

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**  
**Monday, November 17, 2008**

**MINUTE NO. 16**  
**7:00 p.m. – Room 8**

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

**Substituting Members**

Trent Wotherspoon for Judy Junor (for the consideration of Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Education only)

**Other Members**

Deb Higgins, Andy Iwanchuk, Kevin Yates

2. The Chair advised the committee that, pursuant to Rule 146(1), the Supplementary Estimates for the following ministries and agencies were deemed referred to the committee on November 12, 2008:

Vote 37	Advanced Education, Employment and Labour
Vote 73	Corrections, Public Safety and Policing
Vote 5	Education
Vote 32	Health

3. The committee considered the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Education.

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

Witnesses

Hon. Ken Krawetz, Minister

Audrey Roadhouse, Deputy Minister

Helen Horsman, Assistant Deputy Minister

Rosanne Glass, Executive Director, Policy, Evaluation and Legislative Services

David Tulloch, Director, Financial Planning and Management

Joylene Campbell, Provincial Librarian, Provincial Library

Sue Amundrud, Associate Executive Director, Curriculum and E-Learning

Rhonda Smysniuk, Executive Director, School Finance and Facilities

Elaine Caswell, Director, Children's Services

4. The committee adjourned consideration of the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Education.
5. The committee recessed from 8:27 p.m. until 8:32 p.m.
6. The committee considered the Supplementary 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  
Rupen Pandya, Assistant Deputy Minister, Immigration Services  
Karen Allen, Executive Director, Corporate Services Branch  
Jan Morgan, Executive Director, Career and Employment Services Branch  
Kevin Veitenheimer, Acting Executive Director, University Services Branch  
Brent Brownlee, Director, Training Institutions Branch  
Rhiannon Stromberg, Senior Executive Assistant, Executive Administration  
Michael Berry, MPA Intern, Executive Administration

7. The committee adjourned consideration of the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Advanced Education, Employment and Labour.
8. The committee recessed from 9:32 p.m. until 9:36 p.m.
9. The committee considered the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing.

The following Corrections, Public Safety and Policing Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Darryl Hickie, Minister  
Al Hilton, Acting Deputy Minister  
Mae Boa, Executive Director, Corporate Services  
Bob Kary, Executive Director, Young Offender Programs  
Tammy Kirkland, Executive Director, Adult Corrections  
Murray Sawatsky, Executive Director, Policing Services  
Tom Young, Executive Director, Protection & Emergency Services

10. The committee adjourned consideration of the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing.
11. The committee adjourned at 10:29 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Kathy Burianyk  
Committee Clerk

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Glen Hart  
Committee Chair