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TRC Announces Call for Submissions to host National Research Centre

The Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada (TRC) today posted the Call for Submissions to host the National Research Centre on residential schools.

The establishment of the National Research Centre (NRC) will help to create the infrastructure that will house the permanent record of the residential school system in Canada.

The NRC will be a permanent resource to educate all Canadians on what happened within the residential schools. It will be accessible to former students, their families and communities, the general public, researchers and educators.

The entity selected to host the NRC will be responsible for the preservation of one of Canada's largest collections of oral history. The host will work with the Commission to preserve and archive millions of records including Survivor statements, documents, photos and other digital records imaged from Government and Church archives alongside materials created and received during the Commission's work.

The NRC will ensure that a National Memory is preserved and recognized for future generations of all Canadians.

The deadline for Submissions is February 16, 2012.

A copy of the Call for Submissions can be downloaded at **trc.ca**.

To view webcasts from the *Sharing Truth – Creating a National Research Centre on Residential Schools* National Research Forum in March 2011 visit:

www.trc-nrc.ca/websites/NRC/index.php?p=181

If you have questions about the application please contact Laver Simard, TRC Contracting Specialist at 204-984-7622 or email laver.simard@trc.ca

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