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SIR WILFRID LAURIER SCHOOL BOARD

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***THE SIR WILFRID LAURIER SCHOOL BOARD
APPOINTED ITS NEW ASSISTANT DIRECTOR GENERAL***

Rosemère, July 10, 2013 – The Chairman of the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board (SWLSB), Mr. Nick Milas, is pleased to announce the nomination of **Ms. Eileen Kelly** as Assistant Director General effective August 12, 2013. The Council of Commissioners voted unanimously on the recommendation of the selection committee.

Ms. Kelly will succeed Mr. Cliff Buckland who was interim Assistant Director General since September 2011. She brings 20 years of experience in education to her new role. Ms. Kelly is known for her innovative pedagogical initiatives and her student-centered and action research approach to learning. For the past few years, she occupied the position of Director of Educational Services at College Villa Maria and prior to that has held various positions from Pedagogical Consultant to Principal at the English Montreal School Board.

Her pedagogical experience and knowledge will certainly prove to be great assets to the Sir Wilfrid Laurier School Board, as will her team spirit and leadership skills. The Council of Commissioners as well as the Director General would like to extend their congratulations to Ms. Kelly and wish her the best of luck in her new mandate.

SWLSB offers educational services to nearly 15,000 students in 38 schools and 5 Adult Education and Vocational Training Centres and has a workforce of nearly 2,000 employees. It is the third largest English school board in the province.

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