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## **RESOLUTION 2012/2**

## PERMANENT LINGUISTIC VOTERS LIST for SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

WHEREAS restrictions exist preventing the automatic registration on an English voters list, and

**WHEREAS** all Quebec citizens, when they turn 18 years of age, are registered on the French voters list regardless of the language of their secondary education, and

**WHEREAS** during the 2003 and 2007 School Board Elections not all voters, who requested in writing to be moved to the English voters list, were registered on the English list in time to vote;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that Quebec Federation of Home & School Associations Inc. urge the Minister of Education, Leisure and Sport to establish permanent linguistic voter lists;

**AND THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that such lists be based on the school board where dependent children attend or attended;

**AND THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that in cases where there are no dependent children in school:

• Eligible voters upon turning 18 years of age, who attended English schools, should be deemed to have chosen to be registered on the list of electors of an English language school board.

<u>Destinations</u>: Premier of Quebec

Minister of Education, Leisure and Sport Leaders of the Official Opposition parties

Quebec English School Boards Association (QESBA)
Quebec Provincial Association of Teachers (QPAT)

Association of Directors General of English School Boards of Quebec

(ADGESBQ)

<u>For Information</u>: Fédération des comités de parents du Québec (FCPQ)

Parents Committees of Governing Boards of 9 English Schools

Boards and Littoral School Board Quebec Community Groups Network (QCGN)