

TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA:

Your Standing Committee on MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS presents the following as its Third Report.

Meetings:

Your Committee met on Tuesday, July 3, 2001 at 6:30 p.m. in room 254 of the Legislative Building.

Matters Under Consideration:

- Bill (No. 25) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Consequential Amendments Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et modifications corrélatives
- Bill (No. 28) – The Labour-Sponsored Investment Funds (Various Acts Amended) Act/Loi sur les fonds de placement des travailleurs (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)
- Bill (No. 50) – The Regional Health Authorities Amendment (Accountability) Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les offices régionaux de la santé (responsabilités)

Membership Resignations / Elections:

Substitutions received prior to commencement of the meeting:

- Mr. TWEED for Mr. MAGUIRE
- Mrs. DRIEDGER for Mr. FAURSCHOU
- Mr. LOEWEN for Mr. LAURENDEAU
- Hon. Ms. MIHYCHUK for Mr. MARTINDALE
- Hon. Ms. BARRETT for Hon. Ms. FRIESEN
- Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK for Hon. Ms. MCGIFFORD
- Mr. STRUTHERS for Mr. AGLUGUB
- Hon. Mr. SALE for Hon. Mr. SELINGER

Public Presentations:

Your Committee heard seven presentations on Bill (No. 25) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Consequential Amendments Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et modifications corrélatives, from the following individuals and/or organizations:

Cory Sul	Private Citizen
Robert Chernomas	Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives
Albert Cerilli	President, Manitoba Federation of Union Retirees
Margot Lavoie & Brother Thomas Novak	Manitoba Oblate Justice & Peace Committee
Carolyn DeCoster	Private Citizen
Madeline Boscoe & Carol Scurfield	Women's Health Clinic
Paul Moist & Lorraine Sigurdson	Canadian Union of Public Employees

Your Committee heard four presentations on Bill (No. 50) – The Regional Health Authorities Amendment (Accountability) Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les offices régionaux de la santé (responsabilités), from the following individuals and/or organizations:

Heather Temple	CEO, Middlechurch Home of Winnipeg
Dr. Michael Doiron	The Interfaith Healthcare Association of Manitoba
Raymond Lafond	Catholic Health Association of Manitoba
Real Cloutier	Winnipeg Regional Health Authority

Written Submissions:

The Committee received one written submission on Bill (No. 25) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Consequential Amendments Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et modifications corrélatives, from:

Linda West	Private Citizen
------------	-----------------

Bills Considered and Reported:

Bill (No. 25) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Consequential Amendments Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et modifications corrélatives

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment, on division.

Bill (No. 28) – The Labour-Sponsored Investment Funds (Various Acts Amended) Act/Loi sur les fonds de placement des travailleurs (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill with the following amendments:

THAT the part of the proposed definition "placement peu important admissible" before clause (a), as set out in the French version of clause 2(1)(a) of the Bill, be amended by striking out "0000" and substituting "000".

THAT subsection 14(2) of the Bill be amended by striking out "and" at the end of clause (a) and by adding the following after clause (a):

(a.1) by repealing clause (a); and

THAT subsection 36(2) of the Bill be replaced with the following:

36(2) Subsection 16(2), section 28 and subsection 29(2) come into force on a day fixed by proclamation.

36(2.1) Section 17 comes into force on January 1, 2002 or any later day fixed by proclamation made before January 1, 2002.

Bill (No. 50) – The Regional Health Authorities Amendment (Accountability) Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les offices régionaux de la santé (responsabilités)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

Submitted by,

Mr. Tom NEVAKSHONOFF, Chairperson

July 3, 2001