

Item:	Registration Appeals Committee Report
Public Interest Rationale:	The Registration Appeals Committee (the Committee) is a statutory committee that is objective, fair and transparent, as established under the Ontario College of Teacher’s Act. It is in the public interest that applicants who have been denied membership or have terms, conditions or limitations imposed on their certificate of qualification and registration, be provided with the opportunity for a review by an impartial and independent committee.
Strategic Alignment:	N/A
Submitted By:	Christine Forsyth, Chair Registration Appeals Committee

Committee and Panel Meeting Dates

Since the last report to Council, the committee held panel meetings to consider requests for review of certain registration decisions on the following dates:

- July 20, 2023
- August 17, 2023
- September 21, 2023
- October 19, 2023
- November 16, 2023
- December 14, 2023
- January 18, 2024
- February 15, 2024
- March 22, 2024

Summary of Requests for Review

The committee has received 23 new requests for review¹ since its last report to Council and considered three requests for review that were received prior to May 19, 2023. Of those, 11 matters have concluded, one matter was adjourned, six matters were found to be not within the jurisdiction of the committee, five matters are yet to be heard, and three matters were withdrawn.

Summary of the Outcomes of the Requests for Review

The outcomes for the 11 matters that were concluded are as follows:

1	Registrar’s decision upheld (terms, conditions or limitations - TCLs)
2	Registrar’s decision upheld (terms, conditions or limitations - TCLs)
3	Registrar’s decision upheld (Denial)

¹ The figures are for the period May 19, 2023, to April 17, 2024



4	Registrar's decision overturned (terms, conditions or limitations – TCLs)
5	Registrar's decision upheld (Denial)
6	Registrar's decision upheld (terms, conditions or limitations – TCLs)
7	Registrar's decision upheld (terms, conditions or limitations – TCLs)
8	Registrar's decision upheld (terms, conditions or limitations - TCLs)
9	Registrar's decision upheld (Denial)
10	Registrar's decision upheld (Denial)
11	Registrar's decision upheld (Denial)

Motions Referred to Council

No motions were referred to Council.

Committee Mandate and Duties

The Registration Appeals Committee is a committee established under the College's Act. It is responsible for considering requests for review of membership denial, and requests for review of the imposition of terms, conditions, or limitations on a member's certificate of qualification and registration.

As per Ontario Regulation 563/21 (General):

“22. (1) The Registration Appeals Committee shall be composed of at least four persons. (2) A request for review under section 21 of the Act or an application for a variation under section 22 of the Act shall be decided by a panel of the Registration Appeals Committee established for the purpose in accordance with section 17 of the Act and section 21 of this Regulation.”

Future Meeting Dates as of April 17, 2024

- May 16
- May 31
- June 20
- July 18
- August 15
- September 12
- October 10
- November 21
- December 19



Committee Members

Marcel Castonguay
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