

## CONSTITUTION

### ARTICLE I

#### NAME

The name of this organization shall be:

**QUEBEC FEDERATION OF HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATIONS, INC.**

### ARTICLE II

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The constitution of the Federation shall be set forth in the Letters Patent granted under the Quebec Companies Act on August 27<sup>th</sup>, 1959, and Supplementary Letters Patent granted on May 08<sup>th</sup>, 1997, and August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018, for the following purposes: To promote, encourage, assist and support Home and School organization and activity in the schools to advance education, throughout the Province of Quebec.

For the carrying on of the above-mentioned purposes, the corporation may:

1. Provide a forum to affiliated Home and School Associations for discussions of matters of general interest, to stimulate co-operative effort by sharing best governance practices, conducting workshops on various topics related to education and organizing Regional Council meetings and Annual General Meetings.
2. Provide books, equipment and educational aids, activities and other resources for the benefit of students attending schools with Home and School Associations and to community libraries.
3. Provide information to parents via publication of our quarterly magazine, the QFHSA NEWS, other social media tools and all future technology tools, which reflect the unique culture primarily of the English-speaking school community of Quebec, ..
4. Partner with other educational community-based organizations to support projects for affiliated Home and School Associations by funding, building, maintenance of playground structures, or any other projects that should enhance the learning experience of the children-
5. Assist or participate in the public education reform by providing well-reasoned representations to public officials on various issues or decisions affecting the education

system, and by making these representations available to the public.

6. Promote community engagement by granting awards to students, volunteers, and members for their outstanding efforts to humanitarian causes, and their contributions to the life and cause of the Federation.
7. Develop between educators and the general public a united effort as shall secure for every child the highest advantage in physical, mental, moral and spiritual education.
8. Promote an education for all, by maintaining a non-partisan, non-commercial, non-racial and non-sectarian organization.
9. Provide various workshops to students and parents (anti-bullying, parenting, etc.)
10. Do all that is incidental and ancillary to the furtherance of the above-noted purposes.

### ARTICLE III

Federation policy is contained in its “Statement of Policy”, which contains those resolutions and/or recommendations deemed by the Annual General Meeting to complement its purposes and objectives above.