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**Let's stand on guard for Canada and tell the
United States to stop bullying us!**

**They stole 5 billion dollars
from us and
WE WANT OUR MONEY BACK!**

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*Yo Yo Yo, give us our
dough*

No Mc-D on December 3!

The United States owes Canada 5 billion dollars and we want it back!

When we try to sell our trees in the U.S. they steal money from us in extra taxes. We are supposed to be able to sell our lumber (trees) in the U.S. without extra taxes because we have a trade agreement called NAFTA (North American Free Trade Agreement). But the U.S. broke that agreement and put extra taxes on Canadian lumber. So they have collected an extra 5 Billion Dollars in taxes on lumber that Canada has sold in the U.S. Those extra taxes are illegal and we want our money back.

The U.S. is acting like a big bully. They took our money and are refusing to give it back. This is making it impossible for Canada to sell lumber in the U.S. and many people in Canada have lost their jobs because of this (about 15,000 in British Columbia).

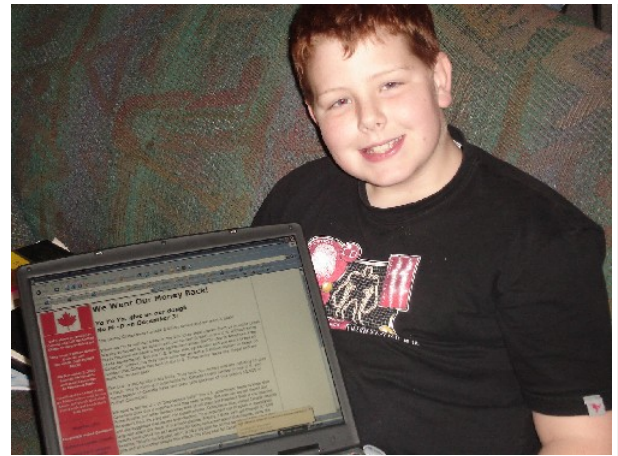
We need to tell the U.S. to "Stop being a bully!" The U.S. government needs to know that Canadians think this is important and they need to stop. But how can we tell them? Our Prime Minister and other leaders have tried to tell them but President Bush is not listening. He doesn't think it's a big deal. His closest advisor, Condoleeza Rice, visited Canada recently and she suggested that we are over-reacting. "It is important not to speak in apocalyptic language about this issue. It is a trade dispute. Frankly, I think we'll get through it." CNN reports have poked fun at Canadians for being concerned about this dispute, using the headline "What's the big deal, eh?". It **IS** a big deal for all the people who have lost their jobs and all the other people this affects. It's a big deal for Canadians!



On December 3, 2005 boycott McDonalds and send a message to President Bush.

Canada and the United States are friends and we want to stay friends. But friends don't steal from friends and friends don't bully friends.

We want to tell the U.S. to stop



bullying us and give back our money.

Help us send President Bush a message. Boycott McDonald's for one day on December 3, 2005.

McDonald's is the most famous U.S. company in the world. And millions of Canadians buy food at McDonalds every day. If we all boycott McDonalds for one day, it will get people's attention. It will even get President Bush's attention.


If we stand up to this bully, we can help to stop this terrible situation. If we work hard, we can convince the U.S. to follow the rules and give us our money back. But whatever happens, we need to "stand on guard" for Canada and stand up to the bully.

Endorsements are Rolling In!

[The second largest union in Canada is supporting our campaign.](#) The National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE) says it is "pleased to support Luke in his protest." "We congratulate Luke for taking such creative action to get the attention of the U.S. authorities. Now that a big American corporation is being targeted, maybe President George Bush will actually take this issue more seriously," says NUPGE president James Clancy. **[Click here to see their article.](#)**

The B.C. Carpenter's Union has endorsed the Campaign.

This web site was started by two kids named [Luke](#)



[\(from New Westminster, BC\) and Matthew \(from Calgary\)](#) with help from their parents. We've asked our friends to help us and we're asking you to help us too. [Click here to join us!](#)

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