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Beware the Ides of March!

As if acting in a Shakespearean drama, at today's bargaining session ABSMC representatives pontificated on their refusal to provide information to back up their claims of looming financial doom and gloom. In a letter to CNA dated March 13, ABSMC's attorney stated that "ABSMC will not provide any further information to CNA" and demanded that despite this, that CNA provide responses to their takeaway demands.

We responded with a new proposal on Health Care, to provide incentives to RNs who chose Sutter's EPO plan, rather than penalties for those who don't; a proposal to save them money on Workers' Comp costs; and a demand for information to back up their recent claims about RN salaries.

Recently Sutter management has attempted to censor our communications by removing flyers from our bulletin boards and by demanding that they be able to pre-approve the content of flyers. This management interference is outrageous and illegal, and we have filed charges with the NLRB. Please be vigilant about any further censorship moves by management; document any incidents and report to your nurse rep or bargaining team member.

We will be conducting important meetings and votes on further action on March 26 and March 27; watch for a flyer for further details.

Join Us for the March 22 Rally against Sutter in Sacramento – contact your CNA rep to reserve a seat on the bus.

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