

## STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

## SECOND REPORT

Mr. Harper, Chair of the Standing Committee on Agriculture, presents the Committee's Second Report of the Twenty-fourth Legislature, which is as follows:

On April 12, 2002, by Order of the Legislative Assembly, the Standing Committee on Agriculture was instructed:

To receive a representation, on behalf of the Legislative Assembly, from the Action Committee on the Rural Economy regarding its Final Report, and further, to this purpose; that the said Standing Committee be authorized to conduct its proceedings in the Legislative Chamber, except when the Assembly is sitting, and that the Committee proceedings be televised by the Legislative Assembly on the Saskatchewan Legislative Network and further that the Legislative Assembly do also broadcast the audio of the proceedings on the Internet via the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan web site, and;

That upon receiving the Final Report of the ACRE Committee, the Standing Committee shall both make a report to the Assembly to that effect and table a copy of the ACRE Committee's Final Report as soon as is practicable.

On April 29, 2002 your committee complied with this order and is pleased to report that it received a detailed and informative deputation from the Action Committee on the Rural Economy regarding its Final Report.

Your Committee wishes to express its gratitude to the Co-Chair of the Action Committee on the Rural Economy, Audrey Horkoff, and to the other members of the Committee for their comprehensive and thought-provoking presentation. Your Committee also wishes to recognize the tremendous effort of all the members of the ACRE Committee in compiling its report, and, accordingly, a copy of the ACRE Committee's Final Report is tabled forthwith.

Respectfully submitted,

Ron Harper, MLA Chair