



## MEDIA RELEASE

Friday February 19, 2010

### **SODEXO WORKERS AT STANTON TERRITORIAL HOSPITAL JOIN PSAC/UNW**

**Yellowknife, NT**.....Sodexo employees providing valuable food preparation, cafeteria, laundry and custodial services at the Stanton Territorial Hospital are now members of the Public Service Alliance of Canada (PSAC) and its Component Union of Northern Workers (UNW).

"The PSAC is a good fit for these Sodexo workers as we also representative GNWT employees at the hospital and Sodexo employees at the Ekati Diamond Mine." says PSAC North Executive Vice-President, Jean-François Des Lauriers.

The Union's new bargaining unit includes approximately 60 Sodexo employees.

"On behalf of the union I would like to welcome our new members." says Todd Parsons, Union of Northern Workers President. "We look forward to working with these members in the future."

The Canada Industrial Relations Board issued the union certificate on February 17, 2010. The PSAC will serve notice to bargain in the near future.

-30-

For further information, please contact Todd Parsons, President, UNW at 867 873-5668