STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE Monday, May 3, 2010

MINUTE NO. 30 8:09 a.m. – Legislative Chamber

1. **Present**: Warren Michelson in the Chair and Members, Denis Allchurch*, Greg Brkich, Michael Chisholm, Wayne Elhard, Deb Higgins, Delbert Kirsch and Kim Trew.

Substituting Members

Denis Allchurch for Greg Brkich (for consideration of Bill No. 139)

Other Members

Kevin Yates

2. The committee considered Bill No. 139 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Streamlining Government) Amendment Act, 2010.

The following Justice and Attorney General Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don Morgan, Minister

Maria Markatos, Crown Counsel, Legislative Services Branch, Ministry of Justice and Attorney General

Dave Wild, Chair, Saskatchewan Financial Services Commission

Susan Hetu, Executive Director, Cultural Heritage, Ministry of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport Carlos Germann, Director, Heritage Resource Branch, Ministry of Tourism, Parks, Culture and Sport Drew Johnston, Director, Legislative Services, Ministry of Education

- 3. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 11, they were agreed to.
- 4. It was moved by Mr. Chisholm:

That the committee report Bill No. 139 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Streamlining Government) Amendment Act, 2010 – without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

5. The committee considered Bill No. 140 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Streamlining Government) Amendment Act, 2010 (No. 2) / Projet de loi no 140 – Loi corrective (rationalisation administrative) no 2 de 2010.

The following Justice and Attorney General Minister and officials appeared before the committee and answered questions:

Witnesses

Hon. Don Morgan, Minister

Maria Markatos, Crown Counsel, Legislative Services Branch, Ministry of Justice and Attorney General

Dave Wild, Chair, Saskatchewan Financial Services Commission Drew Johnston, Director, Legislative Services, Ministry of Education

- 6. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 4, they were agreed to.
- 7. It was moved by Mr. Kirsch :

That the committee report Bill No. 140 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Streamlining Government) Amendment Act, 2010 (No. 2) / Projet de loi no 140 – Loi corrective (rationalisation administrative) no 2 de 2010 – without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

8. The committee considered Bill No. 138 – The Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2010 (No.2) / Projet de loi no 138 – Loi no 2 de 2010 modifiant la Loi de 1998 sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine.

The following Justice and Attorney General Minister and official appeared before the committee and answered questions:

<u>Witnesses</u> Hon. Don Morgan, Minister Darcy McGovern, Director, Legal Services Branch

- 9. The questions being put on clauses 1 to 3, they were agreed to.
- 10. It was moved by Mr. Elhard:

That the committee report Bill No. 138 – The Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2010 (No.2) / Projet de loi no 138 – Loi no 2 de 2010 modifiant la Loi de 1998 sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine – without amendment.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

11. It was moved by Mr. Allchurch:

That this committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, it was agreed to.

12. The committee adjourned at 8:33 a.m. until May 3, 2010 at 7:00 p.m.

Kathy Burianyk Committee Clerk Warren Michelson Committee Chair