



Fact Sheet

Role of Independent Officers of the Legislative Assembly

There are a number of Independent Officers of the Legislative Assembly. They are:

Chief Electoral Officer

This position is appointed by the Commissioner of Nunavut on the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the *Nunavut Elections Act*. The Chief Electoral Officer is responsible for the administration of Nunavut's territorial general elections, by-elections and plebiscites.

For further information, visit: <http://www.elections.nu.ca/>

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Information and Privacy Commissioner of Nunavut

This position is appointed by the Commissioner of Nunavut on the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act*. The Information and Privacy Commissioner has a broad range of responsibilities under the Act, including monitoring government compliance with the legislation.

For further information, visit: <http://www.info-privacy.nu.ca/>

Integrity Commissioner of Nunavut

This position is appointed by the Commissioner of Nunavut on the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the *Integrity Act*. The Integrity Commissioner advises Members of the Legislative Assembly on the ethical performance of their official duties and administers a system of standards and accountability under the *Integrity Act*.

For further information, visit: <http://www.integritycom.nu.ca/>

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Languages Commissioner of Nunavut

This position is appointed by the Commissioner of Nunavut on the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to Nunavut's *Official Languages Act*. The Languages Commissioner has a broad range of responsibilities under the Act, including monitoring government compliance with the legislation. The position also has responsibilities under the *Inuit Language Protection Act*.

For further information, visit: <http://www.langcom.nu.ca/>

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Auditor General of Canada

The Auditor General of Canada is a federal appointee whose responsibilities include reporting to the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut on the financial statements of the Government of Nunavut and other matters, pursuant to the *Nunavut Act*. The Auditor General also performs this role in the Northwest Territories and the Yukon.

For further information, visit: <http://www.oag-bvg.gc.ca/>

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