

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES**  
**Tuesday, May 7, 2013**

**MINUTE NO. 25**  
**2:58 p.m. – Legislative Chamber**

1. **Present:** Greg Brkich in the Chair and Members Bob Bjornerud, Larry Doke\*, Daryl Hickie, Gene Makowsky, Warren McCall\*, Roger Parent and Cathy Sproule.

**Substituting Members**

Larry Doke for Scott Moe

Warren McCall for Cathy Sproule (3:03 p.m. – 4:11 p.m. only)

**Other Members**

Buckley Belanger, Warren McCall

2. The following document was tabled:

**CCA 100/27 - Minister of Finance:** Responses to questions raised at the April 23, 2013 meeting of the committee, dated, April 17, 2013.

3. The committee considered the Estimates for the Ministry of Central Services.

The following Central Services Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Nancy Heppner, Minister

Ron Dedman, Deputy Minister

Robert Guillaume, Associate Deputy Minister, Information Technology Office

Shelley Reddekopp, Assistant Deputy Minister, Corporate Services

4. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for the Ministry of Central Services. On motion of Mr. Makowsky:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2014 the following sum:

For Central Services..... \$93,530,000

5. The committee considered the Estimates for the Ministry of Finance.
6. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for the Ministry of Finance. On motion of Mr. Hickie:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2014 the following sum:

For Finance..... \$208,061,000

7. The committee considered the Estimates (Debt Servicing) for the Ministry of Finance.
8. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates (Debt Servicing) for the Ministry of Finance.

9. The committee considered the Estimates for the Growth and Financial Security Fund.
10. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for the Growth and Financial Security Fund.
11. The committee considered the Estimates (Lending and Investing Activities) for the Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.
12. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates (Lending and Investing Activities) for the Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan.
13. The committee considered the Estimates for Change in Advances to Revolving Funds.
14. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for Change in Advances to Revolving Funds.
15. The committee considered the Estimates for Debt Redemption.
16. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for Debt Redemption.
17. The committee considered the Estimates for Sinking Fund Payments – Government Share.
18. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for Sinking Fund Payments – Government Share.
19. The committee considered the Estimates for Interest on Gross Debt – Crown Enterprise Share.
20. The committee concluded consideration of the Estimates for Interest on Gross Debt – Crown Enterprise Share.
21. The committee considered the Supplementary Estimates (March) for the Ministry of Finance.
22. The committee concluded consideration of the Supplementary Estimates (March) for the Ministry of Finance. On motion of Mr. Parent:

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

For Finance..... \$16,577,000

23. It was moved by Mr. Parent:

That the Third Report of the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies be adopted and presented to the Assembly.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

24. The following document was tabled:

**CCA 101/27 - Minister of Central Services:** Responses to questions raised at the April 23, 2013 meeting of the committee, dated, May 7, 2013.

25. The committee considered Bill No. 69 – The Information Services Corporation Act.

The following Information Service Corporation Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don McMorris, Minister  
Jeff Stusek, President and Chief Executive Officer  
Doug Kosloski, Senior Legal Counsel

26. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 28, they were agreed to.

27. It was moved by Mr. Parent:

That the committee report Bill No. 69 – The Information Services Corporation Act – without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

28. The committee considered Bill No. 45 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012.

The following Saskatchewan Telecommunications Minister and official appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don McMorris, Minister  
John Meldrum, Vice President, Regulatory Affairs

29. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 4, they were agreed to.

30. It was moved by Mr. Parent:

That the committee report Bill No. 45 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012 – without amendment

The question being put, it was agreed to.

31. It was moved by Mr. Makowsky:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

32. The committee adjourned at 4:59 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Rob Park  
Committee Clerk

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Greg Brkich  
Committee Chair