



To members

**Subject: Economically Disadvantaged Areas – Deprivation Index 9 & 10 for 2015-16 as of Sept., 2013**

Every school year a list is generated by MELS and forwarded to the administrators' associations and the school boards. To facilitate your task the following is a summary of the number of schools by board; Central Quebec-18, Du Littoral-12, English Montreal-65, Eastern Shores-17, Eastern Townships-24, Lester B. Pearson-55, New Frontiers-2, Riverside-23, Sir Wilfrid Laurier-37 and Western Quebec-25. The names of the schools can be viewed by referring to attachment which is also available on the 2015-2016 Postcard section of the AAESQ website.

*The potential inclusion for the secondary schools has yet to be confirmed.*

**Lump Sum Bonuses Paid To Principals**

**48. A principal shall receive an annual lump sum of \$2 500, paid at each pay period, provided that:**

*(1) the total youth/student population in the schools under his responsibility is lower than 250 and that he is a member of more than one governing board. A principal whose class of employment is higher than class 6 or who benefits from the salary readjustment procedure prescribed in Division V of this chapter is not entitled to the lump-sum bonus;*

*(2) the school or schools under his authority are situated in economically disadvantaged areas with a poverty index (socioeconomic environment index) of nine or ten and updated periodically by the Ministère. In order to receive such a lump-sum bonus, the senior staff member must perform his duties as principal for 50% or more of his time in such a school.*

*The principal shall receive only one lump-sum bonus if the school or schools under his authority meet the two conditions specified in the preceding paragraph. Payment of the lump-sum bonus shall cease when the principal no longer assumes such a responsibility.*

IF YOU WOULD LIKE CLARIFICATION, HAVE QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS

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