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Hon Dennis Patterson **NWT Education** Government of NWT Yellowknife, NWT XIA 2L9

Dear Mr. Patterson:

At a regular meeting of the Inuvik Chamber of Commerce on February 12th members reported on their recent tour through the Inuvik Campus Arctic College that was hosted by the NWT Regional Superintendent, Dan Norris. There were many favourable comments on the campus operations and the courses which will be of great assistance to the residents of our region.

Several comments were made in the spirit of developing positive community. relations for future campus operations which mainly involved Arctic College staff having a better understanding of the inuvik community and business activities.

A motion was carried that the Inuvik Chamber of Commerce request the NWT Minister of Education to immediately set up a purchasing policy and procedures for Inuvik Campus Arctic College that will allow Inuvik and Western Arctic businesses to bid on all goods and services required.

We trust that a Vice President for the Inuvik Campus will be appointed shortly so that Chamber members can express their concerns and develop a positive working relationship with the College operations.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Stu Coates President