The impact of being a dependent of a union member in my life.”

All information contained in this application will be kept strictly confidential.
BURSARY APPLICATION FORM

PART 2 – THE UNION

NAME OF PARENT WHO IS A UNION MEMBER

REGISTRATION NUMBER

EMPLOYER

OCCUPATION

LOCAL UNION NUMBER

I, the undersigned attest that _______________ is a member in good standing of Local ________ of the IUOE.

DATE

SIGNATURE

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RETURN PART 1 (COMPLETED BY STUDENT) AND PART 2 (COMPLETED BY LOCAL UNION) TO THE IUOE LOCAL 987 WINNIPEG ADDRESS ABOVE NO LATER THAN AUGUST 1ST.