

PROFESSIONAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES COMMITTEE

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MAJOR POLICY – Immediate Action (2/3rd Vote Required)

A. None

MAJOR POLICY Second Reading

A. None

OTHER ITEMS FOR IMMEDIATE ACTION

A. None

REFERRALS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

A. None

MATTERS PENDING

The committee is continuing to do research on the following NBIs:

NBI 4/13-9 “That CTA seek sponsorship/co-sponsorship for Legislation to make the following change to California Education Code 44908. The first sentence should reflect a change from “the number of days” to “the number of days or weeks.”

NBI 6/13-22 “Seek legislation to amend the 39-month rehire rights for RIFed teachers to a longer period of time.”

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

1. The Committee took the following positions:
AB 342 (Blumenfield D): Watch
AB 349 (Gatto D): Watch
2. 2013-14 Elections for Chair, Vice-Chair, and Recorder were conducted:
Kathleen Tijan, Chairperson
Steve Weil, Vice Chairperson
Robert Rodriguez, Recorder
3. Special Education committee presented policy for immediate action on Sunday regarding teacher’s rights during the IEP process. The Committee moved a position of support for the policy statement.

4. The committee reviewed the Teacher Evaluation Workgroup report on emerging concepts and gave feedback.
5. The committee discussed the new October 2013 State Council schedule.