

Bylaw Amendment Proposal 1

Unifor Ontario Regional Council will:

Change By-Laws Article 3, paragraph 5, 6, and 8 to read as follows:

5. The Ontario Regional Council shall elect an Executive Committee consisting of the Officers named above and up to 8 Members at Large to reflect geographic regions or industries and to reflect the gender and equity principles of the union. **The Executive Committee shall also include a Retiree Representative, who shall be the Ontario Region Representative elected to the National Retired Workers Council Executive. The term of office for Retiree Representative shall be three years, following elections at the annual meeting of the National Retired Workers Council immediately following the Convention of the National Union.**

6. All members of the Executive Committee shall be regularly elected delegates to the Ontario Regional Council **with the exception of the Retiree Representative, who is a delegate to the Regional Council with voice and one vote pursuant to Article 12.26 of the Unifor Constitution.**

8. A vacancy for an officer or other member of the Executive Committee shall be filled by an election at the next regular meeting of the Regional Council with a term of office extending to the first meeting of the Regional Council following the Unifor convention. **The National Retired Workers Council Executive shall notify the Ontario Regional Council Chair of any vacancy, or of the filling of any vacancy, which may occur in the Retiree Representative position.**

Because:

- Under Article 2, Statement of Principle, Unifor is open and inclusive, and;
- Solidarity, and;
- Will be the Retirees voice at Ontario Regional Council Executive.

Respectfully Submitted By:
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