#### TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

Your Standing Committee on HUMAN RESOURCES presents the following as its Second Report.

### **Meetings**

Your Committee met on June 13, 2011.

#### **Matters under Consideration**

- Bill (No. 22) The Securities Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières
- Bill (No. 27) The Manitoba Ukrainian Canadian Heritage Day Act/Loi sur le Jour du patrimoine ukrainien-canadien au Manitoba
- **Bill (No. 44)** The Civil Service Superannuation and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur la pension de la fonction publique et modifications connexes
- Bill (No. 45) The Statutes Correction and Minor Amendments Act, 2011/Loi corrective de 2011
- **Bill** (No. 47) The Accessibility Advisory Council Act and Amendments to The Government Purchases Act/Loi sur le Conseil consultatif de l'accessibilité et modifiant la Loi sur les achats du gouvernement
- **Bill (No. 48)** The Planning and Land Dedication for School Sites Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la planification et les affectations de biens-fonds concernant les emplacements scolaires (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)
- **Bill** (No. 49) The Employment and Income Assistance Amendment and Highway Traffic Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'aide à l'emploi et au revenu et le Code de la route

### **Committee Membership**

- Mr. ALTEMEYER
- Mr. Briese
- Mr. Dewar
- Mr. EICHLER
- Hon. Ms. HOWARD
- Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX
- Mrs. MITCHELSON
- Mrs. ROWAT
- Hon. Mr. SWAN
- Mr. WHITEHEAD
- Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK

Your Committee elected Mr. ALTEMEYER as the Chairperson.

Your Committee elected Mr. DEWAR as the Vice-Chairperson.

Your Committee elected Mr. MARTINDALE as the Vice-Chairperson.

Substitutions received during committee proceedings:

- Mr. Martindale for Mr. Dewar
- Mr. DERKACH for Mr. EICHLER
- Hon. Ms. Allan for Hon. Mr. Swan

#### **Motions**

Your Committee agreed to the following motion:

• THAT Legislative Counsel be authorized to make all necessary changes to Bill 44 so that it reflects the Bill as amended by this Committee, including striking out Schedule B and the text between the enacting clause of the Bill and Clause 1 of Schedule A, and to reprint the Bill as amended.

# **Public Presentations**

Your Committee heard the following 21 presentations on **Bill (No. 47)** – The Accessibility Advisory Council Act and Amendments to The Government Purchases Act/Loi sur le Conseil consultatif de l'accessibilité et modifiant la Loi sur les achats du gouvernement:

David Lepofsky Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act Alliance

Gary Dyson & Terry McIntosh Private Citizens

Doug Momotiuk Manitoba Deaf Association

Dennis Zimmer Private Citizen

Patrick Falconer Barrier-Free Manitoba Jeannette Delong Abilities Manitoba

Kevin Rebeck Manitoba Federation of Labour

Orland Backstrom Manitoba Supported Employment Network
Paula Keirstead Manitoba League of Persons with Disabilities

Janet Letkeman Private Citizen
Valerie Wolbert Friends of People First

Dr. Jennifer Frain New Directions for Children, Youth, Adults & Families

Ross Eadie Private Citizen
Jim Derksen Private Citizen
Laurie Helgason Private Citizen
Bob Montpetit Private Citizen
David Steen Private Citizen
Rob Cox Private Citizen
Samuel Unrau Private Citizen

Gisele Saurette-Roch Provincial Council of Women of Manitoba

Jordan Sangalang Private Citizen

Your Committee heard the following 12 presentations on **Bill (No. 48)** – The Planning and Land Dedication for School Sites Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la planification et les affectations de biens-fonds concernant les emplacements scolaires (modification de diverses dispositions législatives):

Robert Rivard Manitoba School Board Association Michael Carruthers Urban Development Institute

Eric Vogan Qualico

Alan Borger Ladco Company Limited

Mike Moore Manitoba Homebuilders Association

Jonathan Fahr Fahr Group

Jerry Klein GenStar Development Company

Tim Comack Ventura Land Company Norm Boyle North Grassie Properties

Les McLaughlin Pollock & Wright Land Surveyors

Frank Bueti Private Citizen
Kim Raban Private Citizen

## Written Submissions

Your Committee received the following two written submissions on **Bill (No. 47)** – The Accessibility Advisory Council Act and Amendments to The Government Purchases Act/Loi sur le Conseil consultatif de l'accessibilité et modifiant la Loi sur les achats du gouvernement:

Doug Dobrowolski Association of Manitoba Municipalities

Karl Riese Private Citizen

## **Bills Considered and Reported**

• Bill (No. 22) – The Securities Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

• **Bill (No. 27)** – The Manitoba Ukrainian Canadian Heritage Day Act/Loi sur le Jour du patrimoine ukrainien-canadien au Manitoba

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

THAT Clause 1 be amended by striking out "in July" and substituting "before the first Monday in August".

THAT the last paragraph of the preamble be amended by striking out "in July" and substituting "before the civic holiday (the first Monday in August)".

• **Bill (No. 44)** – The Civil Service Superannuation and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur la pension de la fonction publique et modifications connexes

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

Your committee voted to defeat Clauses 1-56 of Schedule B of the Bill.

Your committee voted to defeat Clause 2 of the Bill.

THAT the title of the Bill be amended by striking out "AND RELATED AMENDMENTS" and substituting "AMENDMENT".

• Bill (No. 45) – The Statutes Correction and Minor Amendments Act, 2011/Loi corrective de 2011

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

• **Bill** (No. 47) – The Accessibility Advisory Council Act and Amendments to The Government Purchases Act/Loi sur le Conseil consultatif de l'accessibilité et modifiant la Loi sur les achats du gouvernement

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

THAT Clause 7(1)(a) of the Bill be amended by adding "and timely" after "systematic".

THAT the Preamble of the Bill be amended by adding the following after the fourth paragraph:

AND WHEREAS legislation is needed to establish a systemic and proactive approach for identifying, preventing and removing barriers that will complement *The Human Rights Code* in ensuring accessibility for Manitobans;

• **Bill** (No. 48) – The Planning and Land Dedication for School Sites Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la planification et les affectations de biens-fonds concernant les emplacements scolaires (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)

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

THAT Clause 2 of the Bill be amended by adding the following definition:

**"school division"** means a school division as defined in subsection 1(1) of *The Public Schools Act* but, except in clause 163(1)(c), does not include the francophone school division. (« division scolaire »)

THAT Clause 5 of the Bill be amended in the proposed subclause 259.1(3)(a)(ii) by striking out "at the option of the school board" and substituting ""if the developer and the school board agree".

THAT Clause 7 of the Bill be amended by adding the following definition:

"school division" means a school division as defined in subsection 1(1) of *The Public Schools Act* but does not include the francophone school division. (« division scolaire »)

THAT Clause 14 of the Bill be amended in the proposed subclause 137.1(3)(a)(ii) by striking out "at the option of the school board" and substituting ""if the developer and the school board agree".

• **Bill** (No. 49) – The Employment and Income Assistance Amendment and Highway Traffic Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'aide à l'emploi et au revenu et le Code de la route

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

Submitted by,