

RETURN TO WRITTEN QUESTION

Asked by: Joe Savikataaq, MLA Arviat South

Date Asked: 31-May-24

Asked of: The Honourable P.J. Akeeagok, Premier of Nunavut

Number 8-6 (2)

Subject: Ministerial Duty and Home Travel

Questions:

- 1 What duty travel was undertaken by the Premier and members of the Executive Council between January 1, 2024 and May 30, 2024
- 2 What was the cost, duration, itinerary, purpose of each trip?
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 3 Who took part in each trip?

 4 Within the meaning of the "Home Travel" provisions of the Government of Nunavut's *Ministerial Benefits Policy*, how many trips were undertaken between January 1, 2024 and May 30, 2024, by members of the Executive Council who are not residents of Iqaluit?
- 5 What were the dates and duration of each trip?

Response to Questions 1, 2 and 3 Related to Duty Travel

Travel Dates	Duration	Itinerary	Purpose of trip	Cost	Other Participants
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Premier PJ Akeeagok					
January 8 - 9, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Whale Cove- Chesterfield Inlet	Community Visit - Whale Cove and Chesterfield	20,557	Ministerial Political Advisor
January 27-29, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Ottawa	State Funeral for Hon. Ed Broadbent	3,987	
February 2 - 9, 2024	8	Iqaluit - Yellowknife - Taloyoak-Cambridge Bay	Community Visit - Taloyoak and Kitikmeot Trade Show	8,703	Chief of Strategic Operations
March 20 - 27, 2024	7	Iqaluit - Ottawa	State Funeral for Brian Mulroney and Nunavut Sivuniksavut Presentation	4,209	
April 28 - 30, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Canada Club & Meet with Minister Miller	1,830	
May 6 - 9, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Pond Inlet	Northern Premiers Forum	35,832	Principal Secretary, Cabinet Secretary, Chief of Strategic Operations, Ministerial Political Advisor, Press Secretary
May 12 - 15, ,2024	4	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	27,263	Principal Secretary, Cabinet Secretary, Chief of Strategic Operations
May 15 - 17, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Nunavut Sivuniksavut Graduation		Ministerial Political Advisor
				108,521	
Minister Daniel Qavvik					
January 8 - 9, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Whale Cove - Chesterfield Inlet	Community Visit - Whale Cove and Chesterfield	, -	Ministerial Political Advisor
February 5 - 7, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Baker Lake	Community visit with MLA and NAC- Baker Lake	,	Ministerial Political Advisor
April 22 - 29, 2024	7	Iqaluit - Yellowknife	Meeting with Northwest Territories Minister	,	Ministerial Political Advisor
May 12 - 19, 2024	7	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet - Whitehorse	Cabinet Retreat and FPT Whitehorse		Ministerial Political Advisor
				35,193	
Minister Margaret Nakashuk	5	Incluit Ottown	FPT of Forum Market Ministers	4.040	
January 14 - 18, 2024 February 6 - 12, 2024	7	Iqaluit - Ottawa Iqaluit - Ottawa	FPTI on Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls	1,849 2,203	
May 12 - 15, ,2024	5	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,102	
				16,153	
Minister Pamela Gross					
May 12 - 15, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,274	
May 15 - 17, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Nunavut Sivuniksavut Graduation	6,443	
				18,717	
Minister Karen Nutarak				42.402	A
May 12 - 15, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,102	Ministerial Political Advisor
Minister Lorne Kusugak				12,102	
January 28 - 31, 2024	3	Igaluit - Ottawa	Site Visit Modular Home with NHC President	1 607	President NHC, Chair of NHC
February 14 - 17, 2024	4	Rankin Inlet - Winnipeg - Thompson -			Ministerial Political Advisor
March 18 - 21, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Canadian Mortgage Housing Corporation Annual General Meeting	8,884	Ministerial Political Advisor
April 23 - 25, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Pond Inlet	NHC Board Meeting	3,956	Ministerial Political Advisor (NHC arranged the charter)
April 30 - May 3, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Arctic Cooperatives Limited Annual General Meeting	3,480	
May 16 - 17, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Gjoa Haven	Signing MOU with KitA & Handover of Facility		(Note: NHC arranged the charter)
Minister David Joanasie				28,794	
January 8 - 9, 2024	1	Iqaluit - Whale Cove - Chesterfield Inlet	Community Visit	1,114	Ministerial Political Advisor
January 11 - 12, 2024	1	Igaluit - Pond Inlet	Community Visit	6 643	Ministerial Political Advisor
January 15 - 16, 2024	1	Igaluit - Kinngait	Community Visit	-,	Ministerial Political Advisor

February 5 - 9, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Cambridge Bay	Kitikmeot Tradeshow	869	-
March 9 - 16, 2024	7	Iqaluit - Alaska	Arctic Winter Games	1,895	Ministerial Political Advisor
May 12 - 15, ,2024	4	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,102	
May 15 - 17, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Nunavut Sivuniksavut Graduation	7,877	Ministerial Political Advisor
				35,350	
Minister David Akeeagok					
February 5 - 9, 2024	4	Iqaluit - Cambridge Bay	Kitikmeot Tradeshow	2,016	Ministerial Political Advisor
April 11 - 16, 2024	5	Iqaluit - Arctic Bay	Nunavut Quest/25 Year Servie Awards	6,162	
May 6 - 9, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Grise Fiord	Long Term Service Awards	1,262	
May 12 - 14, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,136	
				21,576	
Minister John Main					
January 8 - 9, 2024	1	Iqaluit - Whale Cove - Chesterfield Inlet	Community Visits	696	
February 9 - 14, 2024	5	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Senate Committee Hearings	2,744	Ministerial Political Advisor
March 17 - 19, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Ottawa	Senate Committee Hearings	3,496	Ministerial Political Advisor
April 15 - 17, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Naujaat - Pond Inlet	GN NTI PHAC Tour	380	
Apri 29 - May 1, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Kivalliq Long Term Care Centre contract signing	5,544	Ministerial Political Advisor
May 12 - 14, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet	Cabinet Retreat	12,136	
May 13 - 15, 2024	2	Iqaluit - Arviat	Kivalliq Long Term Care Centre contract signing	6,366	Ministerial Political Advisor
				31,363	
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Grand Total 307,770

Response to Questions 4 and 5 Related to Home Travel

Travel Dates	Duration	Itinerary	Purpose of trip	Cost		Number of One-Way Trips
Minister Daniel Qavvik		*				• •
January 25, 2024 -	7	Igaluit - Sanikiluag -	Home Travel - Minister and Family		10.437	8 (Note: Dependents stayed in Sanikiluaq; only Minister
February 1, 2024	•	Igaluit			10,701	returned to Iqaluit)
March 8, 2024 -	11	Igaluit - Sanikiluag -	Home Travel - Minister		12,366	
March 18, 2024		Igaluit			12,500	
May 23, ,2024	119	Sanikiluaq - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Dependents		-,-	6 (Note: Dependents returned from Sanikiluaq from their January home travel)
Minister Margaret Nakashuk					42,717	
January 3, 2024 - January 9, 2024	6	Pangnirtung - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Dependent		403	2
February 14 - 20,	7	Iqaluit - Pangnirtung -	Home Travel - Minister		920	2
2024		Iqaluit				
February 15 - 20, 2024	6	Iqaluit - Pangnirtung - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Spouse		827	2
February 26, 2024 -	21	Iqaluit - Pangnirtung -	Home Travel - Dependent		827	2
March 17, 2024		Iqaluit	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		OL,	
March 24, 2024 -	23	Iqaluit - Pangnirtung -	Home Travel - Minister		1,242	2
April 15, 2024		Iqaluit				
March 25 - 29, 2024	5	Iqaluit - Pangnirtung - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Spouse/Dependent		1,868	4
		4			6,088	
Minister Pamela Gross					.,	
January 14, 2024 - February 20, 2024	37	Iqaluit - Cambridge Bay	Home Travel - Minister and Family		2,842	4
March 22 - 29, 2024	8	Iqaluit - Cambridge Bay	Home Travel - Minister and Family		10,737	4
		- Iqaluit			13,579	
Minister Karen Nutarak					_ 5,5.5	
March 22, 2024 -	15	Iqaluit - Pond Inlet	Home Travel - Minister		1,080	2
April 5, 2024		*****			1,000	
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Minister Lorne Kusugak					,	
January 3 - 5, 2024	3	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Minister		1,569	2
January 14, 2024 -	36	Igaluit - Rankin Inlet -	Home Travel - Minister		1,594	2
February 18, 2024	30	Iqaluit	Tione riote. Immisee		1,334	-
March 13 - 18, 2024	6	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet -	Home Travel - Minister		2,153	2
April 25 - 29, 2024	5	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet -	Home Travel - Minister		810	2
		Iqaluit				
May 19 - 31, 2024	12	Iqaluit - Rankin Inlet - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Minister		1,288	
					7,414	
Minister John Main						
January 1 - 5, 2024	4	Arviat - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Minister and Family		4,021	5
March 29, 2024 - April 7, 2024	10	Iqaluit - Arviat - Iqaluit	Home Travel - Minister and Family		11,346	
					15,367	
				Grand Total	86,245	

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