

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY

Thursday, April 10, 2008

MINUTE NO. 4

7:00 p.m. - Room 8

1. **Present:** D.F. (Yogi) Huyghebaert in the Chair and Members Darcy Furber, Ron Harper, Jeremy Harrison, Laura Ross and Nadine Wilson.

Substituting Members: June Draude for Warren Michelson

Other Members

Len Taylor

2. The following document was tabled:

ECO 1/26 Ministry of Agriculture: Written submission dated April 8, 2008 (response to questions raised at the committee meeting of March 12, 2008).

3. The Chair advised the committee that, pursuant to Rule 146(1), the 2008-2009 Estimates for the following ministries and agencies were deemed referred to the committee on April 3, 2008:

Vote 147	Agricultural Credit Corporation of Saskatchewan
Vote 1, 146	Agriculture
Vote 23	Energy and Resources
Vote 43, 144	Enterprise and Innovation
Vote 26	Environment
Vote 16, 17, 145	Highways and Infrastructure
Vote 161	Saskatchewan Crop Insurance
Vote 35	Saskatchewan Research Council

4. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Energy and Resources.

The following Energy and Resources Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Bill Boyd, Minister

Glen Veikle, Acting Deputy Minister

Trevor Dark, Assistant Deputy Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas

Kent Campbell, Chief Executive Officer of Forestry Development

George Patterson, Executive Director of Exploration and Geological Services

Hal Sanders, Executive Director of Corporate and Financial Services

5. The committee adjourned consideration of the Estimates for the Ministry of Energy and Resources.
6. It was moved by Ms. Wilson:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

7. The committee adjourned at 9:04 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

Viktor Kaczkowski
Committee Clerk

D. F. (Yogi) Huyghebaert
Committee Chair