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Memorandum To:

Ontario Public School Boards' Association (OPSBA)
Ontario Catholic School Trustees' Association (OCSTA)
Association des conseils scolaires des écoles publiques
de l'Ontario (ACÉPO)
Association franco-ontarienne des conseils scolaires
catholiques (AFOCSC)
Council of Directors of Education (CODE)
English Catholic Council of Directors of Education
(ECCODE)
Conseil ontarien des directrices et directeurs de
l'éducation de langue française (CODELF)
Ontario Public Supervisory Officers' Association (OPSOA)
Association des gestionnaires en éducation
franco-ontarienne (AGÉFO)
Ontario Catholic Supervisory Officers' Association
(OCSOA)
Ontario Principals' Council (OPC)
Catholic Principals' Council of Ontario (CPCO)
Association des directions et directions adjointes des
écoles franco-ontariennes (ADFO)
Ontario Teachers' Federation (OTF)
Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation (OSSTF)
Ontario English Catholic Teachers' Association (OECTA)
Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario (ETFO)
Association des enseignantes et des enseignants franco-
ontariens (AEFO)
Canadian Union of Public Employees (CUPE) Ontario
Education Workers Alliance of Ontario (EWAO)
Ontario Council of Education Workers (OCEW)
Association of Early Childhood Educators Ontario
(AECEO)

From: George Zegarac
Deputy Minister

Date: May 30, 2016

Subject: New Ontario Autism Program – Overview of Program
Redesign

We would like to invite your organization to attend the Ministry of Education (EDU) and Ministry of Children and Youth Services' (MCYS) presentation on the recently announced changes to autism services for children and youth in Ontario.

On March 29, 2016, the Ontario government announced \$333 million to improve and expand children's autism services over the next five years — [Ontario Investing \\$333 Million to Improve Autism Services](#). These changes will create a continuum of behavioural supports that are flexible and based on the individual needs of children and youth.

The presentation is intended to:

- describe changes to MCYS funded autism services; and
- outline EDU actions and role for school boards.

This presentation is scheduled for:

Date: Wednesday, June 8, 2016
Time: 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Location: YMCA
Auditorium, 2nd Floor
20 Grosvenor Street
Toronto ON M4Y 2V5

This meeting will be conducted in English with materials available in French.

We invite your organization to send two representatives to this presentation. Please forward the names of attendees to Katie Batrie by email katie.batrie@ontario.ca or by phone at 416-212-6663, by Friday, June 3, 2016.

Thank you in advance for your participation.

Sincerely,



George Zegarac