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President pleased with approval of residential schools settlement

Nunatsiavut President Johannes Lampe says he's hopeful residential school survivors in Newfoundland and Labrador can now move on with their lives following Wednesday's approval of a \$50 million class-action settlement.

"We are pleased that residential schools survivors finally have some closure," he says. "This ends a sad chapter in the history of Labrador Inuit, but it also represents a new beginning for many."

In addition to the \$50 million settlement, survivors will also receive \$2 million for reconciliation and healing. The settlement was reached in May, but required the approval of the Supreme Court of Newfoundland and Labrador.

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