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AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE FOR THE
TRANSFER OF FORESTRY TO THE GOVERNMENT
OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

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13 September 1985

MINISTER OF RENEWABLE RESOURCES
MINISTER OF INDIAN AND NORTHERN AFFAIRS

Devolution of Resource Management Authority

With the understanding that both governments are actively considering the progressive devolution of resource management programs and authorities, representatives from the Department of Renewable Resources and the Department of Indian and Northern Affairs met and agreed to the attached general principles for the Transfer of Renewable Resources Management Programs.

The initial schedule for transfer of forest and fire management programs will be as follows:

- By 31 December 1985, we will have agreed upon the financial package and a process to transfer the administration of forest and fire management, along with a selection of legislative options to accomplish the final transfer.
- 2. By 31 March 1986, there will be:
 - i) a transfer of administrative responsibility for the agreed upon programs to the Government of the Northwest Territories

ii) approval from the Treasury Board for the financial

package

- iii) a schedule determined by the Government of the Northwest Territories for transfer of personnel and
- iv) agreement to pursue within 1987, the legislative option chosen to accomplish the final transfer.

We look forward to ensuring that the transfer of programs is facilitated in the most efficient method possible.

If you have any questions or uncertainties with regard to the principles or the schedule for transfer proposed, we are available at your request to discuss any details.

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Deputy Minister.
Renewable Resources

Jacques Gerin Associate Deputy Minister Indian and Northern Affairs

GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR TRANSFER OF FEDERAL RENEWABLE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS

- Transfers will be made through a process of agreement between the federal and territorial governments, with the support and participation of affected native groups.
- The federal government will make every effort to transfer programs identified as priorities by the territorial government.
- Transfers will not prejudice further political evolution in the Northwest Territories.
- 4. Transfers will not prejudice unsettled native claims.
- while specific transfers may require certain one-time incremental costs, existing levels of funding will be maintained. Specific future program enhancement will be considered where required within the established financial approval processes of the two levels of the governments.
- 6. The federal government will ensure that the total resources devoted to programs to be transferred are identified and made known to the territorial government during the negotiation process.
- 7. Upon completion of a program transfer, all associated program policies and procedures become the full responsibility of the territorial government.
- 8. Program transfers will be managed by both levels of government in a manner which will ensure continuity and maintain the level of service to the public during the transitional period.
- Both levels of government will develop a joint communications strategy to keep staff and the public informed of transfer activities.
- 10. All federal staff affected by transfer actions will be offered equivalent positions by the territorial government and both levels of government will work together to deal equitably with staff.

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