



No. 16

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FIRST SESSION – TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Thursday, March 20, 2008

10:00 a.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

Petitions of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following Members: Iwanchuk and Higgins.

PRESENTING PETITIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS

The following Petition was presented and laid upon the Table:

By Mr. Michelson

Of Caronport Schools, in the Province of Saskatchewan

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to Order, the Clerk having favourably examined the same pursuant to Rule 16(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 provide funding for the expansion and renovation of the Moose Jaw Union Hospital.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 87)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to withdraw Bill Nos. 5 and 6 and hold broad public consultations about labour relations in the province.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 89)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 17 – The Highways and Transportation Amendment Act, 2008

(Hon. Mr. Elhard)

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The Order of the Day being called for Question Nos. 380 to 408 and 410 to 415, they were answered. (See Appendix)

The Order of the Day being called for Question No. 409, pursuant to Rule 20(5), it was transferred to Motions for Returns (Debatable) No. 33.

BUDGET DEBATE

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Gantefoer, seconded by Ms. Wilson:

That the Assembly approves in general the budgetary policy of the Government.

The debate continuing, it was moved by Mr. Van Mulligen, seconded by Mr. Quennell, in amendment thereto:

That all the words after “That the Assembly” be deleted and the following be added:

“condemn the government for stockpiling a 1.3 billion dollar surplus without addressing the most pressing needs of Saskatchewan people, in particular: property tax relief, skills training, the environment, and the ongoing housing crisis.”

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, it was on motion of Mr. Quennell, adjourned.

On motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 11:44 a.m. until Monday, March 31, 2008 at 1:30 p.m., pursuant to Rule 6(3).

Hon. Don Toth
Speaker

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Ms. Atkinson asked the Government the following Question No. 380, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Bjornerud:

To the Minister of Agriculture: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) None.
- (2) N/A
- (3) N/A
- (4) N/A

Mr. Taylor asked the Government the following Question No. 381, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Boyd:

To the Minister of Energy and Resources: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) One
- (2) The meetings in Washington DC and then New York City served several purposes:
 - develop working relations with key U.S. decision-makers.
 - advance Saskatchewan's policy and economic interests in the energy and agriculture sectors.
 - support the investment attraction efforts of energy companies doing business in Saskatchewan to U.S.-based institutional money managers.
 - Energy Council Meetings.
- (3) On the New York trip the Minister was accompanied by:
 - Mr. Bill Cooper, Chief of Staff to the Minister.
 - Mr. Rae Haverstock, Executive Director, Capital Markets, Ministry of Finance (New York only) was there from Sunday, March 9 2008 to Tuesday, March 11 2008.
 - Mr. Glen Veikle, Acting Deputy Minister, Ministry of Energy and Resources was there from Tuesday, March 11, 2008 to Saturday, March 15 2008.On the Washington, D.C trip the Minister was accompanied by:
 - Mr. Bill Cooper, Chief of Staff to the Minister.
 - Mr. Dave Christopherson, Director of International Relations, Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs.
- (4) The total cost of the trip has not yet been tabulated.

Mr. Taylor asked the Government the following Question No. 382, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Boyd:

To the Minister of Energy and Resources: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

- (1) Four.
- (2) Lake Louise - 2007 Global Energy and Environment Conference.
 - Ottawa – meetings with Federal Cabinet Ministers.
 - Calgary – promoting energy and investment opportunities, and meetings with industry organizations.

- Vancouver - Mineral Exploration Roundup and forestry meetings.
- (3) Lake Louise – Chief of Staff Bill Cooper
Ottawa – Chief of Staff Bill Cooper
Calgary – Chief of Staff Bill Cooper, Deputy Minister Glen Veikle, Assistant Deputy Minister Trevor Dark
Vancouver – Chief of Staff Bill Cooper, Deputy Minister Glen Veikle, Acting Director of Mines Mike Detharet, Executive Director of Exploration and Geological Services George Patterson, Director of Northern Geological Survey Gary Delaney
- (4) Lake Louise \$3,201.89
Ottawa \$3,249.10
Calgary \$2,388.16
Vancouver \$2,105.69

Mr. Quennell asked the Government the following Question No. 383, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Stewart:

To the Minister of Enterprise and Innovation: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country??

Answer:

- (1) One.
- (2) Great Falls, MO – Border Community Roundtable.
- (3) Henry Dyck, Ministerial Assistant.
- (4) \$734.00.

Mr. Quennell asked the Government the following Question No. 384, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Boyd:

To the Minister of Energy and Resources: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

These questions were answered in question no. 382.

Mr. Broten asked the Government the following Question No. 385, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Norris:

To the Minister of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour: How many cases before the Labour Relations Board took more than 6 months between the case being heard and a decision being made for each year between 2001 and 2007 inclusive?

Answer:

2000/2001 Fiscal Year:	19
2001/2002 Fiscal Year:	20
2002/2003 Fiscal Year:	7
2003/2004 Fiscal Year:	11
2004/2005 Fiscal Year:	6
2005/2006 Fiscal Year:	20
2006/2007 Fiscal Year:	11
2007/2008 Fiscal Year (to February 15, 2008):	18

Mr. Broten asked the Government the following Question No. 386, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Norris:

To the Minister of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour: What was the average time between a case being heard by the Labour Relations Board and a decision being made for the years 2001 to 2007 inclusive?

Answer:

2000/2001 Fiscal Year:	70 days
2001/2002 Fiscal Year:	66 days
2002/2003 Fiscal Year:	29 days
2003/2004 Fiscal Year:	39 days
2004/2005 Fiscal Year:	21 days
2005/2006 Fiscal Year:	91 days
2006/2007 Fiscal Year:	65 days
2007/2008 Fiscal Year (to February 15, 2008):	108 days

Mr. Broten asked the Government the following Question No. 387, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Norris:

To the Minister of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

- (1) Two (2) trips.
- (2) January 23-25, 2008, Quebec City, Federal/Provincial/Territorial meeting for Ministers Responsible for Labour.
February 23-25, 2008, Toronto, Council of Ministers of Education meetings.
- (3) January 23-25, 2008: Lindell Veitch, Ministerial Assistant, and Linda Smith, Executive Director of Policy and Evaluation Branch.
February 23-25, 2008: Mary Donlevy-Konkin, Ministerial Assistant, Wynne Young, Deputy Minister, and Rupen Pandya, Director of Policy and Intergovernmental Relations.
- (4) January 23-25, 2008:
 - a. Minister's expenses, \$2,051.42
 - b. Lindell Veitch, \$1,929.43February 23-25, 2008:
 - a. Minister's expenses, \$2,015.30
 - b. Mary Donlevy-Konkin, \$1,969.25

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 388, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) Zero.
- (2) N/A
- (3) N/A
- (4) N/A

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 389, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

- (1) One trip to Calgary, Alberta.
- (2) Recruitment of Health professionals. Meeting with the Alberta Minister of Health.
- (3) Jennifer Margach and Susan Kalenchuk.
- (4) Total cost for the trip was \$2,700.

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 390, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: If a 65-year-old as of July 1 submits what is deemed an incomplete application/consent form for the drug plan, and as a result is not approved for coverage until September, is this person reimbursed for the prescription drug costs they would have incurred through July and August?

Answer:

The Drug Plan and Extended Benefits Branch is encouraging eligible seniors to complete and submit application forms as soon as possible to ensure there is no gap in coverage. However, in situations where eligibility has not been confirmed by July 1, staff in the Drug Plan will work with those individuals to assist them with the transition to the income-tested program and confirm their eligibility as quickly as possible. Reimbursement of prescription drug costs incurred after July 1, 2008, will be taken into consideration in these instances.

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 391, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: What consultations were done with seniors about the forms (layout, font size, clarity of questions) that will be used to determine eligibility for the drug plan?

Answer:

The format of the forms is consistent with other forms that have been used in the Drug Plan for a number of years for similar programs. Communications staff/specialists reviewed the materials prior to distribution to ensure they were appropriate for the target audience.

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 392, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: The government has announced that as of July 1, 2008, only eligible seniors will qualify for the \$15 per prescription drug cap. How many seniors will have benefits reduced?

Answer:

It is estimated that approximately 7,500 seniors will no longer be eligible for the Seniors' Drug Plan. Higher income seniors that face significant drug costs will continue to be eligible under the Drug Plan's Special Support program, which assists families with drug costs over 3.4 per cent of total income.

Ms. Junor asked the Government the following Question No. 393, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. McMorris:

To the Minister of Health: The government has announced that as of July 1, 2008, only eligible seniors will qualify for the \$15 per prescription drug cap. A senior citizen's eligibility will be determined through a means test, which forces the applicant to fill out an application/consent form granting the Canada Revenue Agency permission to release income tax returns information to the

(4) These questions were answered in Question 35 on December 19, 2007, and by reason of length, converted by the Clerk to a return pursuant to Rule 20(6).

- (5) These questions were answered in Question 35 on December 19, 2007, and by reason of length, converted by the Clerk to a return pursuant to Rule 20(6).
- (6) These questions were answered in Question 36 on December 19, 2007, and by reason of length, converted by the Clerk to a return pursuant to Rule 20(6).
- (7) These questions were answered in Question 36 on December 19, 2007, and by reason of length, converted by the Clerk to a return pursuant to Rule 20(6).
- (8) These questions were answered in Question 36 on December 19, 2007, and by reason of length, converted by the Clerk to a return pursuant to Rule 20(6).

Mr. Yates asked the Government the following Question No. 396, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) One
- (2) Border Community Roundtable meeting.
- (3) Kim McKechny.
- (4) \$367 for each by the Ministry of Highways and Infrastructure.

Mr. Yates asked the Government the following Question No. 397, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Wall:

To the Premier: (1) What type of contract for services has Doug Emsley been engaged in? (2) What is the cost and terms of that contract?

Answer:

- (1) No contract has been executed to date. Once the contract has been finalized it will be filed in accordance with *The Crown Employment Contracts Act*.
- (2) Not applicable at this time.

Mr. Yates asked the Government the following Question No. 398, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Wall:

To the Premier: (1) How many people employed in Executive Council and Ministers' offices were living outside Saskatchewan when they were hired? (2) What is the total cost of relocating these people to the province?

Answer:

- (1) 12
- (2) Relocation costs have not yet been finalized.

Mr. Yates asked the Government the following Question No. 399, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Boyd:

To the Minister Responsible for Intergovernmental Affairs: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) One
- (2) The meetings in Washington DC and then New York City served several purposes:
 - develop working relations with key U.S. decision-makers
 - advance Saskatchewan's policy and economic interests in the energy and agriculture sectors
 - support the investment attraction efforts of energy companies doing business in Saskatchewan to U.S.-based institutional money managers.

- Energy Council Meetings
- (3) On the New York trip the Minister was accompanied by:
 - Mr. Bill Cooper, Chief of Staff to the Minister
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- On the Washington, D.C trip the Minister was accompanied by:
 - Mr. Bill Cooper, Chief of Staff to the Minister
 - Mr. Dave Christopherson, Director of International Relations, Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs.
- (4) The total cost of the trip has not yet been tabulated.

Mr. Yates asked the Government the following Question No. 400, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

- (1) One
- (2) To attend the meeting of Provincial and Territorial Ministers Responsible for Housing on February 6th in Vancouver.
- (3) Darrell Jones, Assistant Deputy Minister, Housing and Central Administration.
Craig Marchinko, Executive Director, Housing and Policy Program Services.
- (4) Minister Harpauer \$733.83.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 401, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Hutchinson:

To the Minister of Municipal Affairs: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Answer:

- (1) None.
- (2) N/A
- (3) N/A
- (4) N/A

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 402, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Hutchinson:

To the Minister of Municipal Affairs: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

Answer:

- (1) None.
- (2) N/A
- (3) N/A
- (4) N/A

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 403, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Are there any proposals or plans to make changes to the mark-up system used on SLGA products?

Answer:

None currently contemplated.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 404, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Have any changes to the mark-up structure used on SLGA products been made since November 7, 2007?

Answer:

None.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 405, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Are any changes to the SLGA policy on no gifts, gratuities or samples to the SLGA Minister or Minister's staff from suppliers or distributors, currently being contemplated or implemented?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 406, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Have any changes been made to the SLGA policy on no gifts, gratuities or samples since November 7, 2007?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 407, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Are any changes to the SLGA policy on SLGA employees receiving gifts, gratuities or samples from suppliers or distributors being currently implemented or considered?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 408, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Have any changes been made to the SLGA policy on SLGA employees receiving gifts, gratuities or samples from suppliers or distributors since November 7, 2007?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 410, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Are there any changes to the policy and procedures for reporting or disposing of spillage and/or breakage currently being implemented or contemplated?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 411, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: Have there been any changes to the policy or procedures for reporting and disposing of spillage and/or breakage since November 7, 2007?

Answer:

No.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 412, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: What is the specific procedure managers are required to follow in each SLGA location when reporting and disposing of spillage or breakage?

Answer:

The specific procedure is outlined in SLGA's Store Operating Policy, section "3.11 Inventory Control and Protection" and is as follows;

SLGA Store Operating Policy and Procedure Manual

3.0 Store Security

3.11 Inventory Control and Protection

3.11.5 Inventory Dispositions

Disposition of broken and/or un-saleable inventory must be performed as follows:

- Multiple staff stores (greater than two (2) permanent staff) must perform inventory dispositions a minimum of once per week
- Stores with fewer than three (3) permanent staff must perform inventory dispositions a minimum of once per accounting period
- Destruction/Disposal of un-saleable stock must be conducted in the presence of the Manager/Supervisor and one other employee of the store (1)
- A different employee (segregation of duties) shall input the disposition into the system (2)
- Ensure each Disposition worksheet is completed with all relevant information including:
 - Correct adjustment codes
 - Signatures of Employees (2) performing and witnessing disposition (under no circumstance is an employee to sign a disposition as a witness if they were not present during actual disposition of un-saleable product or disposal of breaks)
 - Signature of Employee entering disposition data into System
 - Signature of employee verifying Disposition Report matches Store 1 Inventory Adjustment Report (2)
 - Ensure proper destruction of non-saleable units
 - In the Units column, the number must be written out using alpha characters (twelve vs. 12)
 - Disposition sheets that are not completely filled must be scored (a line drawn through the blank area) to prevent further items being added to the report later
 - All empty containers resulting from disposition of un-saleables that are recyclable must be donated to Sarcan. No employee, individual or organization is entitled to receive refund of deposit or any remuneration for empty containers resulting from the disposition of un-saleables (3)
 - Customer complaint forms must be completed in duplicate for all product returned to the store, one copy must be attached to the Inventory adjustment form and one copy forwarded to the Manager of Retail Services

Beer Dispositions:

- The entire package must be written off and disposed regardless of reason
- All refillable containers must be recorded on the Disposition Form and an Inventory Adjustment completed

Carrier Charge-backs:

- Obtain driver's signature and carrier's name on the Bill of Lading or Delivery Bill acknowledging Breakage or Shortage
- An Inventory Adjustment and Disposition Report must be completed and forwarded with relevant information to the Supervisor of Transportation Services, H.O., Regina
- Original Bill of Lading/Delivery Way-bill showing all notation for damages or shortages with signature of driver (copy retained by Store)
- Carriers must not be allowed under any circumstance to salvage damaged products

Franchises may return broken or defective products to SLGA Stores. Stores must follow the following procedures:

- Perform Return (Disposition)
- Utilize the Inventory Adjustment function to perform the Franchise Disposition
- Enter the Franchise customer number and letter designation in the "Note" box

(1) In One person Stores, Manager/Supervisor must wait for another employee to come in to dispose of un-saleable stock.

(2) In multi-staff stores.

(3) The deposit on these containers has not been collected; therefore refund of the deposit should not be paid out.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 413, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: How long have the SLGA policy and procedures for reporting spillage and breakage been in place?

Answer:

The current store policy was effective April 26, 2005 and it was updated on November 7, 2006. The general practice has been in place for over 20 years.

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 414, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: What SLGA policies and procedures are in place in each SLGA retail store and warehouse for the reporting and disposal of spillage and breakage?

Answer:

The store policy/procedure is noted in the response to written question no. 412. The warehouse policy/procedure "Warehouse Breaks and Shortages Procedure" is as follows;

Warehouse Breaks and Shortages Procedures

When product damage occurs or is discovered, it is the responsibility of the person aware of the damage to clean the damaged case, fill out a breakage report, mark the case and place it on the part case pallet. The following steps must be followed:

1. Take the damaged case(s) to the BREAKS area. If the bottles are wet, immediately wipe them dry so the labels don't get damaged. If the case is reusable, set it aside to dry and return later to pack the bottles into the dry case. If the case is not usable, repack the bottles into a new case which can be found in the on pack room. Apply a repack sticker to the new case and record the Product Description and SCC number on the sticker. On the top and side of the case, use a marker to record the number of saleable bottles that are in the case (eg: 8/12). Place the marked case onto the part case pallet in the BREAKS area. If several cases were damaged, create as many full and clean saleable cases as possible and return them to regular inventory.

NOTE: All product going back into stock or being placed on the part case pallet must be in a clean and saleable condition. Ensure that the bottles are clean and there is no broken glass on the bottles or inside of the cases.

2. If product needs to be dumped, you must get approval from a supervisor. There must be at least two people working together to dump product. Never dump product alone.

3. The necks from all breaks must be saved. Wear a pair of safety gloves & goggles and then use a hammer to break away the body of the bottle. Place the neck into the box on the BREAKS table.
4. A Breakage Report must be filled out by the person that is reporting the damaged inventory. Include the following information:
 - Date
 - Check the appropriate box to indicate type of damage
 - SCC number, Product description, warehouse location and quantity of damaged units
 - Explanation of how the damage occurred or was discovered
 - Clearly mark your name
 - A supervisor's signature must be obtained on the Breakage Report to confirm quantities.
5. Use an RF gun to move the case from its original warehouse location to the location BREAKS. On the Breakage Report, check the "Moved" box to indicate that the move has been completed.
6. The receiving foreman then creates an Attribute Adjustment in WMS to change the case from the SCC number to the UPC number (see 4.4.2 Attribute Adjustment: Damaged Case) The receiving foreman then checks the "Unit" box on the Breakage Report to indicate that the Attribute Adjustment has been done and also writes the Product ID on the Breakage Report.
7. The receiving foreman also records the Product ID on the case and onto the neck of the broken bottle. At the end of the period, the receiving foreman collects and stores all necks for that period (see Period End Excise Procedures).
8. At the end of each week, the receiving foreman should prepare a part case order to remove the part cases from warehouse inventory (see 5.5 Unit Order).

Ms. Higgins asked the Government the following Question No. 415, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. D'Autremont:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority: How does each SLGA store report and account for spillage/breakage in their financial statements?

Answer:

Any costs associated with spillage/breakage are included in SLGA's operating expenses with other items within the category of "Sundry" in SLGA's financial statements.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS AVIS DE MOTION PORTANT PREMIÈRE LECTURE DE PROJETS DE LOI

On Tuesday / mardi:

Hon. Mr. Morgan to move First Reading of Bill No. 20 – The Administration of Estates Amendment Act, 2008

L'hon. M. Morgan proposera la première lecture du projet de loi n° 20 – Loi de 2008 modifiant la Loi sur l'administration des successions

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 13 and are to be answered by day no. 18:

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 418:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in North Battleford as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 419:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in La Ronge in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 420:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in La Ronge in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 421:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in La Ronge as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 422:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) Has Kevin Wilson received any remuneration from executive government (including minister's offices) or Crown corporations since November 21, 2007? (2) If so, what remuneration was given? (3) What were the services that he provided?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 423:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the rate of car theft against seniors in Saskatchewan in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 424:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the rate of car theft against seniors in Saskatchewan in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 425:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the rate of car theft against seniors in Saskatchewan as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 426:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Regina in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 427:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Regina in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 428:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Regina as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 429:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Saskatoon in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 430:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Saskatoon in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 431:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Saskatoon as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 432:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Prince Albert in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 433:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Prince Albert in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 434:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Prince Albert as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 435:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Moose Jaw in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 436:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Moose Jaw in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 437:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Moose Jaw as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 438:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Yorkton in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 439:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Yorkton in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 440:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Yorkton as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 441:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Lloydminster in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 442:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Lloydminster in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 443:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Lloydminster as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 444:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Battleford in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 445:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Battleford in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 446:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in Battleford as of December 1, 2007? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 447:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in North Battleford in 2005/06? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 448:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) What was the car theft rate in North Battleford in 2006/07? (2) What is the authority or source for the numbers you are providing?

Mr. McCall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 449:

To the Minister of First Nations and Métis Relations: (1) How many out-of-country trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-country? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-country? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-country?

Mr. McCall, to ask the Government the following Question No. 450:

To the Minister of First Nations and Métis Relations: (1) How many out-of-province (inside Canada) trips has the Minister taken? (2) What was the nature of each trip out-of-province? (3) Who accompanied the Minister on each trip out-of-province? (4) What were the expenses for the Minister and ministerial staff on each trip out-of-province?

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF BILLS

Bills that have been introduced are listed alphabetically along with the Bill number. To find what stage a Bill is at, refer to the Progress of Bills chart.

* *Specified Bill – must be voted on before Completion Day*

	TITLE	DATE CONSIDERED	BILL NO.
	Appropriation Act, 2007 (No. 4)	Dec. 20, 2007	7
	Appropriation Act, 2008 (No. 1)	Mar. 18, 2008	16
	Consumer Protection Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 13, 2008	12
	Enforcement of Canadian Judgments Amendment Act, 2008 / Loi de 2008 modifiant la Loi de 2002 sur l'exécution des jugements canadiens	Mar. 13, 2008	11
*	Enterprise Saskatchewan Act	Dec. 17, 2007, Mar. 12, 2008	2
*	Growth and Financial Security Act	Dec. 13, 2007, Mar. 10, 2008	1
	Highways and Transportation Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 20, 2008	17
*	Legislative Assembly and Executive Council (Fixed Election Dates) Amendment Act, 2007 / Loi de 2007 modifiant la Loi de 2007 sur l'Assemblée législative et le Conseil exécutif (élections à date fixe)	Dec. 18, 2007, Mar. 10, 2008	4
	Miscellaneous Pensions Statutes (Commencement of Pension) Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 12, 17, 2008	10
	Natural Resources Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 12, 17, 2008	8
	Northern Municipalities Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 18, 2008	15
*	Potash Development Repeal Act	Dec. 17, 2007, Mar. 18, 2008	3
*	Public Service Essential Services Act	Dec. 19, 2007, Mar. 11, 12, 2008	5
	Saskatchewan Association of School Board Officials Repeal Act	Mar. 18, 2008	14
	Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 12, 17, 2008	9
	Teachers' Life Insurance (Government Contributory) Amendment Act, 2008	Mar. 17, 2008	13
*	Trade Union Amendment Act, 2007	Dec. 19, 2007, Mar. 11, 2008	6

PROGRESS OF BILLS

Bill comes into force on:

A—Assent P—Proclamation SD—Specific Date SE—Specific Event

Committees:

CF: Committee of Finance

CW: Committee of the Whole

HOS: House Services

IAJ: Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice

CCA: Crown and Central Agencies

HUS: Human Services

PBC: Private Bills

ECO: Economy

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GOVERNMENT BILLS

No.	*	Title	Member	1st Reading	Crown Recomm.	Comm.	2nd Reading	Comm.	Amdt.	3rd Reading	Royal Assent	In Effect
1	*	The Growth and Financial Security Act	Gantefer	Dec. 13/07	Mar. 10/08							
2	*	The Enterprise Saskatchewan Act	Stewart	Dec. 17/07	Mar. 12/08							
3	*	The Potash Development Repeal Act	Boyd	Dec. 17/04								
4	*	The Legislative Assembly and Executive Council (Fixed Election Dates) Amendment Act, 2007 / Loi de 2007 modifiant la Loi de 2007 sur l'Assemblée législative et le Conseil exécutif (élections à date fixe)	Morgan	Dec. 18/04								
5	*	The Public Service Essential Services Act	Norris	Dec. 19/07								
6	*	The Trade Union Amendment Act, 2007	Norris	Dec. 19/07								
7		The Appropriation Act, 2007 (No. 4)	Gantefer	Dec. 20/07			Dec. 20/07	CF Dec. 20/07		Dec. 20/07	Dec. 20/07	A
8		The Natural Resources Amendment Act, 2008	Heppner	Mar. 12/08								
9		The Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2008	Gantefer	Mar. 12/08								
10		The Miscellaneous Pensions Statutes (Commencement of Pension) Amendment Act, 2008	Gantefer	Mar. 12/08								

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11		The Enforcement of Canadian Judgments Amendment Act, 2008 / Loi de 2008 modifiant la Loi de 2002 sur l'exécution des jugements canadiens	Morgan	Mar. 13/08								
12		The Consumer Protection Amendment Act, 2008	Morgan	Mar. 13/08								
13		The Teachers' Life Insurance (Government Contributory) Amendment Act, 2008	Krawetz	Mar. 17/08								
14		The Saskatchewan Association of School Board Officials Repeal Act	Krawetz	Mar. 18/08								
15		The Northern Municipalities Amendment Act, 2008	Hutchinson	Mar. 18/08								
16		The Appropriation Act, 2008 (No. 1)	Gantefoer	Mar. 18/08			Mar. 18/08	CF Mar.18/08		Mar. 18/08	Mar. 18/08	A-SD
17		The Highways and Transportation Amendment Act, 2008	Elhard	Mar. 20/08								