EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: MEETING SUMMARY

FOR INFORMATION

This document provides a summary of the Executive Committee meeting held on July 11, 2025.

Discussion and information items

The Registrar updated the Committee on the *As of Right* legislation, noting that the Ministry of Health is working on expanding Bill 2 to include 14 colleges, including dentistry, and will make amendments to the Dentistry Act to support implementation of the Bill. The Committee discussed whether this presented an opportunity for additional changes, such as 50/50 Council parity, though time constraints make this unlikely. Legal counsel made other suggestions regarding public member requirements.

The Health Profession Regulators of Ontario (HPRO) may make proposals for the next Red Tape Reduction Act, and the Registrar will keep the Committee informed.

The Committee also reviewed timelines for the 2025 Council Performance Evaluation, endorsing observations of both virtual and hybrid meetings in December 2025 and April 2026. A Request for Quote will be issued to potential vendors, and survey details finalized with the Governance Committee.

Finally, the Registrar provided an update on the College's financial contributions to Ontario universities and ongoing discussions with dental school deans. The Committee considered revising student awards and reimbursement limits for annual membership fees, particularly considering the upcoming PLP divestment. Further discussion will occur after the divestment is complete.

The Committee received presentations on modernizing remedial education, crisis management and communication plans, and an internal Al framework, and discussed collaboration with the Ontario Dental Association on HPV vaccination resources.

Decision item

The Executive Committee appointed public member Ram Chopra to the Registration Committee, effective immediately, with Council ratification in September.

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