Attachment 1 – Confidential Information

Toronto Fire Services Update

Date:	September 4, 2012
To:	Community Development and Recreation Committee
From:	Fire Chief and General Manager, Toronto Fire Services

CONFIDENTIAL RECOMMENDATIONS

The Fire Chief and General Manager recommends that this confidential attachment be received for information.

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

In response to a request for a legal opinion, in a letter dated April 30, 2012, the City Solicitor advised the Acting Fire Chief that, while there appears to be no statutory prohibition on the use of part-time operational firefighters in the Fire *Protection and Prevention Act* (FPPA), doing so is likely contrary to the hours of work provisions in the collective agreement between the City and the Toronto Professional Fire Fighters' Association, Local 3888 (the Association). If the City wishes to employ operational firefighters on a part-time basis, the issue would have to first be negotiated with the Association in the next round of bargaining.