

2021-22 ANNUAL REPORT



Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat



MESSAGE FROM THE PREMIER

It is my pleasure to present the 2021-22 annual performance report for the Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat for the period of April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022. As Premier and Minister for Intergovernmental Affairs, I am accountable for the preparation of this report and the achievement of the results reported. This report was prepared in accordance with the **Transparency and Accountability Act**, under which the Secretariat is a category three entity.

This report outlines progress made to advance key intergovernmental priorities for the Province through engagement with federal, provincial and territorial governments in Canada, as well as governments in international jurisdictions. These important partnerships within and beyond the Canadian federation continue to drive meaningful opportunities, foster green and inclusive growth, and establish economic and social environments that benefit the people of this province.

I thank the team of dedicated public service professionals in the Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat for their commitment, leadership, and support. In these unprecedented times, Newfoundlanders and Labradorians continue to build a brighter future, together, and with their counterparts throughout the country.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Andrew Furey". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a light grey rectangular background.

DR. ANDREW FUREY

Premier

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Departmental Overview

The Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat (the Secretariat) works to build and strengthen relationships with other governments and international entities to advance Newfoundland and Labrador's intergovernmental and trade policy priorities. The Secretariat supports the Premier and ministers in building important intergovernmental relationships to advance provincial interests and provides strategic advice and support related to domestic and international trade.

Organizational Structure

The Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat is comprised of three divisions: Economic Policy, Social Policy, and Trade Policy.

- The **Economic Policy** Division provides intergovernmental policy advice relating to resource, environmental, fiscal and economic, industry and technology, infrastructure and constitutional priorities. The Division also supports provincial participation in First Ministers' Meetings (FMM), the Council of Atlantic Premiers (CAP), the Atlantic Growth Strategy (AGS) Leadership Committee, and the Conference of New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers.
- The **Social Policy** Division provides intergovernmental policy advice relating to priorities in health, education, immigration and population growth, labour, justice and public safety, tourism, culture, and social development, as well as provincial interests related to national defence and foreign affairs. This Division also supports provincial participation in the Council of the Federation (COF).
- The **Trade Policy** Division leads the formulation of policy advice and consultative services related to domestic and international trade, including the negotiation and implementation of trade agreements.

For more information on the Secretariat, please visit our website at: gov.nl.ca/exec/ias.

Staff and Budget

As of March 31, 2022, the Secretariat had a staff complement of 15 (seven female and eight male), and a budget of approximately \$2,005,000.

The Secretariat is located in the East Block of the Confederation Building in St. John's.

Highlights and Partnerships

Intergovernmental Collaboration on the COVID-19 Pandemic

The COVID-19 pandemic continued to wreak havoc on the global community in 2021-22, which required a multitude of intergovernmental discussions with respect to Canada's response to COVID-19. The Secretariat supported the Premier's participation in regular calls between Canada's Premiers through COF, between Atlantic Premiers through CAP, as well as regular calls between Premiers and the Prime Minister on public health measures in Canada, COVID-19 vaccines, personal protective equipment, and economic and social supports.

Collaboration with Atlantic Provinces and Other Partners

Newfoundland and Labrador continued to serve as the provincial lead for the Atlantic Growth Strategy, a collaborative initiative of the Atlantic Provinces and the Federal Government aimed at accelerating the growth of Atlantic Canada's economy. In this role, the Secretariat co-led initial planning discussions for the next Atlantic Growth Strategy meeting, which was delayed by the COVID-19 pandemic. Through CAP, provinces coordinated a discussion of regional priorities between Atlantic Premiers and federal Intergovernmental Affairs Minister, the Hon. Dominic LeBlanc and Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Minister, the Hon. Sean Fraser, in March 2022.

In 2021-22, the Secretariat also supported the Province's participation in regional initiatives related to the Atlantic Growth Strategy. The Clean Power Roadmap (released

on March 11, 2022) and the Atlantic Loop project, aim to enhance electricity system interconnections in Atlantic Canada and Quebec. The Secretariat worked on this initiative in consultation and collaboration with the Department of Industry, Energy and Technology, provincial utilities, as well as Provincial and Federal Government partners.

Another initiative saw the Secretariat supporting the Department of Immigration, Population Growth and Skills in working with the Federal Government and Atlantic Provinces to make the Atlantic Immigration Program (AIP) permanent. As Atlantic Canada continues to build a more inclusive and equitable society for newcomers and local residents, the AIP strengthens Newfoundland and Labrador's ability to attract and retain skilled workers and international graduates using an innovative approach to immigrant selection and closer coordination between governments, employers, communities, and settlement agencies to improve the retention of immigrants.

The Secretariat also worked closely with the Department of Education to negotiate multi-year bilateral agreements with the Federal Government that will transform early learning and child care in the province. Funding through these agreements will enable increased access to child care, improved affordability, and improved quality and inclusivity of early learning and child care programming.

Coordination in Key Strategic Priorities

In 2021-22, the Secretariat enhanced its coordination role within the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador in relation to key strategic priorities that require successful intergovernmental engagement and cooperation. A Senior Advisor position was added to the Secretariat, which is responsible for managing the progress of a portfolio of complex initiatives that span multiple lines of business in departments and agencies throughout Government. This position also fosters collaborative and mutually supportive relationships with senior-level cross-functional teams, provides support to enhance file advancement and results; and, manages interdependencies and

coordination across files to ensure that information relating to file deliverables, risks and issues are effectively communicated between senior-level stakeholders. Key strategic priorities may include health care funding, climate change, and a Just Transition (i.e., ensuring an equitable and prosperous future for workers and communities due to the global transition to net-zero).

Domestic and International Trade Policy

During the reporting period, the Secretariat continued to advance domestic and international trade priorities, including the following:

- Chaired Canadian Free Trade Agreement (CFTA) working groups including the Regulatory Reconciliation and Cooperation Table's (RCT's) Administrative Review Working Group, the Trade in Cannabis Working Group, and the Electricity Transmission Working Group.
- Actively participated in a number of working groups under the (CFTA) including the Internal Trade Representatives Table, the Alcoholic Beverages Working Group, and the Procurement Committee.
- Supported the Premier in his participation in the annual Committee on Internal Trade ministerial meeting on December 13, 2021.
- Represented the province for meetings under the new Atlantic Trade and Procurement Partnership (ATPP).
- Represented provincial interests on international trade issues at the Federal-Provincial-Territorial Committee on International Trade (C-Trade) including providing input during the negotiation of the Canada-United Kingdom Trade Continuity Agreement.
- Represented provincial interests in various forums under international trade agreements such as the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA) and Canada-United States-Mexico Agreement (CUSMA).
- Provided trade policy advice and analysis to stakeholders and government writ large.

Report on Performance

Issue One – Advancing the Province’s Strategic Intergovernmental Priorities

The Secretariat plays a key role in supporting Government’s efforts to advance Newfoundland and Labrador’s intergovernmental priorities. Priorities are advanced through productive relationships with the Federal Government and other sovereign governments.

In 2021-22, the Secretariat supported the Premier’s participation in various intergovernmental meetings and initiatives, including multilateral meetings of COF, CAP, Canada’s First Ministers (i.e., Premiers and the Prime Minister), as well as bilateral meetings and discussions with the Prime Minister and federal ministers. The Secretariat also provided support to departments when engaging with other governments, including the negotiation of intergovernmental agreements.

Goal Statement

By March 31, 2023, the Secretariat will have supported the advancement of Government’s strategic intergovernmental priorities.

2021-22 Objective

By March 31, 2022, the Secretariat will have further supported the advancement of Government’s strategic intergovernmental priorities.

2021-22 Indicators and Reporting

Indicator	Performance
Provided further policy advice and strategic support on key intergovernmental issues, including ongoing engagement related to the federal-	The Province has taken a leadership role in working to advance provinces and territories’ request for long-term, sustainable health care funding from the Federal Government by increasing the Canada Health Transfer. The Secretariat continued to work

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Indicator	Performance
<p>provincial fiscal framework, recovering from the COVID-19 pandemic, and fostering clean, inclusive growth and innovation.</p>	<p>in close collaboration with the departments of Health and Community Services and Finance, as well as Atlantic Provinces, given unique regional challenges in health care.</p> <p>Engaged in federal/provincial/territorial discussions on the COVID-19 response (e.g., emergence of Omicron variant, booster dose rollout, and interprovincial and federal public health measures) as well as COVID-19 supports (e.g., federal support for municipalities on public transit, expanding/ extending federal supports in response to Omicron).</p> <p>Supported the Premier’s participation in COP26 in Glasgow (United Kingdom) in November 2021, in collaboration with the Department of Environment and Climate Change, which included bilateral discussions with federal ministers and the Premier of Quebec on shared priorities on climate change and clean growth.</p>
<p>Continued to support the Province’s participation in intergovernmental forums, including First Ministers’ Meetings, the Council of the Federation, the Atlantic Growth Strategy and the Council of Atlantic Premiers, by working to ensure that</p>	<p>Supported the Premier in CAP, which included the creation of the Atlantic Health Care Accord of Guiding Principles; an intergovernmental agreement seeking collaboration in the recruitment and retention of health care professionals and specialized health care and training.</p> <p>Continued as AGS Provincial lead, which included discussions with the Federal Government on Atlantic</p>

Indicator	Performance
<p>provincial interests were appropriately considered through these forums and associated initiatives.</p>	<p>provincial priorities and potential for an in-person meeting in summer 2022.</p> <p>Supported the work of COF, including the Promising Practices podcast profiling best practices to support mental health and addictions; a national health care survey; and, online awareness campaign to inform Canadians about the urgent need for long-term, flexible federal funding for health care.</p> <p>Supported dialogue between Eastern Canadian provinces and northeastern U.S. states via New England Governors/Eastern Canadian Provinces working groups and committee work, and a virtual meeting of Premiers and Governors in May 2021, which focused on COVID-19 economic recovery and climate change.</p> <p>Supported nine calls and virtual meetings of First Ministers focused on Canada’s response to COVID-19, including public health measures, vaccine and personal protective equipment procurement, and economic recovery; and the potential for the Federal Government to invoke the Emergencies Act.</p> <p>Supported 11 COF calls/virtual meetings.</p> <p>Supported 11 CAP calls/virtual/in-person meetings.</p>

Indicator	Performance
Continued to participate in the negotiation of intergovernmental agreements, and support Government-wide efforts to strategically maximize federal support in areas that align with provincial priorities.	<p>In 2021-22, 95 intergovernmental agreements were signed involving 18 Provincial Government departments and agencies, including 87 with the Federal Government (see Annex A for a complete listing).</p> <p>The Secretariat supported provincial departments in securing approximately \$598 million in federal funding commitments (including multi-year funding).</p>

2022-23 Objective: By March 31, 2023, the Secretariat will have continued to support the advancement of Government’s strategic intergovernmental priorities.

2022-23 Indicators: Continued to provide policy advice and strategic support on key intergovernmental issues, including immigration, infrastructure, health care, and clean energy.

Furthered support for the Province’s participation in intergovernmental forums, including First Ministers’ Meetings, the Council of the Federation, the Atlantic Growth Strategy and the Council of Atlantic Premiers, by working to ensure that provincial interests were appropriately considered through these forums and associated initiatives.

Furthered participation in the negotiation of intergovernmental agreements, and support Government-wide efforts to strategically maximize federal support in areas that align with provincial priorities.

Issue Two – Advancing and Defending the Province’s Domestic and International Trade Priorities

The division will continue to work with other Canadian jurisdictions to make improvements to the Canadian Free Trade Agreement and will work with the Federal Government to ensure that Newfoundland and Labrador interests are reflected in ongoing negotiations with trading partners such as the United Kingdom, India, Indonesia, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) trading bloc, as well as, any other international trade negotiations that arise.

Goal Statement

By March 31, 2023, the Secretariat will have supported the advancement and defence of the Province’s domestic and international trade priorities.

2021-22 Objective

By March 31, 2022, the Secretariat will have further supported the advancement and defence of the Province’s domestic and international trade priorities.

2021-22 Indicators and Reporting

Indicator	Performance
Continued to coordinate Provincial input on the negotiation of free trade agreements, and provided strategic advice and analysis on the implementation of existing agreements, including responses to protectionist policies in other jurisdictions.	<p>The Secretariat represents Newfoundland and Labrador on the Federal-Provincial-Territorial International Trade table otherwise known as C-Trade. At this table, the Secretariat advocated provincial interests in ongoing international trade negotiations and trade disputes, as well as other issues impacting provincial importers and exporters.</p> <p>Over the past year, the Secretariat prepared for the launch of negotiations towards a new bilateral Canada-United Kingdom Free Trade Agreement.</p>

Indicator	Performance
	<p>The Secretariat also provided strategic advice to stakeholders and government departments on issues impacting trade in the Province including foreign protectionism, supply-chain issues, and trade irritants.</p> <p>The Secretariat continued to fulfill its duties to implement existing trade agreements and advance initiatives under those agreements such as the proposed Mutual Recognition Agreement for Architects under the Canada-European Union Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA).</p>
<p>Further contributed to advancing the implementation of the CFTA, by continuing to engage in key working groups. This includes chairing the negotiations to incorporate non-medical cannabis into the CFTA and participating in working groups on alcohol, financial services, the Procurement Committee and the Regulatory Reconciliation and Cooperation Table.</p>	<p>In 2021-22, the Secretariat continued working to advance the implementation of the CFTA, including the various activities occurring under the agreement.</p> <p>The 2021-22 RCT Work Plan added two new items: 1) Identification and mutual recognition of regulatory measures related to the sale or provision of goods and services; 2) Temporary rapid registration for workers in times of urgent need.</p> <p>In 2021-22, the Secretariat continued as the Chair of the working groups related to cannabis for non-medical purposes, electricity transmission and the administrative review under the RCT.</p> <p>The Secretariat represented the Province at various CFTA working groups including the Financial</p>

Indicator	Performance
	<p>Services Working Group (along with Justice and Financial Regulation officials), the Procurement Committee (along with Public Procurement Agency officials) and the Alcoholic Beverages Working Group (along with Finance and NL Liquor Corporation officials).</p> <p>The Secretariat represented the Province at the new Atlantic Trade and Procurement Partnership to advance trade in Atlantic Canada.</p>

2022-23 Objective: By March 31, 2023, the Secretariat will have continued to support the advancement and defence of the Province’s domestic and international trade priorities.

2022-23 Indicators: Furthered coordination of Provincial input on the negotiation of free trade agreements, and provided strategic advice and analysis on the implementation of existing agreements, including responses to protectionist policies in other jurisdictions.

Continued to contribute to advancing the implementation of the CFTA, by continuing to engage in key working groups. This includes chairing the negotiations to incorporate non-medical cannabis into the CFTA and participating in working groups on alcohol, financial services, procurement and the Regulatory Reconciliation and Cooperation Table.

Opportunities and Challenges

Newfoundland and Labrador continues to face a challenging fiscal situation in the context of high debt servicing costs and long-standing structural issues, such as the high costs of providing services across a vast geography, and an aging, declining population. Health care remains a top concern, with Newfoundland and Labrador continuing to see some of the poorest health outcomes in the country and the share of federal funding in the Province's health care system has continued to decline. As other provinces and territories are facing similarly increasing difficulties, there is growing willingness and opportunity to pursue collaborative efforts at this level, and the Province has significantly increased its engagement with both provinces and territories and the Federal Government in this regard.

In addition to long-standing structural issues such as health care, the Province is confronting the worldwide inflationary pressures emerging from the end of the COVID-19 pandemic and the unprovoked Russian invasion of Ukraine. Prices for many goods and services in the Province have increased and present cost-of-living challenges for many residents. There additionally is a growing risk that efforts by central banks to rein in inflation by raising interest rates will lead to economic recession

As European and other countries seek near- and medium-term alternatives to oil and gas supplies from Russia, the Province is in a position to benefit due to its offshore reserves. At the same time, the war in Ukraine is pushing European, North American and other countries to accelerate their shift to renewable energy and clean fuels. This may be bearish for the Province's oil and gas sector in the long run, but the Province's considerable potential for wind energy and hydrogen generation in particular is attracting growing domestic and international interest that can promote the establishment of a thriving clean energy sector. The shift to low-carbon technologies is also driving renewed interest and investment in the Province's mining sector, which produces several minerals that are essential to the production of key clean technologies such as batteries for electric vehicles.

The transition is not without its complications as federally-legislated increases in carbon taxes and increasingly ambitious federal emissions reductions targets, as well as the implications of such measures for Provinces with significant natural resource sectors, raise questions about the affordability and equitability of the transition and its impact on residents. The Province will therefore seek to ensure that these considerations are reflected and accounted for in its engagement with the Federal Government and other stakeholders to ensure a positive and just outcome for Newfoundlanders and Labradorians.

These and other long-standing and emerging challenges and opportunities are driving higher levels of overall engagement by the Province with other provinces and territories, the Federal Government, and foreign governments. This higher level of engagement extends to international trade, as the Province is actively representing its interests in negotiations toward free trade agreements that Canada is engaged in with the United Kingdom, Indonesia, and India. Increased engagement with domestic and foreign governments affords the Province greater opportunity to advocate for its interests and influence key decision-making processes. The Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat will continue to actively participate in and support engagements across all areas of government to promote and secure the Province's interests.

Financial Information

Expenditure and revenue figures included in this report are based on public information provided in the Program Expenditures and Revenues of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for fiscal year ended March 31, 2022.

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Original</u>
	\$	\$
INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS SECRETARIAT		
<i>CURRENT</i>		
2.5.01. EXECUTIVE SUPPORT		
01. Salaries	418,800	422,600
Operating Accounts:		
<i>Employee Benefits</i>	-	-
<i>Transportation and Communications</i>	58,700	58,700
<i>Supplies</i>	15,700	13,700
<i>Purchased Services</i>	279,700	282,200
02. Operating Accounts	354,100	354,100
10. Grants and Subsidies	<u>35,000</u>	<u>35,000</u>
Total: Executive Support	<u>807,900</u>	<u>811,700</u>
2.5.02. INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS		
01. Salaries	1,009,900	1,016,700
Operating Accounts:		
<i>Transportation and Communications</i>	65,600	65,600
<i>Supplies</i>	600	600
<i>Professional Services</i>	<u>115,000</u>	<u>115,000</u>
02. Operating Accounts	181,200	181,200
10. Grants and Subsidies	<u>5,900</u>	<u>5,900</u>
Total: Intergovernmental Affairs	<u>2,004,900</u>	<u>2,015,500</u>

Annex A: Intergovernmental Agreements Signed in 2021-22

NL Party	Other Party	Name of Agreement	Signed
Department of Justice and Public Safety (JPS)	Public Safety Canada	Amendment No. 1 - Building and Enhancing Law Enforcement Capacity in Newfoundland and Labrador to address Drug-Impaired Driving in Canada	March 31/22
Department of Digital Government and Service NL (DGSNL)	Public Services and Procurement Canada	Master Agreement of Linguistic Services	March 30/22
DGSNL	Transport Canada	Amending Agreement No. 1 - Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Enhanced Road Safety Transfer Payment Program - Contribution Agreement for Insurance Validation Project	March 30/22
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Agreement Respecting Federal Contributions to the Intensive Rehabilitative Custody and Supervision (IRCS) Program	March 30/22

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Department of Environment and Climate Change (ECC)	Natural Resources Canada	Climate Change Adaptation Amendment No. 3 to the Non-Repayable Contribution Agreement - Building Adaptation Capacity in Key Economic Sectors In Newfoundland and Labrador	March 30/22
Department of Transportation and Infrastructure (TI)	Infrastructure Canada	Amending Agreement No. 5 Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Building Canada Fund - Core National Highway System and Local Road Infrastructure Projects	March 30/22
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Amendment No. 1 - Funding Agreement for Newfoundland and Labrador Drug Treatment Court Program	March 29/22
Department of Health and Community Services (HCS)	Public Health Agency of Canada	Amendment No.1 to the Asset Loan Agreement Numbered NML-COV-110-V1	March 28/22

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Newfoundland and Labrador Housing Corporation (NLHC)	Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation/ Canada Lands Company CLC Limited	Amendment No. 1 to the Agreement of Purchase and Sale with the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) and Canada Lands Company (CLC) Limited	March 25/22
Department of Education (EDU)/ Office of Indigenous Affairs and Reconciliation (IAR)	Indigenous Services Canada/ Qalipu First Nation/ Newfoundland and Labrador English School District	Memorandum of Understanding with the Qalipu First Nation on K-12 Education	March 25/22
JPS/ Department of Children, Seniors and Social Development (CSSD)	Department of Justice Canada	Agreement Respecting Federal Contributions to Youth Justice Services and Programs	March 25/22
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Amendment No. 1 to the Funding Agreement for Enhancement of Services for Victims of Crime in Newfoundland and Labrador	March 25/22
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Funding Agreement - Canadian Family Justice Fund - Supervised Parenting Time	March 25/22

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HCS	Public Health Agency of Canada	Health Human Resources Assistance Program Contribution Agreement	March 25/22
TI	Transport Canada	Canada - Province of Newfoundland and Labrador – Labrador Coastal Airstrips Restoration Program - Agreement for Airport Restoration Projects	March 25/22
HCS	Statistics Canada	Extension of the Interchange Canada Letter of Agreement Between Statistics Canada and the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador	March 24/22
HCS	Statistics Canada	Extension of the Letter of Agreement Between Statistics Canada and the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador	March 24/22

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Department of Fisheries, Forestry and Agriculture (FFA)	Department of Environment and Climate Change Canada	Amendment No 2. to Contribution Agreement for the Conservation of Boreal Caribou	March 24/22
TI	Indigenous Services Canada	Funding Agreement - Province of Newfoundland and Labrador Natuashish Airport	March 23/22
NLHC	Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation	Forgivable Loan Agreement with Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation	March 18/22
NLHC	Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation/ Canada Lands Company CLC Limited	Agreement of Purchase and Sale with the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) and Canada Lands Company (CLC) Limited	March 18/22
HCS	Public Health Agency of Canada	Dementia Strategic Fund Contribution Agreement	March 17/22
Department of Industry, Energy and Technology (IET)	Department of Natural Resources Canada	Amendment No. 1 to the Non-Repayable Contribution Agreement for a Feasibility Study on Installing High-Efficiency Woodstoves in Isolated Electricity Systems	March 17/22

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JPS	Public Safety Canada	Amendment Number Four to the Framework Agreement for the Use of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) First Nations Community Policing Services (FNCPS) in Newfoundland and Labrador	March 9/22
IET	Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada	Memorandum of Understanding Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Broadband Collaboration	March 8/22
JPS	Public Health Agency of Canada	Memorandum of Agreement on Addressing Evidence Gaps in Substance-Related Mortality In Indigenous Populations	Feb 28/22
FFA	Transport Canada/ Government of Nova Scotia	Aquaculture Site Markings Reconciliation Agreement	Feb 24/22

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JPS	Department of Justice Canada/ Miawpukek Mi'kamaway Mawi'omi First Nation	Tripartite Funding Agreement for Community Based Justice with Miawpukek Mi'kamaway Mawi'omi First Nation (MFN) and the Government of Canada	Feb 24/22
Department of Tourism, Culture, Arts and Recreation (TCAR)	Canadian Heritage	Federal, Provincial and Territorial Memorandum of Understanding Concerning Cooperation for Culture and Heritage 2021-2022 to 2025-2026	Feb 18/22
DGSNL	Public Services and Procurement Canada	Extension of the Memorandum of Understanding for the Inspection of Elevating Devices	Feb 18/22
DGSNL	Public Services and Procurement Canada	Extension of the Memorandum of Understanding for the Inspection of Boilers/Pressure Vessels	Feb 18/22
FFA	Royal Canadian Mounted Police	Memorandum of Understanding - Delivery of the Canadian Firearms Safety Course (CFSC) - 2022 - 2023	Feb 18/22

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FFA	Royal Canadian Mounted Police	Memorandum of Understanding - Delivery of the Canadian Firearms Safety Course (CFSC) - 2021 - 2022	Feb 18/22
IET/ Department of Finance (FIN)	The Toronto- Dominion Bank/ BNY Trust Company of Canada/ Computershare Trust Company of Canada/ Nalcor Energy/ Muskrat Falls Corporation/ Labrador Transmission Corporation	Third Amended and Restated Master Definitions Agreement	Feb 14/22
IET/ FIN	Department of Natural Resources Canada	Second Amended and Restated Agreement	Feb 14/22
CSSD	Indigenous Services Canada	Funding Agreement - Province of Newfoundland and Labrador - Child, Youth and Family Services	Feb 14/22
HCS	Health Canada	Letter of Extension for the Memorandum of Understanding for the Critical Drug Reserve to Address the COVID-19 Pandemic	Feb 10/22

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DGSNL	Financial Services Regulatory Authority of Ontario	Service Agreement Administrative and Operational Support Services for Inter-Jurisdictional Initiatives - Canadian Insurance Services Regulatory Organizations (CISRO)	Feb 9/22
IET/ FIN	Government of Canada/ Nalcor Energy	Labrador-Island Link Investment Term Sheet	Feb 3/22
IET/ FIN	Department of Natural Resources Canada/ Nalcor Energy/ Muskrat Falls Corporation/ Labrador Transmission Corporation	Term Sheet - Agreement Providing the Key Terms and Conditions for a Third Federal Loan Guarantee by Her Majesty in Right of Canada for the Lower Churchill Projects to be Known as "FLG3"	Feb 3/22
FIN	Statistics Canada	Statistics Canada SPSD/M Memorandum of Understanding	Feb 2/22
NLHC	Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation	Rapid Housing Initiative Agreement	Jan 31/22

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NLHC	Statistics Canada	Agreement Concerning the Disclosure of Social and Affordable Housing Information	Jan 4/22
FIN	Department of Finance Canada	Amendment on Reciprocal Taxation Agreement - Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador	Dec 21/21
IET	Department of Natural Resources Canada	Funding of the 2022 Energy and Mines Ministers' Conference (EMMC)	Dec 21/21
Department of Immigration, Population Growth and Skills (IPGS)	Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada	Atlantic Immigration Program Chapter	Dec 21/21
IPGS	Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada	Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Agreement on the Atlantic Immigration Program	Dec 21/21
JPS	Public Health Agency of Canada	Data Sharing Agreement: National Surveillance of Substance-Related Deaths in Canada	Dec 21/21
Office of the Chief Information Officer (OCIO)	Public Safety Canada	Critical Infrastructure Assessment Participation Agreement	Dec 15/21

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Premier of Newfoundland and Labrador	Governments of Nova Scotia/ New Brunswick/ Prince Edward Island	Atlantic Health Care Accord of Guiding Principles	Dec 10/21
TCAR	Canadian Heritage	Agreement Concerning the Participation of Newfoundland and Labrador in the Culture Statistics Strategy for the Federal Fiscal Year (FY) 2021- 2022	Nov 24/21
IPGS	Employment and Social Development Canada	Agreement No. 2 to Amend Annex 5 Information Sharing of the Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Labour Market Development Agreement	Nov 16/21
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Enhancement of Services for Victims of Crime in Newfoundland and Labrador	Nov 8/21
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Revised Funding Agreement to Provide Divorce Act Proceedings in Both Official Languages	Nov 8/21

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Public Procurement Agency	Governments of Nova Scotia/ New Brunswick/ Prince Edward Island	Memorandum of Understanding for a Joint Purchasing Agreement for a Corporate Purchasing Card	Oct 20/21
Intergovernmental Affairs Secretariat (IGAS)	Department of Natural Resources Canada/ Innu Nation Inc.	Process Agreement	Oct 20/21
DGSNL	Durham College of Applied Arts and Technology	Addendum Agreement to the Online Proctoring Agreement for the Life Licensing Qualification Program (LLQP) Exam	Oct 19/21
FFA	Department of Environment and Climate Change Canada/ Marble Mountain Development Corporation	Lease of Occupation for the Installation and Operation of a Weather Radar Station	Oct 6/21
TI	Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada	Land Transfer Agreement - St. Brendan's	Oct 6/21
HCS	Health Canada	Memorandum of Understanding for the Critical Drug Reserve to Address the COVID-19 Pandemic	Oct 5/21

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HCS	Statistics Canada	Extension of the Interchange Canada Letter of Agreement Between Statistics Canada and the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador	Sept 20/21
HCS	Statistics Canada	Extension of the Letter of Agreement Between Statistics Canada and the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador	Sept 20/21
JPS	Public Health Agency of Canada	Data Sharing Agreement: National Review of Coroner/Medical Examiner Files of Drug- and Alcohol- Related Acute Toxicity Deaths in Canada from 2016 to 2017	Sept 16/21
HCS	Public Services and Procurement Canada	Memorandum of Agreement on the Canadian Congenital Anomalies Surveillance System	Sept 8/21
JPS	Statistics Canada	Letter of Agreement with Statistics Canada to Enhance Information Management Infrastructure at the Office of the Chief	Sept 8/21

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		Medical Examiner (OCME)	
EDU	Canadian Heritage (Official Languages)	Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Agreement on Minority-Language and Second Official Language Instruction	Sept 8/21
ECC	Public Safety Canada	National Disaster Mitigation Program Contribution Agreement	Aug 24/21
IET	Department of Natural Resources Canada	Contribution Agreement for a Feasibility Study on Installing High- Efficiency Woodstoves in Isolated Electricity Systems	Aug 13/21
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Funding Agreement to Provide Divorce Act Proceedings in Both Official Languages	Aug 13/21
JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Memorandum of Understanding to Expand the Unified Family Court Model	Aug 13/21
IAR	Crown-Indigenous Relations/ Nunatsiavut Government/ Torngat Joint Fisheries Board	Funding Agreement for the Torngat Joint Fisheries Board	Aug 4/21

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IAR	Crown-Indigenous Relations/ Nunatsiavut Government/ Torngat Wildlife and Plants Co-Management Board	Funding Agreement for the Torngat Wildlife and Plants Co-Management Board	Aug 4/21
FFA	Department of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada/ Governments of all other Provinces and Territories except Northwest Territories (NT) and Nunavut (NU)	Amendment No.3 to the AgriStability Program Guidelines	July 28/21
IGAS	Department of Finance Canada/ Department of Natural Resources Canada	Agreement in Principle on the Financial Restructuring of the Lower Churchill Projects	July 28/21
EDU	Employment and Social Development Canada	Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement	July 28/21

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EDU	Employment and Social Development Canada	Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Early Learning and Child Care Agreement	July 28/21
IPGS	Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada	Amendment to Extend the Provincial Nominee Chapter of the Memorandum of Understanding Concerning Information Sharing Between Canada and Newfoundland and Labrador	July 26/21
TI	Infrastructure Canada	Amending Agreement No. 2 to the Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Integrated Bilateral Agreement for the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program	July 23/21
HCS	Health Canada	Letter of Agreement to Amend the Bilateral Agreements for Home and Community Care and Mental Health and Addictions Services	July 22/21

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JPS/ Office of the Public Trustee	Canada Employment Insurance Commission/ Employment and Social Development Canada	Agreement Governing Access to the Secure Information Portal for the Office of the Public Trustee	July 22/21
NLHC	Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation	Letter of Agreement and Addendum for Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Housing Benefit	July 16/21
HCS	Health Canada	Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Bilateral Agreement for Pan-Canadian Virtual Care Priorities in Response to COVID-19	July 2/21
IPGS	Government of New Brunswick	Memorandum of Understanding for Virtual Learning Strategist Project	June 24/21
IET	National Research Council of Canada	Memorandum of Understanding for Technical Assessments to Assist in the Delivery of IET Commercial R&D Programs	June 24/21

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DGSNL/ JPS	Government of Canada/ Governments of all other Provinces and Territories	Reconciliation Agreement on Construction Codes	June 24/21
FFA	Department of Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada/ Governments of all other Provinces and Territories except NT and NU	Amendment to the 2018 Canadian Agricultural Partnership Multilateral Framework Agreement Regarding the AgriStability Program	June 24/21
FFA	Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada/ Governments of Ontario/ Saskatchewan/ British Columbia/ Northwest Territories/ Yukon/ Nova Scotia/ New Brunswick/ Prince Edward Island	Amendment to the Canadian Fish and Seafood Program Framework Agreement	June 14/21
FFA	Department of Environment and Climate Change Canada/ Governments of Ontario/	Agreement Concerning the Implementation of the North American Waterfowl Management Plan	June 3/21

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	<p>Quebec/ Nova Scotia/ New Brunswick/ Prince Edward Island/ Ducks Unlimited Canada/ Nature Conservancy of Canada/ Bird Studies Canada/ Wildlife Habitat Canada</p>	<p>through the Eastern Habitat Joint Venture</p>	
HCS	<p>Caisse de Prevoyance Sociale de Saint Pierre et Miquelon/ Eastern Regional Integrated Health Authority</p>	<p>Amendment to the Healthcare Services Rate Agreement Between Newfoundland and Labrador - Saint Pierre et Miquelon</p>	<p>May 20/21</p>
HCS	<p>Caisse de Prevoyance Sociale de Saint Pierre et Miquelon/ Centre Hospitalier Francois Dunan/ Eastern Regional Integrated Health Authority</p>	<p>Amendment to the Healthcare Services Agreement Between Newfoundland and Labrador - Saint Pierre et Miquelon</p>	<p>May 20/21</p>

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DGSNL	Service Canada	Amendment to the Letter of Agreement for the Implementation of the Death Registration and Notification Blueprint	May 10/21
FFA	Department of Natural Resources Canada	Non-Repayable Contribution Agreement for COVID-19 Safety Measures in Forest Sector Operations	May 7/21
TCAR	Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency/ Governments of Nova Scotia/ New Brunswick/ Prince Edward Island/ Hospitality Newfoundland and Labrador/ Tourism Industry Association of Nova Scotia/ Tourism Industry Association of New Brunswick/ Tourism Industry Association of Prince Edward Island	Atlantic Canada Agreement on Tourism	April 29/21

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JPS	Department of Justice Canada	Funding Agreement for the Family Information Liaison Unit (NL FILU)	April 23/21
IPGS	Department of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada	Extension of the Canada - Newfoundland and Labrador Immigration Agreement 2016	April 22/21
CSSD	Governments of Alberta (13), Saskatchewan (8), Ontario (7), Nova Scotia (4), Nunavut (1)	Interprovincial Placement Agreements for Child Services (total of 33 agreements)*	Various dates 2021-22

*These confidential CSSD – IPPA agreements are not counted in the total number of intergovernmental agreements signed in 2021-22.

