The Province of Manitoba is experiencing widespread and severe wildfires and very high to extreme fire danger across the province that requires prompt action to prevent or limit loss of life, harm or damage to the safety, health or welfare of people and damage to property and the environment.

Pursuant to subsection 10(1) of *The Emergency Measures Act* (Act), a State of Emergency in the whole of the Province of Manitoba has been declared on May 28, 2025. Evacuation orders have been issued for a number of communities in Manitoba due to the serious and widespread risks of wildfires.

In response to the State of Emergency in the whole of the Province of Manitoba declared on May 28, 2025, I, the Minister charged by the Lieutenant Governor in Council with the administration of the Act, hereby order the City of Winnipeg and the Winnipeg Soccer Federation pursuant to s. 12(1)(b) to take the following measures to prevent, combat or alleviate the effects of the emergency or disaster:

1. The City of Winnipeg and the Winnipeg Soccer Federation shall provide the indoor facility located at 770 Leila Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba, for the purpose of congregate living accommodations for evacuees from communities that are the subject of active evacuation orders, until such time as the termination of the State of Emergency or directed by the Emergency Management Organization of Manitoba.

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Lisa Naylor

Minister responsible for the administration of *The Emergency Measures Act*