SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER ON SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE MANITOBA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

RE: Clause 20(1) of the Regulation

September 9, 2024

Michael D. Werier, K.C. Commissioner

Supplemental Report of the Commissioner on Salaries, Allowances and

Retirement Benefits for Members of the Manitoba Legislative Assembly

This is a supplemental report to the Report on Members Salaries, Allowances and

Retirement Benefits dated June 28, 2024. The purpose of this supplemental report is to

address an issue raised in the Report regarding individual base amounts for Southern

Members' travel allowance (clause 20(1) of the Regulation).

In the Report I indicated that a review should be undertaken to determine whether an

amendment is warranted for the base amount.

Upon further examination, I have determined that the current base amounts are sufficient

to cover the costs of Southern Members and an immediate change is not required.

However, it would be prudent for Members' Allowances to review the formula for

calculating base amounts and make any recommendation if necessary. This would be

useful for slotting in new constituencies in the event of changes to the electoral divisions.

The next Commissioner could then decide to incorporate any recommendations when

doing the next Report.

In sum, an amendment to clause 20(1) of the Regulation regarding base travel amounts

for Southern Members is not required.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of September, 2024.

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Commissioner