STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS MARCH 27, 1984

MINUTE NO. 1

Tuesday, March 27, 1984 at 10:40 a.m.

1. PRESENT: Mr. Shillington in the Chair and members Engel, Glauser, Katzman, Martens, Meagher, Morin, Young, Weiman.

Officials Present:

Provincial Auditor's Office

W. Lutz, Provincial AuditorF. Wendel, Assistant Provincial AuditorJ. Hunt, Deputy Provincial Auditor

Comptroller's Office

G. Kraus, ComptrollerG. Benson, Deputy Comptroller

- 2. The following documents were tabled in the committee:
 - PAC1/84 Report of the Provincial Auditor to the Legislative Assembly for the year ended March 31, 1983.
 - PAC2/84 Provincial Auditor's Compendium of Management Letter issued for periods ending in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1983.
 - PAC3/84 Tourism and Small Business response (Motor Vehicle Licence surcharge, dated March 20, 1984) to the committee.
 - PAC4/84 Comptroller's report the Standing Committee on Public Accounts on matters raised in the committee's fifth report to the Legislative Assembly.
 - PAC5/84 Province of Saskatchewan Public Accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1983; Volume 1
 - PAC6/84 Province of Saskatchewan Public Accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1983; Volume 2
 - PAC7/84 Province of Saskatchewan Public Accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1983; Supplementary Information.
- 3. Organizational strategy was considered in camera.
- 4. The committee requested the Clerk to inform them on travel arrangement alternatives to Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees Conference in July.
- 5. The committee requested the Clerk to provide them with a summary of requests for information and a weekly update of tabled documents (PAC).
- 6. It was moved by Mr. Katzman:

That the regular meetings of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of each week, 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The committee agreed to a tentative goal of completing its work in twenty sittings.

- 7. Appreciation was expressed to the Deputy Clerk, and the Clerk Assistant was introduced to the committee.
- 8. The committee adjourned at 11:45 a.m. until Wednesday, March 28, 1984 at 7:30 a.m.

Agenda (Wednesday, March 28, 1984)

Consideration of Provincial Auditor's Report Identify issues for consideration of the Department of Northern Saskatchewan.

Agenda (Thursday, March 29, 1984)

7:30 a.m. — in camera briefing session

7:45 a.m. — Public Hearing: Department of Supply & Services

8:30 a.m. — Public Hearing: Department of Revenue & Financial Services

Craig James Committee Clerk E. B. Shillington Chairman