

Communiqué

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CHANGES IN EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT

Kuujjuaq, February 28, 2012 – The Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (NRBHSS) hereby announces that Larry Watt is leaving his functions as Acting Executive Director. Mr. Watt will continue his work as Director of Out-of-Region Services. He replaced Jeannie May during her maternity leave.

According to NRBHSS by-laws and procedures, the position of executive director will be posted shortly in order to fill the position in the interim.

Until the position is filled, the assistant to the Executive Director, Gilles Boulet, will assume the duties.

Gilles Boulet may be reached by e-mail at <u>gilles.boulet@ssss.gouv.qc.ca</u>, by telephone at 819 964-2222, extension 260, and by fax at 819 964-2277.

The NRBHSS is a public agency created in 1978 under the **James Bay and Northern Québec Agreement**. *It is responsible for nearly the entire Québec territory located north of the 55th parallel in terms of the provision of health and social services for the inhabitants of the 14 communities.*

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