

z ACTION RESOLUTIONS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

- SA90-6 That short term contracts become effective after ten (10) consecutive days teaching for the same teacher. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- SA95-9 That the Federation seek the reinstatement of the sabbatical leave program for teachers to 7 full time leaves, and that the reinstatement not be based on trade-offs of positions, job security or other benefit. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- SA95-15 That the P.E.I.T.F. pressure the Government of P.E.I. to change the School Act regulations in order that if School Boards suspend the teacher, it would be a suspension with pay until the charges are either dropped or proven true or false in a Court of law, thus bringing teachers into line with other people in "positions of trust" who already have this protection; and, that the aforementioned suspended teacher, if proven guilty in a Court of law, be required to repay all monies received after his/her suspension. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- S96-16 (WHEREAS, it is important to offer quality education to our students; and, professional development;)
- That the PEITF address this concern and discuss with the Department of Education the possibilities of permitting the school boards to allocate extra days for professional development if necessary. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- SA99-4 That the PEITF try to have our resolutions incorporated into the Act as soon as possible. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- (The motion was preceded by the following WHEREAS clauses):
- WHEREAS, there are a number of resolutions already accepted by our membership pertaining to our superannuation; and,
- WHEREAS, the Superannuation Act of the Province of PEI can only be changed through Legislation;
- S99-10 That PEITF and CTF lobby the Federal Government to reinstate this capability for teachers to defer taxes on service gratuities earned in any year. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- (This motion was preceded by the following WHEREAS clause):
- WHEREAS, the Federal Government has eliminated the tax shelter for service gratuities earned after 1995 (prior to 1995, service gratuities earned up to a maximum of \$2,000/year can be rolled into an RRSP);
- S00-11 That the P.E.I.T.F. negotiate the establishment of policies with respect to Section 27:02 of the Memorandum of Agreement so that annual administrative decisions regarding teaching assignments within schools are based on clear and equitable criteria that promote the professional growth and development of individual teachers and enhance positive staff morale. (Reaffirmed May 24, 2008)
- S03-2 That the PEITF work with School Boards to encourage scent reduced schools. (Reaffirmed May 26, 2007)

- SP07-01 That the resignation of General Secretary Myles Ellis be accepted.
- SP07-02 That Shaun MacCormac be employed as the General Secretary of the PEI Teachers' Federation under the existing terms and conditions of the General Secretary's Agreement effective February 5, 2007.
- SP07-03 That the Board of Governors authorize the access of up to \$35,000.00 from the Contingency Fund, if necessary, to support the transition of the new General Secretary into the position.
- SA07-3 That up to \$15,000.00 be accessed from the Contingency Fund, if necessary, to support a public relations campaign during bargaining for a new collective agreement.
- SA07-4 That the Audited Financial Statement for the fiscal year June 1, 2005 to May 31, 2006 be adopted.
- S07-2 That the PEITF encourage the Department of Education:
- a) To research the effects of class size and class composition on curriculum delivery and student learning in grades one to three in PEI classrooms.
 - b) To investigate appropriate models, programs and resources to assist all children in learning to read by grade 3.
 - c) To adjust the student/teacher ratio in the primary grades, as recommended in the instructional staffing model, to reflect class composition.
- S07-3 That the Economic Welfare Committee include the following changes in the Asking Package for the next round of negotiations:
- A) the word "first" be deleted from section 25:05 (a) 1. of the Memorandum of Agreement.
 - B) the words "immediately following an election" and the words "The time period referred to under this subsection extends from one election to the next election;" be deleted from Section 25:05 (a) 2. of the Memorandum of Agreement.
 - C) Sections 25:05 (a) 3. and 25:05 (b) be removed from the Memorandum of Agreement.
- S07-6 That Phyllis Horne be affirmed as President of the PEI Teachers' Federation effective July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2009.
- S07-7 That the proposed budget for 2007-2008 be adopted.
- SA08-6 That the Audited Financial Statement for the fiscal year June 1, 2006 to May 31, 2007 be adopted.
- S08-6 That the proposed budget for 2008-2009 be adopted.