

TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

Your Standing Committee on INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS presents the following as its First Report.

Meetings

Your Committee met on May 26, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 55)** – The Environment Amendment Act (Reducing Pesticide Exposure)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement (réduction de l'exposition aux pesticides)

Committee Membership

- Mr. EICHLER
- Mr. FRIESEN
- Mr. GAUDREAU
- Hon. Ms. HOWARD
- Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH
- Mr. MARCELINO
- Mr. MARTIN
- Mr. NEVAKSHONOFF
- Mr. PEDERSEN
- Mr. SARAN
- Ms. WIGHT

Your Committee elected Mr. GAUDREAU as the Chairperson.

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

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following 24 presentations on **Bill (No. 55)** – The Environment Amendment Act (Reducing Pesticide Exposure)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement (réduction de l'exposition aux pesticides):

Gideon Forman	Canadian Association of Physicians for the Environment
Justin Duncan	Ecojustice
Mariah Mailman	CMCM - Concerned Mothers Coalition of Manitoba
Melissa Atkins	Private Citizen
Adrienne Percy	Private Citizen
Brian Chorney	Manitoba Canola Growers Association
Jane Seniw	Private Citizen
Grant Shewfeld	Manitoba Weed Supervisors Association
Josh Brandon	Private Citizen
Steve Rauh	Private Citizen
Amanda Kinden	Green Action Centre
Michelle McNeill	Private Citizen
Samantha Braun	Private Citizen
Sig Laser	Private Citizen
Melinda German	Manitoba Beef Producers
James Battershill	Keystone Agricultural Producers
Ken Guilford	Private Citizen
Delaney Ross-Burntack	Canadian Association of AGRI Retailers
David Hinton	Landscape Manitoba
Melanie Sourisseau	Private Citizen
Erin Crawford	Canadian Cancer Society, Manitoba Office
Ken Wiebe	Private Citizen
Natalie Reimer Anderson	Private Citizen
Danielle Sanderson	Private Citizen

Written Submissions

Your Committee received the following 11 written submissions on **Bill (No. 55)** – The Environment Amendment Act (Reducing Pesticide Exposure)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement (réduction de l'exposition aux pesticides):

Doug Dobrowolski	Association of Manitoba Municipalities
Lise Smith	Private Citizen
Frank B. Reddick	Turf Logic Inc.
Kathleen Cooper	Canadian Environmental Law Association
Elizabeth Chrumka	Canadian Organic Growers
Mary Robinson	Council of Canadians-Winnipeg Chapter
Tim Gray	Environmental Defence
Doris Grinspun	Registered Nurses' Association of Ontario
Jodie Harpe-Lesperance	Private Citizen
Kristina N. Hunter	The Cosmetic Pesticides Working Group of the Manitoba Round Table on Sustainable Development
Anne Lindsey	Private Citizen

Bill Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 55)** – The Environment Amendment Act (Reducing Pesticide Exposure)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement (réduction de l'exposition aux pesticides)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

Submitted by,

Mr. Dave GAUDREAU, Chairperson
May 26, 2014