

SECTION 9

REPRESENTATION AND VOTING AT THE TRIENNIAL B.C. REGIONAL CONVENTION

Sub-Section (1)

Step 1:

All locals/branches which have 100 members or more will be entitled to 1 delegate

Step 2:

All locals/branches which have more than 100 members will be entitled to an additional delegate for each 300 members or major portion thereof (A major portion of 300 would be 151 to 299) over the initial 100 members.

Step 3:

Combine the membership in a component for those locals/branches which did **not** qualify for Step 1 and 2. This group of locals/branches will be entitled to 1 delegate for any portion up to 100 members. (**Note:** none of the “extra” members for Step 1 and 2 locals/branches are included in that addition).

Step 4:

For each 300 members or major portion thereof (A major portion of 300 would be 151 to 299) over 100 members, this group of locals/branches will be entitled to another delegate.

Sub-Section (2)

a) The B.C. Regional Council members shall be delegates to Triennial B.C. Regional Conventions.

b) PSAC members who hold a PSAC national elected office and Component National Officers who are members of the B.C. Regional Caucus shall be entitled to attend Triennial B.C. Regional Conventions as delegates. A National Officer who is unable to attend the Regional Convention is entitled to be replaced by an alternate from his/her specific organization.

Sub-Section (3)

Each accredited B.C. Regional Women’s Committee in good standing shall be entitled to 1 (one) delegate to the Triennial B.C. Regional Convention.

Sub-Section (4)

Each recognized B.C. Regional equity seeking group shall be entitled to 1 (one) delegate to the Triennial B.C. Regional Convention.

Sub-Section (5)

Each B.C. Regional Area Council in good standing shall be entitled to one delegate to the Triennial B.C. Regional Convention.

Sub-Section (6)

Directly Chartered Locals/ Separate Employer Units representing fewer than 2 (two) % of the total PSAC membership in B.C., shall be entitled to 1 (one) delegate to the Triennial B.C. Regional Convention to represent their entire constituency.

Sub-Section (7)

Young workers under 30 years of age shall be entitled to 3 (three) delegates to the Triennial BC Regional Convention to represent their constituency.

Sub-Section (8)

Each committee created subsequent to ratification of these Bylaws which is recognized by the B.C. Regional Council and is in good standing shall be entitled to 1 (one) delegate to the Triennial B.C. Regional Convention.