

News Release

Premier welcomes new MLA for Nattilik

IQALUIT, Nunavut (**April 27, 2010**) – Premier Eva Aariak today welcomed the newly elected Member of the Legislative Assembly for Nattilik, Jeannie Ugyuk.

"I am pleased to offer Jeannie my congratulations on her recent election," said Premier Aariak. "As a social worker, Jeannie has front-line experience. She knows the issues, and understands the hard work that is involved in finding and implementing the solutions."

"I am confident the communities of Gjoa Haven and Taloyoak will be well represented with a strong voice in the Legislative Assembly, and on behalf of the cabinet, I would like to welcome our newest member on board," said Premier Aariak.

The by-election was made necessary following the resignation of Enuk Pauloosie, the Member for Nattilik, on February 22, 2010. The next sitting of the Legislative Assembly begins on June 1, 2010.

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