



Yukon Legislative Assembly

Standing Committee on Public Accounts

35th Yukon Legislative Assembly

MINUTES

Meeting No. 30

Tuesday, June 20, 2023

Committee Meeting Room, Yukon Legislative Assembly, Whitehorse

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts met in camera this day at 1:02 p.m., the Chair, Currie Dixon, presiding.

Members present: Currie Dixon, Chair,
Kate White, Vice-Chair,
Hon. Nils Clarke (substituting for Hon. Richard Mostyn),
Scott Kent, and
Hon. Jeanie McLean.

Also present: Allison Lloyd, Clerk to the Committee
Officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada
(from 1:03 p.m. to 1:16 p.m.):
Andrew Hayes, Deputy Auditor General,
Glenn Wheeler, Principal,
Tammy Meagher, Director, and
Katrine Mendoza, Parliamentary Liaison Officer.

Approval of Agenda

It was agreed, on motion of Ms. White, seconded by Mr. Kent, THAT the agenda for Meeting No. 30 of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be adopted as presented.

Approval of Minutes of Meeting No. 29 (May 23, 2023)

It was agreed, on motion of Ms. White, seconded by the Hon. Ms. Mclean, THAT the minutes of Meeting No. 29 (May 23, 2023) of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be adopted as presented and made public.

COVID-19 Pandemic – COVID-19 Vaccines in Yukon – Independent Auditor's Report – 2023 Report of the Auditor General of Canada to the Yukon Legislative Assembly

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(3), the Standing Committee on Public Accounts considered a report of the Auditor General of Canada.

It was agreed, on motion of Ms. White, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Clarke, THAT Andrew Hayes, Deputy Auditor General, Glenn Wheeler, Principal, Tammy

Meagher, Director, and Katrine Mendoza, Parliamentary Liaison Officer, from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada, appear before the Standing Committee on Public Accounts on June 20, 2022 at 1:03 p.m. to brief the committee on matters related to the performance audit report on COVID-19 vaccines.

The committee met with the officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada. Mr. Hayes, Mr. Wheeler, and Ms. Meagher answered questions from committee members.

The officials from the Office of the Auditor General of Canada were excused from the meeting at 1:16 p.m.

It was agreed, on motion of Ms. White, seconded by Mr. Kent, THAT the Standing Committee on Public Accounts hold a public hearing on the audit report entitled *COVID-19 Pandemic – COVID-19 Vaccines in Yukon – Independent Auditor's Report – 2023 Report of the Auditor General of Canada to the Yukon Legislative Assembly*.

The committee clerk was tasked with preparing a letter to the deputy ministers of the Department of Health and Social Services, the Department of Community Services, and the Executive Council Office, requesting that the departments provide the committee with a workplan by September 29, 2023. The committee discussed potentially holding the public hearing on a date between November 27 and December 8, 2023.

Report of the Auditor General of Canada to the Yukon Legislative Assembly – Yukon Housing – Independent Auditor's Report 2022

Pursuant to Standing Order 45(3), the Standing Committee on Public Accounts considered a report of the Auditor General of Canada.

The committee considered a draft report.

It was agreed, on motion of Ms. White, THAT the report be adopted as presented.

The committee agreed that a press release be approved by the Chair.

Other Business

The draft schedule for the 2023 Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees (CCPAC) and Canadian Council of Legislative Auditors (CCOLA) Annual Conference was discussed.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be to the call of the Chair.

At 1:33 p.m. the committee adjourned.



Alison Lloyd
Clerk to the Committee