## **General OPSEU Acronyms**

**BPS** 

AGM Annual General Meeting
BLC Building Local Capacity
BPL Building Powerful Locals

CAAT Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology Colleges

CCBA Collective Bargaining Act (CAAT)

CCPA Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives

**Broader Public Service** 

CECBA Crown Employees Collective Bargaining Act

COLA Cost of Living Allowance

CSAO Civil Service Association of Ontario (pre-OPSEU)

CSDC Community Services Divisional Council

CWWA Compressed Work Week Agreement

DFR Duty of Fair Representation (OLRA)

DivEx Divisional Executive Committee

EAP Employee Assistance Program

EBM Executive Board Member

(E)ERC Employer/Employee Relations Committee

El Employment Insurance

(Formerly UI – Unemployment Insurance)

ESA Employment Standards Act

FAR Facts, Arguments, Resolution

FTE Full Time Equivalent

HCDC Health Care Divisional Council

HLDAA Hospital Labour Disputes Arbitration Act (BPS)

HRC Human Rights Committee

IRS Internal Responsibility System

IWD International Women's Day

JHSC Joint Health and Safety Committee

LEC Local Executive Committee

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LERC Local Employee Relations Committee

LMC Labour/Management Committee

LOA Leave of Absence

LTD Long Term Disability

LTIP Long Term Income Protection

MDT Membership Development Trainee

MSDS Material Safety Data Sheet

NBC Network for Better Contracts

OCSJ Ontario Coalition for Social Justice
ODSP Ontario Disability Support Program

OHRC Ontario Human Rights Code *or* Ontario Human Rights

Commission

OHSA Occupational Health and Safety Act

OLRA Ontario Labour Relations Act

OLRB Ontario Labour Relations Board

OJTBF OPSEU Joint Trusteed Benefit Fund

OMERS Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System

OPS Ontario Public Service

OPSECATT Organization of Part-Time and Sessional Employees of the

Colleges of Applied Arts and Technology

OPSLR Ontario Public Service Labour Relations Tribunal (OPS/CECBA)

OPT OPSEU Pension Trust

P3s Public-Private Partnerships

PHRC Provincial Human Rights Committee

PPT Permanent part time employee

PSA Public Service Act (OPS)

PSLRTA Public Service Labour Relations Transition Act (Bill 136)

PWC Provincial Women's Committee

PYC Provincial Young Workers Committee

RSI Repetitive Strain Injury

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RVP Regional Vice-President

SAROC Systemic and Anti-Racism Organizational Change

SCA Social Contract Act
SJF Social Justice Fund

SDT Staff Development Trainee (OPSSU)

SEFPO Syndicat des employees et employés de la function publique de

l'Ontario (French translation of "OPSEU")

SUB Supplementary Unemployment Benefit

TQM Total Quality Management

UI Unemployment Insurance

(now EI – Employment Insurance)

UMC Union-Management Committee

VEO Voluntary Exit Option

WDHP Workplace Discrimination and Harassment Policy
WHMIS Workplace Hazardous Material Information System

WHSC Workers Health and Safety Centre

WOCC Workers of Colour Caucus

WSIA Workplace Safety and Insurance Act

WSIAT Workplace Safety and Insurance Appeals Tribunal

WSIB Workplace Safety and Insurance Board

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