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**Memorandum To:** Directors of Education  
Senior Business Officials  
Secretary/Treasurers of School Authorities

**From:** Andrew Davis  
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Education Labour and Finance Division

**Subject:** **Additional Funding for Bill 124 Monetary Resolution**

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We are writing to provide you with an update on ministry funding for payments related to the Memoranda of Settlement (MOS) regarding the *Protecting a Sustainable Public Sector for Future Generations Act, 2019* (Bill 124).

Since [2024: B02 Monetary Resolution to Bill 124](#) was released, all unionized employee groups and the Principals and Vice-Principals (PVPs) have reached an agreement with similar terms on a monetary resolution to Bill 124.

Second, the ministry has updated the funded salary and benefits benchmarks in the Grants for Student Needs (GSN) regulations for all employee groups (excluding supervisory officers, directors, and PVPs) for the 2019-20 to 2023-24 school years. The funded salary and benefits benchmarks for PVPs for the 2020-21 through to 2024-25 school years related to the Bill 124 monetary resolution is anticipated to be updated in December, conditional upon approval by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

Finally, in March 2024 the ministry issued a new transfer payment agreement (TPA), to allocate funding to school boards to support Bill 124 payments for employees who were funded through

Priorities and Partnerships Funding and Official Languages in Education (OLE) (excluding supervisory officers and directors).

## **Additional Funding**

The ministry is providing additional funding for the 2019-20 to 2023-24 school years for Bill 124 costs beyond the amounts noted above. This additional funding which will be provided through the TPA is intended to cover programs funded by other ministries (e.g., Settlement and Integration programs funded by Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development) and programs that were not directly funded by salary benchmark increases through the GSN but there was an expectation that a portion would be used for staffing (e.g., transportation).

If you have questions about the implementation of the additional funding for Bill 124, please direct them to [eflpb@ontario.ca](mailto:eflpb@ontario.ca).

Sincerely,

*Original signed by*

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