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of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 9

Wednesday, November 9, 2022

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: Nerlien, Nippi-Albright, Love, Young (Regina University), and Bowes.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to order and pursuant to rule 16(7), petitions from residents of the province of Saskatchewan, requesting the following action, were read and received:

To introduce pay equity legislation.

(Sessional paper no. 28)

To halt the sale of Crown lands and revise the Duty to Consult framework.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 19)

To fund In Vitro Fertilization (IVF) treatments in Saskatchewan.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 23)

To implement Saskatchewan First policies and legislation.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 24)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The minister, in each case, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bills, recommends them to the consideration of the Assembly, the following bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 98 — The Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency Amendment Act, 2022

(Hon. Ms. Tell)

Bill No. 99 — The Emergency 911 System Amendment Act, 2022

(Hon. Ms. Tell)

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The order of the day being called for question no. 2, it was answered. (see appendix)

The order of the day being called for question nos. 3 to 39, pursuant to rule 21(6), the questions were converted and orders for return were issued. (see appendix)

SECOND READINGS

Bill No. 96 — The Leafcutting Beekeepers Registration Repeal Act

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Marit: That Bill No. 96 — The Leafcutting Beekeepers Registration Repeal Act be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Conway adjourned.

Bill No. 97 — The Architects Amendment Act, 2022

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Carr: That Bill No. 97 — The Architects Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Conway adjourned.

ADJOURNED DEBATES

Bill No. 88 — The Saskatchewan First Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Eyre: That Bill No. 88 — The Saskatchewan First Act be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Young (Regina University) adjourned.

Bill No. 90 — The Telecommunications Statutes (Borrowing Powers) Amendment Act, 2022

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 90 — The Telecommunications Statutes (Borrowing Powers) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette adjourned.

Bill No. 91 — The Saskatchewan Employment (Part III) Amendment Act, 2022

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 91 — The Saskatchewan Employment (Part III) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Nippi-Albright adjourned.

Bill No. 92 — The Automobile Accident Insurance (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 92 — The Automobile Accident Insurance (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Wotherspoon adjourned.

Bill No. 93 — The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 93 — The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Sarauer adjourned.

Bill No. 94 — The Public Pension and Benefits Administration Corporation Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 94 — The Public Pension and Benefits Administration Corporation Act be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Love adjourned.

Bill No. 95 — The Surface Rights Acquisition and Compensation Amendment Act, 2022

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Reiter: That Bill No. 95 — The Surface Rights Acquisition and Compensation Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Wotherspoon adjourned.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake):

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 3:39 p.m. until Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Hon. Randy Weekes
Speaker

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

The following response to a written question was tabled by the government:

Question no. 2 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Premier of Saskatchewan, Executive Council, Minister of SaskBuilds and Procurement, and Minister of Health, recently it has come to light that some provinces have entered into partnerships/agreements with the World Economic Forum. For example, Alberta Premier Danielle Smith has said that during the pandemic, Alberta Health Services signed “some kind of partnership with the World Economic Forum;” (a) has the Province of Saskatchewan, the Saskatchewan Health Authority, or any other provincial agency entered into any kind of partnership or agreement with the World Economic Forum either directly or with a World Economic Forum sponsored agency, (b) if yes, what is/are the nature of the partnership/agreement(s), (c) what are the reasons for entering into the partnership/agreement(s), and (d) when and how were the people of Saskatchewan consulted to gain their consent before taking that action?

Answer:

- (a) The Ministry of SaskBuilds and Procurement has not entered into any partnership or agreement with the World Economic Forum.
- (b) Not applicable
- (c) Not applicable
- (d) Not applicable

QUESTIONS ORDERED FOR RETURN

The following written questions were converted and orders for return were issued:

Return no. 2 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Corrections, Policing, and Public Safety, the municipal police forces that are actively being utilized in the rural and regional crime prevention programs first announced in 2019 for the years (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, and (c) 2021-2022.

Return no. 3 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Corrections, Policing, and Public Safety, the number of regions the province of Saskatchewan is divided into for rural crime prevention initiatives and the municipal police force that was assigned to each region in each of the following fiscal years: (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, and (c) 2021-2022.

Return no. 4 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Corrections, Policing, and Public Safety, the financial support and/or reimbursement that has been made to compensate each municipal police force for use of municipal equipment and staff for their support of the rural crime prevention programs operations in (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, and (c) 2021-2022.

Return no. 5 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the number of Saskatchewan Housing units that existed in each of the following years and the communities in which they are located: (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022.

Return no. 6 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the number of units that are classed as senior's housing and the communities in which they are located for the years (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022.

Return no. 7 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the number of units that are classed as affordable housing and the communities in which they are located for the years (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022.

Return no. 8 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the number of units that are classed as social housing and the communities in which they are located for the years (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022.

Return no. 9 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the occupancy and vacancy rate of Saskatchewan Housing Authority units in the following years in each community with Saskatchewan Housing Authority units: (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022.

Return no. 10 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, the number of Saskatchewan Housing units that have been sold off in each of the following years: (a) 2012-2013, (b) 2013-2014, (c) 2014-2015, (d) 2015-2016, (e) 2016-2017, (f) 2017-2018, (g) 2018-2019, (h) 2019-2020, (i) 2020-2021, and (j) 2021-2022, and the communities in which they were located.

Return no. 11 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Housing Authority, (a) the number of units that were sold as condominium units within Saskatchewan Housing apartment complexes, and (b) the year they were sold and the communities they were located in.

Return no. 12 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, for each of the fiscal years 2018-19, 2019-2020, 2020-2021, and 2021-2022, the specific incidents and the repairs undertaken to the Saskatchewan Hospital located in North Battleford, including the names of the contractors, the cost of the contract, and the work undertaken for the correction of deficiencies at the Saskatchewan Hospital.

Return no. 13 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) the cost to move and rehouse patients out of areas under repair for deficiencies (roof replacement, sewer back-up, flooded areas, plumbing repairs) at the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford, and (b) if the cost was a responsibility of the Ministry of Health.

Return no. 14 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) whether all deficiencies noted in the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford Audit Report have been rectified, and (b) if not, which are still outstanding and why.

Return no. 15 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) whether all deficiencies noted in the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford Audit report *Appendix A Sub-Consultant Findings* have been rectified, and (b) if not, which deficiencies are outstanding and why.

Return no. 16 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) the number of times in the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, and 2021-2022 that there has been a fire reported at the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford which required the attendance of the North Battleford Fire Department, and (b) in each case, the cause of the fire.

Return no. 17 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) whether the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford is fully operational with all wings and floors open to serve Saskatchewan residents, and (b) if not, the specific areas that are not operational and the number of beds that remain closed.

Return no. 18 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) whether the Saskatchewan Hospital in North Battleford is fully staffed to provide all services and supports it was designed to, and (b) if not, the areas that are understaffed and what has been done to recruit appropriate staff.

Return no. 19 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, for each of the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, and 2021-2022, the number of patients served at the Saskatchewan Hospital, separated by Psychiatric and Mental Health Services and secure bed facilities.

Return no. 20 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Finance, the total amount of financial support supplied by the Government of Canada to the Government of Saskatchewan for COVID-19 programs and support in the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 21 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Finance, whether the federal COVID-19 funding was administered through the Ministry of Finance or dispersed to the appropriate ministry where applicable programs are housed.

Return no. 22 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, the amount of funding that was received from the Government of Canada to support the province of Saskatchewan through the COVID-19 pandemic through (a) Federal Health Transfer Top Up, (b) Critical Health needs, and (c) Safe Long Term Care Fund, in each of the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 23 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, of the federal COVID-19 funding received by the province of Saskatchewan, how the funding was dedicated and utilized in each of the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 24 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, of the \$2 billion announced in March 2022 by the Government of Canada to reduce surgery backlogs and support additional surgeries, (a) the additional funding that was received by Saskatchewan, (b) how the funding has been utilized to reduce surgery backlogs and increase additional surgeries, and (c) the facilities to which this funding has been committed and the amount of funding that was allocated to each facility.

Return no. 25 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, regarding wage top ups that were provided to health care workers, (a) the classifications of workers which top ups were provided to, (b) the amount of a wage top up that was provided in each classification, and (c) how long the top up was provided for, for the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 26 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) whether all Government of Canada funding provided for COVID-19 relief programs, support and initiatives has been utilized, and (b) if not, the funding that remains.

Return no. 27 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Government Relations, the amount of financial support that was received from the Government of Canada to support the programs and partners of the Ministry of Government Relations through the Transit Fund and the Canada Community Building Fund in the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 28 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Government Relations, the programs and projects that the Canada Community Building Fund was committed to in the fiscal years (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, (c) 2021-2022, and (d) 2022-2023.

Return no. 29 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Government Relations, the municipalities that received additional funding and from which package of Government of Canada COVID-19 relief programs in the fiscal years (a) 2019-2020, (b) 2020-2021, (c) 2021-2022, and (d) 2022-2023, and which funding was matched by the province of Saskatchewan.

Return no. 30 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Ministry of Government Relations, (a) whether all federal government funding provided for COVID-19 relief programs and initiatives has been utilized, and (b) if not, the funding that remains.

Return no. 31 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, the amount of financial contribution that was received from the Government of Canada to support the programs and partners of the Ministry of Education through the COVID-19 pandemic in the fiscal years of 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 32 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, for the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023, the amount of additional funding that was provided to each school division from the Government of Canada's Safe Return to Class Fund.

Return no. 33 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, for the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023, the additional amount of funding that was provided to each private, independent, and affiliate school through the Government of Canada Safe Return to Class funding.

Return no. 34 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, for the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023, the additional funding that was received by each First Nations on-reserve school from the Government of Canada Safe Return to Class funding.

Return no. 35 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) whether the Government of Canada Safe Return to Class Fund was distributed to school divisions on a per student basis, and (b) if not, how those dollars were allocated.

Return no. 36 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, regarding wage top ups that were provided to workers deemed essential in the education sector, (a) how the wage top up was administered, (b) the classifications of workers that received the top up, (c) the amount of wage top that was provided in each classification, and (d) the length of time the top up was provided, for the fiscal years 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023.

Return no. 37 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) whether all federal government funding provided for COVID-19 relief programs and initiatives has been utilized, and (b) if not, the funding that remains.

Return no. 38 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Corrections, Policing, and Public Safety, (a) the number of investigations related to sexual offences that have been transferred from Canadian Armed Forces Military Police to Saskatchewan police forces since November 1, 2021, (b) the number of these investigations that led to charges being laid, (c) the sections of the Criminal Code that accused persons were charged with violating, and (d) the results of each charge.

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

On Monday / lundi:

Hon. Mr. Makowsky to move first reading of Bill No. 101 — The Child and Family Services Amendment Act, 2022

Hon. Ms. Eyre to move first reading of Bill No. 102 — The Constitutional Questions Amendment Act, 2022
L'hon. Mme Eyre proposera la première lecture du projet de loi n° 102 — Loi modificative de 2022 sur les questions constitutionnelles

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following question was given notice on day no. 5 and is to be answered by day no. 10:

Question no. 40 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Minister of Social Services and the Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, Seniors, and Rural and Remote Health, re: the personal care home benefit, many Saskatchewan seniors who require personal care home services rely on the Personal Care Home Benefit in order to afford the services. That benefit currently subsidizes their income to a maximum, \$2,000, a rate set over 10 years ago. Seniors also face a claw back of their subsidy any time a federal government income program is increased, making Saskatchewan seniors more reliant on the federal government. This is the opposite of the provincial government's stated position of being a 'Nation within a Nation' and 'Drawing the Line' to become more autonomous and independent of the Government of Canada. Seventy-five per cent of private care homes charge fees of \$2,200.00 to residents before incidentals, with an average rate

of \$2,900.00. These homes must meet provincially-set standards to operate, and must charge accordingly. In the coming years, the number of seniors that will require these services will grow substantially. What plans does the Saskatchewan government have to re-evaluate how it assists seniors to make sure they can afford private, Personal Care Home services and normal incidentals with dignity?

The following question was given notice on day no. 6 and is to be answered by day no. 11:

Question no. 41 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Premier of Saskatchewan, Executive Council, and the Minister of SaskBuilds and Procurement, re: Digital ID Authentication Council of Canada (DIACC), on its website, the Digital ID Authentication Council of Canada has a stated goal that (quote): “The (federal) government work with provincial and territorial partners and Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada to ensure that all Canadians have access to an ISO-compliant government-issued digital ID credential with economy-wide utility by December 2022.” DIACC also states that, “By solving challenges and leveraging opportunities, Canada has the chance to secure at least three per cent of unrealized GDP or \$100 billion of potential growth by 2030. Seizing this opportunity is a must in a digital society as we work through the COVID pandemic challenges.” In the last year, Saskatchewan people have made it abundantly clear that they do not want a centralized Digital ID system. A Centralized Digital ID is not to actually help people, but to profit off their backs through complete digital control of their lives. China is a perfect example of how this is already in effect; (a) is Saskatchewan still a member of the Digital ID Authentication Council of Canada; (b) is the government planning to implement an ISO-compliant government-issued digital ID credential with economy-wide utility as described by DIACC by December 2022 or by any other date; if yes, (c) through what avenues did the Government of Saskatchewan obtain the consent of the people to impose this invasive scheme upon them, and (d) will the government allow the people of Saskatchewan to have their say on this issue prior to implementation via a binding plebiscite or referendum?

The following question was given notice on day no. 7 and is to be answered by day no. 12:

Question no. 42 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Minister of Health and the Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, Seniors and Rural and Remote Health, since the roll-out of the COVID-19 inoculations in 2021, many Saskatchewan people have suffered vaccine injuries. Many of these citizens also report that they have experienced extreme obstacles in trying to report and navigate the provincial health system to have these injuries acknowledged and treated. Often, these patients report that their doctors are reluctant to report vaccine injuries due to fear of sanctions by the College of Physicians and Surgeons. Therefore, the actual number of vaccine injuries might never be known. Patients and doctors feel abandoned by the health care system and the government. Statistics from the Ministry of Health show over 1,200 adverse reactions in the first ten months alone. This breaks down to an adverse effect ratio of 7.5 reactions per 1,000 injections. Extrapolating that most had two injections during this period, this translates to a risk factor of 15 adverse reactions per 500 people or 3 per cent. The issue of ‘informed consent’ is also at issue. People attending clinics were told to expect a sore arm, or that they might feel sick for a few days. Few, if any at all, were advised about the potential to develop myocarditis, pericarditis, blood clots, Bells Palsy, Guillain-Barré Syndrome, stillbirths, menstrual issues and a host of other side effects. The vast majority of Saskatchewan people did not find out about these risks until well after they took, or were coerced into taking, the COVID-19 inoculations; (a) given these circumstances, what will the Government of Saskatchewan do, independent of the federal government, to investigate and compensate vaccine injured victims and their families, (b) will the government create an impartial medical panel to conduct hearings with independent investigation to determine whether there was

interference in how and what doctors are/were allowed to report, and (c) what has or will the government do to ensure the public is fully informed about the efficacy/lack of efficacy, and the potential side effects of taking the experimental mRNA therapies?

The following question was given notice on day no. 8 and is to be answered by day no. 13:

Question no. 43 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Minister of Health and the Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, Seniors and Rural and Remote Health, information obtained via a freedom of information request showed that the Ministry of Health reported there were 1,229 adverse reactions from December 30, 2020 to October 26, 2021, due to the experimental COVID-19 inoculations. During that time 1,649,640 injections had been given, therefore a reported reaction rate of .075 per cent or 7.5 for every 1,000 injections. On the Saskatchewan government website as of September 18, 2022, the total number of adverse reactions reported by the government was 1,320. That means only 91 more adverse effects were reported in the next 11 months during which an additional 920,000 injections were given. This is .0098 per cent reaction rate or 9.8 for every 10,000 injections. Statistically, that is a drastic change in ratio which raises the questions: (a) was the criteria for reporting adverse reactions changed after October 2021, and if so, how, why and by whom, (b) who or what government agency is responsible for monitoring adverse reactions, and what thresholds has the government set to determine whether the COVID-19 injection schedule(s) should be continued, halted, and/or modified, and (c) where can the public view this information?

The following questions were given notice on day no. 9 and are to be answered by day no. 14:

Question no. 44 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Highways, (a) what is the most recent average International Roughness Index (IRI) for each of the following sections (both eastbound and westbound) of #1 Highway: (i) between McLean and Jct. #10 near Balgonie, (ii) between Jct. #10 near Balgonie to Jct. Victoria Avenue near Brandt Industries, (iii) Jct. Victoria Avenue to Jct. #33, (iv) Jct. #33 to Jct. #6, (v) Jct. #6 with Ring Road near the weigh scales, and (vi) Jct. with Ring Road to Pense; (b) on what date were the IRI measurements above taken; (c) which clause(s) in the Regina Bypass Partners Agreement specify the minimum acceptable ride standards; and (d) what provisions does the contract make for enforcement if the minimum standards are not met?

Question no. 45 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister for the Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority, which private liquor stores operated in Saskatchewan in (a) 2017, (b) 2018, (c) 2019, (d) 2021, and (e) 2022, and what was the net revenue SLGA received from each of these stores?

Question no. 46 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister for the Saskatchewan Liquor and Gaming Authority, which public liquor stores operated in Saskatchewan in (a) 2017, (b) 2018, (c) 2019, (d) 2021, and (e) 2022, and what was the net revenue SLGA received from each of these stores?

Question no. 47 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) how much education tax did the province collect from each individual School Division in the fiscal years: (i) 2009-2010, (ii) 2010-2011, (iii) 2011-2012, (iv) 2012-2013, (v) 2013-2014, (vi) 2014-2015, (vii) 2015-2016, (viii) 2016-2017, (ix) 2017-2018, (x) 2018-2019, (xi) 2019-2020, (xii) 2020-2021, (xiii) 2021-2022, and (xiv) 2022-2023; (b) what was the total grant paid to each individual School Division in the above years; (c) what Historic High Schools operated during

the above fiscal years; (d) how much did they receive in grants from the province during the above fiscal years; (e) what private schools operated during the above fiscal years; (f) how much did they receive in grants from the province during the above fiscal years; (g) what associate schools operated during the above fiscal years; and (h) how much did they receive in grants from the province during the above fiscal years?

Question no. 48 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Immigration and Career Training, (a) how many Saskatchewan Immigrant Nominee applications did the Ministry receive in the fiscal years: (i) 2008-2009, (ii) 2009-2010, (iii) 2010-2011, (iv) 2011-2012, (v) 2012-2013, (vi) 2013-2014, (vii) 2014-2015, (viii) 2015-2016, (ix) 2016-2017, (x) 2017-2018, (xi) 2018-2019, (xii) 2019-2020, (xiii) 2020-2021, (xiv) 2021-2022, and (xv) 2022-2023; (b) how many nominations did the province of Saskatchewan make in the above years; and (c) how many nominees, plus their family members, arrived in the province in the above years?

Question no. 49 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, for each of the fiscal years 2008-2009, 2009-2010, 2010-2011, 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014, 2014-2015, 2015-2016, 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-2019, 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, and 2022-2023, what health services were available at the health centres, integrated facilities, and medical facilities in each of the following communities: (a) Arborfield, (b) Beechy, (c) Bengough, (d) Birch Hills, (e) Borden, (f) Capri, (g) Climax, (h) Coronach, (i) Craik, (j) Cupar, (k) Cutknife, (l) Dinsmore, (m) Dodsland, (n) Eatonia, (o) Edam, (p) Elrose, (q) Eston, (r) Filmore, (s) Gainsborough, (t) Goodsoil, (u) Grenfell, (v) Gull Lake, (w) Imperial, (x) Invermay, (y) Ituna, (z) Kincaid, (aa) Lafleche, (ab) Lampman, (ac) Langenburg, (ad) Leoville, (ae) Loon Lake, (af) Lucky Lake, (ag) Macklin, (ah) Mankota, (ai) Milden, (aj) Montmartre, (ak) Neilburg, (al) Nokomis, (am) Norquay, (an) Oxbow, (ao) Pangman, (ap) Ponteix, (aq) Radville, (ar) Rockglen, (as) Smeaton, (at) Spalding, (au) St. Walburg, (av) Theodore, (aw) Vanguard, (ax) Watson, (ay) Whitebear, and (az) Whitewood?

Question no. 50 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Highways, (a) what highway projects were underway in Saskatchewan in the following fiscal years: (i) 2008-2009, (ii) 2009-2010, (iii) 2010-2011, (iv) 2011-2012, (v) 2012-2013, (vi) 2013-2014, (vii) 2014-2015, (viii) 2015-2016, (ix) 2016-2017, (x) 2017-2018, (xi) 2018-2019, (xii) 2019-2020, (xiii) 2020-2021, (xiv) 2021-2022, and (xv) 2022-2023; (b) which construction company was awarded each of these contracts; (c) were these construction companies based in Saskatchewan, and (d) what was the cost of each these contracts?

Question no. 51 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Highways, (a) what are the locations of each project to improve Saskatchewan highways in the fiscal year 2022-2023, and (b) how many kilometres do each of these improvement projects span?

Question no. 52 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) what Long-Term Care Facilities were operating in Saskatchewan in each of the following fiscal years: (i) 2012-2013, (ii) 2013-2014, (iii) 2014-2015, (iv) 2015-2016, (v) 2016-2017, (vi) 2017-2018, (vii) 2018-2019, (viii) 2019-2020, (ix) 2020-2021, (x) 2021-2022, and (xi) 2022-2023; and (b) how many beds in each Long-Term Care Facility were funded and occupied by a resident?

Question no. 53 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Health, (a) what were the locations of each hospital operating in Saskatchewan in the following fiscal years: (i) 2008-2009, (ii) 2009-2010, (iii) 2010-2011, (iv) 2011-2012, (v) 2012-2013, (vi) 2013-2014, (vii) 2014-2015, (viii) 2015-2016, (ix) 2016-2017, (x) 2017-2018, (xi) 2018-

2019, (xii) 2019-2020, (xiii) 2020-2021, (xiv) 2021-2022, and (xv) 2022-2023; and (b) how many funded beds did each hospital contain in the above years?

Question no. 54 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for SaskPower, (a) what were the names of the contractors assigned to each floor of the refurbishment of the SaskPower headquarters in the following fiscal years: (i) 2018-2019, (ii) 2019-2020, (iii) 2020-2021, (iv) 2021-2022, and (v) 2022-2023; (b) what was the cost of the contract for the refurbishment of each floor of the SaskPower headquarters in the above fiscal years; and (c) what work was undertaken in the refurbishment of each floor of the SaskPower headquarters in the above fiscal years?

Question no. 55 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for SaskPower, (a) what were the names of the contractors assigned to each floor of the refurbishment of the second office tower purchased south of the head office in the following fiscal years: (i) 2018-2019, (ii) 2019-2020, (iii) 2020-2021, (iv) 2021-2022, and (v) 2022-2023; (b) what was the cost of the contract for each floor of the refurbishment of the second office tower in the above fiscal years; (c) what work was undertaken in the refurbishment of the second office tower in the above fiscal years; and (d) what is the total cost of completed work on the refurbishment of the SaskPower head office and second office tower?

Question no. 56 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister Responsible for SaskPower, (a) what is the name of the construction contractor responsible for Phase One of the logistics warehouse complex that is to be located at the Global Transportation Hub, (b) what is the cost of the contract for Phase One, (c) how many phases remain in the construction of the logistics warehouse complex, (d) how much will each phase cost, and (e) what is the anticipated completion date of each phase?

Question no. 57 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) of the 2021-2022 to 2025-2026 Canada-Saskatchewan Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement's \$2.59 million earmarked to fund one-time grants in support of recruitment and retention of certified Early Childhood Educators (ECEs) and group family childcare assistants in regulated childcare centres and group family childcare homes, how much is the province's contribution, (b) how many regulated childcare centres have received the grant of \$145 per regulated space for children up to the age of 6, (c) how many regulated group family childcare homes have received the grant of \$145 per regulated space for children up to the age of 6, (d) what is the total amount of the grants that have been forwarded to regulated childcare centres, and (e) what is the total amount of the recruitment and retention grant that has been forwarded to regulated group family childcare homes?

Question no. 58 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) of the 2021-2022 to 2026-2026 Canada-Saskatchewan Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement, how much of the \$5.4 million earmarked to provide up to \$2 an hour increased pay for Early Childhood Educators (ECEs), how much is the province's contribution, (b) how many Early Childhood Educators have received up to a \$2 an hour pay increase, (c) how many Early Childhood Educators in regulated childcare centres have received up to a \$2 an hour pay increase, (d) how many Early Childhood Educators in regulated group family childcare homes have received up to a \$2 an hour pay increase, and (e) what is the total amount of the Wage Enhancement Grant that has been expended?

Question no. 59 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) what were the monthly fees for infant, toddler, preschool, and kindergarten children in regulated childcare centres in the following fiscal years: (i) 2019-2020, (ii) 2020-2021, (iii) 2021-2022, and (iv) 2022-2023; (b) what were the monthly fees for infant, toddler, preschool, and kindergarten children in regulated group family childcare homes in the above fiscal years; (c) what was the monthly subsidy for infant, toddler, preschool, and kindergarten children in regulated childcare centres in the above fiscal years; and (d) what was the monthly subsidy for infant, toddler, preschool, and kindergarten children in regulated group family childcare homes in the above fiscal years?

Question no. 60 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) what, if any, stakeholder and community consultations have taken place with respect to the implementation of the commitments made in the Canada-Saskatchewan Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement, and (b) what further consultations are planned and with which organizations and groups?

Question no. 61 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) how many more licensed childcare spaces have been created since the signing of the Canada-Saskatchewan Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement, and (b) what will the Saskatchewan government do in a systemically sustainable way that will meet the expansion targets set out in the agreement?

Question no. 62 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister of Education, (a) what is the government's short and long-term systemic strategy for addressing the critical shortage of qualified early childhood educators in Saskatchewan, (b) what specific measures will the government be undertaking and what is the timetable for implementing those measures, and (c) how will these measures sustain this new system into the future?

Question no. 63 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister responsible for SaskTel, what urban municipalities currently do not have cell phone service in Saskatchewan?

Question no. 64 (Ms. Sarauer):

To the Minister responsible for SaskTel, what First Nations reserves currently do not have cell phone service in Saskatchewan?