

TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

Your Standing Committee on SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT presents the following as its Third Report.

Meetings

Your Committee met on June 18, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 3)** – The Manitoba Floodway and East Side Road Authority Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission manitobaine d'aménagement du canal de dérivation et de la route située du côté est
- **Bill (No. 8)** – The Conservation Officers Act/Loi sur les agents de conservation
- **Bill (No. 12)** – The Water Protection Amendment Act (Aquatic Invasive Species)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection des eaux (espèces aquatiques envahissantes)
- **Bill (No. 35)** – The Workers Compensation Amendment Act (Presumption re Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les accidents du travail (présomption relative au trouble de stress post-traumatique et autres modifications)
- **Bill (No. 200)** – The Coat of Arms, Emblems and the Manitoba Tartan Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les armoiries, les emblèmes et le tartan du Manitoba
- **Bill (No. 212)** – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Gift Card Inactivity Fees)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur (frais d'inactivité applicables aux cartes-cadeaux)

Committee Membership

- Mr. BJORNSEN
- Hon. Ms. BRAUN
- Mr. BRIESE
- Hon. Mr. DEWAR
- Mr. FRIESEN
- Mr. JHA
- Mr. MARTIN
- Hon. Mr. NEVAKSHONOFF
- Hon. Mr. ROBINSON
- Mr. SMOOK
- Mr. SWAN

Your Committee elected Mr. JHA as the Chairperson

Your Committee elected Mr. BJORNSEN as the Vice-Chairperson

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following presentation on **Bill (No. 8)** – The Conservation Officers Act/Loi sur les agents de conservation:

Michelle Gawronsky

MGEU – Manitoba Government and General Employees Union

Your Committee heard the following seven presentations on **Bill (No. 35)** – The Workers Compensation Amendment Act (Presumption re Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les accidents du travail (présomption relative au trouble de stress post-traumatique et autres modifications):

Michelle Gawronsky

MGEU – Manitoba Government and General Employees Union

Kevin Rebeck

Manitoba Federation of Labour

Cameron Abrey
Sandi Mowat
Loren Remillard
Curt Martel
Eric Glass

Manitoba Association of Fire Chiefs
Manitoba Nurses Union
Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce
UFCW 832
Paramedic Association of Manitoba

Your Committee heard the following two presentations on **Bill (No. 200)** – The Coat of Arms, Emblems and the Manitoba Tartan Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les armoiries, les emblèmes et le tartan du Manitoba:

Peter Cantelon
James Bamburak

Canadian Fossil Discovery Centre
Geological Survey of Manitoba

Your Committee heard the following presentation on **Bill (No. 212)** – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Gift Card Inactivity Fees)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur (frais d'inactivité applicables aux cartes-cadeaux):

Gloria Desorcy

Consumers Association of Canada - Manitoba Branch

Written Submissions

Your Committee received the following written submission on **Bill (No. 35)** – The Workers Compensation Amendment Act (Presumption re Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les accidents du travail (présomption relative au trouble de stress post-traumatique et autres modifications):

Alex Forrest

United Fire Fighters of Winnipeg

Bills Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 3)** – The Manitoba Floodway and East Side Road Authority Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission manitobaine d'aménagement du canal de dérivation et de la route située du côté est

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 8)** – The Conservation Officers Act/Loi sur les agents de conservation

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 12)** – The Water Protection Amendment Act (Aquatic Invasive Species)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection des eaux (espèces aquatiques envahissantes)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 35)** – The Workers Compensation Amendment Act (Presumption re Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les accidents du travail (présomption relative au trouble de stress post-traumatique et autres modifications)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 200)** – The Coat of Arms, Emblems and the Manitoba Tartan Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les armoiries, les emblèmes et le tartan du Manitoba

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 212)** – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Gift Card Inactivity Fees)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur (frais d'inactivité applicables aux cartes-cadeaux)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

Submitted by,

Mr. Bidhu JHA, Chairperson
June 18, 2015