



News Release

Minister Anawak appoints sports advisory committee

IQALUIT, Nunavut (January 12, 2000) – Minister Responsible for Sport Jack Anawak announced the creation of a seven-member Advisory Committee on Sport.

The committee will advise Minister Anawak on sport-related issues to assist the Government of Nunavut in working towards meeting its wellness initiatives identified in the *Bathurst Mandate*.

“The Advisory Committee on Sport members were appointed for their experience in the promotion and preservation of sport development in Nunavut,” Minister Anawak said. “They will assist me in ensuring that the growth of our athletes is a high priority in the development of our recreation programs.”

Committee President Dawn I. Currie, a recreation director for the Hamlet of Cambridge Bay, expressed her appreciation at being appointed to the position.

“I am pleased to be a member of the Minister’s Advisory Committee and am encouraged to see that the Government of Nunavut is taking a serious position on sport initiatives.”

Other committee members are: Simon Kuliktana, Lance Vaillancourt, Kevin Niptanatiak, Mickey Akavak, Terry McCallum, and Bruce McKitrick.

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