

DELEGATION REGISTRATION FORM FOR BOARD, STANDING OR OTHER COMMITTEES

Response Summary:

First Name: Thushara	
Last Name: Rodrigo	

Please select the applicable Board, Standing, Statutory, Sub or Ad Hoc Committee at which you are requesting to depute.

Student Achievement and Well-Being Catholic Education Human Resources Committee

Do you wish to Delegate by electronic means? Yes

Do you require assistance from the Recording Secretary's Office? If yes, please contact the Recording Secretary's Office at <u>delegations@tcdsb.org</u> or the Recording Secretary at <u>sophia.harris@tcdsb.org</u>.

No

Do you wish to make your deputation in private session because the matter involves the disclosure of intimate, personal or financial information in respect of a member of the Board or Committee, an employee or prospective employee of the Board or a pupil of his or her parent or guardian?

No

Date of Deputation: 04-05-2022

Topic of Deputation:

To recognize Sri Lankan New Year Day on April 14



Key Issue(s):

Annual acknowledgement of Sri Lankan New Year by the TCDSB.

Brief Summary of the Topic of Deputation:

There are many students of Sri Lankan heritage that attend schools in the TCDS and celebrate the Sri Lankan New Year Day. It is the biggest festival in the Sri Lankan community as it brings all cultures and ethnicities of Sri Lanka together. It would be of great value and significance to the Sri Lankan students, families and employees of the TCDSB to see the New Year day acknowledged annually.

Action Requested:

- 1. Permit the addition of a banner on the school board website to announce Sri Lanka New Year Day every year.
- 2. Offer the TCDSB community some background information about the culture and traditions for New Year as a gesture of inclusivity and as a learning opportunity to students.

Please select one of the following options: I am here as a delegation to speak on my own half.

Submission Date:

03-23-2022