

## NL Employers' Council

# Employer of Distinction Awards Luncheon

**Friday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, Sheraton Hotel, St. John's**

- WHO:** Richard Alexander, Executive Director, NL Employers' Council (NLEC)  
Lisa Hollett, Chair, NLEC  
Employer of Distinction Award Nominees (list of organizations below)  
Cathy Bennett, CEO & Owner, Bennett Group of Companies (EOD Judge)  
Dr. Gary Gorman, Former Dean of Business, Memorial University (EOD Judge)  
Siobhan Coady, MP St. John's South-Mt. Pearl  
Jack Harris, MP St. John's East  
Derrick Dalley, Minister of Business  
Mayor Dennis O'Keefe
- WHAT:** Nearly 200 employers and guests will attend the NLEC's Employer of Distinction Awards luncheon today at the Sheraton Hotel in St. John's. The organization will present the Employer of Distinction Award in both the large and small employer category, honouring employers who place value in their workforce, give back to the community and set new standards for excellence in human resources. The luncheon will feature a keynote address by Siobhan Coady, MP of St. John's South Mount Pearl and Former President of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.
- WHEN:** **Friday, Feb 25, 2011**  
12:00 - Networking reception  
12:30 – Opening remarks/Lunch served  
Approx. 1:25 – Keynote address/Awards presentation
- WHERE:** **Sheraton Hotel**  
St. John's, NL
- WHY:** Employers shortlisted for the small employer category are: St. John's International Airport Authority, Canadian Hard of Hearing Association, Conservation Corps, Cox & Palmer, Ever Green Environmental Corporation, FIT For Work, Gander International Airport Authority, Keep Cool Refrigeration & A/C Ltd., Knightsbridge Robertson Surette, Lotek Wireless Inc. and St. Jude Hotel. Employers shortlisted for the large employer category are: City of St. John's, Iron Ore Company of Canada, Newfoundland Power, Newfoundland & Labrador Liquor Corporation, and S.S. Subway. Two of these employers will be named Employers of Distinction today, setting them apart from their peers.

**YOUR COVERAGE IS INVITED –  
PLEASE CONFIRM ATTENDANCE VIA PHONE OR E-MAIL**

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