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Moose Jaw North

Ms. Vicki Mowat
Saskatoon Fairview

Mr. Randy Weekes
Biggar-Sask Valley

[The committee met at 09:59.]

Mr. Park: — Well welcome back. Good morning. Once again, my name is Rob Park and I'm the Committee Clerk for the Standing Committee on Public Accounts. This morning the House Services Committee changed the membership on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts. Ms. Chartier is no longer on the committee so it is my duty as the Committee Clerk to preside over the election of a new Chair. What I will do is I'll ask for nominations. Once we have nominations I will ask the member to move the motion in order to move a new Chair.

So at this point, are there any nominations for the position of Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts? Mr. McCall.

Mr. McCall: — Thank you very much, Mr. Park. I'd place a nomination in the name of Trent Wotherspoon.

Mr. Park: — Mr. McCall has moved Mr. Trent Wotherspoon for the position of Chair. Are there any other nominations? Seeing none, I'll get Mr. McCall to move that motion.

Mr. McCall: — Thank you very much, Mr. Park. I'd move:

That Trent Wotherspoon be elected to preside as Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Mr. Park: — Mr. McCall has moved:

That Mr. Trent Wotherspoon be elected to preside as the Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

All in favour of the motion?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

Mr. Park: — Carried. As Mr. Wotherspoon is not able to be with us today, or the Deputy Chair is not able to be, we'll need an Acting Chair for the remainder of this committee. So I'll do the same process. I'll ask for a nomination for Acting Chair for the day. Once we have nominations, I'll ask for the member to move that motion. Is there nominations for today's meeting? Ms. Carr.

Ms. Carr: — I'll so move:

That Fred Bradshaw be elected to preside as Acting Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts for the meeting of March 19th, 2018.

Mr. Park: — Ms. Carr has nominated and moved that:

Mr. Fred Bradshaw be elected to preside as Acting Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts for the meeting of March 19th, 2018. All in favour of the motion?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

Mr. Park: — Carried. Mr. Bradshaw can you take the Chair, please?

The Acting Chair (Mr. Bradshaw): — Well thank you. We have the following items to table:

The Ministry of Education: Report of public losses for the board of education, September the 1st, 2017 to November the 30th, 2017, PAC 41-28.

Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan, third quarter financial forecast for the nine months ending December 31st, 2017, PAC 42-28.

Ministry of Finance: Report of public losses, October the 1st, 2017 to December 31st, 2017, PAC 43-28.

Ministry of Health: Report of public losses, October 1st, 2017 to December 31st, 2017, PAC 44-28.

Ministry of Advanced Education: Report of public losses for Saskatchewan Polytechnic and regional colleges, July 1st, 2016 to December 31st, 2017, PAC 45-28.

I would like to advise the committee that pursuant to rule 142(2), that the following report was committed to the committee: Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan 2017 report volume 2, sessional paper no. 77.

I would now ask for a motion of adjournment. Ms. Carr moves that we adjourn. Is everyone in favour?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Acting Chair (Mr. Bradshaw): — Carried. This committee stands adjourned to the call of the Chair.

[The committee adjourned at 10:03.]