

**Minutes of the OLRB Advisory Committee
June 13, 2018**

Ontario Labour Relations Board

In attendance: Bernard Fishbein – Chair, OLRB
Matthew Wilson – Alternate Chair, OLRB
Catherine Gilbert – Director/Registrar, OLRB
Ursula Boylan – Deputy Registrar, OLRB
Len Marvy – Solicitor, OLRB
Andrea Bowker – Solicitor, OLRB

Keith Burkhardt – Employer [teleconference]
Laurie Kent - Union
Stephen Krashinsky – Union
Chris Fiore – Employer
Andrew Reynolds - OBA

Regrets: Melissa Kronick – Union

Paul Lalonde - Employer

Bridget Lynett – Ministry of Labour

Ben Ratelband – Employer

Graham Williamson – Union

Bernard Fishbein chaired the meeting.

1. E-Filing Update

Catherine indicated that additional forms were now e-fileable since April and that except for construction industry grievances, which the Board hopes to launch in July. Catherine provided statistics on the number of applications that had been filed electronically to date. Feedback was provided with respect to the existing forms.

2. New Rules

Len referred to the new Rules regarding the dimensions of jurisdictional dispute consultation briefs, and also the amendment to Rule 41.1 regarding certain proceedings under the *School Boards Collective Bargaining Act*.

3. Electronic Voting.

Catherine described the most recent experiences with electronic voting and that turnout in these was also good and in line with non-electronic voting.

4. Bill 148

Catherine provided statistics with respect to the number of applications that had been filed under the new provisions of the *Labour Relations Act, 1995*, and noted the general increase in employment standards applications unrelated to the amendments to that *Act*.

Minutes taken by Andrea Bowker.