

Bargaining Proposal—2019

Proposal Number: U12

Date: February 20, 2019 Time: 3:36pm

Local Bargaining

Timelines

- 1. Representatives of the local parties will meet to confirm the status of local matters negotiations by May 31, 2019.
- 2. Local matters negotiations impasse items will be referred to the provincial table process below no later than June 315, 2019, following reasonable efforts to reach a negotiated settlement.
- 3. The parties may continue local matters negotiations on items not referred in 21 above until the local parties agree to conclude discussions, but no later than 30 working days after the ratification of the Provincial Collective Agreement. until the earlier of:
 - a. 5 working days after the provincial parties reach tentative agreement; or b. June 30, 2019.

Any items not agreed to by the deadline above will be considered withdrawn.

4. The provincial parties may mutually agree to amend the timelines set out above.

Impasse Items

- 5. Any **item(s)** identified as an impasse item in number two **above** will be sent to the provincial parties with the following, **which shall not exceed 10 pages**:
 - a. The current collective agreement language (if any)
 - b. All proposals on the item
 - c. Rationale for the proposal
- 6. Once the provincial parties have received the impasse items, the provincial parties will initiate a 4-party process to discuss the items, or by mutual agreement may refer the item(s) to a third- party facilitation or mediation process for facilitation (terms of reference and list of arbitrators / mediators to be discussed).

- 7. The parties will represent themselves without legal counsel.
- 8. By mutual agreement, the parties may suspend the above mechanisms, once underway, to resume local bargaining, provided that the 30 days in 1 above have not been exceeded.
- 9. Where a third-party facilitator **or mediator** is mutually agreed to, the **provincial** parties will set aside money from the provincial table to cover the cost of the facilitator **or mediator** and location costs (if any).

Terms of Reference (proposal contingent on agreement to terms of reference).

- Effective for this round of bargaining
- Facilitator or Mediator has the ability to make a decision
- List of arbitrators / mediators

Signed this	day of	, 2019	
For BCTF		For BCPSEA	