

## STANDING COMMITTEE ON HOUSE SERVICES

June 15, 2009

### MINUTE NO. 7

9:08 a.m. - Room 8

1. **Present:** Mr. Speaker in the Chair and Members Denis Allchurch, Hon. Rod Gantefer, Delbert Kirsch\*, Andy Iwanchuk, Randy Weekes, Len Taylor and Kevin Yates.

#### **Substituting Member**

Delbert Kirsch for Hon. Donna Harpauer

2. The following documents were tabled:

**HOS 5/26 – Information and Privacy Commissioner:** Annual Report and Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2008.

**HOS 6/26 – Chief Electoral Officer:** Annual Report, pursuant to Section 286.1 of *The Election Act, 1996* for the year ended March 31, 2008.

**HOS 7/26 – Saskatchewan Legislative Library:** Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 2008.

3. The committee considered changes to membership on standing committees, pursuant to Rule 138(4)(a).
4. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the names of Denis Allchurch, Fred Bradshaw and Dan D'Autremont be substituted for the names of Dustin Duncan, Nancy Heppner and Jim Reiter on the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

5. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the names of Buckley Belanger and Trent Wotherspoon be substituted for the names of Kim Trew and Kevin Yates on the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

6. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the names of Dustin Duncan, Darryl Hickie and Lyle Stewart be substituted for the names of D.F. (Yogi) Huyghebaert, Jeremy Harrison and Warren Michelson on the Standing Committee on the Economy.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

7. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the name of Len Taylor be substituted for the name of Darcy Furber on the Standing Committee on the Economy.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

8. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the name of Delbert Kirsch be substituted for the name of Donna Harpauer on the Standing Committee on House Services.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

9. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the name of Darcy Furber be substituted for the name of Andy Iwanchuk on the Standing Committee on House Services.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

10. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the name of Joceline Schriemer be substituted for the name of Denis Allchurch on the Standing Committee on Human Services.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

11. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the names of Warren Michelson and Wayne Elhard be substituted for the names of Fred Bradshaw and Joceline Schriemer on the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

12. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the name of Kim Trew be substituted for the name of Trent Wotherspoon on the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

13. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the names of Greg Brkich and Serge LeClerc be substituted for the names of Denis Allchurch and Laura Ross on the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

14. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the name of John Nilson be substituted for the name of Trent Wotherspoon on the Standing Committee on Private Bills.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

15. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the name of Dan D'Autremont be substituted for the name of Greg Brkich on the Standing Committee on Privileges.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

16. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the name of Darcy Furber be substituted for the name of Len Taylor on the Standing Committee on Privileges.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

17. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

That the names of Dan D'Autremont, Laura Ross and Lyle Stewart be substituted for the names Fred Bradshaw, Jeremy Harrison and Jim Reiter on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

18. It was moved by Mr. Yates:

That the names of Pat Atkinson and Trent Wotherspoon be substituted for the names John Nilson and Harry Van Mulligen on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

19. The committee adjourned consideration of changes to membership on standing committees.

20. The Deputy Chair presided over the review of the annual reports of the Independent Officers and the Saskatchewan Legislative Library.

21. The committee considered the Information and Privacy Commissioner Annual Report. The Speaker and the following Information and Privacy Commissioner officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don Toth, Speaker  
Gary Dickson, Information and Privacy Commissioner  
Diane Aldridge, Director of Compliance  
Pam Scott, Manager of Administration

22. The committee concluded consideration of the Information and Privacy Commissioner Annual Report.

23. The committee considered the Chief Electoral Officer Annual Report. The Speaker and the following Chief Electoral Office officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don Toth, Speaker  
Dave Wilkie, Chief Electoral Officer  
Brent Nadon, Manager of Election Finances  
Jeff Livingstone, Manager of Information Technology and Registrar of Electors

24. The committee concluded consideration of the Chief Electoral Officer Annual Report.
25. The committee considered the Saskatchewan Legislative Library Annual Report. The Speaker and the following Legislative Library officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don Toth, Speaker  
Melissa Bennett, Legislative Librarian  
Pat Kolesar, Assistant Legislative Librarian

26. The committee concluded consideration of the Saskatchewan Legislative Library Annual Report.
27. Mr. Taylor advised the committee that he is resigning his position as Deputy Chair of the Standing Committee on House Services.
28. The Chair presided over the election of the Deputy Chair. Mr. Yates was nominated for the position. There being no further nominations, it was moved by Mr. Iwanchuk:

That Kevin Yates be elected to preside as Deputy Chair of the Standing Committee on House Services.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

29. The committee considered the report on membership changes, pursuant to Rule 138(4)(a).
30. It was moved by the Hon. Mr. Gantefoer:

That the Seventh Report of the Standing Committee on House Services be adopted and filed with the Clerk, pursuant to Rule 135(6).

The question being put, it was agreed to.

31. It was moved by Mr. Weekes:

That the committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

32. The committee adjourned at 10:41 a.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Iris Lang  
Committee Clerk

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Hon. Don Toth  
Committee Chair