

COMMITTEE RECORD OF PROCEEDING

MEETING 51-19-21 OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT

WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 10, 2021 AT 12:00 P.M

COMMITTEE ROOM 'A', LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Chair Jacobson called the meeting to order at 12:00 p.m.

Committee Members in attendance: Bonnetrouge, Johnson, Nokleby, O'Reilly.

- 1. MLA Nokleby moved the adoption of the Agenda as presented. Carried.
- 2. There were no declarations of conflicts of interest.
- 3. Public Matters:
 - a) Clause-by-Clause Review of Bill 3: An Act to Amend the Public Highways Act

MLA O'Reilly moved that Clause 2 of Bill 3 be amended by adding the following immediately before proposed Subclause 21.1(10):

"(9.1) For greater certainty, subsection (9) does not bar an action brought against the Government of the Northwest Territories for the recovery of damages caused by an alleged failure to maintain in a reasonable state of repair any wall, fence, guide rail, railing, curb, pavement markings, traffic control device, illumination device or barrier adjacent to or in, along or on the highway".

Carried. The Minister concurred with the amendment.

MLA Johnson moved that Clause 2 of Bill 3 be amended in the English version of proposed paragraph 21.1(9)(a) by striking out "pavement, markings," and substituting "pavement markings,". Carried. The Minister concurred with the amendment.

MLA Bonnetrouge moved that Clause 2 of Bill 3 be amended in proposed subclause 21.1(8) by striking out "*provides*" and substituting "*proves*". Carried. The Minister concurred with the amendment.

MLA Nokleby moved that Clause 2 of Bill 3 be amended in the English version of proposed subclause 21.1(10) by striking out "to the to the minister" and substituting "to the Minister". Carried. The Minister concurred with the amendment.

MLA Johnson moved that Bill 3 *An Act to Amend the Public Highways Act* be reported to the Assembly as ready for consideration in Committee of the Whole as amended and reprinted. Carried.

4. Committee set its next meeting for Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 10:30 a.m.

MLA O'Reilly moved to adjourn the meeting. Carried. The meeting was adjourned at 12:22 p.m.

Committee Chair

Committee Clerk