



## News release

### Apprenticeship, Trade and Occupations Certification Board provides another step in development of trades training

**IQALUIT, Nunavut (May 1, 2001)** – Education Minister Peter Kilabuk announces the establishment of Nunavut’s first Apprenticeship, Trade and Occupations Certification Board.

“The Board will become the driving force in the development of trade regulations, new trade initiatives and certification qualifications,” Minister Kilabuk said. “It represents a significant building block for the Nunavut Apprenticeship Program and will be a major step forward in the development of Nunavut’s Apprenticeship Training programs.”

The Board will provide Minister Kilabuk with recommendations regarding apprenticeship training and occupational programs in Nunavut.

Board members were nominated and selected from throughout the territory and include: Joe Alexander, Rankin Inlet; Jens Steenberg, Iqaluit; Harry Flaherty, Iqaluit; Peter Mackey, Iqaluit; Melinda Tatty, Rankin Inlet; Leslie Beasley, Cambridge Bay; and Frank Tootoo, Baker Lake.

Two representatives from the Nunavut Arctic College will also attend board meetings to offer input.

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