

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY**  
**Wednesday, April 3, 2019**

**MINUTE NO. 38**  
**6:00 p.m. — Legislative Chamber**

1. **Present:** Colleen Young and Warren Michelson in the chair and members David Buckingham, Terry Dennis, Delbert Kirsch, Warren Michelson, Cathy Sproule,\* Doug Steele, and Trent Wotherspoon.\*

**Substituting Members**

Cathy Sproule for Vicki Mowat (6:00 p.m. – 8:03 p.m.)

Trent Wotherspoon for Vicki Mowat (8:12 – 10:17 p.m.)

2. The Chair advised the committee that pursuant to rule 148(1), the estimates for the following ministries and agencies were committed to the committee March 28, 2019:

Vote 1	Agriculture
Vote 23	Energy and Resources
Vote 26	Environment
Vote 16	Highways and Infrastructure
Vote 89	Immigration and Career Training
Vote 84	Innovation Saskatchewan
Vote 35	Saskatchewan Research Council
Vote 86	SaskBuilds Corporation
Vote 90	Trade and Export Development
Vote 87	Water Security Agency

The supplementary estimates no. 2 for the following ministries were committed to the committee on March 20, 2019:

Vote 01	Agriculture
Vote 26	Environment

3. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Immigration and Career Training.

The Minister of Immigration and Career Training and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Ministry of Immigration and Career Training

Hon. Jeremy Harrison, Minister

Alastair MacFadden, Deputy Minister

Christa Ross, Assistant Deputy Minister, Immigration, Employment and Career Development

Darcy Smycniuk, Assistant Deputy Minister, Training and Employer Services

Denise Haas, Chief Financial Officer

Jennifer Clark, Executive Director, Skills Training

Anne McRorie, Executive Director, Immigration Services

Carol Ann Decker, Acting Executive Director, Labour Market Services

Chad Vickers, Director, Employer Services

Ministry of Trade and Export Development

Tyler Lynch, Executive Director, Marketing and Communications  
Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission  
Jeff Ritter, Chief Executive Officer

4. The committee adjourned consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Immigration and Career Training.
5. The committee recessed from 8:03 p.m. until 8:12 p.m.
6. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Trade and Export Development.

The Minister of Trade and Export Development and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Ministry of Trade and Export Development

Hon. Jeremy Harrison, Minister

Kent Campbell, Deputy Minister

Jodi Banks, Assistant Deputy Minister, International Relations and Trade Policy

Cammy Colpitts, Assistant Deputy Minister, Strategic Policy and Competitiveness

Kirk Westgard, Assistant Deputy Minister, Economic Development

Tyler Lynch, Executive Director, Marketing and Communications

Ministry of Immigration and Career Training

Denise Haas, Chief Financial Officer

7. It was moved by Mr. Buckingham:

That Warren Michelson preside as Acting Chair for the remainder of the Standing Committee on the Economy meeting on April 3, 2019.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

8. The committee resumed consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Trade and Export Development.
9. The committee adjourned consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Trade and Export Development.
10. It was moved by Mr. Buckingham:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

11. The committee adjourned at 10:17 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Anne Drake  
Committee Clerk

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Warren Michelson  
Acting Chair