

Out-of-Province Ministerial Travel

(including expenses of participants and general expenses associated with travel)

Ministry	Environment	
Title of Travel	Energy Council’s 2018 Global Energy and Environmental Issues Conference	
Location	Denver, CO	
Date(s)	December 6 - 8, 2018	
Participants	Honourable Dustin Duncan, Minister of Environment	
Purpose of Travel	To speak at the conference on the topic of “Greenhouse Gas Reductions: A Made-in-Saskatchewan Climate Change Strategy”	
Total Travel Expenditures for Participants		
Air Travel (including airfare and airport service fees)		\$1,169.72
Ground Travel (including taxis and parking)		\$197.66
Accommodation (including room charges, incidentals, related taxes and fees)		\$455.99
Meals (personal per diem meal claims)		\$209.00
Miscellaneous (including temporary cell phone upgrades, fax and internet charges, and other sundry expenditures)		\$82.48
Subtotal		\$2,114.85
General Travel Expenditures		
Business Hosting Expenses (luncheon and/or dinner meetings hosted by the Government of Saskatchewan, including food, beverages, catering staff, service charges, equipment, and entertainment)		\$0.00
Miscellaneous (Including meeting rooms, police security, publications, shipping charges, gifts)		\$0.00
Subtotal		\$0.00
TOTAL		\$2,114.85

Overview of Travel and Objectives

Minister Duncan travelled to Denver to speak at the Energy Council's 2018 Global Energy and Environmental Issues Conference in Denver, Colorado on the topic of "Greenhouse Gas Reductions: A made-in-Saskatchewan Climate Change Strategy".

The Energy Council recently welcomed the state of West Virginia, making the Council an organization of elected legislators from 13 energy-producing states in the United States and two Canadian Provinces.

The Center for Legislative Energy and Environmental Research (CLEER) is the Energy Council's affiliate organization. More than 50 companies and energy-related trade associations are involved in CLEER from the US and Canada.

MLA Fred Bradshaw represents Saskatchewan on both the Council and CLEER. At his suggestion, Minister Duncan was asked to address the Council at the 2018 Global Conference on December 7, 2018 where more than 100 legislators and private sector guests from across North America were participating.