

**March 24, 2017**

**This message is for all Secondary Occasional Teachers, D20 OSSTF, Halton**

**Ratification Process for the Tentative Contract Extension and the Tentative Remedy for Bill 115.**

As you likely know, OSSTF and the provincial government reached tentative agreements on an extension to our current contract and on a tentative remedy related to OSSTF's court challenge to Bill 115.

The tentative agreements, along with helpful summaries of each, are available for viewing on the Members Only section of the OSSTF provincial website. Instructions for accessing the information is below.

On WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, OSSTF will host a teleconference/ webinar information session for all members of OSSTF in Halton. The information session will begin at 7:00 PM and will last about an hour. The details of each tentative agreement will be reviewed, and you will have an opportunity to ask questions.

Instructions for joining the teleconference/ webinar will be on this site tomorrow, (TUESDAY, MARCH 28), in a separate email.

Ratification votes for the tentative agreements will take place on TUESDAY, APRIL 4 and WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5 in the Halton Secondary Schools, and will be run by the Branch Presidents. LTOs are expected to vote at their job location. Daily Occasional Teachers should make their ways to a school closest or most familiar to them in order to vote.

**Instructions for Viewing the Tentative Agreements:**

1. Navigate to [www.osstf.on.ca](http://www.osstf.on.ca)
2. On the home page, click on Member Login.
3. Under Registered User, log in with your email/ member i.d. and password. (Those who are having difficulty logging on should access Tech Support via email or phone, as per the info on the log-in page.)
4. Once you are logged in as a Registered User, click on the big myOSSTF button
5. The summaries and full texts of the agreements are found under Quick Links on the right side. If you click on a., you will see the Contract Extension Summary. If you click on c., you will see the Bill 115 Remedy Summary. And, if you click on b., you will get the full text of the tentative agreements for teachers, Occasional Teachers, and support staff.

Questions regarding the above information may be directed to Tom Beer, President, at [tomd20hsot@hotmail.com](mailto:tomd20hsot@hotmail.com)

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