

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**  
**Tuesday, April 23, 2024**

**MINUTE NO. 37**

**3:30 p.m. — māmawapiwin náyati room (Room 8)**

1. **Present:** Alana Ross in the chair and members Muhammad Fiaz, Ken Francis,\* Warren Kaeding, Matt Love,\* Hugh Nerlien, Nicole Sarauer,\* and Aleana Young.\*

**Substituting Members**

Ken Francis for Marv Friesen

Matt Love for Meara Conway (3:30 p.m. – 4:09 p.m.)

Nicole Sarauer for Jared Clarke

Aleana Young for Meara Conway (4:09 p.m. – 5:36 p.m.)

2. The following documents were tabled:

Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel: 2020 report on regulations and bylaws (HUS 33-29)

Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel: 2021 report on regulations and bylaws (HUS 34-29)

Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel: 2022 report on regulations and bylaws (HUS 35-29)

3. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety.

The Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety and the following officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Ministry of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety

Hon. Don McMorris, Minister

Drew Wilby, Deputy Minister

Elissa Aitken, Assistant Deputy Minister

Pat Parenteau, Executive Director, Corporate Services

Saskatchewan Labour Relations Board

Ryan Coulthard, Board Officer

Saskatchewan Workers' Compensation Board

Phil Germain, Chief Executive Officer

4. The committee concluded consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety. On motion of Mr. Nerlien:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Labour Relations and Workplace Safety ..... \$20,406,000

5. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education.

6. The committee concluded consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education. On motion of Mr. Nerlien:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Advanced Education ..... \$792,526,000

7. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Education.

8. The committee concluded consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Education. On motion of Mr. Kaeding:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Education ..... \$2,904,816,000

9. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Health.

10. The committee concluded consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Health. On motion of Mr. Fiaz:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Health..... \$7,591,409,000

11. The committee considered the estimates for the Ministry of Social Services.

12. The committee concluded consideration of the estimates for the Ministry of Social Services. On motion of Mr. Francis:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Social Services ..... \$1,544,754,000

13. The committee considered the lending and investing activities estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education.

14. The committee concluded consideration of the lending and investing activities estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education. On motion of Mr. Kaeding:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2025 the following sum:

For Advanced Education ..... \$80,000,000

15. The committee considered the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Education.

16. The committee concluded consideration of the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Education. On motion of Mr. Nerlien:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2024 the following sum:

For Education ..... \$16,000,000

17. The committee considered the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Health.

18. The committee concluded consideration of the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Health. On motion of Mr. Francis:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2024 the following sum:

For Health..... \$450,100,000

19. The committee considered the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Social Services.

20. The committee concluded consideration of the 2023–24 supplementary estimates no. 2 for the Ministry of Social Services. On motion of Mr. Kaeding:

Resolved, that there be granted to His Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2024 the following sum:

For Social Services..... \$22,750,000

21. It was moved by Mr. Nerlien:

That the seventh report of the Standing Committee on Human Services be adopted and presented to the Assembly.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

22. It was moved by Mr. Francis:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

23. The committee adjourned at 5:52 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Miranda Gudereit  
Committee Clerk

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Alana Ross  
Chair