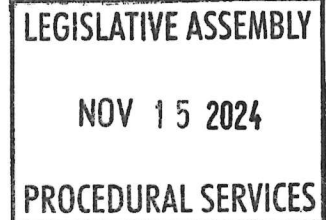


November 15, 2024



Chair  
Standing Committee on Public Accounts  
2405 Legislative Drive  
c/o Danielle Humble-Selinger, Senior Procedural Clerk  
Room 14, Legislative Building  
REGINA SK S4S 0B3

Dear Chair:

**Re: Reporting of Public Losses**

I have attached the public losses report for the period July 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024.

Sincerely,



Chris Bayda, FCPA, FCA  
Provincial Comptroller

Attachment

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**Report of Public Losses for Ministries and Treasury Board Crowns<sup>1</sup>  
2024-25 Second Quarter Report - for the Period July 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024**

Date of Occurrence	Entity	Description	Amount	Action Taken
January 2019 to June 2024	Ministry of Social Services	A client of the Ministry of Social Services fraudulently received Saskatchewan Income Support and Transitional Employment Allowance benefits while falsely claiming to be unemployed. The individual was employed by the Government of Saskatchewan from November 2021 to August 2024.	\$47,985.44	The incident was reported to the police. The employee has been charged with fraud and identity theft and has been terminated. The Ministry is pursuing recovery of the loss.

<sup>1</sup> Includes losses of money or property greater than \$500 that are due to fraud or similar illegal acts by employees, suppliers or contractors.