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[The committee met at 15:50.]

**Some Hon. Members:** — Agreed.

**Bill No. 134 — *The Opticians Act***

**The Chair:** — Good afternoon, committee members. We are here in consideration of Bill 134, *An Act respecting the Profession of Opticians and making a consequential amendment to The Optometry Act, 1985*.

**The Chair:** — Carried. Thank you, Minister and committee members, for this afternoon's proceedings. Can I have a motion to adjourn? I'd ask a member to make a motion to adjourn. Mr. Reiter. With that, the committee stands adjourned.

[The committee adjourned at 15:54.]

We have one substitution this afternoon. For Ms. Junor we have Mr. Yates. All other members are voting members. I welcome the minister to this afternoon's proceedings, and we have an agreement to go section by section on this Bill.

So clause 1 and 2, are those agreed?

**Some Hon. Members:** — Agreed.

**The Chair:** — Carried.

[Clause 1 agreed to.]

[Clauses 2 to 22 inclusive agreed to.]

**Clause 23**

**The Chair:** — Clause 23 as amended, is that agreed? Oh sorry, excuse me. Clause 23, Mr. Hart.

**Mr. Hart:** — Mr. Chair, I'd like to move the following amendment:

**Clause 23**

Amend Clause 23 of the printed Bill by striking out clause (1)(a) and substituting the following:

“(a) interpret a prescription and adapt an ophthalmic appliance in accordance with the regulatory bylaws”.

I so move, Mr. Chair.

**The Chair:** — Thank you, Mr. Hart. So clause 23 as amended by Mr. Hart, is that agreed?

**Some Hon. Members:** — Agreed.

**The Chair:** — Carried.

[Clause 23 as amended agreed to.]

[Clauses 24 to 57 inclusive agreed to.]

**The Chair:** — Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows: Bill 134, *The Opticians Act*. Is that agreed?

**Some Hon. Members:** — Agreed.

**The Chair:** — Carried. I would ask a member to move that we report Bill 134, *The Opticians Act* with amendment. Mr. Hart. Is that agreed?