



No. 45

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FOURTH SESSION – TWENTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, May 27, 2003

1:30 p.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

Petitions of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following Members: Draude, Gantefoer, Weekes and Allchurch.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITION FOR A PRIVATE BILL

According to Order, the Clerk informed the Assembly that Petition 01 for a Private Bill regarding the Radville Christian College (Western Christian College), had been reviewed and found not to have met the filing deadlines pursuant to Rule 64.

Mr. McCall asked leave to suspend Rule 64 so that the petition regarding the Radville Christian College (Western Christian College) could be now read and received.

Leave was granted and Petition 01 was read and received and referred to the Standing Committee on Private Members' Bills.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to Order, the Deputy Clerk having favourably reported on the same pursuant to Rule 12(7), the following Petitions were read and received:

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take the necessary steps to ensure current Crown land lessees maintain their first option to renew those leases.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 12)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take immediate action and make necessary repairs to Highway 47 South in order to avoid serious injury and property damage.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 13)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take the necessary steps to have Sask. Crop Insurance reverse the 2003 premium increases and restore affordable crop insurance premiums to our struggling farmers.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 18)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take immediate action and make necessary repairs to Highway 22 in order to address safety and economic concerns.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 27)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to take necessary action to provide the people of Moose Jaw and district with a hemodialysis unit for their community.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 36)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to repair Highway 49 in order to address safety concerns and to facilitate economic growth in the area.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 41)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take the necessary steps to ensure continuation of the current level of services available at the Kindersley Hospital and to ensure the current specialty services are sustained to better serve the people of West Central Saskatchewan.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 100)

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The Order of the Day being called for Question Nos. 305 to 307, 389 to 401 and 474 to 483, they were answered. (See Appendix)

The Order of the Day being called for Question Nos. 308 to 388 and 402 to 473, pursuant to Rule 42(5), they were transferred to Motions for Returns (Debatable) Nos. 72 to 152 and 153 to 224.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

The Order of the Day being called for Motion No. 6, it was moved by Mr. Bjornerud, seconded by Mr. Hermanson:

That this Assembly expresses its complete confidence in the Canadian beef industry and urges other nations to reopen their borders to Canadian beef imports as soon as possible.

The debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Unanimous consent having been granted, the Assembly proceeded to Government Orders.

INTERIM SUPPLY

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Finance to consider resolutions for Interim Supply.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Melenchuk:

That a sum not exceeding four hundred ninety-three million, seven hundred twenty-one thousand dollars be granted to Her Majesty, on account, for the twelve months ending March 31, 2004.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Melenchuk:

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty on account of certain charges and expenses of the public service for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2004, the sum of four hundred ninety-three million, seven hundred twenty-one thousand dollars be granted out of the General Revenue Fund.

The said resolutions were reported, read twice and agreed to, and the Committee given leave to sit again.

THE APPROPRIATION ACT, 2003 (No. 2)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Melenchuk, by leave of the Assembly: That Bill No. 42, The Appropriation Act, 2003 (No. 2) – be introduced and read the first time.

The question being put, it was agreed to and the said Bill was, accordingly, read the first time.

By leave of the Assembly and pursuant to Rule 55(2), the said Bill was then read a second and third time and passed under its title.

ROYAL ASSENT

4:46 p.m.

Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Chamber, took her seat upon the Throne.

The Speaker addressed Her Honour:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly at its present Session has passed several Bills which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour and to which Bills I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill No. 19 – The Provincial Emblems and Honours Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 18 – The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 6 – The Podiatry Act

Bill No. 7 – The Occupational Therapists Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 14 – The Registered Nurses Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 5 – The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 10 – The Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 9 – The Agricultural Implements Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 25 – The Personal Care Homes Amendment Act, 2003

Bill No. 22 – The Pharmacy Amendment Act, 2003

Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: "In Her Majesty's name, I assent to these Bills."

The Speaker then said:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly has voted the supplies required to enable the Government to defray the expenses of the Public Service. In the name of the Assembly I present to Your Honour the following Bill, to which Bill I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent:

Bill No. 42 – The Appropriation Act, 2003 (No. 2)

Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: "In Her Majesty's name, I thank the Legislative Assembly, accept their benevolence, and assent to this Bill."

Her Honour then retired from the Chamber.

4:51 p.m.

TRANSMITTAL MOTION

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Lautermilch, seconded by Mr. D'Autremont, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That the Speaker, on behalf of the Legislative Assembly thank the Government of Canada and the Canadian Food Inspection Agency for their immediate and thorough response to the bovine spongiform encephalopathy (BSE) crisis; and further, that the Speaker transmit copies of the Private Member's Motion and verbatim transcript adopted earlier today to the Prime Minister of Canada, the federal Minister of Agriculture and all Opposition Party Leaders.

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Finance to consider Estimates for the Department of the Environment.

The Assembly recessed from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

The Committee being resumed, it continued consideration of Estimates for the Department of the Environment.

The Committee then considered Estimates for the Department of Learning.

Progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Hagel:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:19 p.m. until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. P. Myron Kowalsky
Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS AND PAPERS TABLED

The following paper was laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Serby:

Orders under *The Provincial Lands Act*, dated January 14, 2003 (No. 4/2003)

(Sessional Paper No. 117)

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Mr. Hillson asked the Government Question No. 305, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Cline:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: For the year 1972, what were the percentages of GDP for the following sectors; (1) Agriculture, forestry and hunting? (2) Mining, oil and gas extraction? (3) Manufacturing? (4) Construction? (5) Transportation, warehousing and utilities? (6) Wholesale and retail trade? (7) Finance and insurance, real estate and renting, and leasing? (8) Business services and industries? (9) Education, health care and social assistance industries? (10) Public administration? (11) Other service industries?

Answer:

The above questions are best asked of the Minister of Finance.

Mr. Hillson asked the Government Question No. 306, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Cline:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: For the year 1982, what were the percentages of GDP for the following sectors; (1) Agriculture, forestry and hunting? (2) Mining, oil and gas extraction? (3) Manufacturing? (4) Construction? (5) Transportation, warehousing and utilities? (6) Wholesale and retail trade? (7) Finance and insurance, real estate and renting, and leasing? (8) Business services and industries? (9) Education, health care and social assistance industries? (10) Public administration? (11) Other service industries?

Answer:

The above questions are best asked of the Minister of Finance.

Mr. Hillson asked the Government Question No. 307, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Cline:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: For the year 1992, what were the percentages of GDP for the following sectors; (1) Agriculture, forestry and hunting? (2) Mining, oil and gas extraction? (3) Manufacturing? (4) Construction? (5) Transportation, warehousing and utilities? (6) Wholesale and retail trade? (7) Finance and insurance, real estate and renting, and leasing? (8) Business services and industries? (9) Education, health care and social assistance industries? (10) Public administration? (11) Other service industries?

Answer:

The above questions are best asked of the Minister of Finance.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 389, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For this current fiscal year, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities has Saskatchewan Communications Network held? (2) How many more are scheduled? (3) Further to that, what is the total amount collected to date from these activities and how much of that came from public donations and how much came from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) For the fiscal year 2003-2004, SCN has held 1 pledge drive consisting of an on-air and direct mail campaign.
- (2) Two more on-air pledge drives and direct mail campaigns are scheduled for this fiscal year.
- (3) Public donations collected: \$5,207 (as at May 21, 2003); Corporate donations gathered: \$0.00. SCN also received approximately \$2,500 of in-kind donations from Saskatchewan organizations. These gifts were used as prizes during the on-air campaign.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 390, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 2002-2003, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) For the fiscal year 2002-2003, SCN held 1 pledge drive consisting of an on-air and direct mail campaign.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$14,620; Corporate donations gathered: \$0.00. SCN also received approximately \$4,000 of in-kind donations from Saskatchewan organizations. These gifts were used as prizes during the on-air campaign.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 391, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 2001-2002, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 2001-2002.
- (2) Public donations: \$0.00; Corporate donations: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 392, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 2000-2001, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 2000-2001.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$100.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 393, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1999-2000, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1999-2000.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$200.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 394, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1998-1999, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1998-1999.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$240.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 395, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1997-1998, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1997-1998.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$552.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 396, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1996-1997, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1996-1997.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$551.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 397, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1995-1996, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1995-1996.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$736.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 398, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1994-1995, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1994-1995.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$516.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 399, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1993-1994, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1993-1994.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$1,046.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 400, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1992-1993, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1992-1993.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$0.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Ms. Eagles asked the Government Question No. 401, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Crofford:

To the Minister of Culture, Youth and Recreation: (1) For fiscal year 1991-1992, how many pledge drives or other targeted fundraising activities did Saskatchewan Communications Network hold? (2) Further to that, what was the total amount collected and how much of that was from public donations and how much was from corporate donations?

Answer:

- (1) No pledge drives or targeted fundraising activities were held in the fiscal year 1991-1992.
- (2) Public donations collected: \$0.00; Corporate donations collected: \$0.00.

Mr. Lorenz asked the Government Question No. 474, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Belanger:

To the Minister of the Environment: (1) For fiscal year 2002-2003, how many SARCAN depots were forced to reduce their hours of operation and in what communities? (2) Further to that, were there any SARCAN depots that closed and, if so, in what communities?

Answer:

(1) During the 2002-2003 fiscal year, fourteen SARCAN depots, located in the communities of Central Butte, Coronach, Cudworth, Davidson, Grenfell, Gull Lake, Ituna, Lanigan, Ponteix, Preeceville, Shaunavon, Strasbourg, Wakaw and Wilkie reduced their hours of operation.

(2) No SARCAN depots were permanently closed during the 2002-2003 fiscal year.

Mr. Lorenz asked the Government Question No. 475, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Belanger:

To the Minister of the Environment: (1) For fiscal year 2001-2002, how many SARCAN depots were forced to reduce their hours of operation and in what communities? (2) Further to that, were there any SARCAN depots that closed and, if so, in what communities?

Answer:

(1) No SARCAN depots reduced their hours of operation during the 2001-2002 fiscal year.

(2) No SARCAN depots were permanently closed during the 2001-2002 fiscal year.

Mr. Lorenz asked the Government Question No. 476, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Belanger:

To the Minister of the Environment: (1) For fiscal year 2002-2003, did SARCAN implement any new programs or services? (2) If so, how many, what kind of programs or services, what communities were affected, and what were the implementation costs of each of the programs?

Answer:

(1) SARCAN did not implement any new programs or services during the 2002-2003 fiscal year.

(2) N/A

Mr. Lorenz asked the Government Question No. 477, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Belanger:

To the Minister of the Environment: (1) For fiscal year 2001-2002, did SARCAN implement any new programs or services? (2) If so, how many, what kind of programs or services, what communities were affected, and what were the implementation costs of each of the programs?

Answer:

- (1) During the 2001-2002 fiscal year, SARCAN implemented new services.
- (2) Although SARCAN has been operating a voluntary, province-wide collection and recycling program for four litre, high density polyethylene milk containers since January 1, 1998, this program was modified and expanded in 2001. Effective July 1, 2001, the program was expanded to collect and recycle all polycoated paper milk cartons. In addition to SARCAN accepting the designated milk containers through their network of collection depots, they are also contracting other local, municipal and regional recyclers to collect these containers. SARCAN operates this program on a full cost-recovery basis as per its contractual agreement with the participating dairies. Saskatchewan Environment does not have information on the implementation costs of this program.

In the 2001-2002 fiscal year, SARCAN added the service of used oil collection to its depot location in Fort Qu'Appelle and its processing plant site in Regina. SARCAN operates these used oil drop-off facilities on a full cost-recovery basis as per its contractual agreement with the Saskatchewan Association for Resource Recovery (this is the product stewardship organization that is responsible for administering and operating the province's Used Oil Material Recycling Program). Saskatchewan Environment does not have information on the implementation costs of this program.

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 478, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 2003 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

There were no tenders in the year 2003 for the Sound Stage.

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 479, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 2002 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

Public Tender – Suer and Pollen

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 480, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 2001 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

Request for proposals – Dominion Construction

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 481, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 2000 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

There were no tenders in the year 2000 for the Sound Stage.

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 482, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 1999 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

There were no tenders in the year 1999 for the Sound Stage.

Mr. Dearborn asked the Government Question No. 483, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Osika:

To the Minister of Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation: Can you please outline the tendering process for the Saskatchewan Property Management Corporation for the Sound Stage for the year 1998 and who was awarded the contract?

Answer:

There were no tenders in the year 1998 for the Sound Stage.

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 42 and are to be answered by day no. 47:

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 527:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 528:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 529:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 530:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 531:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 532:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 533:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 534:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 535:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 536:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 537:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 538:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 539:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 540:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 541:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 542:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 543:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 544:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 545:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 546:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 547:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 548:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 549:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 550:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 551:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 552:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 553:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 554:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 555:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 556:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 557:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 558:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 559:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 560:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 561:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 562:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 563:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 564:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 565:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SaskEnergy spend on television ads?

Mr. Wall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 566:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: (1) Did SaskTel officials travel to Peru or any other South American country in the year 2001? (2) If so, what was the nature of the trip and the business opportunity involved?

Mr. Wall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 567:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: (1) Did SaskTel officials travel to Peru or any other South American country in the year 2002? (2) If so, what was the nature of the trip and the business opportunity involved?

The following Question was given notice on day no. 43 and is to be answered by day no. 48:

Mr. Dearborn, to ask the Government the following Question No. 568:

To the Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Revitalization: (1) In the most recent fiscal year, could the Minister please table all of the contracts the department made between individuals and the department; and between all firms and the department? (2) Also, what are the dollar amounts?

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 44 and are to be answered by day no. 49:

Mr. Wall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 569:

To the Premier: (1) Has Executive Council ordered any polling on the subject of crown corporations and crown investments (2) If so, will that poll be released to the public?

Mr. Wall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 570:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: (1) Has the Minister's department ordered any polling on the subject of crown corporations and crown investments? (2) If so, will that poll be released to the public?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 571:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 572:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 573:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 574:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 575:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 576:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 577:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 578:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 579:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 580:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 581:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 582:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 583:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SGI spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 584:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 585:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 586:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 587:

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 588:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 589:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 590:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 591:

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 592:

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 593:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 594:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 595:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 596:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SGI spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 597:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 598:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 599:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 600:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 601:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 602:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 603:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 604:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 605:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 606:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 607:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 608:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 609:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SGI spend on radio ads?

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 45 and are to be answered by day no. 50:

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 610:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 611:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 612:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 613:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 614:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 615:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 616:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 617:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 618:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 619:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 620:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 621:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 622:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on radio ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 623:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 624:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 627:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 628:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 629:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 630:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 631:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of December 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 632:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 633:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 634:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of March 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 635:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on television ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 636:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of April 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 637:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of May 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 638:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of June 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 639:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of July 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 640:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of August 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 641:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of September 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 642:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of October 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 643:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of November 2002, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 644:

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 645:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of January 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 646:

To the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation: During the month of February 2003, how much money did SaskTel spend on print ads?

Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 647:

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Mr. Hermanson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 648:

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