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# **PUBLIC COMMITTEES, BOARDS AND COUNCILS HANDBOOK**

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## INTRODUCTION

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This Handbook provides information on the membership of public committees, boards and councils in the Northwest Territories, as appointed in whole or in part by the Legislative Assembly, the Executive Council, a Minister or the Commissioner, and is meant as an accessible directory of these boards.

The Handbook also provides information on some committees, boards and councils established by authorities other than the Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT), to which the GNWT either nominates members or delegates specific responsibilities.

The Handbook is published periodically by the Cabinet Secretariat, Department of Executive, Government of the Northwest Territories. The current revision was compiled in July 2011 using information solicited from Government departments and, in some cases, from the boards themselves.

Though accurate at the time of revision, board membership changes constantly as terms expire, members resign and vacant positions are filled. Inquiries concerning latest board membership should be directed to the information contact given for each board.

The authority under which each agency acts varies, and is specified for each listing, along with a description of its function, what category it is in, who appoints members, and who the agency reports to.

The following information pertains to boards over which the Government of the Northwest Territories has jurisdiction.

The categories into which a board may fall are:

- advisory,
- regulatory or complex, or
- complex regulated commercial.

All boards fall into the "advisory" category unless they have been otherwise classified by the Executive Council. Classification as other than "advisory" depends upon several factors. They are:

- complexities of judgment are present requiring special qualifications or technical expertise;
- decisions are made with limited precedent; and
- consequences of decisions are large in dollars, resources or human terms

Honorariums are paid to members based on classification.

All GNWT public boards are subject to the provisions contained in the *Financial Administration Act* and the Government of the Northwest Territories Financial Administration Manual.

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## APPOINTMENT PROCEDURES

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### RESPONSIBILITY

The final appointment authority for boards and agencies varies with the legislation or policy under which the board or agency was formed. The Minister responsible may appoint members to a board where that authority has been specified in the legislation or policy establishing it. In other instances, the Executive Council or Commissioner must approve appointments. The governing instrument should be referred to in each case.

### NOMINATION PROCEDURE

The Minister responsible is notified by the board chairperson that a vacancy will occur six weeks prior to the term expiring or at the time an unexpected vacancy occurs.

The Minister may seek suggestions for suitable candidates for board membership from:

- Colleagues
- MLAs
- Deputy Minister (who may request Regional Superintendents' input)
- Community and Regional Councils
- Chairperson of the board in question
- Other persons or agencies relevant to the board's activities

Nomination for appointment may be submitted by letter to the Minister responsible identifying the nominee and the nominator and listing the nominee's qualifications for the position. The information can be provided in the form of a cover letter and resume, but should emphasize the strengths and abilities of the nominee particular to the board seat in question.

Some seats are to be filled by individuals from particular communities or groups, or are otherwise limited. Every effort is made so that the appointment reflects the population served by the board in question. Technical knowledge is important, but there is also a need for lay representation. Consideration is given to life experience, traditional knowledge, aboriginal identity, gender, place and duration of residence, involvement in community activities and work experience.

The Deputy Minister will advise persons making the nomination of any particular qualifications the board appointee should have. Any information supporting the nominations should be provided in the letter of nomination or attached resume.

The names will be compiled by a person designated by the Minister (usually the Deputy Minister or equivalent position).

Candidates identified by the Minister as suitable and qualified for a particular board shall be screened by the Deputy Minister for potential conflicts of interest as defined in the *Conflict of interest Act*. The Deputy Minister will then contact nominees selected by the Minister to ensure they are willing to participate on the board in question and understand the duties and responsibilities of the position.

If the Minister or Commissioner has the authority to make the appointment, an information item is prepared by the Minister and submitted to the Executive Council.

Community level committees may be appointed without going through the above nominating procedure, (e.g. Community Social Assistance Appeal Committees). These appointments, however, must follow the legislated appointment procedures.

Once the meeting of the Executive Council takes place with the information item on the agenda, and there are no objections or specific direction given to the contrary, the Minister takes the appropriate steps to make the appointment as specified under the section on appointment procedures below.

If the Executive Council has the authority to make the appointment, the item should be submitted for Executive Council consideration in a decision paper format with the information, as listed above for an information item, included. Should Cabinet approval of the nomination be given, a record of decision is issued.

In some instances, the Legislative Assembly must approve nominations prior to the appointment being made. Where a formal Executive Council nomination is to be forwarded to the Legislative Assembly, the nomination may be obtained by means of a decision paper.

## **APPOINTMENT PROCEDURE**

### **For Boards Created through Legislation**

After the proposed appointment has appeared as an information item on the Executive Council agenda or an appointment has been approved by Executive Council and a record of decision issued or the Legislative Assembly has confirmed appointments as required by Legislation, the chairperson of the board is contacted by the Minister and advised of the appointment.

The Deputy Minister of the department providing administrative support or who deals with that board, obtains the necessary forms (Attached as Annex A) from the Legislation Division, Department of Justice, and provides the necessary information to prepare the appointment.

The Legislation Division prepares the appointment on the appropriate instrument for signature by the Minister or Commissioner as specified in the Legislation creating the board or agency. It is this instrument which makes the appointment official.

Although statutory requirements may call for the Commissioner to sign the instrument prepared by the Legislation Division, it is normal practice for the Minister responsible to make the official notification of the appointment by means of a letter from the Minister to the appointee.

The Legislation Division registers the instrument and publishes it in the NWT Gazette.

### **For Boards Created through Policy**

Where the individual Minister has appointment authority, a letter from the Minister makes the appointment official after the appointment has appeared as an information item on the Executive Council agenda.

Where the Executive Council has appointment authority, a record of decision is required to make the appointment official. In this case the letter from the Minister responsible serves as notification of the appointment.

For consistency with appointments made for organizations created through Legislation, the appointment form attached as Annex B should be completed, signed by the Minister responsible, and forwarded to the Legislation Division for publication in the NWT Gazette.

The Minister's authority would be noted as either the meeting number where the item appeared as an information item in the case where the Minister has authority, or the Record of Decision number in the case where the Executive Council has authority for the appointment. Although publication of board appointments in the NWT Gazette is not a legal requirement, it provides a single reference source for all appointments made by the Government of the Northwest Territories.





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## ABORIGINAL LANGUAGES REVITALIZATION BOARD

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**Function**

The Aboriginal Languages Revitalization Board was established to advise and make recommendations to the Minister with respect to any matter within its review. Its focus is on revitalization, promotion and maintenance.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Official Languages Act*

**Appointed by**

Commissioner of the Northwest Territories on the recommendation of the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment and on the nomination of representatives of each of the Chipewyan, Cree, English, French, Gwich'in, Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut, Inuvialuktun, North Slavey, South Slavey and Tlicho language communities.

**Reports to**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Contact information**

Director, Official Languages  
Education and Culture Branch  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6484

Fax: (867) 873-0185

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Georgina Biscaye (Chipewyan)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Vance Paul Sanderson (Cree)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Dorothy Lorraine Desjarlais (Cree) (Alternate)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Beverly May Amos (Inuvialuktun)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Emily Maureen Kudlak (Inuvialuktun) (Alternate)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Dora Grandjame (North Slavey)	10-Feb-11	10-Feb-13
Ann Kochon-Orlias (North Slavey) (Alternate)	10-Feb-11	10-Feb-13
Elizabeth Hardisty (South Slavey) (Alternate)	22-Mar-10	21-Mar-13
Sarah Jerome	01-May-10	01-May-13

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## ABORIGINAL RIGHTS COURTS CHALLENGES COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Aboriginal Rights Courts Challenges Committee was established by the Minister of Justice to advise the Minister on applications for grants to pay legal expenses for individuals or non-profit organizations seeking, through the court process, to define or protect aboriginal, treaty or other rights that pertain to the Aboriginal peoples of the Northwest Territories.

**Contact Information**

Deputy Minister  
Department of Justice  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6197

Fax: (867) 873-0307

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

Falls within the general law reform responsibilities of the Department of Justice.

**Appointed by**

Minister of Justice

**Reports to**

Minister of Justice

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Florence Barnaby (Fort Good Hope)		Indeterminate
Florence Catholique (Lutselk'e)	9-Oct-09	12-Oct-12
Gordon J. Norberg (Hay River)	9-Oct-09	12-Oct-12

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## AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS MARKETING COUNCIL

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**Function**

The Agricultural Products Marketing Council represents the Government of the Northwest Territories' interests with respect to federal/provincial/territorial obligations to the regulated orderly marketing system of various agricultural products in Canada.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

Agricultural Products Marketing Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

**Reports to**

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
c/o Agricultural Products Marketing Council  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
Industry, Tourism and Investment  
P.O. Box 1320  
8th Floor, Scotia Centre  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7115

Fax: (867) 873-0563

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Lloyd Jones, Chairperson (Fort Smith)	25-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Kevin Todd (Yellowknife)	25-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Sonya Saunders (Yellowknife)	25-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Kelly Kaylo (Yellowknife)	16-Jan-12	15-Jan-15

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## APPRENTICESHIP, TRADE AND OCCUPATIONS CERTIFICATION BOARD

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**Function**

The Board advises the Minister on all matters pertaining to trade certification.

**Category**

Regulatory or Complex

**Authority**

Apprenticeship, Trade and Occupations Certification Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Reports to**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Contact information**

Manager, Apprenticeship, Trade  
& Occupational Certification  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7357

Fax: (867) 873-0200

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Vacant		

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## ASSESSMENT APPEAL TRIBUNAL

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**Function**

The Tribunal shall hear property assessment appeals made to it as a result of a decision from a municipal or territorial board of revision.

**Category**

Regulatory or Complex

**Authority**

Property Assessment and Taxation Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

**Reports to**

Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

**Contact information**

Secretary, NWT Assessment Appeal Tribunal  
Municipal and Community Affairs

Government of the Northwest Territories

Suite 600, 5201-50th Ave

Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 873-7125

Fax: (867) 873-0609

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Gerald Phillips, Chairperson (Yellowknife)	18-Apr-11	17-Apr-14
Lloyd Henderson (Yellowknife)	18-Apr-11	17-Apr-14
Joe Acorn (Yellowknife)	13-Apr-08	02-Apr-15
Gregory Littlefair (Yellowknife)	02-Apr-12	02-Apr-15
Jim White (Yellowknife)	02-Apr-12	02-Apr-15
Tina Korycki	02-Apr-12	02-Apr-15
Michael Gagnon, Secretary	4-Jan-01	Indeterminate

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## AURORA COLLEGE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

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**Function**

The Aurora College Board of Governors administers Aurora College and provides advice to the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment on policy matters.

**Category**

Regulatory or Complex

**Authority**

*Aurora College Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Reports to**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Contact information**

Office of the President, Aurora College  
P.O. Box 1290  
Fort Smith, NT X0E 0P0

**Or by e-mail to:**

Executive Assistant to the President at  
hmeacock@auroracollege.nt.ca

Telephone: (867) 872-7009

Fax: (867) 872-5143

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<b>Members</b>	<b>Appointed</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Ted Blondin (Vice-Chairperson) (Behchoko) North Slave Representative	23-Feb-07	23-Feb-13
David Cameron Miller (Yellowknife) Yellowknife Representative	18-Oct-11	18-Oct-14
Margaret Dumkee (Staff Representative) (Fort Smith)	24-Apr-12	24-Apr-14
Aleda Lafferty (Fort Smith) (Student Representative)	18-Oct-11	18-Oct-12

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## COMMISSIONER'S AWARD COMMITTEE

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**Function**

An awards system established in 1965 to recognize people who had distinguished themselves by acts of bravery or exceptional deeds of public service. The Awards Committee considers nominations for the awards and recommends recipients of awards to the Commissioner.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

**Appointed by**

Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

**Reports to**

Commissioner of the Northwest Territories

**Contact information**

Secretary  
Commissioner's Awards Committee  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7400 or  
1-888-270-3318

Fax: (867) 873-0223

E-mail: [commissioner@gov.nt.ca](mailto:commissioner@gov.nt.ca)

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## DENTAL REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Dental Registration Committee reviews and decides upon applications from persons who wish to practise dentistry in the Northwest Territories.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Dental Profession Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Reports to**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Contact information**

Registrar, Health Professional Licensing  
Policy, Planning and Evaluation  
Health and Social Services  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-8058

Fax: (867) 873-0484

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Dr. Hassan Mohammed Adam (Yellowknife)	19-Jan-99	25-May-13
Dr. James Tennant (Hay River)	1-Jul-00	5-Feb-13
Dr. Roger Armstrong (Yellowknife)	16-Feb-04	2-Oct-12
Phil Van Steenburgh (Yellowknife) *	04-Nov-10	Indeterminate
Samantha Van Genne, Registrar (Yellowknife)*	20-Aug-10	Indeterminate

\*by virtue of office



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## JUDICIAL APPOINTMENTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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**Function**

Under subsections 5.3(7) and (8) of the *Territorial Court Act*, the Committee's function is to make recommendations to the Commissioner in Executive Council respecting the appointment of territorial judges. In performing its duties, the Committee shall advertise the vacancy and review all applications, conducting that process in accordance with criteria established by the Committee; assess the qualifications of the candidates; and in confidence give the Commissioner in Executive Council a ranked list of the candidates it recommends with brief supporting reasons. Similarly, under section 6 of the Act, the Committee makes recommendations to the Commissioner with respect to deputy territorial judges.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Territorial Court Act*

**Appointed by**

Section 5.3 of the *Territorial Court Act* provides for the composition of the Committee as follows:

- (a) the Chief Judge and the next most senior territorial judge;

- (b) two members of the Law Society of the Northwest Territories appointed by that body;
- (c) four persons appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council who are neither judges nor members or former members of a law society in Canada; and
- (d) where the Chief Judge decides not to serve as a member of the Advisory Committee under paragraph (1)(a), the Chief Judge shall designate another Territorial judge as a member of the Advisory Committee.

**Reports to**

Commissioner in Executive Council with respect to appointment of territorial judges (s.5.3) and the Commissioner with respect to appointment of deputy territorial judges (s.6).

**Contact information**

Chief Judge of the Territorial Court  
P.O. Box 550  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4

Telephone: (867) 873-7604  
Fax: (867) 873-0203

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
The Hon. Robert Gorin, Chief Judge	*ex-officio	
The Hon. Bernadette Schmaltz	*ex-officio	
Alana Mero (Inuvik)	17-Sep-09	16-Sep-12
Michael Hasen (alternate)	20-Mar-12	31-Dec-14
Joan Mercredi	31-Dec-11	31-Dec-14

\*by virtue of office

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## JUDICIAL COUNCIL FOR TERRITORIAL JUDGES

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### Function

The functions of the Council are to receive and investigate any complaint made against a territorial court judge. The Council may refer any complaint to the Chief Judge or to a mediator. The Council may decide to hold a formal hearing, and has the powers of a board of inquiry under the *Public Inquiries Act*. Any such hearing is open to the public unless there are exceptional circumstances. After a hearing, the Council may impose a warning, a reprimand or suspension with or without pay, or may recommend removal from office.

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Territorial Court Act*

### Appointed by

Subsection 31(1) of the *Territorial Court Act* provides for the composition of the Judicial Council as follows:

- (a) a judge of the Court of Appeal designated by the Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal;
- (b) the senior judge of the Supreme Court;

- (c) the Chief Judge;
- (d) a member of the Law Society of the Northwest Territories appointed by that body; and
- (e) two persons appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council who are neither judges nor members or former members of a law society of Canada.

### Reports to

Commissioner in Executive Council

### Contact information

The Honourable Justice V. A. Schuler  
 Chairperson  
 Judicial Council for Territorial Judges  
 P.O. Box 550  
 Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4

Telephone: (867) 873-7105  
 Fax: (867) 873-0287

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
The Hon. Justice V. A. Schuler Senior Judge of the Supreme Court	*ex-officio	
The Hon. Chief Justice C.A. Fraser, Court of Appeal	19-Feb-99	Indeterminate
The Hon. Robert Gorin, Chief Judge of the Territorial Court	*ex-officio	
Paul Smith (appointed by NWT Law Society)	19-Apr-12	18-Apr-16
Andrew Fox (alternate) (appointed by NWT Law Society)	19-Apr-12	18-Apr-16

\*by virtue of office

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## JUSTICES OF THE PEACE REVIEW COUNCIL

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**Function**

The Justices of the Peace Review Council reviews, hears and makes recommendations on complaints respecting justices of the peace.

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

*Justices of the Peace Act*

**Appointed by**

Subsection 2.02(2) of the *Justices of the Peace Act* provides for the composition of the Review Council as follows:

- (a) the Chief Judge;
- (b) a judge of the Territorial Court, other than the Chief Judge, appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council;
- (c) a justice of the peace designated by the Commissioner in Executive Council; and
- (d) two representatives of the public, appointed by the Commissioner in Executive Council.

**Reports to**

Commissioner in Executive Council and the Chief Judge

**Contact information**

Chief Judge of the Territorial Court  
 Justices of the Peace Review Council  
 P.O. Box 550  
 Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4

Telephone: (867) 873-7604  
 Fax: (867) 873-0203

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
The Hon. Robert Gorin, Chief Judge	*ex-officio	
The Hon. Bernadette Schmaltz	13-Apr-10	12-Apr-14
Shirley Lamalice (Hay River)	22-Jun-04	17-Feb-14
Danny Yakeleya (Tulita)	9-Dec-05	17-Feb-14
Eric Kieken, Justice of the Peace	19-Jan-12	18-Jan-16

\*by virtue of office

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## LEGAL SERVICES BOARD OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

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### Function

The Legal Services Board is responsible for the provision of legal services to eligible persons. The Board also develops and coordinates territorial and local programs aimed at reducing and preventing the occurrence of legal problems, and increasing knowledge of the law, legal process and the administration of justice.

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Legal Services Act*

### Appointed by

Under section 3.1 of the *Legal Services Act*, the Minister of Justice can appoint such additional members of the Board as he or she considers necessary, and under the *Legal Services Act*, members of the Board are appointed by the Minister of Justice as follows:

- (a) one lawyer appointed on the nomination of the President of the Law Society;
- (b) One member of the public service;

- (c) one member who is not a member of the Law Society or the public service;
- (d) one member appointed on the nomination of each regional committee; and
- (e) such additional members as the Minister considers necessary.

### Reports to

Minister of Justice

### Contact information

Executive Director  
Legal Services Board of the  
Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7450

Fax: (867) 873-5320

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Louis Sebert (Law Society of the NWT)	15-Apr-12	14-Apr-15
Ron Holtorf	19-Dec-10	18-Dec-13
Gisele Marion	7-Dec-10	6-Dec-13
Mark Aitken (Public Service)	13-Dec-11	12-Dec-14
Roberta Hamilton	3-Feb-11	2-Feb-14

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## LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD

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**Function**

The Liquor Licensing Board was established to control the conduct of licensees, the management and equipment of licensed premises and the conditions under which liquor may be sold or consumed.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Liquor Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Finance

**Reports to**

The Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister of Finance.

**Contact information**

Executive Secretary  
Liquor Licensing Board  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
Suite 204, 31 Capital Drive  
Hay River, NT X0E 1G2

Telephone: (867) 874-8717

Fax: (867) 874-8722

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Colin Baile, Chairperson (Yellowknife)	15-Jun-11	6-Jun-14
Albert Monchuk (Fort Smith)	21-Jul-09	20-Jul-15
Wayne Frederick Smith (Inuvik)	29-Sep-09	28-Sep-12
Stanley Jones (Hay River)	18-Aug-10	17-Aug-13

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## MEDICAL REGISTRATION COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Medical Registration Committee reviews and decides upon applications from persons who wish to practise medicine in the Northwest Territories.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Medical Profession Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Reports to**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Contact information**

Registrar, Health Professional Licensing  
 Corporate Planning, Reporting and Evaluation  
 Health and Social Services  
 Government of the Northwest Territories  
 P.O. Box 1320  
 Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-8058

Fax: (867) 873-0484

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Dr. Theresa Hansen, Chairperson (Yellowknife)	29-Jun-01	28-Aug-13
Dr. Don Giovanetto (Yellowknife) (alternate)	7-Jun-07	6-Jun-13
Patricia Susan Winter (Yellowknife)	20-Feb-02	8-Jun-14
Dr. Theresa Farrell (Yellowknife)	7-Jun-05	6-Jun-13
Dr. Bing Guthrie (Yellowknife)	30-Aug-10	29-Aug-12
Vacant (department representative)		
Samantha Van Genne , Registrar (Yellowknife)*	20-Aug-10	Indeterminate

\*by virtue of office

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## MINE OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

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**Function**

Established under the *Mine Health and Safety Act* to advise and recommend to the Minister: matters concerning the *Mine Health and Safety Act* and regulations; matters concerning the occupational health and safety of persons working in or about a mine; and any matter concerning the occupational health and safety of persons working in a mine that is referred to it by the Minister from time to time.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Mine Health and Safety Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission

**Reports to**

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission

**Contact information**

Chief Inspector of Mines  
Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission  
P.O. Box 8888  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4408

Fax: (867) 873-4596

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Patrick Tymchatyn, Tli Cho Logistics (Worker Representative)		
Floyd Collins, BHP Billiton Canada Inc. – Ekati Diamond Mine (Worker Representative)		
Ryan Barber, De Beers Canada Inc. – Snap Lake Mine (Worker Representative)		
Dave Power, Hope Bay Mining (Newmont Mining) – Hope Bay Project (Management Representative)		
Len Kutchaw, Agnico Eagle Mines – Meadowbank Mine (Management Representative)		
Peter Bengts, Chief Inspector of Mining (WSCC Representative)		
Vacant (Chamber of Mines to nominate)		

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## NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION TRUST FUND BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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**Function**

The purpose of the fund is to promote through education, research and demonstration, the wise use of renewable resources; awareness, enhancement and protection of the environment; and use of the most efficient and most effective methods of trapping wildlife.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Natural Resources Conservation Trust Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Reports to**

Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Contact information**

Assistant Deputy Minister  
Environment and Natural Resources  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7401

Fax: (867) 873-0638



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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES ARTS COUNCIL

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**Function**

The NWT Arts Council provides recommendations to the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment on financial awards for creative artistic projects in the visual, literary and performing arts, and on issues and policies associated with the arts and artists.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

NWT Arts Council Policy

**Appointed by**

Executive Council

**Reports to**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Contact information**

Manager, Community Programs  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6370

Fax: (867) 873-0205

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<b>Members</b>	<b>Appointed</b>	<b>Term Expires</b>
Winnie Cadieux (South Slave)	1-Feb-12	31-Jan-13
Margaret Nazon (Beaufort Delta)	1-Feb-11	31-Jan-13
Leela Gilday (Yellowknife)	1-Feb-11	31-Jan-13
Barb Tsetso (Deh Cho)	1-Feb-11	31-Jan-14
Viviane Edgi-Manuel (Sahtu)	1-Feb-11	31-Jan-14
Vacant (Tlicho)		

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND INVESTMENT CORPORATION BOARD

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### Function

The Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation Board is responsible for directing the operations of the Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation (BDIC). The BDIC was established to develop and deliver GNWT business assistance programming to businesses in the Northwest Territories, as well as operate selected subsidiaries for employment creation purposes.

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation Act*

### Appointed by

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

### Reports to

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
Business Development and Investment Corporation  
Industry, Tourism and Investment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Northwest Tower  
#701 – 5201 50<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 920-6455

Fax: (867) 765-0652

Website: [www.bdic.ca](http://www.bdic.ca)

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Darrell K. Beaulieu, Chairperson (N'dilo)	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-13
Denise C. Yuhas (Fort Smith)	1-Apr-10	31-Mar-13
Joanne Deneron (Fort Liard)	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Warren Wright (Norman Wells)	11-Apr-11	10-Apr-14
Gwen Robak (Hay River)	27-Aug-09	26-Aug-12
Charles Furlong (Aklavik)	01-Oct-10	30-Sept-13
Denny Rodgers (Inuvik)	15-Oct-09	14-Oct-12
Ruby Mary Landry (Kakisa)	05-Nov-10	04-Nov-13

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES EGG PRODUCERS BOARD

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**Function**

The Board is responsible for administering the industry's implementation of the regulated egg marketing system in the NWT. Included in these responsibilities is the allocation of quota, collection and remission of levies and representation on the Board of Directors of the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency (CEMA).

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Agricultural Products Marketing Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

**Reports to**

Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
NWT Egg Producers Board  
Suite 2- 4 Courtoreille  
Hay River, NT XOE 1G2

Telephone: (867) 874-6820

Fax: (867) 874-6840

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Jacqueline Milne, Chairperson (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-13
Glen Wallington (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-15
Bruce Ramage (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-15
Chief Roy Fabian (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-15
Michael Wallington (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-15
John Penner (Hay River)	1-Apr-12	31-Mar-15

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES JUDICIAL REMUNERATION COMMISSION

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**Function**

Under sections 12.1-12.95 of the *Territorial Court Act*, the Commission's function is to conduct an inquiry with respect to the salaries paid to territorial judges and the pension, vacation leave, sick leave and other benefits provided to territorial judges. After the inquiry, the Commission will prepare a report with recommendations for the Minister of Justice.

**Category**

Advisory/Regulatory

**Authority**

*Territorial Court Act*

**Appointed by**

Subsection 12.1(2) of the *Territorial Court Act* provides that the Commissioner in Executive Council shall appoint three members to the Commission as follows:

- (a) one member nominated by the Minister of Justice;

- (b) one member nominated by the Chief Judge, in consultation with the Territorial Court Judges' Association; and

- (c) one member nominated by the members appointed in (a) and (b) above.

**Reports to**

Minister of Justice

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
Northwest Territories Judicial  
Remuneration Commission  
5204 Lundquist Road  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3G2

Telephone: (867) 873-6024

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
David Gilday, Chairperson (Yellowknife)	1-Feb-11	31-Jan-15
David A. McPherson (Yellowknife)	15-Aug-10	14-Aug-14
Gerald F. Avery	15-Aug-10	14-Aug-14

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES HYDRO CORPORATION

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### Function

Section 5(1) of the *Northwest Territories Hydro Corporation Act* defines the objects of the Corporation as follows:

- (a) to generate, transform, transmit, distribute, deliver, sell and supply electricity on a safe, economic, efficient and reliable basis;
- (b) to undertake programs to conserve electricity;
- (c) to ensure a continuous supply of electricity adequate for the needs and future development of the Northwest Territories; and
- (d) to undertake any other activity authorized by the Executive Council.

In addition to the objects referred to in subsection (1), it is an object of the Corporation to facilitate the expansion of, addition to or replacement of the Twin Gorges Hydroelectric Generating Facility on the Talston River, and to participate in the supply and sale of electricity generated by that facility.

### Category

Chairperson: Complex Regulated/Unregulated  
Directors: Regulatory or Complex

### Authority

*Northwest Territories Hydro Corporation Act*

### Appointed by

Minister Responsible for the Northwest Territories Hydro Corporation

### Reports to

Minister Responsible for the Northwest Territories Hydro Corporation

### Contact information

Corporate Secretary  
Northwest Territories Hydro Corporation  
#206, 5102 – 50<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 766-5076

Fax: (867) 669-3395

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Brendan Bell (Chairperson) (Yellowknife)	3-Dec-10	21-Dec-13
Peter Allen (Vice-Chairperson) (Yellowknife)	22-Nov-02	21-Nov-12
Eric Menicoche (Fort Simpson)	08-Sep-09	07-Sep-12
David Tucker (Yellowknife)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-13
Eddie Lavoie (Inuvik)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-12
James Schaefer (Fort Smith)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-13
Danny Yakaleya (Tulita)	13-Dec-10	12-Dec-13
Joseph Mackenzie (Behchoko)	01-Apr-12	31-Mar-14

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES POWER CORPORATION

### Function

Section 5(1) of the *Northwest Territories Power Corporation Act* defines the objects of the Corporation as follows:

- (a) to generate, transform, transmit, distribute, deliver, sell and supply energy on a safe, economic, efficient and reliable basis;
- (b) to supply water and sewerage services;
  - (b.1) to undertake programs to conserve energy;
- (c) to ensure continuous supply of energy adequate for the needs and future development of the Territories;
- (d) to undertake any other activity authorized by the Executive Council; and
  - (d.1) to provide financing to the Snare Cascades hydro project.

The Corporation's objects were expanded to include:

- generate, transform, transmit, distribute, deliver, sell and supply energy and related services outside the Territories including elsewhere in Canada and in other countries;
- supply, design, operate, maintain, construct, train, acquire fuel and provide other services in the Territories and elsewhere in Canada and in other

countries in relation to diesel power plants;

- produce, gather, process, transport, distribute, purchase and market gas and natural gas liquids; and
- construct, operate, maintain and acquire and hold an interest in pipelines, processing plants and related facilities.

### Category

Chairperson: Complex Regulated/Unregulated  
Directors: Regulatory or Complex

### Authority

*Northwest Territories Power Corporation Act*

### Appointed by

Minister Responsible for the Northwest Territories Power Corporation

### Reports to

Minister Responsible for the Northwest Territories Power Corporation

### Contact information

Corporate Secretary  
Northwest Territories Power Corporation  
#206, 5102 – 50<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 766-5076

Fax: (867) 669-3395

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Brendan Bell (Chairperson) (Yellowknife)	3-Dec-10	21-Dec-13
Peter Allen (Vice-Chairperson) (Yellowknife)	22-Nov-02	21-Nov-12
Eric Menicoche (Fort Simpson)	08-Sep-09	07-Sep-12
David Tucker (Yellowknife)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-13
Eddie Lavoie (Inuvik)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-12
James Schaefer (Fort Smith)	22-Nov-09	21-Nov-13
Danny Yakaleya (Tulita)	13-Dec-10	12-Dec-13
Joseph Mackenzie (Behchoko)	01-Apr-12	31-Mar-13

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES REVIEW BOARD

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### Function

Section 672.38 of the *Criminal Code* (Canada) provides that a Northwest Territories Review Board shall be established or designated for each province or territory to make or review dispositions concerning any accused in respect of whom a verdict of not criminally responsible by reason of mental disorder or unfit to stand trial is rendered.

### Category

Advisory/Regulatory

### Authority

*Criminal Code* (Canada)

### Appointed by

Section 672.38 of the *Criminal Code* (Canada) provides that the Commissioner in Executive Council shall appoint at least five members to the Review Board as follows:

- (a) a chairperson, who is either a judge, a retired judge, or a person who is qualified to be a judge;

- (b) at least one member who is entitled to practice psychiatry; and
- (c) at least one member with training and expertise in mental health and who is entitled to practice medicine or psychology in the Northwest Territories.

### Reports to

Commissioner in Executive Council

### Contact information

Chairperson, Northwest Territories Review Board  
c/o McLennan Ross  
1001 Precambrian Bldg.  
4920 52 Street  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3T1

Telephone: (867) 766-7677

Fax: (867) 766-7678

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Katherine Peterson, Q.C. (Chairperson)	5-Jan-10	4-Jan-15
Glenn D. Tait (Vice-Chair)	6-Sep-07	5-Sep-12
Dr. Gordon Mowat (Psychiatrist)	23-Aug-07	22-Aug-12
Susan Ashton (Psychiatric Nurse)	25-Feb-10	24-Feb-15
Dr. Sarah Kelleher (Psychologist)	6-Sep-07	5-Sep-12
David Bruce Smith	13-Jan-12	12-Jan-17

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES SOCIAL ASSISTANCE APPEAL BOARD

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**Function**

The Social Assistance Appeal Board was established to hear appeals arising from findings of appeal committees.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Social Assistance Act*

**Contact information**

Director, Income Security  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-8921

Fax: (867) 873-0443

**Appointed by**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Georgina Jacobson-Masuzumi, Chairperson (Tuktoyaktuk)	12-Nov-10	11-Nov-12
Gregory Kelly, Vice-Chairperson (Yellowknife)	12-Nov-10	11-Nov-12
Gazira Chan (Fort Simpson)	12-Nov-10	11-Nov-12
Ronald Schaeffer (Fort Smith)	12-Nov-10	11-Nov-12
Valerie Conrad (Yellowknife)	12-Nov-10	11-Nov-12
Margaret Peterson (Yellowknife)	23-Aug-10	22-Aug-12
Grant Paziuk (Fort Smith)	23-Aug-10	22-Aug-12



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## OFFICIAL LANGUAGES BOARD

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**Function**

The Official Languages Board is established to advise and make recommendations to the Minister with respect to any matter within its review. Its focus is on services.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Official Languages Act*

**Appointed by**

Commissioner of the Northwest Territories on the recommendation of the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment and on the nomination of representatives of each of the Chipewyan, Cree, English, French, Gwich'in, Inuinnaqtun, Inuktitut, Inuvialuktun, North Slavey, South Slavey and Tlicho language communities.

**Reports to**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Contact information**

Director, Official Languages  
Education and Culture Branch  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6484

Fax: (867) 873-0185

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Georgina Biscaye (Chipewyan)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Vance Paul Sanderson (Cree)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Dorothy Lorraine Desjarlais (Cree) (Alternate)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Emily Maureen Kudlak (Inuvialuktun) (Alternate)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Beverly May Amos (Inuvialuktun)	20-Jan-11	20-Jan-13
Theresa Etchinelle (North Slavey) (Alternate)	10-Feb-11	10-Feb-13
Margaret Leishman (South Slavey)	22-Mar-10	21-Mar-13

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## PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

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**Function**

The Public Utilities Board regulates the energy utilities under its jurisdiction by reviewing the affairs, earnings and accounts of each public utility.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Public Utilities Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister Responsible for the Public Utilities Board,  
on the recommendation of Executive Council

**Reports to**

Minister Responsible for the Public Utilities Board

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
Public Utilities Board  
203-62 Woodland Drive, P.O. Box 4211  
Hay River, NT XOE 1G1

Telephone: (867) 874-3944

Fax: (867) 874-3639

Website: [www.nwtpublicutilitiesboard.ca](http://www.nwtpublicutilitiesboard.ca)

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Joe Acorn, Chairperson (Yellowknife)	1-Apr-08	31-Mar-13
Sandra Jaque, Vice Chairperson (Fort Smith)	1-Jun-08	31-Mar-13
Jake Heron (Yellowknife)	1-Apr-08	31-Mar-13
William Koe (Fort McPherson)	1-Apr-09	31-Mar-14
Peter Guthrie (Norman Wells)	9-Sep-10	9-Sep-12
Louise-Ann Celine Larocque, Secretary (Hay River)	1-May-98	Indeterminate

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## SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Safety Advisory Committee shall make recommendations respecting such amendments to this Act and the Regulations as may be required or desirable in the interests of occupational health and safety.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Section 26, Safety Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission

**Reports to**

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission

**Contact information**

Chief Safety Officer  
Workers' Safety and Compensation  
P.O. Box 8888  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 669-4418

Fax: (867) 873-0262

Member	Appointed	Term Expires
Judy Kainz CRSP, Chief Safety Officer, Chairperson		Indeterminate
Adam Chubbs, Iqaluit (Labour Representative)	9-Aug-10	31-Dec-12
Mary Lou Cherwaty, Yellowknife (Labour Representative)	1-Jan-09	31-Dec-14
Sonja Boucher, Yellowknife (Labour Representative)	1-Jan-09	21-Dec-15
Clarence Synard, Iqaluit (Employer Representative)	1-Jan-09	31-Dec-12
Stephen Moss, Yellowknife (Employer Representative)	1-Jan-09	21-Dec-14
Imo Adla, Iqaluit (Employer Representative)	1-Jan-09	31-Dec-14
Jack Rowe, Yellowknife (Employer Representative)	14-Jan-11	13-Jan-13

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## STATUS OF WOMEN COUNCIL

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### Function

The objectives of the Council are to:

- (a) develop public awareness of issues affecting the status of women;
- (b) promote a change in attitudes within the community in order that women may enjoy equality of opportunity;
- (c) encourage discussion and expression of opinion by residents of the Northwest Territories on issues affecting the status of women;
- (d) advise the Minister of issues that the Minister may refer to the Council for consideration;
- (e) review policies and legislation affecting women and to report its findings to relevant government departments or agencies;
- (f) provide assistance to the Minister in promoting changes to ensure the attainment of equality of women;
- (g) provide the appropriate assistance to organizations and groups whose objectives promote the equality of women.

### Category

Advisory

### Authority

*Status of Women Council Act*

### Appointed by

Minister Responsible for the Status of Women

### Reports to

The Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister Responsible for the Status of Women

### Contact information

Executive Director  
 Status of Women Council of the  
 Northwest Territories  
 5201-50<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Northwest Tower  
 P.O. Box 1320  
 Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6177

Fax: (867) 873-0285

E-mail: [council@statusofwomen.nt.ca](mailto:council@statusofwomen.nt.ca)

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Tina Gargan, President (Fort Providence)	6-Dec-11	6-Dec-14
Su-Ellen Kolback, Vice-President (Yellowknife)	30-Sept-10	30-Sept-13
Georgina Jacobson Masuzumi (Tuktoyaktuk)	30-Sep-10	30-Sep-13
Paulina Roche (Deline)	6-Dec-11	6-Dec-14
Doris Camsell (Hay River)	6-Dec-11	6-Dec-14

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## STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPEAL BOARD

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**Function**

The Student Financial Assistance Appeal Board was established to hear appeals arising from the administrative review of decisions regarding student financial assistance.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

*Student Financial Assistance Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Education, Culture and Employment

**Reports to**

No reporting relationship

**Contact information**

Manager, Student Financial Assistance  
Education, Culture and Employment  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7194

Fax: (867) 873-0336

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Vacant		

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## TERRITORIAL BOARD OF REVISION

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**Function**

The Territorial Board of Revision shall hear property assessment complaints made to it as a result of an assessment made by the Director of Assessment.

**Category**

Regulatory or Complex

**Authority**

*Property Assessment and Taxation Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

**Reports to**

Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs

**Contact information**

Secretary, Board of Revision  
Municipal and Community Affairs  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
Suite 600, 5201-50Ave.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S9

Telephone: (867) 873-7125

Fax: (867) 873-0609

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Vacant		
Michael Gagnon, Secretary (Yellowknife)	4-Jan-01	Indeterminate

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## VICTIMS ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Committee advises the Minister of Justice on policies for the provision of services for victims of crime and makes recommendations on the distribution of the Victims Assistance Fund.

**Category**

Advisory

**Authority**

*Victims of Crime Act*

**Appointed by**

Section 2 of the *Victims of Crime Act* provides that the Minister shall appoint three members of the Committee.

**Reports to**

Minister of Justice

**Contact information**

Manager, NWT Victim Services  
Community Justice Division  
Department of Justice  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2L9

Telephone: (867) 920-6911 (collect)

Fax: (867) 873-0199

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Bridget Laroque, Chairperson (Inuvik)	1-Aug-11	31-Jul-14
Florence Barnaby (Fort Good Hope)	1-Apr-10	31-Mar-13
Gladys MacPherson	12-Apr-12	11-Apr-15

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## WASTE REDUCTION AND RECOVERY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The purpose of the Waste Reduction and Recovery Advisory Committee is to advise the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources on the establishment and operation of programs to ensure improved reduction and recovery of waste.

**Authority**

Section 2(2) of the *Waste Reduction and Recovery Act*

**Appointed by**

Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Reports to**

Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Contact information**

Director  
Environment Division  
Environment and Natural Resources  
Government of the Northwest Territories  
P.O. Box 1320  
Yellowknife, NT X1A2L9

Telephone: (867) 873-7654

Fax: (867) 873-0221

Website: [www.icarenwt.ca](http://www.icarenwt.ca)



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## WORKERS' COMPENSATION APPEALS TRIBUNAL

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### Function

The Appeals Tribunal is the final level of the appeal process and hears appeals from a decision of a Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission review committee. A decision of the Appeals Tribunal on an appeal may not be questioned or reviewed in any court.

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Workers' Compensation Act* and *Workers' Compensation Agreement* (November 2001) between the Governments of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

### Appointed by

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission in the Northwest Territories. Each person appointed shall have experience and interest in workers' compensation issues; a member of at least five years good standing, of a law society of a territory or province; five years experience as a member of an administrative tribunal or court; or have other qualifications equivalent to those described above.

### Reports to

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission in consultation with the Nunavut Minister

### Contact information

General Manager  
Workers' Compensation Appeals Tribunal  
Suite 1002 - 10th Floor Precambrian Bldg.  
Box 20  
4920 - 52 Street  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3T1

Telephone: (867) 669-4420

Fax: (867) 766-4426

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Colin Baile, Chairperson	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Michael Chandler, Vice-Chair	1-Apr-11	8-Apr-13
Louis Sebert	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Cayley Thomas	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-14
Joan Mercredi	1-Apr-11	31-Mar-14

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## WORKERS' SAFETY AND COMPENSATION COMMISSION

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**Function**

The Commission was established to administer the *Workers' Compensation Act*.

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

*Workers' Compensation Act* and Workers' Compensation Agreement (November 2001) between the Governments of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

**Appointed by**

Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission in conjunction with the Nunavut Minister

**Reports to**

Legislative Assembly of the Northwest Territories through the Minister Responsible for the Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission

**Contact information**

Corporate Secretary/Manager, Policy and Planning  
Workers' Safety and Compensation Commission  
P.O. Box 8888  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

Telephone: (867) 920-3897

Fax: (867) 920-3894

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
William Aho, Chairperson	1-Apr-10	31-Mar-13
John Vander Velde (NU Worker Representative)	1-Sep-11	31-Aug-14
Fred Koe (NWT Public Interest Representative)	1-Feb-10	31-Jan-13
Karin MacDonald (NWT Employer Representative)	15-Oct-10	14-Oct-13
Christopher Callahan (NU Public Interest Representative)	1-Mar-11	28-Feb-14
Doug Witty (NWT Employer Representative)	1-Sep-09	31-Aug-12
David Ritchie (NWT Worker Representative)	11-Jun-11	10-Jun-14

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# **HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITIES**

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## BEAUFORT-DELTA HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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**Function**

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

**Reports to**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Contact information**

Chief Executive Officer  
Beaufort-Delta  
Health and Social Services Authority  
Bag Service 2  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-8146

Fax: (867) 777-8062

Public Administrator	Appointed	Term Expires
Peter Clarkson	19-Sep-11	At Pleasure

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## DEHCHO HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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### Function

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

### Reports to

Minister of Health and Social Services

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
 Dehcho Health and Social Services Authority  
 P.O. Box 246  
 Fort Simpson, NT X0E 0N0

Telephone: (867) 695-3815

Fax: (867) 695-2920

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Margaret Ireland, Chairperson (Jean Marie River)	2-Feb-11	At Pleasure
Brenda Jumbo (Trout Lake)	15-Mar-10	14-Mar-13
Sheila Chicot (Kakisa)	15-May-10	14-May-13
Peter Sabourin (Hay River Reserve)	22-Jan-04	31-Mar-13
Julie Capot-Blanc (Fort Liard)	1-Sep-08	31-Aug-14
Vacant (Fort Simpson)		
Delmar Bonnetrouge (Fort Providence)	15-Jan-10	14-Jan-13
Sally Yendo-Nayally (Wrigley)	1-Dec-10	30-Nov-13
Fred Tesou (Nahanni Butte)	1-Dec-10	30-Nov-13
Bertha Norwegian (Dehcho First Nation)	15-Mar-11	14-Mar-14

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## FORT SMITH HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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### Function

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

### Reports to

Minister of Health and Social Services

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
Fort Smith Health and Social Services Authority  
P.O. Box 1080  
Fort Smith, NT X0E 0P0

Telephone: (867) 872-6201

Fax: (867) 872-6291

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Brenda Johnson, Chairperson (Fort Smith) (at large)	26-Jun-01	At Pleasure
Bernie Minute (Town of Fort Smith)	9-Sep-10	8-Sep-13
Ron Schaefer (Salt River First Nation)	15-Jul-10	14-Jul-13
Linda Mabbitt (Métis Nation Local 50)	11-May-11	10-May-14
Josephine Weninger (Métis Nation Local 50)	11-May-11	10-May-14
Jeannie Marie-Jewell (Salt River First Nation)	15-Mar-11	14-Mar-14
Margaret Dumkee (Town of Fort Smith)	8-Apr-10	7-Apr-13

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## HAY RIVER HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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**Function**

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

**Reports to**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Contact information**

Chief Executive Officer  
Hay River Health and Social Services Authority  
3 Gaetz Drive  
Hay River, NT X0E 0R8

Telephone: (867) 874-7110

Fax: (867) 874-7109

Public Administrator	Appointed	Term Expires
Michael J. Maher	31-May-09	At Pleasure

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## SAHTU HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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**Function**

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

**Category**

Complex

**Authority**

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

**Reports to**

Minister of Health and Social Services

**Contact information**

Chief Executive Officer  
Sahtu Health and Social Services Authority  
P.O. Box 340  
Norman Wells, NT X0E 0V0

Telephone: (867) 587-3651

Fax: (867) 587-3436

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Gina Dolphus, Chairperson (Sahtu) (at large)	27-Apr-10	At Pleasure
Florence Barnaby (Fort Good Hope)	29-Aug-05	19-Sep-13
Danny Bayha (Deline)	29-Aug-05	19-Sep-13
Alvin Orlias (Colville Lake)	20-Sep-10	19-Sep-13
Margaret McDonald (Norman Wells)	30-Jun-11	29-Jun-14
Alphonsine McNeely (Elder)	30-Jun-11	29-Jun-14
Helen Squirrel (Tulita)	30-Jun-11	29-Jun-14
Nicole Peter (Youth)	30-Jun-11	29-Jun-14



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## STANTON TERRITORIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY

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### Function

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

### Reports to

Minister of Health and Social Services

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
Stanton Territorial Health Authority  
P.O. Box 10  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N1

Telephone: (867) 669-4224

Fax: (867) 669-4128

Public Administrator	Appointed	Term Expires
Joseph Handley	1-Dec-11	At Pleasure

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## TLICHO COMMUNITY SERVICES AGENCY

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### Function

Under the provisions of the *Tlicho Community Services Agency Act*, the Tlicho Community Services Agency is deemed to be a Board of Management. Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*, and regulations and other instruments under the Act, the Tlicho Community Services Agency:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facilities or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Tlicho Community Services Agency Act* and the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

### Reports to

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Intergovernmental Relations

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
Bag 5  
Behchoko, NT X0E 0Y0

Telephone: (867) 392-3000

Fax: (867) 392-3001

Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Ted Blondin, Chairperson (Behchoko)	1-May-10	31-Apr-14
Joseph Mackenzie (Behchoko)	29-Jan-10	1-Jun-13
Mabel Gon (Gameti)	29-Jan-10	1-Jun-13
Joseph Dryneck (Wekweeti)	29-Jan-10	1-Jun-13
Theodore Nitsiza (Whati)	29-Jan-10	1-Jun-13

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## YELLOWKNIFE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY

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### Function

Subject to the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* and regulations and other instruments made under this Act, a Board of Management:

- (a) shall manage, control and operate the health facility or social service facility for which it is responsible; and
- (b) may, subject to Part IX of the *Financial Administration Act*, exercise any powers that are necessary and incidental to its duties under paragraph (a).

### Category

Complex

### Authority

*Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act*

### Reports to

Minister of Health and Social Services

### Contact information

Chief Executive Officer  
Yellowknife Health and Social Services Authority  
P.O. Box 608  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N5

Telephone: (867) 873-7224

Fax: (867) 873-0161

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Members	Appointed	Term Expires
Elizabeth Wyman, Chairperson (Yellowknife) (at large)	31-Aug-04	At Pleasure
Andrew Wong (Yellowknife)	15-May-06	14-May-15
Shirley Tsetta (Yellowknives Dene First Nation)	20-May-10	19-May-13
Emily Saunders (LutselK'e Dene First Nation)	3-Sep-10	2-Sep-13
Kevin McLeod (Yellowknife)	28-Jul-04	20-Nov-13
Douglas Ritchie (Yellowknife)	4-Aug-11	3-Aug-14
Brandie Miersch (Fort Resolution)	1-Mar-12	28-Feb-15
Yacub Adam (Yellowknife)	24-May-12	23-May-15

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# LANDS AND RESOURCES BOARDS

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## BEVERLY AND QAMANIRJUAQ CARIBOU MANAGEMENT BOARD

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### **Function**

The Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board provides advice and recommendations to the Governments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Northwest Territories and Nunavut on matters concerned with the protection and management of these herds and their habitat.

### **Authority**

Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Barren-ground Caribou Management Agreement

### **Appointed by**

Ministers of Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Saskatchewan and Manitoba

### **Reports to**

Ministers of Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Saskatchewan and Manitoba

### **Contact information**

Executive Director  
Beverly and Qamanirjuaq  
Caribou Management Board  
P.O. Box 629  
Stonewall, MB R0C 2Z0

Telephone: (204) 467-2438

Website: [www.arctic-caribou.com](http://www.arctic-caribou.com)

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## DEHCHO LAND USE PLANNING COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Deh Cho Land Use Planning Committee develops an interim land use plan for the Deh Cho Region as defined by the Deh Cho Interim Measures Agreement. The Committee will be responsible for monitoring compliance with the land use plan upon final approval and implementation.

**Authority**

Deh Cho Interim Measures Agreement

**Appointed by**

Deh Cho First Nations, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, and Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada.

**Reports to**

Deh Cho First Nations, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, and Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada.

**Contact information**

Executive Director  
Deh Cho Land Use Planning Committee  
P.O. Box 199  
Fort Providence, NT X0E 0L0

Telephone: (867) 699-3162

Fax: (867) 699-3166

Website: [www.dehcholands.org](http://www.dehcholands.org)

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## **GWICH'IN ARBITRATION PANEL**

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### **Function**

The Gwich'in Arbitration Panel has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement stipulates is to be determined by arbitration and any matter concerning the interpretation or application of the Agreement which the parties agree to be bound by an arbitration decision in accordance with the dispute resolution chapter.

### **Authority**

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement

### **Appointed by**

Government of Canada, Government of the Northwest Territories and Gwich'in Tribal Council

### **Contact information**

Claims Planning and Implementation  
Aboriginal Affairs and  
Northern Development Canada  
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0H4

Telephone: (819) 997-9666

Fax: (819) 994-5967



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## GWICH'IN LAND AND WATER BOARD

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**Function**

The Gwich'in Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licences throughout the Gwich'in Settlement Area.

**Authority**

Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Contact information**

Executive Director  
Gwich'in Land and Water Board  
P.O. Box 2018  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-7960  
Fax: (867) 777-7970  
Website: [www.glwb.com](http://www.glwb.com)

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## GWICH'IN LAND USE PLANNING BOARD

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### **Function**

The Gwich'in Land Use Planning Board reviews and updates the Land Use Plan for the settlement area, reviews and recommends approvals, exceptions and amendments to the Plan.

### **Authority**

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act

### **Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Parties to**

Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada, and Gwich'in Tribal Council

### **Contact information**

Chairperson  
Gwich'in Land Use Planning Board  
P.O. Box 2478  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-7936  
Fax: (867) 777-7970  
Website: [www.gwichinplanning.nt.ca](http://www.gwichinplanning.nt.ca)

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## GWICH'IN RENEWABLE RESOURCES BOARD

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**Function**

The Gwich'in Renewable Resources Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and acts in the public interests. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and its objectives.

**Authority**

Gwich'in Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement

**Appointed by**

Governor in Council (Government of Canada) and Executive Council (Government of the Northwest Territories)

**Reports to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada and Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
Gwich'in Renewable Resources Board  
P.O. Box 2240  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-6600  
Fax: (867) 777-6601  
Website: [www.grrb.nt.ca](http://www.grrb.nt.ca)

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## INTERNATIONAL PORCUPINE CARIBOU BOARD

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**Function**

The International Porcupine Caribou Board administers the bilateral agreement between Canada and the United States and provides advice and recommendations to the Ministers of Canada, Yukon, Northwest Territories, Alaska and United States on matters relating to the protection and management of the porcupine caribou herd.

**Authority**

International Agreement for the Conservation of the Porcupine Caribou Herd

**Appointed by**

Governments of Canada and United States

**Parties to**

Governments of Canada and the United States

**Contact information**

Canadian Wildlife Service  
Environment Canada  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0H3

Telephone: (819) 997-1301  
Fax: (819) 953-7177

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## INUVIALUIT ARBITRATION BOARD

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### **Function**

The Inuvialuit Arbitration Board has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the Inuvialuit Final Agreement stipulates is to be determined by arbitration and any matter concerning the meaning, interpretation, application or implementation of the Agreement.

### **Authority**

Inuvialuit Final Agreement

### **Appointed by**

Canada appoints five (5) members, the Inuvialuit and Industry each appoint three members. Of the five members appointed by Canada, the Government of the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territorial Government shall each designate one.

### **Contact information**

Claims Planning and Implementation  
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development  
Canada  
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0H4

Telephone: (819) 997-9666

Fax: (819) 994-5967

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## INUVIALUIT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REVIEW BOARD

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### **Function**

The Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Review Board conducts public reviews of development proposals referred to it by the Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Screening Committee and advises the appropriate government authority as to whether proposed developments should proceed and under what conditions. Where projects are found to affect wildlife harvesting, the Board provides an estimate of the potential liability to the developer.

### **Authority**

Inuvialuit Final Agreement (1984)

### **Appointed by**

The Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada.

### **Reports to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Contact information**

Environmental Impact Review Board  
P.O. Box 2120  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-2828

Fax: (867) 777-2610

Website: [www.jointsecretariat.ca](http://www.jointsecretariat.ca)

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## INUVIALUIT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT SCREENING COMMITTEE

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**Function**

The Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Screening Committee examines all development proposals in the Inuvialuit Settlement Region to determine whether they contain sufficient information to make an assessment, and whether they might have significant negative environmental impact, or potential impact, on present or future harvesting. Proposals considered to pose significant environmental impact are referred to the Inuvialuit Environmental Impact Review Board for public review.

**Authority**

Inuvialuit Final Agreement (1984)

**Appointed by**

The Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada and the Inuvialuit Game Council

**Reports to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada.

**Contact information**

Environmental Impact Screening Committee  
P.O. Box 2120  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-2828

Fax: (867) 777-2610

Website: [www.jointsecretariat.ca](http://www.jointsecretariat.ca)

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## MACKENZIE RIVER BASIN BOARD

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### **Function**

The Mackenzie River Basin Board provides a forum for communication, coordination, information exchange, notification and consultation on matters that concern the ecological integrity of the aquatic ecosystem of the Mackenzie River Basin. The Board is also responsible for identifying, recommending and implementing such studies, investigations, programs and activities as are required to ensure the cooperative management of the aquatic ecosystem.

### **Authority**

Mackenzie River Basin Transboundary Waters Master Agreement

### **Appointed by**

Ministers of Northwest Territories, Yukon, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Canada

### **Reports to**

Ministers of Northwest Territories, Yukon, British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Canada

### **Contact information**

4th Floor, 5019-52nd St.  
P.O. Box 2310 Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P7

Ph: (867) 669-2776

Fax: (867) 873-8181



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## MACKENZIE VALLEY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REVIEW BOARD

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**Function**

The Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board is responsible for conducting environmental assessments of developments that are referred to it. Through the environmental assessment process, the Board may recommend ways to protect the socio-economic and natural environments from impacts caused by a development.

**Authority**

Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Contact information**

Executive Director  
Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board  
Box 938, 200 Scotia Centre  
5102 - 50th Avenue  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N7

Telephone: (867) 766-7055

Fax: (867) 766-7074

Website: [www.mveirb.nt.ca](http://www.mveirb.nt.ca)

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## MACKENZIE VALLEY LAND AND WATER BOARD

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### **Function**

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licenses in all areas of the Northwest Territories outside the Inuvialuit, Gwich'in and Sahtu land claim settlement regions. It also issues land and water permits in the Gwich'in and Sahtu settlement regions for developments that are transboundary in nature. The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board is also responsible for regulating the use of land and water for any development that will have impact in a region with no land claim settlement.

### **Authority**

*Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

### **Appointed by**

Ministers of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Contact information**

Executive Director  
Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board  
P.O. Box 2130  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P6

Telephone: (867) 669-0506

Fax: (867) 873-6610

Website: [www.mvlwb.com](http://www.mvlwb.com)

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## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES WATER BOARD

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**Function**

The Northwest Territories Water Board is responsible for regulating the use of water and the deposit of waste into water in the Inuvialuit Settlement Region.

**Category**

Regulatory

**Authority**

NWT Waters Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Contact information**

5101 - 50 Avenue  
Suite 300, Greenstone Building  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N9

Telephone: (867) 765-0106

Fax: (867) 765-0114

Website: [www.nwtwb.com](http://www.nwtwb.com)

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## PORCUPINE CARIBOU MANAGEMENT BOARD

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**Function**

The Canadian Porcupine Caribou Management Board provides advice and recommendations to the Ministers of Canada, Yukon and the Northwest Territories on matters relating to this caribou herd.

**Authority**

Porcupine Caribou Management Agreement

**Appointed by**

Government of Canada, Government of Yukon, Government of the Northwest Territories.

**Parties to**

Ministers of Canada, Yukon and Northwest Territories

**Contact information**

Porcupine Caribou Management Board  
P.O. Box 31723  
Whitehorse, YT Y1A 6L3

Telephone: (867) 633-4780

Fax: (867) 393-3904

Website: [www.pcmb@taiga.net/pcmb](http://www.pcmb@taiga.net/pcmb)

E-mail: [pcmb@taig.net](mailto:pcmb@taig.net)

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## SAHTU ARBITRATION PANEL

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**Function**

The Sahtu Arbitration Panel has the jurisdiction to arbitrate in respect of any matter which the Sahtu Dene and Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement stipulates is to be determined by arbitration and any matter concerning the interpretation or application of the Agreement which the parties agree to be bound by an arbitration decision in accordance with the dispute resolution chapter.

**Authority**

Sahtu Dene and Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement

**Appointed by**

Government of Canada, Government of the Northwest Territories and Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated

**Contact information**

Claims Planning and Implementation  
Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development  
Canada  
Room 1550, 25 Eddy Street  
Ottawa, ON K1A 0H4

Telephone: (819) 997-9666

Fax: (819) 994-5967

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## SAHTU LAND AND WATER BOARD

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**Function**

The Sahtu Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water throughout the settlement area, including Sahtu lands.

**Authority**

Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act

**Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Contact information**

Executive Director  
Sahtu Land and Water Board  
P.O. Box 1  
Fort Good Hope, NT X0E 0H0

Telephone: (867) 598-2413

Fax: (867) 598-2325

Website: [www.slwb.com](http://www.slwb.com)

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## SAHTU LAND USE PLANNING BOARD

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### **Function**

The Sahtu Land Use Planning Board develops a land use plan for the settlement areas, reviews and recommends approvals, exceptions and amendments to the plan.

### **Authority**

Sahtu Dene and Metis Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

### **Appointed by**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada, the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources and the Sahtu Secretariat Incorporated

### **Contact information**

Chairperson  
Sahtu Land Use Planning Board  
P.O. Box 235  
Fort Good Hope, NT X0E 0H0

Telephone: (867) 598-2055

Fax: (867) 598-2545

Website: [www.sahtulanduseplan.org](http://www.sahtulanduseplan.org)

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## SAHTU RENEWABLE RESOURCES BOARD

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**Function**

The Sahtu Renewable Resources Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and shall act in the public interest. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Sahtu Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement and its objectives.

**Authority**

Sahtu Comprehensive Land Claim Agreement

**Appointed by**

Governor in Council (Government of Canada) and Executive Council (Government of the Northwest Territories)

**Reports to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada and the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources

**Contact information**

Chairperson  
Sahtu Renewable Resources Board  
P.O. Box 134  
Tulita, NT X0E 0H0

Telephone: (867) 588-4040  
Fax: (867) 588-3324  
Website: [www.srrb.nt.ca](http://www.srrb.nt.ca)



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## WEK'ÈEZHÌ LAND AND WATER BOARD

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**Function**

The Wek'eezhii Land and Water Board regulates the use of land and water by issuing, amending, renewing and suspending land use permits and water licenses throughout the Wek'eezhii Settlement Area.

**Authority**

*Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*

**Appointed by**

The Tlicho Government and the Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Parties to**

Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

**Contact information**

#1-4905 48th St.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 3S3

Telephone: 867-765-4592

Fax: 867-765-4593

Website: [www.wlwb.com](http://www.wlwb.com)

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## WEK'ÈEZHÌ RENEWABLE RESOURCES BOARD

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### **Function**

The Wek'èezhii Renewable Resources Board is the main instrument of wildlife management in the settlement area and shall act in the public interest. Wildlife are managed in accordance with the Tlicho Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement and its objectives.

### **Authority**

The Tlicho Comprehensive Land Claim and Self-Government Agreement

### **Appointed by**

The Tlicho Government, the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources and the Minister of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada

### **Reports to**

Ministers of Canada, the Northwest Territories and the Tlicho Government

### **Contact information**

Executive Director  
Wek'èezhii Renewable Resources Board  
102A, 4509-49<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Yellowknife, NT X1A 1A7

Telephone: (867) 873-5740

Fax: (867) 873-5743

Website: [www.wrrb.ca](http://www.wrrb.ca)

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## WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (NWT)

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### **Function**

The Wildlife Management Advisory Council's role is to advise appropriate Ministers on all matters relating to wildlife policy, and the management, regulation, research, enforcement and administration of wildlife, habitat and harvesting for the Inuvialuit Settlement Area. The Council is responsible for preparing conservation and management plans, and to determine and recommend harvest quotas.

### **Authority**

Inuvialuit Final Agreement

### **Appointed by**

Inuvialuit, Government of the Northwest Territories and Government of Canada

### **Reports to**

Inuvialuit, Government of the Northwest Territories and Government of Canada

### **Contact information**

Chairperson  
Wildlife Management Advisory Council  
P.O. Box 2120  
Inuvik, NT X0E 0T0

Telephone: (867) 777-2828

Fax: (867) 777-2610

Website: [www.jointsecretariat.ca](http://www.jointsecretariat.ca)