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## **The Congress of Aboriginal Peoples elects new Chief.**

### **Ottawa, ON**

At its Annual General Assembly held in Ottawa this weekend, CAP elected Betty Ann Lavallée to the position of National Chief.

Ms. Lavallée will take over from interim Chief Kevin Daniels who will resume his post as Vice-Chief. Mr. Daniels had stepped up to the position of Interim National Chief when former Chief Patrick Brazeau was nominated to the Canadian Senate earlier this year.

Ms. Lavallée, who was the acting Vice-Chief, is a long standing Director of CAP and was President and Chief of the New Brunswick Aboriginal Peoples Council, she brings a vast experience and knowledge of Aboriginal affairs to the Congress.

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The Congress of Aboriginal Peoples (CAP) represents Status and non-Status Indians living off-reserve and Métis. CAP was founded in 1971 as the Native Council of Canada.

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