



No. 15

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

SECOND SESSION – TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, November 21, 2017

1:30 p.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

Petitions of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following members: Cheveldayoff, Chartier, Sarauer, Forbes, Rancourt, and Beck.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to order and pursuant to rule 16(7), petitions from residents of the province of Saskatchewan, requesting the following action, were read and received:

To provide main street access to highway 1 in Balgonie.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 16)

To stop the federal government from imposing a carbon tax on the province.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 17)

To reopen the Buffalo Narrows correctional center.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 19)

To immediately stop unfair tax hikes.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 24)

- To restore funding to post-secondary institutions.
(Addendum to sessional paper no. 26)
- To construct a second bridge in Prince Albert.
(Addendum to sessional paper no. 27)
- To pass legislation for critical supports for victims of domestic violence.
(Addendum to sessional paper no. 50)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS / DÉPÔT DE PROJETS DE LOI

The following bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting: Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés, lus une première fois, et la deuxième lecture en est fixée à la prochaine séance:

Bill No. 99—The Interpretation Amendment Act, 2017 (No. 2)
Projet de loi n° 99—Loi modificative n° 2 de 2017 sur l'interprétation
(Hon. Mr. / L'hon. M. Morgan)

Bill No. 103—The Land Contracts (Actions) Act, 2017
(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

Bill No. 104—The Saskatchewan Human Rights Code, 2017
Projet de loi n° 104—Code des droits de la personne de la Saskatchewan de 2017
(Hon. Mr. / L'hon. M. Morgan)

Bill No. 105—The Saskatchewan Human Rights Consequential Amendment Act, 2017
(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

Bill No. 106—The Missing Persons and Presumption of Death Amendment Act, 2017
(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The order of the day being called for question nos. 44 to 53, they were answered. (see appendix)

CONDOLENCE MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wall, by leave of the Assembly:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of a former Member of this Assembly and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contribution he made to his community, his constituency, and to the province.

Gordon Gray Currie, who passed away on February 22, 2017 at the age of 93, was a Member of this Legislative Assembly from 1982 until 1987, representing the constituency of Regina Wascana for the Progressive Conservative Party. Mr. Currie served on Executive Council in several capacities

including as the Minister of Education, Minister of Continuing Education, Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, Minister of Science and Technology, and Minister of Telephones.

Mr. Currie was born in Semans, Saskatchewan. He attended Notre Dame College and received a Bachelor of Education degree at Mount Allison College in New Brunswick. He was also a lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Navy in World War II. Upon his return to Regina, he was hired at Balfour Technical School to teach history and promote sports. He continued his coaching career with the Balfour Redmen, the Regina Red Sox, and the Regina Rams. His contributions to sport have been formally recognized in a variety of ways. Currie Field, the home of the Regina Red Sox, was named in his honour. He was inducted into the Saskatchewan Sports Hall of Fame in 1978 and the Canadian Football Hall of Fame as a mentor in 2005. He became a member of the Order of Canada in 1979.

Mr. Currie is survived and sadly missed by his three sons, Bob, Doug, and Jim, and their families.

In recording its own deep sense of loss and bereavement, this Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wall, by leave of the Assembly:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of a former Member of this Assembly and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contribution he made to his community, his constituency, and to the province.

Jack Charles Klein, who passed away on June 8, 2017 at the age of 81, was a Member of this Legislative Assembly from 1982 until 1991, representing the constituencies of Regina North and Regina South for the Progressive Conservative Party. Mr. Klein served on Executive Council in several capacities including as the Minister of Tourism and Small Business, Minister of Urban Affairs, Minister of Trade and Investment, Minister of Consumer and Commercial Affairs, and Minister of Human Resources, Labour and Employment.

Mr. Klein was an enthusiastic businessman with vast professional experience. He purchased his first restaurant in 1957, he operated Sunset Amusement Park from 1964 to 1978, was a real estate broker from 1969 to 1980, and operated Leisure World from 1977 to 1982. After serving in the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Klein moved to Mesa, Arizona and operated an automotive lubricant shop. He retired in 1999 to Kelowna, British Columbia.

Mr. Klein is survived and sadly missed by his wife of 60 years, Shirley, and their five children, Mark, Cathy, Brad, Luke, and Michael, and their families.

In recording its own deep sense of loss and bereavement, this Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wall, by leave of the Assembly:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of a former Member of this Assembly and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contribution he made to his community, his constituency, and to the province.

Robert Wayne Mitchell, who passed away on November 18, 2016 at the age of 80, was a Member of this Legislative Assembly from 1986 until 1999, representing the constituency of Saskatoon Fairview for the New Democratic Party. Mr. Mitchell served on Executive Council in several capacities including as the Minister of Justice and Attorney General, Minister of Labour, Minister of Post-Secondary Education and Skills Training, and Provincial Secretary.

Mr. Mitchell was born in Preeceville. He graduated from the University of Saskatchewan with degrees in law and economics. Prior to becoming a Member of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Mitchell served as director of legal services for the federal Department of Labour and the Department of Regional Economic Expansion in Ottawa and as a labour relations expert for the International Labour Organization of the United Nations in the Caribbean. On returning to Saskatchewan, Mr. Mitchell served as deputy minister for the provincial Department of Labour from 1974 to 1979 before co-founding the Mitchell-Ching law firm in Saskatoon. After leaving politics, Mr. Mitchell went on to work as head negotiator for the Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations and to chair the Saskatchewan Public Complaints Commission.

Mr. Mitchell is survived and sadly missed by his wife Sandra and their six daughters, Janet, Roberta, Stephanie, Shannon, Donna, and Alison, and their families.

In recording its own deep sense of loss and bereavement, this Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wall, by leave of the Assembly:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of a former Member of this Assembly and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contribution he made to his community, his constituency, and to the province.

Roger Parent, who passed away on November 29, 2016 at the age of 63, was a Member of this Legislative Assembly from 2011 until his passing. He represented the constituency of Saskatoon Meewasin for the Saskatchewan Party.

Mr. Parent held a certificate in mechanical engineering technology from the Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology and a certificate in business administration from the University of Saskatchewan. Prior to becoming a Member of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Parent was a business consultant that worked with a variety of organizations developing Aboriginal businesses around the province. He was also involved with a number of organizations, including the Saskatchewan Economic Development Association, the Saskatchewan Housing Corporation, and the Saskatoon Homelessness Initiatives Partnership.

Mr. Parent is survived and sadly missed by his wife Sheila and their four daughters, Shanaya, Melissa, Jennifer, and Rebecca, and their families.

In recording its own deep sense of loss and bereavement, this Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Wall, by leave of the Assembly:

That this Assembly records with sorrow and regret the passing of a former Member of this Assembly and expresses its grateful appreciation of the contribution he made to his community, his constituency, and to the province.

Duane Weiman who passed away on September 4, 2015 at the age of 69, was a Member of this Legislative Assembly from 1982 until 1986, representing the constituency of Saskatoon Fairview for the Progressive Conservative Party. During his time as a Member of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Weiman served as a Legislative Secretary to the Minister of Finance and to the Minister of Education.

Prior to being elected, Mr. Weiman was a teacher. After serving in the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Weiman returned to the Greater Saskatoon Catholic School Board as an educator and chaplain at Bishop James Mahoney and E.D. Feehan high schools. He was active in his parish and enjoyed traveling throughout Canada, the United States, Europe, and China.

Mr. Weiman is survived and sadly missed by his wife, Delores, and their two children, Kari and Paul, and their families.

In recording its own deep sense of loss and bereavement, this Assembly expresses its most sincere sympathy to members of the bereaved family.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

TRANSMITTAL MOTION

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Brkich, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That notwithstanding rule 8(2) of *The Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan*, the Speaker on behalf of the Legislative Assembly transmit copies of the official records of the tributes to the bereaved families in memory of the deceased members.

SECOND READINGS / DEUXIÈME LECTURE

Bill No. 94—The Saskatchewan Advantage Grant for Education Savings (SAGES) Amendment Act, 2017

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Cox: That Bill No. 94—The Saskatchewan Advantage Grant for Education Savings (SAGES) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

Bill No. 95—The Miscellaneous Statutes Repeal and Amendment Act, 2017

The Hon. Mr. Morgan, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 95—The Miscellaneous Statutes Repeal and Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

**Bill No. 96—The Choice of Court Agreements (Hague Convention Implementation) Act
Projet de loi n° 96—Loi sur les accords d'élection de for (mise en œuvre de la Convention de La Haye)**

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 96—The Choice of Court Agreements (Hague Convention Implementation) Act be now read a second time.

L'hon. M. Morgan propose: Que le projet de loi n° 96—Loi sur les accords d'élection de for (mise en œuvre de la Convention de La Haye) soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

Il s'élève un débat et sur motion de M. Belanger, il est ajourné.

Bill No. 97—The Arbitration (Family Dispute Resolution) Amendment Act, 2017

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 97—The Arbitration (Family Dispute Resolution) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

The Assembly recessed from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

**Bill No. 98—The Miscellaneous Statutes (Family Dispute Resolution) Amendment Act, 2017
Projet de loi n° 98—Loi modificative diverse (résolution des conflits familiaux) de 2017**

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 98—The Miscellaneous Statutes (Family Dispute Resolution) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

L'hon. M. Morgan propose: Que le projet de loi n° 98—Loi modificative diverse (résolution des conflits familiaux) de 2017 soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. McCall, adjourned.

Il s'élève un débat et sur motion de M. McCall, il est ajourné.

ADJOURNED DEBATES

Bill No. 84—The Income Tax (Business Income) Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 84—The Income Tax (Business Income) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Forbes, adjourned.

Bill No. 76—The Parks Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Makowsky: That Bill No. 76—The Parks Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Chartier, adjourned.

Bill No. 77—The Miscellaneous Statutes (Superannuation Plans) Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 77—The Miscellaneous Statutes (Superannuation Plans) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Forbes, adjourned.

Bill No. 78—The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 78—The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Forbes, adjourned.

Bill No. 79—The Public Employees Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 79—The Public Employees Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Forbes, adjourned.

Bill No. 80—The Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 80—The Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Forbes, adjourned.

Bill No. 81—The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Hargrave: That Bill No. 81—The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette, adjourned.

Bill No. 82—The SaskEnergy Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Hargrave: That Bill No. 82—The SaskEnergy Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Sproule, adjourned.

Bill No. 83—The Environmental Management and Protection Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Duncan: That Bill No. 83—The Environmental Management and Protection Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Chartier, adjourned.

Bill No. 72—The Privacy Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 72—The Privacy Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette, adjourned.

Bill No. 73—The Insurance Amendment Act, 2017

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 73—The Insurance Amendment Act, 2017 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Sproule, adjourned.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Brkich:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 9:09 p.m. until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Corey Tochor
Speaker

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

The following responses to written questions were tabled by the government:

Question no. 44 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for Saskatchewan assured income for disability clients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 45 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for seniors' income plan recipients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 46 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for family health benefit recipients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 47 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for Saskatchewan assistance program clients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 48 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for supplementary health benefit recipients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 49 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, what was the cost to the ministry for chiropractic treatments for transitional employment allowance recipients in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017?

Answer:

2012: 0, 2013: 0, 2014: 0, 2015: 0, 2016: 0, and 2017: 0.

Question no. 50 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, how many children were cared for in hotel rooms in November and December, 2016, and January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September, October, and November (to date), 2017?

Answer:

November 2016: 0, December 2016: 0, January 2017: 1, February 2017: 0, March 2017: 0, April 2017: 0, May 2017: 0, June 2017: 0, July 2017: 0, August 2017: 0, September 2017: 0, October 2017: 0, November 2017: 0 (to November 14, 2017).

Question no. 51 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, how many Indigenous children were recorded as in out-of-home care at year-end 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017 (to date)?

Answer:

Year-end 2012: N/A*, Year-end 2013: 3,012, Year-end 2014: 3,034, Year-end 2015: 3,128, Year-end 2016: 3,460, 2017 (to date): 3,777 (on October 31, 2017).

*Total counts prior to June 2012 are not recorded in the case management system.

Question no. 52 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, how many children were recorded as in out-of-home care at year-end 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 (to date)?

Answer:

Year-end 2012: N/A*, Year-end 2013: 4,492, Year-end 2014: 4,596, Year-end 2015: 4,715, Year-end 2016: 4,946, 2017 (to date): 5,212 (on October 31, 2017).

*Total counts prior to June 2012 are not recorded in the case management system.

Question no. 53 (Ms. Rancourt):

To the Minister of Social Services, how many non-Indigenous children were recorded as in out-of-home care at year-end 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 (to date)?

Answer:

Year-end 2012: N/A*, Year-end 2013: 1,480, Year-end 2014: 1,562, Year-end 2015: 1,587, Year-end 2016: 1,486, 2017 (to date): 1,435 (on October 31, 2017).

*Total counts prior to June 2012 are not recorded in the case management system.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS AVIS DE MOTIONS PORTANT PREMIÈRE LECTURE DE PROJETS DE LOI

On Thursday / jeudi:

The Hon. Mr. Morgan to move first reading of Bill No. 108—The Statute Law Amendment Act, 2017

The Hon. Mr. Morgan to move first reading of Bill No. 109—The Statute Law Amendment Act, 2017 (No. 2)

L'hon. M. Morgan proposera la première lecture du projet de loi n° 109—Loi n° 2 de 2017 modifiant le droit législatif

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR A SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

On Thursday:

Ms. Sproule to move the following motion:

That this Assembly acknowledges the importance and need for further transparency and accountability on the Global Transportation Hub considering that very serious mistakes were made that should have never happened, that the people of Saskatchewan are owed answers to questions around the Global Transportation Hub, that questions remain about issues and individuals surrounding the GTH that have been amplified by recent revelations; and further that it's unacceptable to the people of Saskatchewan that after all this time there are still more questions than answers when it comes to the GTH.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

On Thursday:

Mr. Moe to move the following motion:

That this Assembly supports the Government of Saskatchewan's decision to work with municipalities and smaller communities to establish a ride-sourcing network as another tool in efforts to curb drinking and driving in this province.

NOTICE OF PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Government)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

Mr. Moe to move the following motion:

That this Assembly supports the Government of Saskatchewan's decision to work with municipalities and smaller communities to establish a ride-sourcing network as another tool in efforts to curb drinking and driving in this province.

No. 2 (Opposition)

Not submitted—Item of business determined pursuant to Rule 24(4).

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following question was given notice on day no. 12 and is to be answered by day no. 17:

Question no. 54 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Justice and Attorney General, what was the total cost of severance for corrections food services employees whose positions were eliminated in the transition to food services provided by Compass Group Canada?

The following questions were given notice on day no. 15 and are to be answered by day no. 20:

Question no. 55 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, with respect to wait times for therapy/treatment for a workers' compensation psychological injury claim, (a) what is the average wait time, (b) does it vary by geographical region, and (c) if so, how is it measured and what are the average wait times for each region?

Question no. 56 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation, what were SaskPower's expenses in relation to the Global Transportation Hub in 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017 (to date)?

Question no. 57 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, what is the average wait to receive a mental health assessment for a workers' compensation psychological injury claim?

Question no. 58 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, how many therapists are currently approved to perform psychological assessments for Workers' Compensation Board (WCB) in Saskatchewan?

Question no. 59 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, as of November 1, 2017, how many therapists were approved to perform psychological assessments for WCB in Saskatoon, Regina, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Swift Current, Yorkton, Estevan, and Weyburn?

Question no. 60 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, as of November 1, 2016, how many therapists were approved to perform psychological assessments for WCB in Saskatoon, Regina, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Swift Current, Yorkton, Estevan, and Weyburn?

Question no. 61 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, as of November 1, 2015, how many therapists were approved to perform psychological assessments for WCB in Saskatoon, Regina, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, North Battleford, Swift Current, Yorkton, Estevan, and Weyburn?

Question no. 62 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in the current fiscal year, to date, how many people who have either applied for or are in receipt of WCB benefits had to travel out of province for a mental health assessment, or any other necessary psychological assessment?

Question no. 63 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in the 2016-17 fiscal year, how many people who have either applied for or are in receipt of WCB benefits had to travel out of province for a mental health assessment, or any other necessary psychological assessment?

Question no. 64 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in the 2015-16 fiscal year, how many people who have either applied for or are in receipt of WCB benefits had to travel out of province for a mental health assessment, or any other necessary psychological assessment?

Question no. 65 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in the current fiscal year, to date, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Saskatoon, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Saskatoon?

Question no. 66 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in 2016-17, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Saskatoon, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Saskatoon?

Question no. 67 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in 2015-16, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Saskatoon, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Saskatoon?

Question no. 68 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in 2015-16, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Regina, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Regina?

Question no. 69 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in 2016-17, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Regina, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Regina?

Question no. 70 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, in the current fiscal year, to date, of those WCB recipients who have qualified for mental health therapy for a workers' compensation psychological injury who live in Regina, how many have been expected to take therapy outside of Regina?

Question no. 71 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, once a WCB claim is approved, is there a maximum distance WCB recipients are expected to travel for therapy for a psychological injury?

Question no. 72 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, with respect to mental health assessments for a workers' compensation psychological injury claim, (a) does the average wait time vary by geographical location, (b) if so, how was it measured, and (c) what are the wait times for each region?