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Ministry of Education Freedom of Information & Protection of Privacy Ministère de l'Éducation Accès à l'information et la protection de la vie privée

May 4, 2020

Jasmine Pickel

Dear Jasmine Pickel,

## **RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACCESS REQUEST NUMBER EDU-200031**

I am writing in response to your access request under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the Act) for:

"The total amount or average amount (inclusive of salary, pension and benefits) to all OSSTF members for one working day.

If a timeframe is required, it is during the previous school year (2018-19) or the current school year (2019-20)."

The response is as follows:

In 2018-19, the total funding for compensation for an average full-time OSSTF teacher was approximately \$103,926. This reflects the provincially funded average teacher salary and funding for benefits.

There are 194 school days, so this translates to approximately \$536 per school day. Note that actual salaries and benefits costs may vary from funded amount.

You have the right to file an appeal regarding any part of your access request with the Information and Privacy Commissioner, 2 Bloor Street East, Suite 1400, Toronto, Ontario, M4W 1A8, telephone number (416) 326-3333/1-800-387-0073, under section 50 of the Act. Such an appeal must be requested within 30 days of the date of this letter.

If you would like to appeal this decision, please provide the Commissioner's Office with the following:

- 1. the file number listed at the beginning of this letter;
- 2. a copy of this decision letter;
- 3. a copy of the original request for information which you sent to this institution.

In addition, you must send an appeal fee to the Commissioner's Office. If your request was for your personal information, the appeal fee is \$10.00. The appeal fee for all other requests for information is \$25.00. Please include the fee in your letter of appeal - appeal fees should be in the form of either a cheque or money order, made payable to the Minister of Finance. Should you have any questions regarding your request, please do not hesitate to contact me at (416) 325-0070.

Sincerely,

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Susana Miranda Information and Privacy Coordinator