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ᐅᕗᖓ: ᐊᖓᔪᖅᑳᓕᒫᓄᑦ/ᑲᒪᔨᓕᒫᓄᑦ
ᐱᔾᔪᑎᖓ: ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒥ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓄᑦ ᑐᓴᕋᓱᖕᓂᖅ

ᐊᖓᔪᕐᑳᕆᔭᐅᔪᑦ,

ᑖᓐᓇ ᑎᑎᖅᑲᖅ ᑲᐅᔨᒃᑲᐃᔾᔪᑦ ᐊᓯᔾᔨᖅᑕᐅᔪᑦ ᑐᓴᕋᓱᖕᓂᖕᒧᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒥ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓄᑦ ᐱᒋᐊᕐᓗᒍ ᑕᒪᑐᒪᓂ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᒥ.

ᑖᒃᑯᐊ ᐊᓯᔾᔨᖅᑕᐅᔪᑦ ᓴᖅᑭᑕᐅᓚᐅᖅᐳᑦ ᐊᓂᒍᖅᑎᑕᐅᓚᐅᖅᑎᓪᓗᒍ ᐋᖅᑭᒋᐊᖅᓯᒪᔪᖅ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓂᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᐱᕐᑯᔭᖅ (2020) ᐱᕐᑯᔭᕐᒧᑦ ᓄᕕᐱᕆ 10, 2020–ᒥ.

ᒥᓂᔅᑕ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓂᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᓐᓄᑦ ᑲᒪᒋᔭᒃᓴᕐᑲᓕᖅᐳᖅ ᐋᖅᑭᒃᓯᐃᓂᕐᒥᒃ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒥ ᐱᒋᐊᕐᕕᒃᓴᖕᒋᓐᓂᒃ ᐃᓱᓕᕝᕕᒃᓴᖕᒋᓐᓂᒃᓗ, ᐊᒻᒪᓗᑦᑕᐅᖅ ᐃᓕᓴᐃᔨᓄᑦ ᐱᕚᓪᓕᕈᑎᒃᓴᓄᑦ ᐅᓪᓗᕐᓂᒃ ᐃᓕᓴᐃᔨᓄᑦ. ᐃᓕᓐᐊᓂᕐᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᐊᒻᒪ ᐅᐃᕖᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖅᑲᑎᒌᖕᒋᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᐱᔪᓐᓇᐅᑎᒥᓂᒃ ᑲᔪᓯᑎᑦᑎᓲᑦ ᖃᐅᔨᓇᓱᖕᓂᒃᑯᑦ ᐊᓯᖕᒋᓐᓂᒃ ᐱᔾᔪᑕᐅᔪᓂᒃ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᐅᑉ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᖓᓂ, ᐃᓚᓕᐅᑎᓗᒋᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑎᑦᑎᙱᓪᓗᑎᒃ ᐅᓪᓗᐃᑦ ᐊᒻᒪᓗ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕌᑦ ᒪᑐᓯᒪᓂᖕᒋᓐᓄᑦ ᐅᓪᓗᐃᑦ, ᓱᕐᓗ ᖁᕕᐊᓱᖅᕕᒃᒥᑦ ᐊᒻᒪ ᐅᐱᖕᖓᒃᑯᑦ ᓄᖅᑲᖓᓐᓇᒥ.

ᑖᓐᓇ ᓄᑖᖅ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᐅᑉ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᖓ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᓂᐊᖅᑐᖅ ᐃᒪᓐᓇ:

- ᐱᕕᖅᑎᑦᓯᓂᖅ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᓐᓂᑦ ᑎᓕᐅᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᐃᑲᔪᖅᑐᕐᓂᕐᒥᓪᓗ ᖁᕝᕙᓯᓐᓂᓕᓐᓄᑦ 12-ᒥ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑎᓂᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᕝᕕᒻᒥᑦ ᖃᐅᔨᓴᖅᑕᐅᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᐊᐃᕐᕆᓕᒥᑦ;
- ᐱᕕᖅᑎᓪᓗᒍ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑎᑦ ᑎᑎᕋᕈᓐᓇᖅᓯᓗᑎᒃ ᖃᐅᔨᓴᕈᑎᓂᒃ ᔫᓂᒥ, ᐱᔭᕆᐊᖃᖅᐸᑦ;
- ᐋᖅᑭᑦᑎᐊᖅᓯᒪᓕᖅᑎᓪᓗᒋᑦ ᑲᔪᓯᑎᑕᐅᓂᖕᒋᑦ ᐃᖅᑲᓇᐃᔭᒧᑦ ᐱᕚᓪᓕᕈᑎᒃᓴᑦ ᐃᓕᓴᐃᔨᓄᑦ ᑕᒪᐃᓐᓂᒃ ᐊᕕᒃᑐᖅᓯᒪᔪᓂᒃ ᐊᒻᒪ ᓄᓇᕘᓕᒫᒥ; ᐊᒻᒪᓗ,
- ᒥᒃᓱᒋᐊᕐᓗᒋᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᒃᓴᑦ ᐱᔭᐅᒋᐊᓕᑦ ᐋᖅᑭᒃᓯᓂᐊᕐᓗᓂ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓂᒃ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒥ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᕋᓛᖕᒋᑎᒍᑦ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᑕᒫᑦ.

ᑕᒪᑐᒪᓂ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᒥ, ᓯᕗᓪᒧᓗ, ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᖕᒋᑦ ᐊᒻᒪᓗ ᐅᐃᕖᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᑐᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖅᑲᑎᒌᖕᒋᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᓂᕈᐊᕆᐊᖃᖕᓂᐊᖅᑐᑦ ᐊᑕᐅᓯᖕᒥᑦ ᐱᖓᓱᓂᙱᖅᑐᕐᓂᑦ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓂᑦ ᐊᑐᐃᓐᓇᐅᔪᓂᑦ ᐊᕕᒃᑐᖅᓯᒪᓂᖕᒋᓐᓂᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓇᐅᑉ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᐊᓂᑦ. ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᑲᑎᒪᔨᖕᒋᑦ

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ᐊᒻᒪᓗ ᐅᐃᕕᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᑐᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖃᑎᒌᖕᒋᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᓱᓕ ᐅᖃᖃᑎᖃᖃᑦᑕᕆᐊᖃᖅᑐᑦ ᓄᓇᓕᖕᒋᓐᓂᑦ ᓂᕈᐊᖅᑎᓪᓗᒋᑦ ᐊᑕᐅᓯᕐᒥᑦ ᐱᖓᓱᓂᙱᖅᑐᕐᓂᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᐅᑉ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᖕᒋᓐᓂᑦ ᓇᓖᕋᕋᑦᓴᓂᑦ ᐊᑐᓂᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓇᐅᑉ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᖕᒋᓐᓂᑦ.

ᓴᓄᐊᕆᒥ 29, 2021, ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓂᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᐃᕐᖕᒋᓐᓈᖅᑕᐅᑎᒃᑯᑦ ᓇᒃᓯᐅᔾᔨᓚᐅᖅᐳᑦ ᑐᓴᖅᑎᑦᑎᓪᓗᑎᒃ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᔨᓕᒫᓂᒃ, ᐅᐃᕕᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᑐᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖃᑎᒌᖕᒋᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ, ᐊᒻᒪ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᖃᑎᒌᖕᒋᓐᓂᒃ ᑖᒃᑯᓂᖓ ᐊᓯᔾᔨᖅᑕᐅᔪᓂᒃ ᑐᓴᕋᓱᒃᑎᓪᓗᒋᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒥ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓂᒃ. ᐊᔾᔨᖓ ᐃᖕᒋᓐᓈᖅᑕᐅᑦ ᓇᓂᔭᐅᔪᓐᓇᖅᑐᖅ ᑎᑎᖅᑲᐅᑉ ᐃᓱᐊᓂᑦ.

ᒫᓐᓇᐅᔪᖅ, ᒥᓂᔅᑕ ᓴᖅᑭᑦᑎᓯᒫᓂᓕᖅᑐᖅ ᑎᑎᕋᖅᑕᐅᒋᐊᕐᖓᖅᑐᒥᑦ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓂᑦ ᐅᖃᖃᑎᖃᓛᖅᐳᓪᓗ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖃᑎᒌᒃᑯᖕᒋᓐᓂᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᓐᓂᑦ ᑭᖑᓪᓕᖅᐹᖅᓯᐅᑎᖕᒋᑦ ᐱᔭᕇᖅᑕᐅᕐᑯᓪᓗᒋᑦ.

ᒪᓕᒃᓗᒍ ᑖᓐᓇ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᒃᓴᖅ, ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓂᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᑦ ᓇᒃᓯᐅᔾᔨᓂᐊᖅᐳᑦ ᑐᒃᓯᕋᐅᑕᐅᓯᒪᔪᓂᒃ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᓄᑦ ᐱᓕᕆᐊᖑᖕᒫᕈᓐᓇᖅᑐᓂᒃ ᑕᒪᐃᓐᓄᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑐᓕᕆᔨᒃᑯᓐᓄᑦ ᐊᒻᒪ ᐅᐃᕕᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᑐᓕᕆᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᑲᑐᔾᔨᖃᑎᒌᖕᒋᑦ ᓄᓇᕗᒻᒥ ᑐᓴᕋᓱᒡᓗᑎᒃ ᓄᓇᓕᖕᒋᓐᓂᒃ. ᒫᓐᓇᐅᔪᖅ, ᐊᖓᔪᖅᑳᕆᔭᐅᔪᑦ ᓄᓇᓕᖕᒥᐅᓪᓗ ᐱᕕᖃᖅᑎᑕᐅᓂᐊᖅᑐᑦ ᐅᖃᐅᓯᒃᓴᒥᓂᒃ ᑐᓴᖅᑎᑦᑎᓗᑎᒃ ᓇᓕᐊᒃ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᒧᑦ ᓇᓖᕐᒐᒃᓴᖅ ᐊᑲᐅᓛᖑᓇᔭᖕᒪᖔᑦ ᓄᓇᓕᖕᒋᓐᓄᑦ.

ᑎᓕᐅᖅᑕᐅᕗᑎᑦ ᐃᓚᐅᕐᑯᔭᐅᓪᓗᑎᑦ ᑕᒪᑐᒪᓂ ᐅᖃᖃᑎᒌᖕᓂᕆᔭᐅᔪᒥ, ᐅᖃᐅᓯᕆᔭᑎᑦ ᓇᓗᙱᑦᑎᐊᕈᑕᐅᓂᐊᖅᐳᑦ ᑖᓐᓇ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎ ᓂᕈᐊᖅᑕᐅᔪᖅ ᓄᓇᓕᔅᓯᓐᓄᑦ ᐊᖑᒻᒪᑎᑦᑎᐊᕋᓗᐊᕐᒪᖔᑦ ᐱᔭᐅᔭᕆᐊᓕᖕᓄᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᖅᑎᓄᑦ, ᐃᓕᓴᐃᔨᓄᑦ, ᐊᖓᔪᖅᑳᓄᓪᓗ.

ᑭᖑᓪᓕᖅᐹᒥ, ᕿᓄᐃᓵᕐᑯᕙᔅᓯ ᒫᓐᓇ ᓅᐸᓪᓕᐊᑎᓪᓗᑕ ᓄᑖᒧᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᕕᖕᒧᑦ ᐅᓪᓗᖅᓯᐅᑎᒧᑦ ᐱᕙᓪᓕᐊᓂᖓᓂᑦ ᐋᖅᑭᒋᐊᖅᓯᒪᔪᒥᑦ ᐃᓕᓐᓂᐊᕐᓂᓕᕆᓂᖕᒧᑦ ᐱᕐᑯᔭᒥᑦ. ᖃᐅᔨᒪᑦᑎᐊᕐᓂᐊᖅᐳᓯ ᑕᒪᑐᒪᓂ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᒥ ᓅᐸᓪᓕᐊᓂᖅ ᐃᖏᕋᑦᑎᐊᓕᕈᑕᐅᓂᐊᕐᓂᖓᓂᒃ ᐊᕐᕌᒍᒐᓴᖕᓄᑦ ᐊᒻᒋᖅᑐᓄᑦ.

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ᐅᓛᐱᑲ ᕼᐊᐃᓐᓄ, ᒥᓂᔅᑕᐅᑉ ᑐᒡᓕᐊᑕ ᐃᑲᔪᖅᑎᐊ
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ᒥᓚᓂ ᐋᐸᑦ, ᒥᓂᔅᑕᐅᑉ ᑐᒡᓕᐊᑕ ᐃᑲᔪᖅᑎᐊ, ᐃᑲᔪᖅᑐᐃᓂᕐᒧᑦ ᐱᔨᑦᑎᕋᖅᑎᑦ
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Subject

ACTION: School Calendar Consultations

Email text

Dear District Education Authorities and Commission scolaire francophone du Nunavut Chairpersons and School Principals,

With the passing of amendments to the *Education Act* by the Nunavut Legislative Assembly and its assent on November 10, 2020, changes have been made to the school calendar selection process. Section 83.1. (1) of the updated *Education Act* outlines this process:

> *Standardized school dates*
>
> *83.1. (1) The Minister shall, by order, establish three basic school calendars for each school year for each of the Qikiqtaaluk, Kivalliq and Kitikmeot regions, indicating:*
>
> > *(a) the start and end dates; and*
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> > *(b) the dates of professional development days.*

This year, there will be two steps to the calendar call process. The Department of Education is currently working on three basic school calendar options for each region. In mid-February, the department will be providing these proposed school calendar options to DEAs and the CSFN for consultation with your communities.

These consultations are crucial to ensure that you have an opportunity to determine the calendar options that best fit the needs of your students, school staff, and the community.

Once this consultation has concluded and a decision has been reached, the three options for your region will be finalized. At that point, the department will send the

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calendar call letter asking you to choose one of the three calendars approved for your region.

DEAs and the CSFN are still required to consult with their community members, school staff, and students on the selection of the school calendar, in accordance with the School Calendar Regulations.

If you have any questions or concerns, or need support, contact Maria Mendillo, Manager, Partner Relations, at DEA_support@gov.nu.ca, or your Superintendent of Schools.

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