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Regina University

[The committee met at 09:30.]

The Chair: — Good morning. We'll convene the Standing Committee on Public Accounts. I'll introduce members: Deputy Chair, Ms. Young, Lloydminster; Mr. Marv Friesen; Mr. Todd Goudy; Mr. Delbert Kirsch; Mr. Hugh Nerlien; Mr. Dana Skoropad; and Ms. Aleana Young, Regina University.

I'll table the following documents: PAC 53-29, Ministry of Health: Responses to questions asked at the January 11th, 2022 meeting; PAC 54-29, Ministry of Health: Responses to questions asked at the January 12th, 2012 meeting . . . [inaudible interjection] . . . oh yeah, 2022. Lost a decade here. At the January 12th, 2022 meeting. PAC 55-29, Ministry of Justice and Attorney General: Responses to questions raised at the March 2nd, 2022 meeting; PAC 56-29, Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan: Fourth quarter financial forecast for the year ending March 31st, 2022; PAC 57-29, Ministry of Finance: Report of public losses, January 1st, 2022 to March 31st, 2022; PAC 58-29, Ministry of Health: Report of public losses, January 1st, 2022 to March 31st, 2022; PAC 59-29, Ministry of Advanced Education: Report of public losses, January 1st, 2022 to March 31st, 2022. Thank everybody that endeavoured to get us the information that they said they would.

We'll now consider a motion with respect to attendance at the annual CCPAC/CCOLA [Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees/Canadian Council of Legislative Auditors] conference in Ottawa, Ontario, August 28th to 30th, 2022. Of course for anyone interested, this is the annual conference of the public accounts committees, of Chairs and committee members from across Canada, as well as the auditors from across Canada in the respective provinces, territories, and the federal committee as well in the federal audit office.

I'll ask a member to move a motion. Ms. Young.

Ms. C. Young: — I'll move:

That the Standing Committee on Public Accounts authorize the Chair, the Deputy Chair, one government member of the committee, and one opposition member of the committee to attend the Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees and Canadian Council of Legislative Auditors annual conference to be held in Ottawa, Ontario from August 28th to 30th, 2022;

And further, that if the Chair or Deputy Chair or opposition member cannot attend, they be authorized to designate another committee member to attend in their place.

The Chair: — Moved by Deputy Chair Young, Lloydminster. All agreed?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — That's carried. Okay, we'll move along to consider the second report of the twenty-ninth legislature. Of course this was shared by our committee Clerk. Thanks to Rob Park for his work and staff for compiling the report. Is there any discussion with respect to the report?

Not seeing any, I would ask a member to move a motion. Mr. Nerlien.

Mr. Nerlien: — Mr. Chair, I move:

That the second report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be adopted and presented to the Assembly.

The Chair: — All agreed?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — That's carried. Okay, folks, not seeing any other items on our agenda, this committee stands adjourned until . . . I should take a motion on this front. I would seek a motion of adjournment. Moved by Deputy Chair Young. All agreed?

Some Hon. Members: — Agreed.

The Chair: — This committee stands adjourned to the call of the Chair.

[The committee adjourned at 09:35.]