STANDING COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY MANAGEMENT
Chairperson: Hon. Brad Trivers, Speaker
Meeting Minutes – Meeting 2026-8
Date: Wednesday, October 28, 2026 at 10:30 a.m.
Location: Ground Floor Boardroom, Hon. George Coles Building

Members Present:

Hon. Brad Trivers Speaker, Chair
Brendan Curran, MLA
Hon. Hal Perry, Leader of the Opposition
Matthew MacFarlane, Leader of the Third Party, MLA
Sidney MacEwen, MLA for Susie Dillon, Deputy Speaker, MLA
Gord McNeilly, MLA
Matthew MacKay, MLA

Staff Present:
Joseph Jeffrey, Clerk

Minutes

1. The Speaker called the meeting to order at 10:35 a.m.

2. The agenda and minutes from the previous meeting were adopted without change.

3. The Committee considered the following budgets were considered and approved as presented:

    a. Office of the Legislative Assembly
    b. Office of the Child and Youth Advocate
    c. Ombuds PEI
    d. Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
    e. Elections PEI
    f. Auditor General

4. The committee considered two draft bills:
    a. An Act to Amend the Elections Act – the Committee decided they would like revisions regarding the specificity of the language in the bill and to provide written advice form the RCMP on the bill to the Committee as soon as possible.

    b. An Act to Amend the Audit Act – the Committee decided to send the bill to the House as drafted.

5. Under new business:

    a. The Clerk briefed the Committee on renovations that would provide addition space for the Office of the Third Party. That office will consider the option and provide feedback to the Committee.
    b. The Committee discussed the Mistletoe Market and decided not to make an exception to the Grounds Use Policy to allow the event in the Parliamentary Precinct.
    c. The Committee would like the Clerk to conduct a jurisdictional scan regarding artwork and decor in Legislative Assemblies across the country.
    d. The Committee discussed the shortage of space in the Legislative Parking lot. The Clerk informed them that the parking lot allocation is being reviewed.

6. The Committee was briefed on the official opening for Province House.

7. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 2:20 p.m.