

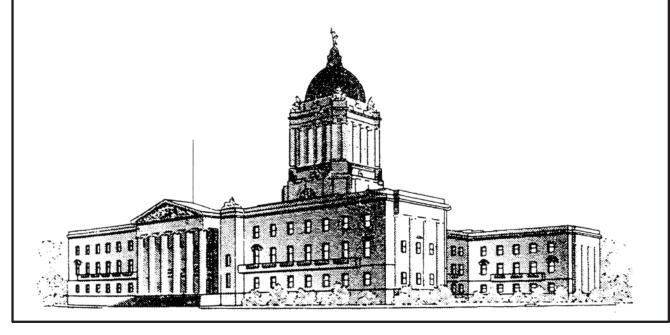
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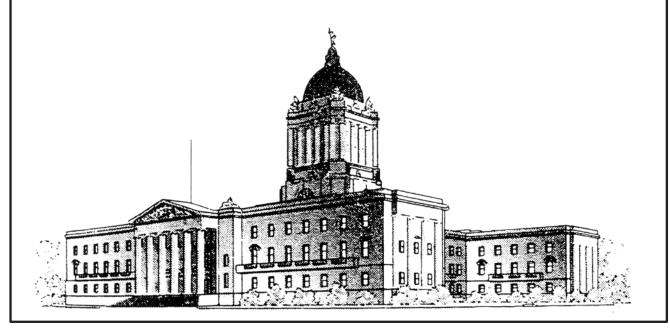
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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

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IA	Intergovernmental Affairs, Standing Committee on
JU	Justice, Standing Committee on
LA	Legislative Affairs, Standing Committee on
PB	Private Bills, Standing Committee on
PA	Public Accounts, Standing Committee on
RH	Rules of the House, Standing Committee on
SED	Social and Economic Development, Standing committee on
SRO	Statutory Regulations and Orders, Standing Committee on
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