

No. 42

## **VOTES and PROCEEDINGS**

### OF THE

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

## PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

## SECOND SESSION - TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

## Wednesday, April 19, 2006

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: Elhard, McMorris, Chisholm, Harpauer, Weekes, Cheveldayoff, Brkich and Morgan.

## READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to Order, the Deputy Clerk having favourably reported on the same pursuant to Rule 14(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 ensure that the Biggar Hospital, Long-term Care Home and Ambulance services, maintain, at the very least, their current level of services.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 5)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take all necessary action to upgrade and widen Highway 5 from Humboldt to Saskatoon.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 7)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to repair Highway 310 in order to address safety concerns and to facilitate economic growth and tourism in Foam Lake, Fishing Lake, Kuroki and surrounding areas.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 8)

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 32 in order to address safety and economic concerns.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 64)

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 that the Dept. of Highways section shop in Watrous remain open so as to ensure the safety of all motorists and Sask. Highways employees.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 67)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to act upon the recommendations made by the group "Saskatchewan Families for Effective Autism Treatment".

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 638)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to take the necessary action to fully fund the cancer drug Avastin.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 639)

## WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The Order of the Day being called for Question Nos. 887 to 892, they were answered. (See Appendix)

## SECOND READINGS/ DEUXIÈME LECTURE

## Bill No. 53 - The Economic and Co-operative Development Amendment Act, 2006

The Hon. Mr. Thomson, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 53 - The Economic and Co-operative Development Amendment Act, 2006 – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Gantefoer, adjourned.

## Bill No. 52 - The Meewasin Valley Authority Amendment Act, 2006

The Hon. Mr. Forbes, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 52 - The Meewasin Valley Authority Amendment Act, 2006 – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Morgan, adjourned.

## Bill No. 48 - The Parks Amendment Act, 2006

The Hon. Mr. Nilson, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 48 - The Parks Amendment Act, 2006 – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Gantefoer, adjourned.

## Bill No. 55 - The Reclaimed Industrial Sites Act

The Hon. Mr. Cline, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 55 – The Reclaimed Industrial Sites Act – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Gantefoer, adjourned.

### Bill No. 56 – The Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

The Hon. Mr. Quennell, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 56 – The Residential Tenancies Act, 2006 – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Weekes, adjourned.

## Bill No. 57 – The Residential Tenancies Consequential Amendment Act, 2006 Projet de loi n° 57 - Loi de 2006 portant modification corrélative à la loi intitulée The Residential Tenancies Act, 2006

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Quennell: That Bill No. 57

– The Residential Tenancies Consequential Amendment Act, 2006 – be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Weekes, adjourned.

L'hon. M Quennell propose: Que le projet de loi n° 57 - Loi de 2006 portant modification corrélative à la loi intitulée The Residential Tenancies Act, 2006 – soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

Il s'élève un débat et sur motion de M Weekes, le débat est ajourné.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Hagel:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

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The Assembly adjourned at 3:10 p.m. until Thursday at 1:30 p.m.

## RETURNS, REPORTS AND PAPERS TABLED

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Nilson:

Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Power Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2005.

(Sessional Paper No. 670)

Annual Report and Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Power Corporation Superannuation Plan for the year ended December 31, 2005.

(Sessional Paper No. 671)

Financial Statements for Power Greenhouses Inc. (SaskPower Shand Greenhouse) for the year ended December 31, 2005.

(Sessional Paper No. 672)

Financial Statements for SaskPower International Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2005.

(Sessional Paper No. 673)

Financial Statements for NorthPoint Energy Solutions Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2005.

(Sessional Paper No. 674)

## **QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

# Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 887, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Higgins:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Telecommunications Corporation: Does SaskTel engage in the practice of awarding contracts to retirees upon retirement?

#### Answer:

Retirees are free to bid on any contracts that are publicly tendered. SaskTel would consider any such bids in the same manner as all other bids that are submitted.

# Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 888, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Higgins:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Telecommunications Corporation: What is the policy of SaskTel with concern to mandatory retirement?

## Answer:

SaskTel follows legislation regarding mandatory retirement.

## Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 889, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nilson:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Does SaskPower engage in the practice of awarding contracts to retirees upon retirement?

#### Answer:

Employees who attain normal age of retirement shall be retired or separated effective the first day of the month following the month that they attain age 65. The policy aligns with current Saskatchewan Human Rights Legislation.

## Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 890, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Nilson:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What is the policy of SaskPower with concern to mandatory retirement?

## Answer:

SaskPower may engage in the practice of awarding contracts to retirees upon retirement on an asrequired basis. However, circumstances are typically of a short-term nature to address the following situations:

- To lead/finalize an existing project;
- To manage a succession planning process, i.e. mentor/train the new incumbent;
- To deal with circumstances where it is not currently possible to recruit a skilled incumbent into the vacant role.

# Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 891, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Thomson:

To the Minister Responsible for SaskEnergy Incorporated: Does SaskEnergy engage in the practice of awarding contracts to retirees upon retirement?

### Answer:

SaskEnergy does not have a practice of awarding contracts to retirees upon retirement.

# Ms. Harpauer asked the Government the following Question No. 892, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Thomson:

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To the Minister Responsible for SaskEnergy Incorporated: What is the policy of SaskEnergy with concern to mandatory retirement?

#### Answer:

SaskEnergy does not have a policy regarding mandatory retirement. SaskEnergy employees are members of two separate pension plans: the Power Corporation Superannuation Plan and the Public Employees Pension Plan. The provisions of *The Power Corporation Superannuation Act* provide that employees shall retire from service from the Corporation upon reaching the age of 65 years. *The Superannuation Supplementary Provisions Act* provides that employees may continue to contribute to the Pension Plan after reaching the age of 65 years.

## NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS

On Friday:

Hon Mr. Van Mulligen to move First Reading of Bill No. 62 – The Municipal Revenue Sharing Amendment Act, 2006

Hon Mr. Thomson to move First Reading of Bill No. 63 – The Corporation Capital Tax Amendment Act, 2006

Hon Mr. Thomson to move First Reading of Bill No. 64 – The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2006

## NOTICE OF MOTION FOR A SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

On Friday:

Mr. Gantefoer to move the following motion:

That this Assembly condemn the government for not providing adequate funding to all boards of education to cover the increased costs of delivering education programs, resulting in increased mill rates and further tax increases to ratepayers.

## NOTICE OF PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

On Friday:

Mr. Borgerson to move the following motion:

That this Assembly support the government of Saskatchewan for increasing the minimum wage to \$7.55 and for committing to increase it again to \$7.95 in the future.

Mr. Iwanchuk to move the following motion:

That this Assembly unequivocally endorse the 2006-2007 Saskatchewan budget for providing a complete growth agenda for the province.

## NOTICE OF PRIORITY ITEMS

On Friday:

## No. 1 (Government)

Mr. Borgerson to move the following motion:

That this Assembly support the government of Saskatchewan for increasing the minimum wage to \$7.55 and for committing to increase it again to \$7.95 in the future.

## No. 2 (Opposition)

Adjourned debate on the proposed **Motion No. 1** of Mr. Huyghebaert:

That this government no longer enjoys the confidence of the Assembly because of its lack of vision and initiative and its failure to address the issues that are most important to Saskatchewan people, as demonstrated by ignoring the crisis in agriculture, the inability to set spending priorities consistent with the province's needs, the failure to grow the economy and create economic prosperity, by not delivering much-needed services leaving many people behind, by forcing others to move out of the province for health care, and by forcing people to pursue their careers and dreams elsewhere because they cannot find jobs in Saskatchewan.

(Mr. Toth)

Adjourned Once

### No. 3 (Government)

Mr. Iwanchuk to move the following motion:

That this Assembly unequivocally endorse the 2006-2007 Saskatchewan budget for providing a complete growth agenda for the province.

## No. 4 (Opposition)

Mr. Gantefoer to move the following motion:

That this Assembly condemn the government for not providing adequate funding to all boards of education to cover the increased costs of delivering education programs, resulting in increased mill rates and further tax increases to ratepayers.

## NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 39 and are to be answered by day no. 44:

Mr. Elhard, to ask the Government the following Question No. 903:

To the Minister of Advanced Education: As of April 11, 2006, what is the length of time a student must wait on a waiting list before they will be offered a seat in the following programs at SIAST: Combined Laboratory X-Ray Technician, Cytotechnology, Medical Laboratory Technology, Medical Radiologic Technology, Practical Nursing, Industrial Mechanics, Welding, and Electrician?

Mr. Gantefoer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 904:

To the Minister of Learning: (1) How much funding has been provided for pre-kindergarten programs/services in the 2006-2007 provincial budget? (2) How much of that funding is being provided directly to school boards?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 905:

To the Minister of Property Management: What company, group of companies, organization, municipality or other purchased the Echo Valley Conference Centre?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 906:

To the Minister of Property Management: What was the appraised value of the Echo Valley Conference Centre?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 907:

To the Minister of Property Management: What was the sale value of the Echo Valley Conference Centre?

## The following Questions were given notice on day no. 40 and are to be answered by day no. 45:

Mr. Dearborn, to ask the Government the following Question No. 908:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Water Corporation: (1) How much money is SaskWater spending to renovate and buy new office equipment for its offices in Moose Jaw? (2) Did SaskWater tender the contracts for the office renovation and new office equipment? (3) If so, how much was the amount of the successful bid?

Mr. Dearborn, to ask the Government the following Question No. 909:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Has the government of Saskatchewan and the Department of Agriculture taken a position with respect to the UN moratorium on the use of the terminator gene? (2) Has there been any correspondence between the department and the federal government in respect to the use of terminator genetics? (3) If so, could the Minister table the correspondence?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 910:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) At any time, was an investigation done into contractors contracted by SaskPower doing work at employees' homes and billing the cost of the work to SaskPower? (2) If so, what was the outcome of the investigation?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 911:

To the Minister Responsible for Crown Investments Corporation: (1) At any time, was an investigation done into contractors contracted by SaskPower doing work at employees' homes and billing the cost of the work to SaskPower? (2) If so, what was the outcome of the investigation?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 912:

To the Minister Responsible for SaskEnergy Incorporated: (1) At any time, was an investigation done into contractors contracted by SaskEnergy doing work at employees' homes and billing the cost of the work to SaskEnergy? (2) If so, what was the outcome of the investigation?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 913:

To the Minister Responsible for Crown Investments Corporation: (1) At any time, was an investigation done into contractors contracted by SaskEnergy doing work at employees' homes and billing the cost of the work to SaskEnergy? (2) If so, what was the outcome of the investigation?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 914:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 915:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 916:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 917:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 918:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 919:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 920:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 921:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 922:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies during the year 2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 923:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies during the year 2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

## The following Questions were given notice on day no. 41 and are to be answered by day no. 46:

Mr. Morgan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 924:

To the Minister of Justice: Has the Saskatchewan Legal Aid Commission negotiated a start date for John (Jack) Hillson?

Mr. Allchurch, to ask the Government the following Question No. 925:

To the Minister of Environment: (1) In the fiscal year 2005-2006, did your department provide any money to North West Communities Wood Products? (2) If so, how much?

Mr. Allchurch, to ask the Government the following Question No. 926:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) In the fiscal year 2005-2006, did your department provide any money to North West Communities Wood Products? (2) If so, how much?

Mr. Allchurch, to ask the Government the following Question No. 927:

To the Minister of Northern Affairs: (1) In the fiscal year 2005-2006, did your department provide any money to North West Communities Wood Products? (2) If so, how much?

Mr. Allchurch, to ask the Government the following Question No. 928:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan Incorporated: (1) In the fiscal year 2005-2006, did Investment Saskatchewan provide any money to North West Communities Wood Products? (2) If so, how much?

Mr. Allchurch, to ask the Government the following Question No. 929:

To the Minister Responsible for Crown Investment Corporation: (1) In the fiscal year 2005-2006, did CIC provide any money to North West Communities Wood Products? (2) If so, how much?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 930:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 931:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 932:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 933:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 934:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 935:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 936:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 937:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 938:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Ms. Harpauer, to ask the Government the following Question No. 939:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Transportation Company: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 940:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 941:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 942:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 943:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 944:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 945:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 946:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 947:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 948:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 949:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2000-2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 950:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001-2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 951:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002-2003? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 952:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2000-2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 953:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001-2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 954:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002-2003, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 955:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 956:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 957:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 958:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 959:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 960:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 961:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2000-2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 962:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001-2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 963:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002-2003? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 964:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 965:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 966:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 967:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2000-2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 968:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001-2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Bjornerud, to ask the Government the following Question No. 969:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Crop Insurance Corporation: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002-2003, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 970:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 971:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 972:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 973:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 974:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 975:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 976:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2000-2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 977:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001-2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 978:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002-2003? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 979:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 980:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 981:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 982:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2000-2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 983:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001-2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Stewart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 984:

To the Minister of Industry and Resources: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002-2003, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 985:

To the Minister of Labour: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 986:

To the Minister of Labour: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 987:

To the Minister of Labour: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 988:

To the Minister of Labour: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 989:

To the Minister of Labour: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 990:

To the Minister of Labour: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 991:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2000-2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 992:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001-2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 993:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002-2003? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 994:

To the Minister of Labour: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 995:

To the Minister of Labour: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 996:

To the Minister of Labour: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 997:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2000-2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 998:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001-2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Krawetz, to ask the Government the following Question No. 999:

To the Minister of Labour: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002-2003, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1000:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: Did management of the authority have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1001:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: Did management of the authority have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1002:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: Did management of the authority have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1003:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: How did management of the authority monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1004:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: How did management of the authority monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1005:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: How did management of the authority monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1006:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Does management of the authority have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the authority during the year 2000-2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1007:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Does management of the authority have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the authority during the year 2001-2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1008:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Does management of the authority have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the authority during the year 2002-2003? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1009:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: What did management of the authority find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2000-2001?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1010:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: What did management of the authority find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001-2002?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1011:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: What did management of the authority find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002-2003?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1012:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Is management of the authority aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the authority or its agencies in the year 2000-2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1013:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Is management of the authority aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the authority or its agencies in the year 2001-2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Hart, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1014:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Watershed Authority: (1) Is management of the authority aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the authority or its agencies in the year 2002-2003, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

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

Mr. Weekes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1015:

To the Minister of Agriculture and Food: (1) With whom did the Minister and his officials meet with concerning Bill 28 – The Veterinarians Amendment Act, 2005? (2) At what dates and times did these meetings take place?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1016:

To the Minister of Property Management: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1017:

To the Minister of Property Management: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1018:

To the Minister of Property Management: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1019:

To the Minister of Property Management: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1020:

To the Minister of Property Management: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1021:

To the Minister of Property Management: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1022:

To the Minister of Property Management: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1023:

To the Minister of Property Management: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1024:

To the Minister of Property Management: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Huyghebaert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1025:

To the Minister of Property Management: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1026:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1027:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: Did management of the department have established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1028:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1029:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: How did management of the department monitor any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risks or to help prevent or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1030:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2001? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1031:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: (1) Does management of the department have any knowledge of any actual or suspected fraud or illegal activity within the department during the year 2002? (2) If so, what is the nature of this activity?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1032:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2001?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1033:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: What did management of the department find as a result of its monitoring of any established programs and controls to mitigate fraud risk or detect fraud in the year 2002?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1034:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2001, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

Mr. Kerpan, to ask the Government the following Question No. 1035:

To the Minister Responsible for Investment Saskatchewan: (1) Is management of the department aware of any allegations of fraud or other illegal activity within the department or its agencies in the year 2002, such as information received from employees, former employees, customers/clients, suppliers or others? (2) If so, what is the nature of the activity?

## STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

## NOTICE OF MEETING

Thursday, April 20, 2006 - Room 8

9:00 a.m.

Consideration of the following Bills:

Bill No. 301 – The Faith Alive Ministries World Outreach Centre Inc. Act

Bill No. 302 – The Orange Benevolent Society Amendment Act

Bill No. 303 - The Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Repeal Act