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The evaluation committee will consist of the following members:

- An employee of the Early Learning and Childcare Branch (Licensing Team) - Department of Education and Early Childhood Development (EECD)
- A Financial Analyst – EECD
- An employee of the Designated Space Creation, Allocation and Access Team - EECD
- A Strategy and Planning Advisor from Opportunities NB: Business and Economic Development
- A Planner from the Department of Environment and Local Government
- Member of the District Education Council (DEC) – Anglophone sector
- Member of the Conseil d'éducation de district (CED) – Francophone sector

Employees from the Department of Indigenous Affairs, Opportunities NB and EECD employees from the district in which the applicant is requesting designated spaces may be consulted by members of the evaluation committee. They may be asked to provide regional information or quality assessment information and licensing information about an existing early learning and child care facility.