Parti conservateur du Canada **Conservative Party of Canada**

Newmarket-Aurora Policy Meeting
SUBMISSION FORM

☒ **Constitutional Amendment** OR ☐ **Policy Resolution**

	First Name	Last Name	EDA	Signature
SUBMITTED BY:				
SECONDED BY:	First Name	Last Name	EDA	Signature

WHAT SECTION OF THE POLICY DECLARATION / PARTY CONSTITUTION DOES YOUR PROPOSAL PERTAIN TO?

13. Policy

STATE YOUR POLICY RESOLUTION.

Add new section 13.8:

13.8 If it garners supporting signatures from national policy convention delegates in at least 100 EDAs, a proposed amendment to the Policy Declaration will immediately be put to a vote at the convention's policy break out session. If it passes there, it advances to plenary session.

STATE YOUR RATIONALE.

Section 13.1 of the CPC Constitution obligates the National Policy Committee to "facilitate" a policy process that at all times is "accountable to the members". Unfortunately, in the lead up to repeated Conventions, the Committee has instead "filtered" the policy process. Against its constitutional mandate, this Committee devolved to acting as the "final say" on which resolutions can advance to Convention, vetoing policies that had widespread support amongst grassroots members at EDA and regional policy meetings. Inexplicably, policies with far less support found their way to Convention. A parallel mechanism is needed to bypass unwanted, un-democratic "filtering" by the Committee.

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MODERATOR	First Name Last Name Signature

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MEETING CHAIR	First Name Last Name Signature