

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TOBACCO CONTROL

November 3rd, 2000

MINUTE NO. 39

9:00 a.m. ¾ Room 10

1. **PRESENT:** Mr. Kowalsky in the Chair and Members Bakken, Bjornerud, and Wartman.

Others Present

Tanya Hill, Committee Research Officer

2. It was moved by Mr. Bjornerud:

That this Committee meet *in-camera*.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

3. It was moved by Mr. Wartman:

That the Committee extend the contract for Tanya Hill, Research Officer for the Special Committee on Tobacco Control, for the period October 17, 2000 to December 31, 2000.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

4. The Chair reported that at a meeting of the sub-committee on agenda and procedure, held October 18th, 2000, the research officer was asked to investigate and prepare briefing notes on a range of outstanding issues. The researcher presented the briefing notes and made a presentation.
5. The Committee discussed a method to proceed on its outstanding issues. The Committee researcher reported that the committee has had no response from Bingo Halls and Casinos on the issue of "smoking in public places." The Committee did receive a response on this issue from associations representing restaurants and hotels. It was agreed to call those associations to a hearing to be set on either November 22nd or November 23rd, 2000. It was also agreed to call the Saskatchewan Health Coalition to a hearing on November 30th, 2000.
6. The Committee discussed dates for subsequent meetings, at which it would consider the content for a second report to the Assembly. It was agreed that after the hearing on November 30th, 2000, the Committee would continue to meet in order to deliberate on a second report and meet again possibly on December 7th, 2000 to review a draft.

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7. It was moved by Mr. Wartman:

That this Committee do now adjourn.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

8. The Committee adjourned at 11:00 a.m. to the call of the Chair.

Gregory A. Putz
Committee Clerk

Myron Kowalsky
Committee Chair