

STOP Harper's Attack on Women - Contact your Senator

The Harper government's Budget Implementation Act, Bill C-10, includes the Public Sector Equitable Compensation Act, a piece of legislation that threatens women's constitutionally protected right to pay equity. This legislation has nothing to do with stimulating the economy, or saving jobs and money.

Should this legislation pass:

- Women in the federal public sector won't get equal pay for work of equal value.
- Pay equity will be made into something negotiable with employers.
- Unions will be fined \$50,000 if they are found to be helping women fight a pay equity complaint.
- It will be impossible to narrow the income gap between men and women within the federal public service, and erode all women's protected rights.

Bill C-10 has passed Second Reading in the Senate on March 5 and now has been referred to the Senate National Finance Committee.

Time is running out - ACT NOW. Please contact the Senator in your region to have the *Public Sector Equitable Compensation Act* carved out of Bill C-10 and debated separately from the Budget.

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An easy-to-use electronic form letter can be found at this link, which will automatically send a letter on your behalf to the Senate National Finance Committee, as well as the senator in your region: <http://petition.web.net/psac/node/27>