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R E L E A S E

Members of the Legislative Assembly Select New Speaker

IQALUIT, Nunavut (May 31, 2011) – Hunter Tootoo, MLA for Iqaluit Centre, has been selected to serve as Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut.

Speaker-designate Tootoo's appointment will be formalized by motion during today's sitting of the House.

Caucus has agreed that the vacant Cabinet position will be filled in the fall, following the scheduled by-elections in Iqaluit West, Pangnirtung and Tununiq. The date and time for the selection of a new Minister will be announced at a later date.

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