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## Two new Directors appointed to Teachers' Board

**TORONTO, August 28, 2023** — On behalf of the Executive and the Board of Governors of the Ontario Teachers' Federation (OTF), President Yves Durocher is pleased to announce the appointments of **Martine Irman** and **Jaqui Parchment** to the Board of Directors of the Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan effective September 1, 2023 and January 1, 2025, respectively.

**Martine Irman** had a 30-plus year career in international finance, most recently serving as Senior Vice President, TD Bank Group and Vice Chair, Head of Global Enterprise Banking, TD Securities. She brings significant international experience having led through a range of economic climates and organizational transformations. A seasoned board director, Martine was formerly the Chair of the Board of Export Development Canada and currently serves on other boards including the TMX Group. Throughout her career, she has championed diversity, equity and inclusion, in particular, supporting women in capital markets and in finance. Fluently bilingual, Martine holds a Bachelor's Degree from Western University, is a graduate of The Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, and holds the ICD.D Designation from the Institute of Corporate Directors and the ESG Designation from Competent Boards.

**Jaqui Parchment** is the former CEO of Mercer Canada, having previously served as leader of Mercer Canada's investment business. Throughout her 35-year career, she has advised a wide range of boards and employers on investments, pensions, and human capital. Jaqui currently serves on the boards of the Canadian Olympic Committee and the BlackNorth Initiative, and acts as board advisor to Developing Young Leaders of Tomorrow Today. A passionate advocate for diversity, equity and inclusion, Jaqui has volunteered with several organizations that serve the Black community, and organizations that support new immigrants. She holds a Bachelor's Degree in Mathematics and Actuarial Science from the University of Waterloo, and has earned her Associate Designation from the Society of Actuaries and her CFA Designation.

"As a co-sponsor of the Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan, OTF is pleased to welcome Martine and Jaqui to the Teachers' Board and looks forward to the collective experience and expertise that they will bring to their new roles", said OTF President Yves Durocher.

The Ontario Teachers' Pension Plan is jointly sponsored by OTF and the Government of Ontario.

The Ontario Teachers' Federation is the advocate for the teaching profession in Ontario and for its 160,000+ teachers. OTF members are full-time, part-time and occasional teachers in all the publicly funded schools in the province—elementary, secondary, public, Catholic and francophone.

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