



Proclamation International Day of Persons with Disabilities

Whereas December 3, 2011 is designated by the United Nations as the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, with this year's theme being "Together for a better world for all: Including persons with disabilities in development."

Whereas this day is a time to celebrate and recognize the achievements and contributions of individuals with disabilities.

Whereas the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador, with contributions from the community of persons with disabilities, the Provincial Advisory Council and all residents, is moving forward with its commitment to enhance inclusion in our province.

Therefore Be It Resolved that the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador proclaims December 3 as the International Day of Persons with Disabilities in the Province of Newfoundland and Labrador.

Honourable Joan Burke, M.H.A.

Minister Responsible for the Status of Persons with Disabilities