MEMORANDUM TO: Directors of Education
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DATE: May 6, 2009

SUBJECT: Call for Expressions of Interest – Adult Learning Centre Demonstration Projects May 6, 2009

The Ministry of Education, supported by its partners, the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration and the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities, is inviting Expressions of Interest from school boards, colleges, and community agencies that currently deliver adult secondary school credit programs, adult non-credit ESL/FSL language training program, and adult non-credit literacy and basic skills training to develop proposals resulting in the implementation of Adult Learning Centre Demonstration Projects.

The attached Call for Expressions of Interest invites participation in the first stage of a two-stage approach leading to the establishment of a small number of Adult Learning Centre demonstration projects in September 2009 and provides details on the overall initiative. Also attached is a template for the Expression of Interest.

Please share this memo and the attached Call for Expressions of Interest and Expression of Interest Template with your board personnel responsible for adult and continuing education. Other stakeholders will be contacted through the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration and the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities.

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c: SCWI Regional Planning Teams

Attachments