



Invitation for Applications Languages Commissioner of Nunavut

The Legislative Assembly of Nunavut's Management and Services Board invites applications for the unique and challenging position of Languages Commissioner of Nunavut. The Languages Commissioner is an independent officer of the Legislative Assembly. This is a five-year statutory appointment. The Languages Commissioner is appointed by the Commissioner of Nunavut on the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly.

The Languages Commissioner exercises a wide range of powers and responsibilities under the *Official Languages Act* and the *Inuit Language Protection Act*. Copies of these pieces of legislation are available at: www.gov.nu.ca/justice. A detailed *Position Profile* for the position of Languages Commissioner may be obtained from the Legislative Assembly's website at www.assembly.nu.ca. Past annual reports and other publications of the Office of the Languages Commissioner are available at: www.langcom.nu.ca.

The successful candidate will be an experienced senior manager with proven professional success in managing complex administrative operations. Knowledge of official languages legislation is essential. This position requires a high degree of attention to detail, including the ability to accurately interpret, administer and explain complex statutes and regulations. The successful candidate will possess the ability to communicate clearly and consistently with the general public, stakeholder groups and the news media. Excellent writing skills, including the ability to draft comprehensive annual reports to the Legislative Assembly, are required. In order to be considered for appointment to this position, candidates must demonstrate fluency in the Inuit Language and at least one other of Nunavut's official languages.

Relocation assistance and subsidized staff housing is available. The salary range for the position of Languages Commissioner is \$119,000 to \$170,000. Applications will be accepted until 5:00pm (EST) on **Friday, March 24, 2017**. Applications and inquiries should be directed to:

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