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Grand Chief to attend negotiations working sessions in Calgary

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(11, Tiothohrhkó:wa/January 2005) Grand Chief Michael Ahríhron Delisle, Jr. will attend a Canada Aboriginal Roundtable conference on Wednesday and Thursday (12 and 13 Tiothohrhkó:wa/January) in Calgary.

The two-day event will provide Native leaders with a forum to share views and discuss options for establishing more effective policies and processes for addressing Aboriginal and treaty rights – part of Prime Minister Paul Martin's added priority on Native issues.

"We have a responsibility to work on making improvements that will benefit not only ourselves here in Kahnawá:ke, but Native people from across the country," said Chief Delisle. "I believe that, through my involvement, our position towards negotiation and all other subject matters can be heard first hand by all in attendance."

The event is being organized by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development. Chief Delisle's expenses are being paid by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

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