

Communiqué

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APPOINTMENT OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Kuujjuaq, December 4, 2012 – The board of directors of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (NRBHSS) is pleased to announce the appointment of Minnie Grey as Executive Director of the NRBHSS. Meeting for the 88th session of the NRBHSS board of directors from December 4 to 6, 2012, the members unanimously adopted the selection committee's recommendation.

Mrs. Grey has held various positions during her career, including a previous stint as Executive Director of the NRBHSS as well as head negotiator for Nunavik's regional government. In February 2012, she received a recognition award from the National Aboriginal Achievement Awards.

"Mrs. Grey's experience and reputation are invaluable assets for the Nunavik health and social services network. She is very capable of guiding the NRBHSS in applying the regional priorities," stated Josepi Padlayat, Chairperson of the board of directors, on behalf of the board.

The members of the NRBHSS board of directors wish to thank Gilles Boulet, assistant to the Executive Director, who will ensure the interim until Mrs. Grey assumes her duties on January 7, 2013. The members would also like to wish Mrs. Grey success in her new functions.

The NRBHSS is a public agency created in 1978 under the **James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement**. It is responsible for nearly the entire Québec territory located north of the 55th parallel in terms of the provision of health and social services for the inhabitants of the 14 communities.

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