

COMMITTEE RECORD OF PROCEEDING

MEETING 62-20-25 OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2025 AT 1:30 PM DET'ANCHOGH KÚÉ - EAGLE ROOM

Chair Morse called the meeting to order at 1:31 p.m.

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

Regrets: MLA Edjericon, MLA Weyallon Armstrong.

- 1. Committee agreed to forego prayer/reflection.
- 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 22: Legislation Act: public meeting and clause-by-clause review

MLA Reid moved that Bill 22 be amended by deleting that portion of subclause 17(1) preceding paragraph (a) and substituting the following:

As soon as practicable after an Act receives assent and when preparing the Act for publication, the Chief Legislative Counsel may, with the approval of the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,

Carried.

MLA Reid moved that Bill 22 be amended by deleting paragraph 18(2)(a) and substituting the following:

(a) certify, in accordance with subsection (3), a copy of each Act enacted by the Legislature, including any revised Act that receives assent under subsection 41(3), as soon as practicable after receiving a copy of the Act under subsection (1) and on satisfying themselves that the copy accurately reflects the Act as enacted by the Legislature;

Carried.

MLA Reid moved that Bill 22: Legislation Act as amended be reported to the Assembly as ready for consideration in Committee of the Whole. Carried.

MLA Reid moved that Committee move in camera for the following items. Carried. Committee moved in camera at 1:54 p.m.

5. In Camera Matters:

- a. Debrief on the public briefing from the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
- b. Correspondence review:
 - i. 2025-07-25 Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs Follow-up to briefing on the Active Living and Safe Sport Frameworks
 - ii. 2025-08-28 Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs Response to mandate update on Office of the Fire Marshal activities
 - iii. 2025-07-28 École Sir John Franklin High School Social Studies Club– Submission on NWT Heritage Fund Act review
 - iv. 2025-09-02 Confidential
- c. Committee work plan

MLA Reid moved that Committee conclude in camera matters. Carried. Committee concluded in camera matters at 2:53 p.m.

- 6. New Business:
 - No new business was added.
- 7. Deferred Matters:
 - a. No deferred matters.
- 8. Date and Time of Next Meeting: At the Call of the Chair.
- 9. MLA Hawkins moved to adjourn the meeting. Carried. The meeting was adjourned at 2:53 p.m.

Julian Morse, Chair

Angus Wilson, Committee Clerk

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