



NSTU Provincial Executive Meeting
January 15, 16, 2004
H i g h l i g h t s

1. **Approved the Table Officers' Report;**
 - Approved one benevolent fund request
 - Approved a teacher coaching fund request;
2. **Approved a report from the Nominating Committee, recommending *Peter Doucette* serve on the Community College Classification Advisory and Appeals Committee;**
3. **Received the audited financial statements from August 1, 2002 to July 31, 2003;**
4. **Approved a proposed resolution from the Pension Committee; approved several amendments to the Pension Plan Regulations regarding purchase of past service and flexible pension options.**
5. **Recommended an investigation to study ways to deal with disruptive and threatening behaviour by students;**
6. **Approved a resolution submission for Council 2004 on Accountability;**
7. **Amended a policy statement and resource document for education stakeholders regarding school libraries, amended a recommendation regarding the "Forging a Future for Nova Scotia School Libraries Report", along with a method of dealing with the recommendations from the Report**
8. **Directed Staff to proceed with the Technology Initiative as presented;**
9. **Amended a number of Executive motions dealing with Local grievance procedures and arbitrations; approved a process for requesting legal opinions;**
10. **Approved further discussion to take place at the February Meeting on the Report of Legal Costs.**
11. **Approved the collection of teacher experiences on inclusion;**
12. **Received a paper on Security Checks at Council;**
13. **Directed the President to correspond with Locals concerning a previous Executive motion;**
14. **Approved a resolution to Council 2004 regarding the provincial grievance procedure;**
15. **Reviewed the By-Laws regarding the replacement of an Executive member when absent from Executive meetings.**
16. **Approved eight (8) CSANE teachers attend a symposium in Moncton**