



November 10th, 2003

Ms. Deena Ladd
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Toronto Organizing for Fair Employment
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Dear Deena:

Re: Invitation to Homeworkers' Associations' Reception - Thursday, November 20th, 2003, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm at the Chinese Canadian National Council Toronto Chapter

We would like to cordially invite you to attend a reception to mark the Homeworkers' Associations' (HWA) move to Chinese Canadian National Council Toronto Chapter's office (CCNCTO). The reception will be held on Thursday, November 20th, 2003, from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm, at 302 Spadina Avenue, Suite 507.

The reception will include three short presentations: Winnie Ng, Director of Canadian Labour Congress Ontario region who will be speaking about Asian Canadian women in the labour movement; Roxana Ng, Professor at the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education/University of Toronto, who will be providing a broad history of immigrant women of Chinese origins in the garment industry; and a Representative from the HWA who will be speaking about her daily experiences working in the garment industry, the impact of globalization and contingent work.

In order to accommodate your presence, we would appreciate if you could RSVP Judy Hill at (416) 596-8548 or via email at judy_unite@hotmail.com by November 18th, 2003. We are looking forward to meeting with you at our reception.

Sincerely,

CHINESE CANADIAN NATIONAL COUNCIL TORONTO CHAPTER

Kristyn Wong-Tam
President