

Labour Relations Board Issues Further Decision on Oral Component of the Français langue première 12 and Français langue seconde immersion 12

In a decision (B221/2011) issued on December 2, 2011, the LRB ordered, on an interim basis, that:

- BCTF members will continue their activities with respect to the Oral Component of the Français langue première 12 and Français langue seconde immersion 12 in the usual manner at the times currently scheduled or to be scheduled.

On December 6, 2011 BCTF filed an application with the LRB seeking several changes to the order, including re-arguing that the conduct of oral exams (which are currently ongoing) should be performed by teachers only after the utilization of excluded staff. The BCTF specifically sought to disrupt arrangements which are in place in one of the school districts for tomorrow's exams. Due to the emergent nature of the matter the LRB conducted a hearing into the matter this morning.

The LRB has now issued a decision by letter (attached) that dismisses BCTF's application with the LRB concluding that it would not be appropriate for it to revisit its interim order.

Therefore, the above-noted LRB order still applies and teachers must continue their activities with respect to the Oral Component of the Français langue première 12 and Français langue seconde immersion 12 in the usual manner at the times currently scheduled or to be scheduled.

Questions

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