

## TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

Your Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development presents the following as its Fourth Report.

### Meetings

Your Committee met on October 24, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 254 of the Legislative Building.

### Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 8)** – The Government Notices Modernization Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la modernisation de la publication des avis du gouvernement (modification de diverses lois)
- **Bill (No. 12)** – The Red Tape Reduction and Government Efficiency Act, 2018/Loi de 2018 sur la réduction du fardeau administratif et l'efficacité du gouvernement
- **Bill (No. 24)** – The Social Services Appeal Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission d'appel des services sociaux
- **Bill (No. 27)** – The Fiscal Responsibility and Taxpayer Protection Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la responsabilité financière et la protection des contribuables

### Committee Membership

- Hon. Mrs. COX
- Hon. Mr. FIELDING
- Mr. LAMONT
- Ms. MARCELINO (Logan)
- Hon. Mrs. MAYER
- Mr. PIWNIUK
- Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas)
- Mr. SMITH (Southdale)
- Mr. SMOOK (*Chairperson*)
- Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON
- Mr. WIEBE

Substitution received during committee proceedings:

- Ms. LAMOUREUX for Mr. LAMONT

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

### Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following five presentations on **Bill (No. 8)** – The Government Notices Modernization Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la modernisation de la publication des avis du gouvernement (modification de diverses lois):

Kim MacAulay	Manitoba Community Newspapers Association (MCNA)
Brent Wright	Gilroy Publishing
Laurie Finley	Steinbach Carillon – Publisher
Jim Mihaly	Brandon Sun - Publisher
Dan Koshowski	The Winnipeg Free Press

Your Committee heard the following presentation on **Bill (No. 12)** – The Red Tape Reduction and Government Efficiency Act, 2018/Loi de 2018 sur la réduction du fardeau administratif et l'efficacité du gouvernement:

George Fraser	Remedial Massage Therapist Society of Manitoba Inc.
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Your Committee heard the following five presentations on **Bill (No. 24)** – The Social Services Appeal Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission d'appel des services sociaux:

Carlos Sosa	Private Citizen
Sylvie Sabourin Grindle	Private Citizen
Janet Forbes	Inclusion Winnipeg
Karen Sharma	Manitoba Human Rights Commission
Megan Linton	Charter Rights For All

### Written Submissions

Your Committee received the following nine written submissions on **Bill (No. 8)** – The Government Notices Modernization Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la modernisation de la publication des avis du gouvernement (modification de diverses lois):

Lynn Taylor	Thompson Citizen – Nickel Belt News
Nancy Johnson	Prairie Newspaper Group, Glacier Media
J Brodt	Private Citizen
Samantha Gallaway-Boulbria	Private Citizen
Andrea Geary	Private Citizen
Luanne Anderson	Private Citizen
Mark Buss	Clipper Publishing
John Kendle	Canstar Community News
Christine Waddell	Private Citizen

Your Committee received the following four written submissions on **Bill (No. 12)** – The Red Tape Reduction and Government Efficiency Act, 2018/Loi de 2018 sur la réduction du fardeau administratif et l'efficacité du gouvernement:

Andrew Tod	Manitoba Federation of Labour
Joe Masi	Association of Manitoba Municipalities
Kevin Hamilton	College of Pharmacists of Manitoba
Jonathan Alward	Canadian Federation of Independent Business

Your Committee received the following four written submissions on **Bill (No. 24)** – The Social Services Appeal Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission d'appel des services sociaux:

Patrick Falconer	Private Citizen
Michael Barkman	Make Poverty History
Sheree Capar	CUPE
Kevin Rebeck	Manitoba Federation of Labour

Your Committee received the following three written submissions on **Bill (No. 27)** – The Fiscal Responsibility and Taxpayer Protection Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la responsabilité financière et la protection des contribuables:

Laurene Myrvold	Private Citizen
Lynne Fernandez	Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives Manitoba
Jonathan Alward	Canadian Federation of Independent Business

### Bills Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 8)** – The Government Notices Modernization Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la modernisation de la publication des avis du gouvernement (modification de diverses lois)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill, without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 12)** – The Red Tape Reduction and Government Efficiency Act, 2018/Loi de 2018 sur la réduction du fardeau administratif et l'efficacité du gouvernement

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- **Bill (No. 24)** – The Social Services Appeal Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission d'appel des services sociaux

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- **Bill (No. 27)** – The Fiscal Responsibility and Taxpayer Protection Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la responsabilité financière et la protection des contribuables

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Submitted by,

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Mr. Dennis SMOOK, Chairperson  
October 24, 2018