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**2016 Speaker's Youth Parliament to be Televised Live across Nunavut**

**IQALUIT, Nunavut (November 23, 2016)** - The Honourable George Qulaut, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut, today announced that the 6<sup>th</sup> Speaker's Youth Parliament will be televised live across the territory on local community cable stations and direct-to-home satellite service on the Bell (channel 513) and Shaw (channel 289 – classic / channel 489 – new lineup) networks.

The proceedings of the Youth Parliament will be held in the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly on Thursday, November 24, 2016, starting at 1:30pm (EST). The proceedings of the Youth Parliament are open to the public to observe from the Visitors' Gallery.

Nunavut's Representative for Children and Youth, Ms. Sherry McNeil-Mulak, will appear before the Youth Parliament to respond to students' questions concerning her office's role and responsibilities. The Representative for Children and Youth is an independent officer of the Legislative Assembly.

"Participating in Youth Parliament provides students with the opportunity to learn about our territory's democratic institutions and experience the role of an elected Member of the Legislative Assembly," said Speaker Qulaut.

This year's Youth Parliamentarians are enrolled in high schools from across Nunavut. Students who were selected to represent Nunavut's twenty-two constituencies submitted applications to participate in the Youth Parliament through their respective schools.

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