

Status of Women Council of the NWT ANNUAL REPORT 2008-2009

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October 14, 2009

Hon. Sandy Lee Minister Responsible for the Status of Women Government of the Northwest Territories

Dear Minister Lee,

On behalf of the Status of Women Council of the NWT, I am pleased to present our Annual Report for the year ending March 31, 2009.

This year has been a busy and productive year for the Council. Thanks go to all of our funding partners for allowing us the opportunities to work on women's issues in the Northwest Territories.

Along with our core work and yearly events, we have worked on special projects in collaboration with many community organizations on issues concerning Family Violence; Economic, Political and Social Equality; Women's Health and Wellness; and Leadership. We have also worked closely with other Status of Women Councils across the country to advocate on a national level to address specific areas of concern for women.

I would like to thank our Council Directors and staff for their continued collaborative and coordinated efforts in our work towards women's equality.

Sincerely,

Therese Dollie Simon

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President 2008-2009

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