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### **Speaker Naize announces Eric Descheenie as the new Legislative Branch Chief of Staff**

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – Speaker Johnny Naize today announced that Eric Descheenie, previously the Deputy Chief of Staff, will assume the position of Legislative Branch Chief of Staff.

Eric Descheenie has served in the Office of the Speaker for nearly four years and previously held political posts with the Arizona Governor’s Office and Arizona Department of Housing.

“Eric has strong knowledge of the Legislative Branch functions and I have absolute confidence that he will elevate my administration to the new level of excellence,” said Speaker Naize.

“We are in a very important time of Navajo government reorganization and I assure Navajo people that we will continue to work to the best of our abilities to ensure the government meets your expectations.”

Descheenie will assume all responsibilities of the Chief of Staff immediately. The Legislative Branch will continue to remain fully functional during the transition period.

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