

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY
Tuesday, March 31, 2026

MINUTE NO. 10
3:30 p.m. — māmawapiwin náyati room (Room 8)

1. **Present:** Daryl Harrison in the chair and members Noor Burki,* Racquel Hilbert, Kevin Kasun, Brittney Senger,* and Kevin Weedmark.

Substituting Members

Noor Burki for Tajinder Grewal

Brittney Senger for Meara Conway

2. The Committee Clerk presided over the election of a Chair. Daryl Harrison was nominated for the position. There being no further nominations, it was moved by Kevin Weedmark:

That Daryl Harrison be elected to preside as Chair of the Standing Committee on the Economy.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

3. The Chair advised the committee that pursuant to rule 148(1), the following 2026–27 estimates and 2025–26 supplementary estimates no. 2 were committed to the Standing Committee on the Economy on March 26, 2026 and March 18, 2026 respectively:

2026–27 Estimates

Vote 1	Agriculture
Vote 23	Energy and Resources
Vote 26	Environment
Vote 16	Highways
Vote 89	Immigration and Career Training
Vote 84	Innovation Saskatchewan
Vote 35, 172	Saskatchewan Research Council
Vote 90	Trade and Export Development
Vote 87	Water Security Agency

2025–26 Supplementary Estimates No. 2

Vote 1	Agriculture
Vote 23	Energy and Resources
Vote 16	Highways
Vote 89	Immigration and Career Training

4. The following documents were tabled:

Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel: 2025 bylaws filed

(ECO 4-30)

Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel: 2025 regulations filed

(ECO 5-30)

5. The committee considered the 2026–27 estimates and 2025–26 supplementary estimates no. 2 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

Hon. Eric Schmalz, Minister
Drew Wilby, Deputy Minister
Christa Ross, Assistant Deputy Minister
Darcy Smycniuk, Assistant Deputy Minister

6. The committee adjourned consideration of the 2026–27 estimates and 2025–26 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Immigration and Career Training.

7. It was moved by Kevin Kasun:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

8. The committee adjourned at 5:34 p.m. until Wednesday, April 1, 2026 at 3:30 p.m.

Jessica Start
Committee Clerk

Daryl Harrison
Chair