

COMMITTEE RECORD OF PROCEEDING
MEETING 57-20-25 OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS
THURSDAY, AUGUST 28, 2025 AT 1:30 PM
DET'ANCHOGH KÚÉ - EAGLE ROOM

Chair Morse called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

Committee Members in attendance: MLA Edjericon, MLA Hawkins, MLA Morse, MLA Reid, MLA Rodgers.

Regrets: MLA Weyallon Armstrong.

1. Prayer/Reflection was conducted by MLA Edjericon.
2. MLA Reid moved the adoption of the agenda as presented. Carried.
3. There were no declarations of conflicts of interest.
4. Public Matters:
 - a. Bill 26, An Act to Amend the *Public Service Act*: briefing from Megan Wood, Chief Executive Officer & Registrar, College and Association of Nurses of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut

MLA Reid moved that Committee move in camera for the following items. Carried.
Committee moved in camera at 2:20 p.m.

5. In Camera Matters:
 - a. Debrief
 - b. Correspondence review:
 - i. 2025-08-11 – Minister of Finance – Confidential
 - ii. 2025-07-18 – Minister Responsible for the WSCC – Confidential
 - iii. 2025-07-24 – MLA Testart – Response to request for comment on Bill 29: First Responders Workers' Compensation Amendment Act
 - c. Committee business
 - i. Bill 29: First Responders Workers' Compensation Amendment Act

- d. Internal briefing on the 2024–25 annual reports of Legislative Assembly statutory officers

MLA Reid moved that Committee conclude in camera matters. Carried. Committee concluded in camera matters at 3:48 p.m.

6. New Business:

- a. No new business was added.

7. Deferred Matters:

a. Correspondence review:

- i. 2025-07-25 – Workers’ Advisor Office, Northwest Territories and Nunavut – Feedback on Bill 21: An Act to Amend the *Workers’ Compensation Act*
- ii. 2025-08-01 – Northwest Territories Teachers’ Association – Feedback on Bill 21: An Act to Amend the *Workers’ Compensation Act*
- iii. 2025-08-18 – Minister Responsible for the WSCC to the Gwich’in Tribal Council – Response to feedback on Bill 21: An Act to Amend the *Workers’ Compensation Act*

b. Committee business

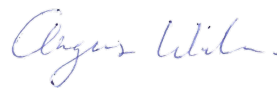
- i. Bill 21: An Act to Amend the *Workers’ Compensation Act*
- ii. Bill 22: Legislation Act

8. Date and Time of Next Meeting: Friday, August 29, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.

9. MLA Reid moved to adjourn the meeting. Carried. The meeting was adjourned at 3:48 p.m.



Julian Morse, Chair



Angus Wilson, Committee Clerk