



January 9, 2018

Dear Families:

On November 28, 2017, Bill 148, the Fair Workplaces, Better Jobs Act, received Royal Assent and became law. While most of the media coverage has focussed on the increase to the minimum wage (\$14.00/hour on January 1, 2018 and \$15.00/hour on January 1, 2019), that is only one part of the Bill. The passing of Bill 148 could have major implications for agencies that provide services, as well as families who manage funds for their children and the workers that they employ to provide the supports.

On January 31, 2018, Community Living Burlington, Community Living Oakville, Community Living North Halton, Central West Specialized Developmental Services and Bob Rumball Association for the Deaf, have made arrangements with the law firm Torkin Manes LLP to offer a free information session for people we support and families.

We hope that you can join us.

**Date:** Wednesday, January 31, 2018  
**Location:** Sandman Hotel (3451 South Service Rd. West, Oakville)  
**Time:** 6:00 to 8:00 pm

Please RSVP due to the limited space that we have in the Hotel

**RSVP: (905) 336-2225 x 317**  
**Please identify with the RSVP if accessibility is required**  
**ASL Interpreters will be made available for the evening.**