

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 Thursday, December 2, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters Under Consideration:

- **Bill** (No. 4) - The City of Winnipeg Charter Amendment Act (Differential Business Tax Rates)/Loi modifiant la Charte de la ville de Winnipeg (taux de taxe d'entreprise différentiels)

Membership Resignations / Elections:

Your Committee elected Ms. BRICK as the Chairperson.

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

Substitutions received prior to commencement of meeting:

- Mr. CALDWELL for Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK
- Mrs. DRIEDGER for Mr. CUMMINGS
- Ms. KORZENIOWSKI for Mr. NEVAKSHONOFF
- Mrs. STEFANSON for Mrs. MITCHELSON
- Mr. SWAN for Hon. Mr. RONDEAU

Public Presentations:

Your Committee heard one presentation on Bill (No. 4) – The City of Winnipeg Charter Amendment Act (Differential Business Tax Rates)/Loi modifiant la Charte de la ville de Winnipeg (taux de taxe d'entreprise différentiels), from the following organization:

Mr. David Saunders

Deloitte & Touche LLP

Bills Considered and Reported:

- **Bill** (No. 4) - The City of Winnipeg Charter Amendment Act (Differential Business Tax Rates)/Loi modifiant la Charte de la ville de Winnipeg (taux de taxe d'entreprise différentiels)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill with the following amendment:

THAT the proposed clause 334.1(5), as set out in Clause 3 of the Bill, be amended by adding the following at the end:

The tax collector must amend the business tax roll to conform with the hearing body's decision, and section 343 applies, with necessary changes, to the amendment.

Submitted by:

Ms. BRICK, Chairperson
December 2, 2004