Date: March 4, 2014

Office of the Chief Electoral Officer

The Women’s Secretariat of the Métis Nation of Ontario (WSMNO) through committee resolution appointed me as their electoral officer to supervise the WSMNO nomination process to ensure a fair process was conducted consistent with the Metis Nation of Ontario’s Electoral Code Part A. I was responsible to conduct, oversee and be responsible for all matters concerning the acceptance of nominations for the vacancy, to ensure a fair and impartial process.

In accordance of the Women’s Secretariat of the Métis Nation of Ontario Terms of Reference Article 4.2.3 the Office of the Chief Electoral Officer accepted nominations from Métis Nation of Ontario (M.N.O.) women that were interested in filling a vacancy as a woman representative in the Women’s Secretariat of the Métis Nation of Ontario.

As the February 10, 2014 deadline there were a total of six nominations for the vacant position on the WSMNO. All nominee Letters of Interest and Resumes were sent to the WSMNO Committee for their consideration in appointing the successful candidate.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate Rosalyn Calder as the successful candidate and will serve on the WSMNO until their next election.

Regards

Hank Rowlinson
Deputy Chief Electoral Officer
Métis Nation of Ontario