



Nunavut Tunngavik Incorporated

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Iqaluit, Nunavut

November 17-20, 2009

Resolution#: RSA 09-11-11

CITES Listing

Moved by Raymond Ningeocheak

Seconded by: Edwin Evo

WHEREAS polar bears continue to be abundant and are a danger to Inuit near their communities; and

WHEREAS polar bear harvesting quotas do not reflect the actual population of polar bears and do not respect Inuit Qaujimajatuqangit; and

WHEREAS the current polar bear research is inadequate and lacks legitimacy among Inuit;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the members strongly support NTI's ongoing efforts to oppose the setting of quotas on polar bears without adequate research data and respect for Inuit Qaujimajatuqangit, and to oppose polar bear uplisting under the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species, which would eliminate trade of polar bear products.

In favor: All

Against:

Abstentions:

Carried: X

Defeated: ☐

Date: November 19, 2009