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## Hamlet of Grise Fiord

## Motion Paper

## Motion Number 16-12-88

Date: 15 February 1988.

Whereas, The school structural frame has been declared unsound by the Fire Marshall, and Safety Inspectors;

And whereas, The majority of the structural frame are decayed rottened;

And whereas, The water pipes are worn out causing leakage;

And whereas, There is constant noise throughout the classrooms from the old hot water heating systems pipe, distracting teachers and students;

And whereas, The building consumes over 500 gallons of fuel for ten days because of severe heat loss;

And whereas, Minor repairs are constantly required;

And whereas, The cleaning of the water tank is awkward due to limited space;

And whereas, In order to clean the water tank, classes will have to be disrupted, and the water tank and pipes have to be dismantled;

And whereas, The water tank is too close to the furnace causing high bacteria built up;

And whereas, Major renovation is uneconomical;

And whereas, Grise Flord was established for sovereinty purposes;

And whereas, People who grew up in Grise Fiord consider Grise Fiord as permenant home:

And whereas, Most families want to remain in Grise Fiord;

And whereas, No factual committment dates from the people to move to other communities have been indicated;

And whereas, All grades up to grade eight are taught in only two (2) classrooms causing high probability of lack of learning;

And whereas, The majority of children, students growing up time is spent in classroom environment, where our present class does not adequately facilitate.

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And whereas, The Hamlet of Grise Fiord has learnt through the media that the Gov't has either postpones or cancelled the new school project;

And whereas, This postponement or cancellation is based on rumors created by the G.N.W.T. that most residents were relocating to their place of origin;

And now therefore, be it resolved that the proposed new school project be continued for the fiscal year 1988/89 as orginally planned;

And

That this motion be presented to the Legislative Assembly by High Arctic M.L.A.

For further review of the new school, by his collegues

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