STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES Monday, March 16, 2009

MINUTE NO. 13 11:00 a.m. – Room 8

1. **Present**: Dustin Duncan in the Chair and Members Nancy Heppner, Serge LeClerc*, Greg Ottenbreit*, Kim Trew, Randy Weekes and Kevin Yates.

Substituting Members

Serge LeClerc for Jim Reiter Greg Ottenbreit for Tim McMillan

2. The following document was tabled:

CCA 82/26 - Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan (CIC): Appointments to CIC subsidiary Crown corporation boards by Orders in Council (OC) on February 13, 2009, dated March 4, 2009.

- 3. The Chair advised the committee that, pursuant to an Order of the Assembly dated March 12, 2009, the committee had been ordered to divide Bill No. 72 The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2008 into two Bills so as to incorporate into separate Bills the provisions of the said Bill relating to:
 - a) Enhanced Driver Licences, being clauses 2-9; 11(a) 11(d) and 12 of the original Bill;
 - b) Volunteer fire fighting, being clauses 10, 11(e) and 12 of the original Bill; and further,

That the following conditions shall apply to the consideration of the two Bills:

- a) The two Bills shall be numbered and printed separately prior to clause by clause consideration, in accordance with Rule 157 of *The Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan*;
- b) The said committee shall report the Bills separately:
- c) The "specified bill" status and time spent in consideration of the original bill shall be applied to the two Bills in accordance with Rules 33 through 35 of *The Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan*.
- 4. The committee considered the Order of Reference. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

That, pursuant to its order of reference dated March 12, 2009, this committee divides Bill No. 72 - The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2008 into two bills as follows;

That the provisions in Bill No. 72 respecting volunteer fire fighting, and consisting of clauses: 10, 11(e) and 12, shall compose Bill No. 82 - The Traffic Safety (Volunteer Firefighters) Amendment Act;

And further that the provisions in Bill No. 72 respecting enhanced driver licences, and consisting of clauses: 2 to 9, 11(a) to 11(d) and 12, shall compose Bill No. 83 - The Traffic Safety (Licencing Provisions) Amendment Act.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

5. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

That the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel of the Legislative Assembly be instructed to prepare the two Bills for consideration of the committee in advance of the clause-by-clause examination, and further that the reprinting include renumbering all clauses and making any necessary editorial changes;

And further that the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel create a table of concordance linking the clauses of Bill No. 72 to the appropriate clauses in Bill No. 82 and Bill No. 83.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

6. The Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel provided a report with respect to Bill No. 72. The following document was tabled:

CCA 83/26 Law Clerk and Parliamentary Council: Report with respect to Bill No. 72, divided by Order of the Assembly resulting in Bill No. 82 and Bill No. 83, dated March 16, 2009.

The Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel appeared before the committee and answered questions. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

That the Chair report to the Legislative Assembly on the division of Bill No. 72 - The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2008.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

7. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

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

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

8. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

9. The committee adjourned at 11:11 a.m. to the call of the Chair.

Iris Lang	Dustin Duncan
Committee Clerk	Committee Chair