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**STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL
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Ms. Laura Ross, Chair
Regina Rochdale

Mr. Doyle Vermette, Deputy Chair
Cumberland

Ms. Lori Carr
Estevan

Ms. Lisa Lambert
Saskatoon Churchill-Wildwood

Mr. David Marit
Wood River

Mr. Warren Michelson
Moose Jaw North

Mr. Warren Steinley
Regina Walsh Acres

[The committee met at 08:32.]

Mr. Park: — Good morning, everyone. Welcome back. This is the first meeting of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice. The first item of business today is the election of Chair. It is my duty as Committee Clerk to preside over the election of a Chair. I'd like to remind members of the process. I will first ask for nominations. Once there are no further nominations, I will ask a member to move the motion to have a committee member preside as Chair.

I will now call for nominations for a committee Chair. Mr. Vermette.

Mr. Vermette: — I move:

Laura Ross be elected to preside as Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

Mr. Park: — All right. Ms. Ross has been nominated for the position of Chair. I see no other nominations. Can I get a member to move a motion for that? Mr. Vermette.

Mr. Vermette: — I'll move that.

Mr. Park: — All right. It has been moved by Mr. Vermette:

That Ms. Ross be elected to preside as Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

All in favour of the motion?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

Mr. Park: — All opposed? I declare the motion carried and invite Ms. Ross to take the Chair.

The Chair: — Good morning, everyone. Thank you very much for nominating me, Mr. Vermette. So today we have the Intergovernmental and Justice Committee, and we have a copy of today's agenda. If members are in agreement, we will proceed with the agenda.

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — Okay, the first item of business will be the election of a Deputy Chair, and I just want to remind members of the process. I will ask for nominations. Once there are no further nominations, I will then ask a member to move a motion to have a committee member preside as Deputy Chair.

I will now call for nominations for the position of Deputy Chair. Mr. Steinley.

Mr. Steinley: — I move:

That Doyle Vermette be elected to preside as Deputy Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

The Chair: — Thank you very much. Are there any other members to be nominated? If not, thank you very much, Mr. Steinley. He has nominated Mr. Vermette to the position of Deputy Chair. Seeing no other nominations, I would now like to invite one of the members to move that motion.

Mr. Steinley: — I'll move that motion.

The Chair: — Thank you very much. It has been moved by Mr. Steinley:

That Mr. Vermette be elected to preside as the Deputy Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

All in favour of the motion?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — All opposed? I declare the motion carried.

Next on our agenda is the establishment of a steering committee. I would ask a member to move the motion. Mr. Michelson.

Mr. Michelson: — Thank you, Ms. Ross. I would move a motion:

That the steering committee be appointed to establish an agenda and priority of business for subsequent meetings, and that the membership be comprised of the Chair and the Deputy Chair;

And further, that the steering committee shall meet time to time as directed by the committee or at the call of the Chair; that the presence of all members of the steering committee is necessary to constitute a meeting; and that substitutions from the membership of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice be permitted on the steering committee.

The Chair: — Thank you very much, Mr. Michelson. He has moved the motion. Do members approve of the motion as read?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — Opposed? Motion is carried. If there is no other business, I would ask a member to move a motion for adjournment.

Mr. Michelson: — I will so move.

The Chair: — Thank you very much. Mr. Michelson has moved that the meeting is adjourned. Thank you very much everyone.

[The committee adjourned at 08:36.]