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**THE ORDRE DES INGÉNIEURS DU QUÉBEC ANNOUNCES THE COMPOSITION OF ITS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE  
AND ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR 2017-2018**

**Montreal, June 16, 2017** – The 97<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors of the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec met for the first time this morning and proceeded to elect the Executive Committee for 2017-2018.

The Executive Committee and Board of Directors for 2017-2018 will automatically be presided over by **Kathy Baig, Eng., FEC, MBA**, who was elected for a two-year term as President of the OIQ as a result of the election by universal suffrage in May 2016.

**The other members of the Executive Committee elected by Board members are:**

- **Anne Baril, Eng.**, Director, Operational Monitoring and Expertise Department, Ministère des Transports, de la Mobilité durable et de l'Électrification des transports, elected as First Vice President;
- **Alexandre Marcoux, Eng.**, Project Manager, SACO Technologies Inc., elected as Vice President;
- **Michel Noël, Eng.**, Director, Continuing Education Centre, Faculty of Engineering at the Université de Sherbrooke, elected as Vice President;
- **Richard Gagnon**, elected as a member appointed by the Office des professions du Québec.

**The Board of Directors, which will be supported in its duties by the Executive Committee, is composed of:**

**Maxime Belletête, Eng.**, Project Manager, Municipal Infrastructures, Les Services exp inc.; **Robert Blanchette**, member appointed by the Office des professions du Québec; **Charles Bombardier, Eng.**, President, Imaginative; **Eric Bordeleau, Eng.**, Director of the Electrical Department, ASDR; **Louis Champagne, Eng., FEC**; **Mathieu Cléroux, Eng.**, Project Manager, GORD Associates Consulting; **Roger Dufresne, Eng.**; **Robert Fournier, Eng., FEC**, Distribution Engineer, Hydro-Québec; **Zaki Ghavitian, Eng., FEC**; **Sandra Gwozdz, Eng, FEC**, Project Manager, Bombardier Aerospace; **Claude Laferrière, Eng.**; **Carole Lamothe, Eng.**, Director, Eurovia; **Pascale Lapointe, Eng.**, Senior Director, Operations, Néopharm Labs; **Sophie Larivière-Mantha, Eng.**, Head of Technology Operations, CIUSSS de l'Est-de-l'île-de-Montréal; **Michel Paradis, Eng.**, Coating Materials Manager, Ministère des Transports, de la Mobilité durable et de l'Électrification des transports; **Christelle Proulx, Eng.**, Project Manager, Pageau Morel and Associates Inc.; **Christian Proulx**, member appointed by the Office des professions du Québec; **Robert Talbot**, member appointed by the Office des professions du Québec; **Nicolas Turgeon, Eng.**, Vice-President of Research, Innovation and Partnerships, Centre de recherche industrielle du Québec.

The OIQ's Board of Directors is composed of the President, twenty engineers elected by members and four public representatives appointed by the Office des professions du Québec.

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**About the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec**

Founded in 1920, the Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec (OIQ) has a membership of 62,000 engineering professionals in all fields, except forest engineering. The OIQ strives to be a reference for professionalism and excellence in engineering as well as a unifying organization. Its mission is to protect the public by acting to ensure that engineers serve society with professionalism, compliance and integrity in the public interest. For more information, go to [www.oiq.qc.ca](http://www.oiq.qc.ca).

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