

All Party Committee on Basic Income

Meeting #12 Minutes – May 1, 2024

8:30am – 9:30 am

West Block, Confederation Building

In attendance:

Hon. Paul Pike, Minister, Children, Seniors and Social Development (CSSD), Chair

Hon. Bernard Davis, Minister, Minister of Environment and Climate Change

Scott Reid, MHA, St. George's - Humber (alternate for Sherry Gambin-Walsh, MHA Placentia – St. Mary's)

Craig Pardy, MHA, Bonavista

Jim Dinn, MHA, St. John's Centre

Aisling Gogan, Assistant Deputy Minister, Prevention and Early Intervention, CSSD

Scott Fleming, Policy Analyst, Third Party Caucus

Margot Pitcher, Executive Assistant, CSSD

Emily Timmins, Supervisor of Youth Programs, CSSD (Recorder)

Agenda Items:

1. Review and approval of minutes
 - February 21, 2024 meeting – Approved by committee members.
 - March 11, 2024 – Approved by committee members.
2. Presentation on the Income Support Employment Stability Pilot Project.
 - ADM Gogan delivered the presentation. Discussion followed on Employment Stability Incentives offered to participants and early learnings.
3. Presentation on the Draft Report of the All Party Committee.
 - ADM Gogan began the presentation. Due to time constraints the remainder of the presentation will be delivered at a later date.
4. Next steps: The All Party Committee has requested to meet with First Voice on its submission to the Minimum Wage Review recommending a Universal Basic Income. CSSD Staff will make this request.