

Out-of-Province Ministerial Travel

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

Ministry	Justice and Attorney General
Title of Travel	FPT Human Rights
Location	Halifax, NS
Date(s)	June 18–21, 2023
Participants	Honourable Bronwyn Eyre, Minister of Justice and Attorney General Ashley Boha, Chief of Staff to Minister Eyre, Justice and Attorney General Dennis Cooley, Deputy Minister, Justice and Attorney General
Purpose of Travel	To attend the Ministers Forum on Human Rights
Total Travel Expenditures for Participants	
Air Travel (including airfare and airport service fees)	\$5,258.60
Ground Travel (including taxis and parking)	\$445.80
Accommodation (including room charges, incidentals, related taxes and fees)	\$1,773.40
Meals (personal per diem meal claims)	\$283.00
Conference & Registration Fees	\$0.00
Miscellaneous (including incidentals, parking, temporary cell phone upgrades, fax and internet charges, passport and visa fees, medical and vaccination fees, and other sundry expenditures)	\$45.00
Subtotal	\$7,805.80
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	\$7,805.80

Overview of Travel and Objectives:

The objective of the Minister's travel was to attend the Federal-Provincial-Territorial (FPT) Ministers' meeting on Human Rights in Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Travel Activity:

Minister Eyre joined ministers of Ontario, British Columbia, Nova Scotia and the Yukon (several other ministers participated virtually), as well as the federal Minister of Families, Children and Social Development, Karina Gould, at this FPT meeting for Human Rights, co-hosted by Nova Scotia and the Government of Canada.

Discussions included human rights in the digital age, including protecting children from Online harm, as well as issues surrounding entrenching international treaties in domestic law and the ongoing importance and role of the *Charter of Rights and Freedoms*.

Minister Eyre highlighted Saskatchewan's human rights record on reconciliation, domestic violence and human trafficking prevention initiatives, disability rights, and the province's promotion of multiculturalism and immigration, including the protection of over 4,000 people fleeing the war in Ukraine.

Saskatchewan was selected to co-chair and host the next FPT forum on Human Rights in 2025.