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Executive Council to remain at seven Members

IQALUIT, **Nunavut (March 24, 2003) -** The Members of the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut decided today that the size of the Executive Council will remain at seven.

The Executive Council, commonly referred to as Cabinet, presently consists of the Premier and six Ministers.

Chair of Caucus Jobie Nutarak said, "Members felt that it was unnecessary at this stage in our mandate to select a new Minister. The present Cabinet is well-experienced, and Members are confident that they will be able to manage the business of government until the end of the First Assembly."

The Legislative Assembly is presently in Session.

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