



News Release

Tell Us What You're Celebrating

Iqaluit (Nunavut), March 27, 2009 – Share your thoughts on Nunavut's 10th Anniversary and the next ten years of our territory and Government of Nunavut with Premier Eva Aariak and Minister Tagak Curley. Call into Qanuq Isumavit on March 31st at 1-(800) 336-6186 or 979-0810 in Iqaluit.

“Ten years in, we know that Nunavut is a vibrant territory, full of good news and positive change,” said Premier Eva Aariak. “I want to hear from Nunavummiut. Tell us what you're celebrating and what you'd like to see in the next ten years.”

“We've already had a decade with our own territory and public government,” said Minister Tagak Curley. “After many years of negotiation to get to this point, ten years is something to be proud of and to celebrate.”

The *Nunavut Land Claims Agreement*, signed in 1993, created the territory and the Government of Nunavut on April 1st, 1999. The Agreement came into force on July 9th of the same year and that day is celebrated across the territory by Inuit. April 1st is an opportunity for all Nunavummiut to celebrate.

Premier Aariak and Minister Curley will be on Inuit Broadcasting Corporation's Qanuq Isumavit, March 31, 2009 from 8:00 pm until 9:30 pm Eastern Time. Qanuq Isumavit airs live on APTN North. To phone-in call 1 (800) 336-6186 or 979-0810 in Iqaluit.

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