

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY**  
**Monday, May 14, 2018**

**MINUTE NO. 28**

**3:16 p.m. — māmawapiwin náyati room (Room 8)**

1. **Present:** Colleen Young in the chair and members Buckley Belanger,\* David Buckingham, Terry Dennis, Delbert Kirsch, Warren McCall,\* Warren Michelson, and Doug Steele.

**Substituting Members**

Buckley Belanger for Vicki Mowat (6:30 p.m. – 8:34 p.m.)

Warren McCall for Vicki Mowat (3:16 p.m. – 4:23 p.m.)

**Other Members**

Cathy Sproule

2. The committee considered the estimates for Innovation Saskatchewan.

The Minister Responsible for Innovation Saskatchewan and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Innovation Saskatchewan

Hon. Tina Beaudry-Mellor, Minister

Wes Jickling, Chief Executive Officer

Kari Harvey, Chief Operating Officer

Ministry of Immigration and Career Training

Neal Cooke, Director, Financial Compliance

3. The committee adjourned consideration of the estimates for Innovation Saskatchewan.
4. The committee considered Bill No. 129, *The Saskatchewan Technology Start-up Incentive Act*.

The Minister Responsible for Innovation Saskatchewan and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Innovation Saskatchewan

Hon. Tina Beaudry-Mellor, Minister

Wes Jickling, Chief Executive Officer

Kari Harvey, Chief Operating Officer

Andy Melnyk, Director, Innovation Policy

Ministry of Immigration and Career Training

Neal Cooke, Director, Financial Compliance

5. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 49, they were agreed to.

6. It was moved by Mr. Steele:

That the committee report Bill No. 129, *The Saskatchewan Technology Start-up Incentive Act* without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

7. The committee recessed from 4:23 p.m. until 6:30 p.m.
8. The committee considered Bill No. 85, *The Reclaimed Industrial Sites Amendment Act, 2017*.

The Minister of Energy and Resources and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Bronwyn Eyre, Minister  
Laurie Pushor, Deputy Minister  
Kathryn Pollack, Assistant Deputy Minister, Mineral Lands and Tenure Policy  
Keith Cunningham, Senior Analyst, Energy and Resources

9. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 8, they were agreed to.
10. It was moved by Mr. Michelson:

That the committee report Bill No. 85, *The Reclaimed Industrial Sites Amendment Act, 2017* without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

11. The committee recessed from 7:00 p.m. until 7:04 p.m.
12. The committee considered the estimates and supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Highways and Infrastructure.

The Minister of Highways and Infrastructure and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. David Marit, Minister  
Fred Antunes, Deputy Minister  
Tom Lees, Assistant Deputy Minister, Operations and Maintenance Division  
Penny Popp, Assistant Deputy Minister, Design and Construction Division  
Blair Wagar, Assistant Deputy Minister, Policy, Planning and Regulation Division  
Wayne Gienow, Executive Director, Network Planning and Investment  
Kelly Moskowy, Executive Director, Corporate Services  
Dave Stearns, Executive Director, Construction Branch  
Doug Wakabayashi, Executive Director, Communications and Customer Services Branch

13. The committee adjourned consideration of the estimates and supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Highways and Infrastructure.

14. It was moved by Mr. Buckingham:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

15. The committee adjourned at 8:34 p.m. until Tuesday, May 15, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

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Rob Park  
Committee Clerk

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Colleen Young  
Chair