

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON  
INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE  
Tuesday, May 11, 2010**

**MINUTE NO. 34  
6:59 p.m. – Legislative Chamber**

1. **Present:** Warren Michelson in the Chair and Members Greg Brkich, Michael Chisholm, Wayne Elhard, Deb Higgins, Delbert Kirsch, Warren McCall\* and Kevin Yates\*.

**Substituting Members**

Warren McCall for Kim Trew (for consideration of First Nations and Métis Relations Estimates)

Kevin Yates for Kim Trew (for consideration of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing Estimates)

**Other Members**

Buckley Belanger, David Forbes

2. The committee considered the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of First Nations and Métis Relations.

The following First Nations and Métis Relations Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Bill Hutchinson, Minister

Ron Crowe, Deputy Minister

James Froh, Assistant Deputy Minister, First Nations and Métis Affairs Division

Toby Greschner, Assistant Deputy Minister, Northern Affairs Division

Trisha Delormier-Hill, Executive Director, Lands and Resources

Doug Howorko, Executive Director, Economic Programs and Policy

Mark LaRocque, Executive Director, Social Development

Seonaid MacPherson, Executive Director, Strategic Initiatives

Giselle Marcotte, Executive Director, Aboriginal Policy and Operations

Richard Turkheim, Executive Director, Industry and Resource Development

Bonny Braden, Director of Communications

Kerry Gray, Director, Finance, Accountability and Corporate Services

3. The committee concluded its consideration of the Estimates for the Ministry of First Nations and Métis Relations. On motion of Mr. Elhard:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2011 the following sum:

For First Nations and Métis Relations ..... \$85,688,000

4. The committee considered the Estimates (Lending and Investing Activities) for the Ministry of First Nations and Métis Relations.
5. The committee concluded its consideration of the Estimates (Lending and Investing Activities) for the Ministry of First Nations and Métis Relations. On motion of Mr. Brkich:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2011 the following sum:

**Lending and Investing Activities**

For First Nations and Métis Relations ..... \$350,000

6. The committee concluded its consideration of the Supplementary Estimates for the Ministry of First Nations and Métis Relations. On motion of Mr. Chisholm:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2010 the following sum:

For First Nations and Métis Relations ..... \$1,700,000

7. The committee recessed from 8:11 p.m. until 8:17 p.m.
8. The committee considered 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. D.F. (Yogi) Huyghebaert, Minister  
Al Hilton, Deputy Minister  
Mae Boa, Assistant Deputy Minister, Corporate Services and Public Safety  
Bob Kary, Executive Director, Young Offender Programs  
Brian Krasium, Executive Director, Licensing and Inspections  
Murray Sawatsky, Executive Director, Policing Services  
Heather Scriver, Acting Executive Director, Adult Corrections  
Dr. Brian Rector, Director, Program Development and Therapeutic Services  
Caroline Graves, Executive Assistant to the Deputy Minister

9. The committee concluded its consideration of the Estimates for the Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing. On motion of Mr. Elhard:

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2011 the following sum:

For Corrections, Public Safety and Policing ..... \$353,149,000

10. It was moved by Mr. Kirsch:

That the Eighth Report of the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice be adopted and presented to the Assembly.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

11. It was moved by Mr. Brkich:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

12. The committee adjourned at 9:53 p.m. to the call of the Chair.

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Kathy Burianyk  
Committee Clerk

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Warren Michelson  
Committee Chair