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PASSPORT SERVICES REDUCED DURING PUBLIC SERVICE STRIKE

Passport offices will offer reduced services during the Public Service strike.

Canadians who urgently need passport services should call the main Passport Office in Hull, Quebec, at the following numbers:

Local calls in the National Capital Region,
dial 994-3502;

Long-distance calls for area codes 416, 418, 506, 514,
613, 705, 819 and 902, dial toll-free 1-800-567-6844;

Other area codes 204, 306, 403, 403N, 604, 709 and 807,
dial toll-free 1-800-567-6868.

Passport offices will deal with each case according to the following priorities: the health and safety of the applicant, death or illness in the family, urgent business travel, and travel commitments which cannot be refunded.

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For further information, media representatives may contact:

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