

Since starting my career with Ministry under a wage freeze, like many other EIT's, I immediately became immensely intrigued with the many challenges PEGO, and consequently EDP's face. In spite of our comparatively small membership and even smaller EIT representation, we've managed to acquire some feats, though at the diminution of other conditions. However, with the recent changes to our bargaining structure, I am greatly optimistic about the future of collective bargaining results for all members. As the implementation of a market compensation review and a job evaluation system, will largely leverage our ideologies.

With gratitude to all who have contributed to the opportunity PEGO now has on hand, I believe an executive committee with a commitment to serve all levels of membership, valuing the interests of both, new and long standing members will greatly benefit PEGO as a whole. As such, I am asking that you support my candidacy for the Engineering Director position within the Professional Engineers Government of Ontario. I aim to express the views and concerns of all members, particularly those of EDPs, EITs, and all other new members of the Association. PEGO will need to appreciate all members if we are to effectively create a satisfactory future.

Sincerely,

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