To: Special Education Advisory Committee

From: George Wedge, Representative for Easter Seals Ontario

Subject: Rules of Order & Conduct Formalization & Familiarization

MOVED BY: George Wedge

WHEREAS: SEAC is a Standing Committee of the TCDSB;

WHEREAS: SEAC member conduct is not governed by any specific TCDSB set of bylaws;

WHEREAS: TCDSB bylaws do not specify the exact Rule's of Order to be utilized in official SEAC Public Meetings, although modified Robert's Rules of Order have been customarily used and accepted as "The Standing Committee Rules of Order"; and

WHEREAS: The Board of Trustees in Public Session have called into question the Rules of Order and Process of SEAC.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT: SEAC recommend to Board that Rules of Order and Rules of Conduct be established or adopted from existing bylaws and formalized; and

BE IT RESOLVED THAT: SEAC members, both sitting and newly nominated be provided training in document format and/or classroom setting and/or reviewable webinar format.

George Wedge Past Chair Member representing Easter Seals Ontario