

National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls Enquête nationale sur les femmes et les filles autochtones disparues et assassinées



Media Accreditation and Important Information

Part I: Community Hearings of the Truth Gathering Process Yellowknife, Northwest Territories –January 23-25, 2018 LOCATION: Chateau Nova Hotel 4571 48 St, Yellowknife, NT X1A 0E2

The National Inquiry into Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls will have Community Hearings in Yellowknife during the week of January 22, 2018. There will be three days of Community Hearings will begin on Tuesday, January 23 and conclude on Thursday, January 25, 2018. The hearings will start at 9 am MT and are expected to finish at 5pm MT each day.

All media attending the Community Hearings of the National Inquiry Truth Gathering Process must have an accreditation card to enter the hearings room and a colour coded lanyard will be provided to you. It must be visible at all times. It does not provide access to private hearings rooms, to rooms where the health team or other staff are located.

WHO IS ENTITLED TO PRESS ACCREDITATION? Accreditation is granted only to journalists (critics, columnists, reporters, photographers, documentary filmmakers) who cover the issue of missing and murdered Indigenous women and girls or survivors of violence. Journalists must represent a recognized media outlet. YouTubers, bloggers or those involved with the blogosphere will not be granted accreditation. To obtain your media accreditation, please fill out the form below.

RESTRICTIONS: Accreditation does not authorize media to take photographs or images using devices such as cameras, smartphones or hand-held cameras inside the community hearing room(s). Only the official National Inquiry video cameras, the media pool camera and an on-line media camera will be permitted to film inside.

However there may be an opportunity to take photos of the Commissioners at the beginning of the hearing. Media will be seated in a specific area within the community hearing room. A buffer zone, around certain areas of the location will be reserved for families and people involved in the Inquiry. A map will be provided. Please respect those areas.

A media room equipped with desks will be made available with Wi-Fi.

Our Women and Girls are Sacred / Nos femmes et nos filles sont sacrées



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MEDIA ACCREDITATION FORM

Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, Canada – January 23 to January 25, 2018 Surname and first name: Name of media outlet: _____ Address: ______ Telephone: ______ Fax: _____ Fax: ______ Email: Print media Radio Television Internet Photographer/Technician Documentary filmmaker Other (freelancer with proof of assignment, researcher, etc.): Name of editor, director, supervisor: ______ Email: ______ Telephone: ______ Telephone: ______ If you represent more than one media outlet, please indicate which: Address: Telephone: ______ Fax: _____ Email: Print media Radio Television Internet Photographer Documentary filmmaker Other

Please return the application form BEFORE January 22, 2018 to media@mmiwg-ffada.ca