Union Response to B.P. #15

Agreed-to Language BP 15 – August 24, 2016

- 13.01 Prior to the beginning of the assignment, the Board shall provide the following inschool information to Occasional Teachers:
 - a) the timetable for the Occasional Teacher, including any on-call and supervisory duties for which the absent Teacher WOULD could have been responsible,
 - b) a schedule identifying period changes for the assigned day(s),
 - an up-to-date class list,
 - d) a current seating plan with student photographs, where possible,
 - e) written procedures of the school,
 - f) written information in school emergency procedures, including lock down procedures
 - g) effective January 1, 2017 keys for appropriate classrooms and washrooms,
 - Specific location for easy access to student safety plans, which include known triggers, for students with whom the Occasional Teacher would be directly working
 - Specific location for easy access to information about students with known lifethreatening health issues with whom the Occasional Teacher would be directly working
 - lesson plan(s) from the absent teacher, where possible: if not possible, Administration will assist in providing a lesson plan as soon as possible.

Letter of Understanding

Employee and Family Assistance Program (EFAP) (not appended to the collective agreement)

At no cost to the Members, the Board shall continue to be responsible for:

- a) Providing access to the EFAP for all Secondary Occasional Teachers employed by the Board;
- Paying for the EFAP; and,
- c) Administering the EFAP.

ARTICLE 9 – COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT COPIES

- 9.02 The Board shall provide notification via email or hard copy of the location of the Collective Agreement on the Board's intranet (currently UGshare) to new hires to the Occasional Teacher Roster within 30 (thirty) days of being added to the roster.
- 9.03 Within 60 calendar days of ratification finalization of the agreement by both parties, the Board shall provide notification via email or hard copy of the location of the Collective Agreement to each member of the bargaining unit and to all secondary school principals and vice-principals.
- 9.04 New long term occasional teachers (not on the roster) who accept teaching assignments shall be provided notification via email or hard copy of the location of the Collective Agreement within 30 (thirty) days of their teaching assignment.

The names of these new members of the Bargaining Unit shall be submitted to the bargaining unit on a monthly basis by the last working day of each month.

14.08 When inclement weather makes travel too dangerous to reach any board school, the Occasional Teacher shall notify the school by phone where they accepted the original assignment of the circumstances. The Principal or designate will determine whether the job needs to be posted into the Board's electronic call-out system.

Dated at Guelph on this 24th day of August 2016.

On Behalf of the Union

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