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NLTA REACHES TENTATIVE AGREEMENT

St. John's NL...The Newfoundland and Labrador Teachers' Association has reached a tentative agreement with Government and the School Boards Association on a new collective agreement for teachers. The NLTA Provincial Executive Council is recommending acceptance of the agreement. "The negotiating process can sometimes be difficult and stressful on those involved including students, teachers and parents," states James Dinn, President of the Newfoundland and Labrador Teachers' Association. "The NLTA is pleased to have reached a tentative agreement that is fair and reasonable for both teachers and the employer. We look forward to consideration of the details by teachers and ratification of an agreement which will enable us to concentrate on our main job of educating the children and students of this province."

Details of the tentative agreement will be presented to teachers following the reopening of school after the summer break. No other information will be released until teachers have been fully briefed on the contents of the tentative collective agreement during a series of Branch meetings in September. A vote on the tentative collective agreement will take place on September 25, 2014.

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