

Ontario lags significantly behind other provinces in negotiating with First Nations to sign and secure agreements to share the lands and resources that are subject to the treaties, the Constitution Act 1982, and the Supreme Court of Canada decisions in favour of First Nations and treaty, aboriginal and our basic human and economic rights.

Nishnawbe Aski Nation is a political territorial organization representing 49 First Nation communities in James Bay Treaty No. 9 and Ontario portions of Treaty No. 5 – an area covering two-thirds of the province of Ontario in Canada.

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