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## **Pablo Rodriguez Wants to Tackle Hunger Among Our Children**

**Laval (Québec), May 3, 2025** – Quebec Liberal Party (QLP) leadership candidate (QLP), Pablo Rodriguez, announces that he wants to tackle hunger among children in Quebec.

"The Quebec Liberal Party has always been the true party of the economy. At the PLQ, we know that a strong economy is one that creates wealth in order to fund social programs and improve our quality of life. We understand that the economy must serve the people, not the other way around. So, when we know that there are hundreds of thousands of Quebec children experiencing food insecurity, what does that say about our society? We live in one of the wealthiest countries in the world, and we can no longer accept this situation. That is why I am committed to ensuring that no child in Quebec goes to school on an empty stomach. As Prime Minister, this will be my absolute priority," promises Pablo Rodriguez.

Currently, school food programs are poorly adapted to the realities on the ground, as their funding depends on the neighborhood where the school is located, rather than on the economic situation of the children themselves. This results in thousands of children being left out of the system who need help to eat three meals a day. Therefore, the objective is to better target the children who need the most help and offer meals at school to those who experience food insecurity.

"I will sit down with organizations and experts on the issue. We will find solutions that will be implemented by NPO's, and social purpose organizations (SPOs) already on the ground. We will work step by step. It won't happen overnight, but we will get there. We will start with elementary school children and then look at the needs at the high school level, and to do that, we will provide the necessary resources. We must remember that a child who is hungry is a child who experiences negative impacts on his behavior in class, his concentration, his school results, and of course, his health. As a society, we all benefit collectively. Therefore, this is not an expense but an investment. And I see no greater priority than tackling hunger among our children. If I am in politics, it is to achieve this type of project," states Pablo Rodriguez.

For more information or to support Pablo Rodriguez's campaign, visit his website at [www.Pablo.Quebec](http://www.Pablo.Quebec).



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