

## **STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

**Monday, May 12, 2008**

### **MINUTE NO. 15**

**3:00 p.m. – Room 8**

1. **Present:** Glen Hart in the Chair and Members Denis Allchurch, Cam Broten, Doreen Eagles, Judy Junor, Serge LeClerc and Greg Ottenbreit.

**Substituting Members:**

Andy Iwanchuk for Judy Junor (3:57 p.m. until 4:56 p.m.)

**Other Member**

Pat Atkinson

2. The following document was tabled:

**HUS 16/26 Ministry of Health:** Written submission entitled “Questions and answers”.

3. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour.

The following Advanced Education, Employment and Labour Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses:

Hon. Rob Norris, Minister

Wynne Young, Deputy Minister

Rick Pawliw, Acting Assistant Deputy Minister, Immigration Services Division

Trina Vicq Fallows, Acting Executive Director of Corporate Services

Giovanna Pirro, Director, Community Partnerships and Settlement

Eric Johansen, Executive Director, Saskatchewan Immigrant Nominee Program

Darcy Cherney, Manager, Entrepreneur Unit

Mary Didowycz, Acting Director, Policy and Program Support

4. The committee recessed from 3:49 p.m. until 3:57 p.m.
5. The committee considered Bill No. 24 – The Trade Union Amendment Act, 2008 (No. 2).

The following Advanced Education, Employment and Labour Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses:

Hon. Rob Norris, Minister

Wynne Young, Deputy Minister

Mike Carr, Associate Deputy Minister, Labour, Employee and Employer Services

Mary Ellen Wellsch, Acting Executive Director, Labour Planning and Policy

6. The question being put on clauses 1 through 3, they were agreed to.

7. It was moved by Ms. Eagles:

That the committee report Bill No. 24 – The Trade Union Amendment Act, 2008 (No. 2) – without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

8. The committee recessed from 4:31 p.m. until 4:37 p.m.
9. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour.
10. On motion of Mr. LeClerc:

**Executive Branch of Government**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March, 31, 2009, the following sum:

For Advanced Education, Employment and Labour ..... \$761,779,000

11. On motion of Mr. Ottenbreit:

**Lending and Investing Activities**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March, 31, 2009, the following sum:

For Advanced Education, Employment and Labour ..... \$43,000,000

12. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety, and Policing.

13. On motion of Mr. LeClerc:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March, 31, 2009, the following sum:

For Corrections, Public Safety, and Policing..... \$314,116,000

14. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Education.

15. On motion of Ms. Eagles:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2009 the following sum:

For Education ..... \$1,016,747,000

16. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Health.

17. On motion of Mr. Allchurch:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March, 31, 2009, the following sum:

For Health ..... \$3,773,609,000

18. The committee considered Estimates for the Ministry of Social Services.

19. On motion of Mr. Ottenbreit:

**Executive Branch of Government**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March, 31, 2009, the following sum:

For Social Services ..... \$635,475,000

20. It was moved by Mr. Allchurch:

That the Third Report of the Standing Committee on Human Services be adopted and presented to the Assembly.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

21. It was moved by Mr. LeClerc:

That committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

22. The committee adjourned at 4:56 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Viktor Kaczowski  
Committee Clerk

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Glen Hart  
Committee Chair