



No. 43

# **VOTES and PROCEEDINGS**

OF THE

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

**FIRST SESSION – TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE**

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**Wednesday, May 9, 2012**

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: Forbes, Belanger, Wotherspoon, Broten, and Vermette.

## **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS**

According to Order, the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel 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 review the current legislation and regulations with respect to trapping and firearms.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 27)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to immediately enact Bill No. 601 – The Jimmy's Law Act, to ensure greater safety for retail workers who work late night hours.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 37)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to provide Saskatchewan people with a fair statement of the province's finances and provide trustworthy financial management.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 38)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to enact a Saskatchewan Seniors' Bill of Rights.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 41)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to upgrade the section of Highway 165 between Beauval and the English River First Nation.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 107)

### **REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES**

Mr. Brkich, Chair of the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies, presented the First Report of the said committee, which is as follows:

Your committee considered the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates of the following government ministries and agencies and adopted the following resolutions:

#### **Main Estimates, 2012-2013:**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2013, the following sums:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Finance .....	\$203,375,000
For Government Services.....	\$72,624,000
For Information Technology Office .....	\$20,464,000
For Public Service Commission.....	\$37,041,000

Your committee reviewed the following Estimates for which no funds were requested or required to be voted:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Finance – Debt Servicing (Statutory)

#### **Fund Transfers**

For Growth and Financial Security Fund (Statutory)

#### **Lending and Investing Activities**

For Information Services Corporation of Saskatchewan (Statutory)

For Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Power Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Water Corporation (Statutory)

For SaskEnergy Incorporated (Statutory)

#### **Change in Advances to Revolving Funds**

For Advances to Revolving Funds (Statutory)

#### **Debt Redemption, Sinking Fund and Interest Payments**

For Debt Redemption (Statutory)

For Interest on Gross Debt – Crown Enterprise Share (Statutory)

For Sinking Fund Payments – Government Share (Statutory)

#### **Supplementary Estimates, 2011-2012 (December):**

Your committee reviewed the following Estimates for which no funds were requested or required to be voted:

#### **Lending and Investing Activities**

For Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation (Statutory)

For SaskEnergy Incorporated (Statutory)

#### **Debt Redemption, Sinking Fund and Interest Payments**

For Sinking Fund Payments – Government Share (Statutory)

#### **Supplementary Estimates, 2011-2012 (March):**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2012, the following sums:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Finance .....	\$18,700,000
For Information Technology Office.....	\$5,065,000

Your committee recommends that upon concurrence of its report by the Assembly, the sums as reported and approved shall be included in the Appropriation Bill for consideration by the Legislative Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 133)

On motion of Mr. Brkich:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies be now concurred in.

The following Bill was reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, it was read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 43 – The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2012

#### **REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

The following Bill was reported with amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, it was read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 23 – The Occupational Health and Safety Amendment Act, 2011

The following Bill was reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, it was read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 42 – The Graduate Retention Program Amendment Act, 2012

#### **REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE RAPPORT DU COMITÉ PERMANENT DES AFFAIRES INTERGOUVERNEMENTALES ET DE LA JUSTICE**

Mr. Michelson, Chair of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice, presented the First Report of the said committee, which is as follows:

Your committee considered the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates of the following government ministries and agencies and adopted the following resolutions:

#### **Main Estimates, 2012-2013:**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2013, the following sums:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Corrections, Public Safety and Policing.....	\$388,616,000
For First Nations and Métis Relations .....	\$81,889,000
For Justice and Attorney General .....	\$153,530,000

For Municipal Affairs .....	\$386,736,000
For Office of the Provincial Capital Commission .....	\$13,933,000
For Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport .....	\$110,432,000

#### **Lending and Investing Activities**

For First Nations and Métis Relations .....	\$350,000
For Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport .....	6,200,000

#### **Supplementary Estimates, 2011-2012 (December):**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2012, the following sums:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Corrections, Public Safety and Policing.....	\$60,000,000
For Office of the Provincial Capital Commission .....	\$371,000

#### **Supplementary Estimates, 2011-2012 (March):**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2012, the following sums:

#### **Executive Branch of Government**

For Corrections, Public Safety and Policing.....	\$92,642,000
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Your committee recommends that upon concurrence of its report by the Assembly, the sums as reported and approved shall be included in the Appropriation Bill for consideration by the Legislative Assembly.  
(Sessional Paper No. 134)

On motion of Mr. Michelson:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice be now concurred in.

<p>The following Bills were reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, they were read the third time and passed:</p>	<p>Les projets de loi suivants sont rapportés sans amendement et avec la permission de l'Assemblée de passer outre au renvoi au Comité plénier, sont lus une troisième fois et adoptés:</p>
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Bill No. 5 – The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2011

Bill No. 11 – The Court Officials Act, 2011

Projet de loi n° 11 – Loi de 2011 sur les fonctionnaires de justice

Bill No. 13 – The Constitutional Questions Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 13 – Loi de 2011 sur les questions constitutionnelles

Bill No. 14 – The Securities Amendment Act, 2011

Bill No. 21 – The Commissioners for Oaths Act, 2011

Bill No. 22 – The Commissioners for Oaths Consequential Amendment Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 22 – Loi de 2011 portant modification corrélative à la loi intitulée The Commissioners for Oaths Act, 2011

Bill No. 24 – The Advocate for Children and Youth Act

Bill No. 25 – The Ombudsman Act, 2011

Bill No. 30 – The Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Consequential Amendments Act, 2011

Bill No. 31 – The Enforcement of Canadian Judgments Amendment Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 31 – Loi de 2011 modifiant la Loi de 2002 sur l'exécution des jugements canadiens

Bill No. 32 – The Inter-jurisdictional Support Orders Amendment Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 32 – Loi de 2011 modifiant la Loi sur les ordonnances alimentaires interterritoriales

Bill No. 39 – The Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan Act

Bill No. 40 – The Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan Consequential Amendment Act, 2012  
 Projet de loi n° 40 – Loi de 2012 portant modification corrélative à la loi intitulée The Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan Act

Bill No. 26 – The Miscellaneous Statutes Repeal Act, 2011

Bill No. 35 – The Legislative Assembly and Executive Council Amendment Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 35 – Loi de 2011 modifiant la Loi de 2007 sur l'Assemblée législative et le Conseil exécutif

Bill No. 33 – The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act, 2011

Bill No. 4 – The Pension Benefits Amendment Act, 2011

The following Bills were reported with amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, they were read the third time and passed:

Les projets de loi suivants sont rapportés avec amendement et avec la permission de l'Assemblée de passer outre au renvoi au Comité plénier, sont lus une troisième fois et adoptés:

Bill No. 12 – The Court Officials Consequential Amendments Act, 2011

Bill No. 29 – The Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 2011  
 Projet de loi n° 29 – Loi de 2011 modifiant la Loi de 1997 sur l'exécution des ordonnances alimentaires

**WRITTEN QUESTIONS**

The Order of the Day being called for Question Nos. 385 to 393, they were answered. (See Appendix)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

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The Assembly adjourned at 2:50 p.m. until Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

*Hon. Dan D'Autremont*  
*Speaker*

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 385, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the highest rent per square foot the government has paid/will pay for commercial office space in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

The Ministry of Government Services has a firm policy against releasing lease information. This policy has existed for over 30 years, and is something we do at the request of the real estate industry. The industry has made this request because they believe releasing lease information would be potentially damaging to local real estate markets given how large a lessee government is. By honouring the request, Government Services is able to follow the marketplace rather than lead it. This is especially relevant in smaller communities where Government Services, as a major tenant, could have significant impact on driving the market rate.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 386, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the lowest rent per square foot the government has paid/will pay for commercial office space in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

The Ministry of Government Services has a firm policy against releasing lease information. This policy has existed for over 30 years, and is something we do at the request of the real estate industry. The industry has made this request because they believe releasing lease information would be potentially damaging to local real estate markets given how large a lessee government is. By honouring the request, Government Services is able to follow the marketplace rather than lead it. This is especially relevant in smaller communities where Government Services, as a major tenant, could have significant impact on driving the market rate.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 387, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the average rent per square foot the government has paid/will pay for commercial office space in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

The Ministry of Government Services has a firm policy against releasing lease information. This policy has existed for over 30 years, and is something we do at the request of the real estate industry. The industry has made this request because they believe releasing lease information would be potentially damaging to local real estate markets given how large a lessee government is. By honouring the request, Government Services is able to follow the marketplace rather than lead it. This is especially relevant in smaller communities where Government Services, as a major tenant, could have significant impact on driving the market rate.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 388, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the longest term of lease the government has signed in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

- (1) 2005/06: 121 months or 10.1 years.
- (2) 2006/07: 120 months or 10 years.
- (3) 2007/08: 121 months or 10.1 years.
- (4) 2008/09: 120 months or 10 years.
- (5) 2009/10: 120 months or 10 years.
- (6) 2010/11: 120 months or 10 years.
- (7) 2011/12: 240 months or 20 years.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 389, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the shortest term of lease the government has signed in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

The shortest term of any lease term entered into by the ministry of Government Services for all the indicated calendar years is a contract form called a “day use agreement”. This is a lease where one pays for the actual days of usage. Both the ministry of Social Services and the ministry of Justice will typically utilize space in rural communities on a one to four day period over the course of a given calendar month.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 390, which was answered by the Hon. Ms. Ross**

To the Minister of Government Services: (1) What is the average term of lease the government has signed in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012?

Answer:

- (1) 2005/06: 52.8 months or 4.4 years.
- (2) 2006/07: 37.9 months or 3.2 years.
- (3) 2007/08: 48.3 months or 4.0 years.
- (4) 2008/09: 48.0 months or 4.0 years.
- (5) 2009/10: 47.5 months or 4.0 years.
- (6) 2010/11: 49.0 months or 4.1 years.
- (7) 2011/12: 39.9 months or 3.3 years.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 391, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Morgan**

To the Minister of Justice and Attorney General: (1) As a government agency, are the staff and consultants of the Human Rights commission required to follow any guidelines for travel and accommodation? (2) If yes, which guidelines does it follow?

Answer:

- (1) Yes.
- (2) Actual and reasonable expenses and travel and meal rates in accordance with the government's Financial Administration Manual and service contracts.

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 392, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Morgan**

To the Minister of Justice and Attorney General: (1) How much did the government spend on travel and accommodation on the following individuals: David Arnot, Rebecca McLellan, Sue Lake, and Brenda Rorke in 2008? (2) 2009? (3) 2010 (4) 2011? (5) 2012?

Answer:

- (1) David Arnot: \$0; Sue Lake: \$1,859.71; Rebecca McLellan: \$3,414.92; and Brenda Rorke: \$1,196.00.
- (2) David Arnot: \$7,040.89; Sue Lake: \$3,566.23; Rebecca McLellan: \$15,366.91; and Brenda Rorke: \$1,656.33.
- (3) David Arnot: \$14,000.22; Sue Lake: \$2040.55; Rebecca McLellan: \$10,309.96; and Brenda Rorke: \$1,669.46.
- (4) David Arnot: \$16,868.40; Sue Lake: \$8,920.00; Rebecca McLellan: \$15,105.88; and Brenda Rorke: \$1,793.12.
- (5) David Arnot: \$2,337.75; Sue Lake: \$498.18; Rebecca McLellan: \$4,769.86; and Brenda Rorke: \$986.23 (Expenditures up to May 3, 2012).

**Ms. Sproule asked the Government the following Question No. 393, which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Morgan**

To the Minister of Justice and Attorney General: The following individuals travelled for HRC: David Arnot, Rebecca McLellan, Sue Lake, and Brenda Rorke. (1) At which hotels did each of them stay when on travel in 2008? (2) 2009? (3) 2010 (4) 2011? (5) 2012?

Answer:

- (1) David Arnot: n/a; Sue Lake: n/a; Rebecca McLellan: Hilton Garden Inn, Saskatoon; Valhalla Inn, Toronto; White Oaks, Niagara; and Brenda Rorke: Delta, Regina; Ramada Hotel, Regina.
- (2) David Arnot: Gouverneur Hotels, Montreal; Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina; Inn at the Forks, Winnipeg; Marriott Hotels, Ottawa; Sue Lake: Radisson, Saskatoon; Saskatoon Inn, Saskatoon; Sheraton Cavalier, Saskatoon; Rebecca McLellan: Delta Bessborough, Saskatoon; Gouverneur Hotels, Montreal; Heritage Inn, Saskatoon; Hilton Garden Inn, Saskatoon; Inn at the Forks, Winnipeg; LDG Thrift Lodge, Saskatoon; Park Town Hotel, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; Ramada Hotel and Golf Dome, Saskatoon; Saskatoon Inn, Saskatoon; and Brenda Rorke: Delta, Regina; Holiday Inn, Regina.
- (3) David Arnot: Delta, Regina; Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina; Sheraton Centre, Toronto; Sheraton Hotel, Newfoundland; Sue Lake: Radisson, Saskatoon; Rebecca McLellan: Colonial Square Inn and Suites, Saskatoon; Country Inns, Saskatoon; Park Town Hotel, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; Sheraton Hotel, Newfoundland; and Brenda Rorke: Delta, Regina; Quality Hotel, Regina.
- (4) David Arnot: Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina; The Westin, Calgary; The Westin, Ottawa; Chateau Laurier, Ottawa; Sue Lake: Delta Bessborough, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; Rebecca McLellan: Delta Bessborough, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; The Westin, Calgary; and Brenda Rorke: Delta, Regina.
- (5) David Arnot: Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina; Sue Lake: Country Inns, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; Rebecca McLellan: Country Inns, Saskatoon; Radisson, Saskatoon; and Brenda Rorke: Delta, Regina; Hotel Saskatchewan, Regina.

## NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

**The following Question was given notice on day no. 40 and is to be answered by day no. 45:**

Ms. Sproule, to ask the Government the following Question No. 398:

To the Minister of Justice: (1) How many individuals accessed the Victims Services program in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) What was each individual's race? (7) What was each individual's age? (8) What was each individual's gender? (9) What was each individual's type of injury?

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

Mr. Vermette, to ask the Government the following Question No. 399:

To the Minister of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport: (1) How many campsite reservations were made at provincial parks in 2011 and 2012 via call centre? (2) The reservation website? (3) In-park?

Mr. Vermette, to ask the Government the following Question No. 400:

To the Minister of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport: (1) How many changed campsite reservations were made at provincial parks in 2011 and 2012 via the call centre? (2) The reservation website? (3) In-park?

Mr. Vermette, to ask the Government the following Question No. 401:

To the Minister of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport: (1) How many campsite reservation cancellations were made at provincial parks in 2011 and 2012 via the call centre? (2) The reservation website? (3) In-park?

Mr. Vermette, to ask the Government the following Question No. 402:

To the Minister of Environment: (1) Of the money the government has collected from trappers for habitat certificates, how much has been spent on wildlife development projects? (2) What projects has this money been spent on? (3) Where in the province has this money been spent? (4) How much money from these certificates has yet to be spent on wildlife development projects?

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

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 403:

To the Premier: (1) How much money has each ministry, crown and agency spent on and committed toward lean or efficiency consultants and experts in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 404:

To the Premier: (1) Which ministry, crown and agency have hired lean or efficiency consultants and experts from outside Saskatchewan in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 405:

To the Premier: (1) What are the names of the lean or efficiency experts/consultants/firms from outside Saskatchewan hired by each ministry, crown and agency in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

**The following Questions were given notice on day no. 43 and are to be answered by day no. 48:**

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 406:

To the Premier: (1) What are/were the names, job titles and salaries of each employee in each ministerial office in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 407:

To the Premier: (1) Which employees within each ministerial office received moving allowances or reimbursements for expenses related to a move of residence due to employment by government in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 408:

To the Premier: (1) Of the ministerial staff who received moving allowances in 2011 and 2012, from where did each employee move? (2) What were the conditions for reimbursement for the move?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 409:

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministerial office, how many vacation days did each employee use in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 410:

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministerial office, how many sick days did each employee use in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 411:

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministerial office in 2011 and 2012, what are/were the names of each employee using an office Smartphone? (2) What are/were the total costs of each employee's phone bill? (3) What amount did each of the above-noted employees reimburse the government for personal usage?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 412:

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministerial office, what are/were details of the data plans and roaming charges for each employee using a Smartphone in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 413:

To the Premier: (1) What are the names of the employees within each ministerial office using iPhones and iPads in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 414:

To the Premier: (1) What is the total amount of money spent on magazines, newspapers and other paper and online literature subscriptions within each ministerial office in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What are the names of the subscriptions and publications?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 415:

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministerial office, what is/was the total amount of money spent on hospitality supplies including food and beverages in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 416:

To the Premier: (1) What was the total in-province travel cost of each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

Mr. Nilson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 417:

To the Premier: (1) What was the total out-of-province (but in-country) travel cost of each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total out-of-country travel cost of each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total cost of travel for each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total in-province travel cost of each minister and minister's staff in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total out-of-province (but in-country) travel cost of each minister and minister's staff in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total out-of-country travel cost of each minister and minister's staff in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What were the purposes, dates, destinations and costs of each trip taken by each minister and ministerial staff in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is/was the total number of in-scope permanent positions in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) How much, in total was spent on salaries for these positions?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is/was the total number of in-scope temporary, casual, contract and service positions in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) How much, in total, was spent on salaries for these positions?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is/was the total number of out-of scope permanent positions within each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) How much, in total, was spent on salaries for these positions?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is/was the total number of non-permanent, casual, contract and other positions in each ministry, agency or crown in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) How much, in total, was spent on these positions?

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

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministry, crown and agency, what are the names of all in-scope employees who were terminated in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What were their titles? (4) What was their union class? (5) Location of employment? (6) The date of termination? (7) The reason for termination? (8) Annual salary? (9) What were the costs of any severance?

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

To the Premier: (1) Within each ministry, crown and agency, what are the names of all out-of-scope employees who were terminated in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What were their titles? (4) Location of employment? (5) The date of termination? (6) The reason for termination? (7) Annual salary? (8) What were the costs of any severance?

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

To the Premier: (1) What are the names of every in-scope person hired in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What were their titles? (4) What was their union class? (5) Location of employment? (6) The date of termination? (7) The reason for hiring? (8) Annual salary?

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

To the Premier: (1) Of every in-scope person hired in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011 and 2012, what are the names of the employees appointed by the Public Service Commission? (2) Order-in-Council?

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

To the Premier: (1) What are the names of every out-of-scope person hired in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What are their titles? (4) Location of employment? (5) Date of hiring? (6) Annual salary?

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

To the Premier: (1) Of every out-of-scope person hired in each ministry, crown and agency in 2011 and 2012, what are the names of the employees appointed by the Public Service Commission? (2) Order-in-Council?

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

To the Premier: (1) How many vehicles were purchased by each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) What is/was the make, model and year of each vehicle?

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

To the Premier: (1) Which buildings were sold by each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) In what community or communities were these buildings located?

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

To the Premier: (1) Were any buildings bought or leased by any of the ministries, crowns and agencies in 2011? (2) 2012? (3) If so, within what communities? (4) Who were the landlords, if not Government Services?

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

To the Premier: (1) As of May 2012, what are the names of the Government Services buildings occupied by each ministry, crown and agency? (2) What are the floor numbers and addresses of each building?

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

To the Premier: (1) For every ministry, crown and agency in 2011 and 2012, what is the agency of record for communications and advertising purposes? (2) What is the total amount of all contracts provided to the agency of record? (3) What is the total amount of all contracts not provided to this agency?

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

To the Premier: (1) For every ministry, crown and agency, what are the details of any advertising or communications contracts including the medium being purchased, the agency contracted, and the cost of contract in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) For every ministry, crown and agency, what are the details of any advertising or communications contracts involving multiple agencies, including the medium being purchased, the agencies contracted, and the cost paid to each agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) For every ministry, crown and agency, what are the details of any polling or public research (i.e. focus groups) contracts signed including the date of contract, the medium purchased, the agency contracted, and the cost of contract in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) For every ministry, crown and agency, what are the details of any polling or public research contracts (i.e. focus groups) involving multiple agencies, including the medium being purchased, the agencies contracted, and the cost paid to each agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is the total amount of money spent on all contracts including communications, advertising, polling and public research that was spent by each ministry, crown and agency in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) As of May 2012, what are the names of all boards, committees, commissions, councils and other similar organizations for which each ministry, crown and agency is responsible? (2) What are the names of the heads (or Chairs)?

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

To the Premier: (1) What is the purpose and cost of each board, committee, commission, council and other similar organization? (2) By what authorization is each formed under the respective ministry, crown and agency?

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

To the Premier: As of May 2012, what are the names of all of the members of each board, commission and agency for which each ministry, crown and agency is responsible?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total cost of salaries, expenses and honorariums for all board members, Chairs and other heads of organizations for which each ministry, crown and agency is responsible in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: (1) What was the total amount of money spent (combined) on boards, committees, commissions, councils and other similar organizations for which the ministries, crowns and agencies are responsible in 2011? (2) 2012?

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

To the Premier: What is the policy for personal use of Smartphones?