Financial Statements

Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

#### MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING

The financial statements of New Democratic Party Caucus have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. When alternative accounting methods exist, management has chosen those it deems most appropriate in the circumstances. These statements include certain amounts based on management's estimates and judgments. Management has determined such amounts based on a reasonable basis in order to ensure that the financial statements are presented fairly in all material respects.

The integrity and reliability of New Democratic Party Caucus's reporting systems are achieved through the use of formal policies and procedures, the careful selection of employees and an appropriate division of responsibilities. These systems are designed to provide reasonable assurance that the financial information is reliable and accurate.

The Caucus Committee is responsible for ensuring that management fulfills its responsibility for financial reporting and is ultimately responsible for reviewing and approving the financial statements. The Committee meets periodically with management and the members' auditors to review significant accounting, reporting and internal control matters. Following its review of the financial statements and discussions with the auditors, the Caucus Committee approve the financial statements and considers the engagement or re-appointment of the external auditors.

The financial statements have been audited on behalf of the members by MWC Chartered Professional Accountants LLP, in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards.

Director of Administration and Human	Member of Legislative Assembly
Resources	

Regina, SK September 16, 2025



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### To the Members of New Democratic Party Caucus

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of New Democratic Party Caucus (the "Caucus"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2025, and the statements of operations, changes in net debt and cash flows for the five month period then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Caucus as at March 31, 2025, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the five month period then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Caucus in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Information

We have also undertaken a reasonable assurance engagement on the Caucus' compliance with directives set out by the Board of Internal Economy and provided an opinion on the Caucus' internal control over financial reporting in accordance with COSO's Internal Control - Integrated Framework under separate Independent Practitioner's Reports dated September 16, 2025.

#### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with ASNPO, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Caucus's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Caucus or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Caucus's financial reporting process.

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of New Democratic Party Caucus (continued)

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are
  appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the
  Caucus's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Caucus's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Caucus to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

**Chartered Professional Accountants** 

Regina, Saskatchewan September 16, 2025

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## Statement of Financial Position March 31, 2025

	March 31 2025		
ASSETS			
CURRENT			
Cash	\$ _	\$	24,053
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	72,196		257,624
Prepaid expenses	 1,124		3,089
	73,320		284,766
CAPITAL ASSETS (Note 4)	 9,756		4,086
	\$ 83,076	\$	288,852
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
CURRENT			
Bank indebtedness (Note 6)	\$ 465	\$	-
Accounts payable and accruals (Note 5)	80,892		34,615
Wages payable	 65,437		360,938
	146,794		395,553
CAUCUS SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (Note 8)	 (63,718)		(106,701)
	\$ 83,076	\$	288,852

ON BEHALF OF THE CAUCUS	
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# Statement of Operations Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

		March 31 2025 (5 months)	October 27 2024 (7 months)		
REVENUES Allowances and grants	\$	647.489	\$	850,308	
Information technology grant		27,000	Ψ	-	
		674,489		850,308	
EXPENSES					
Wages and benefits		477,586		711,760	
Equipment maintenance and website service		45,861		22,406	
Professional fees		26,557		8,480	
Meetings and receptions		24,104		5,441	
Travel and accommodations		19,866		7,242	
Telephone and communications		10,996		5,666	
Printing, postage and delivery		7,493		11,410	
Office		7,277		587	
Advertising		5,421		207,410	
Contractual services		2,854		11,440	
Amortization of capital assets		2,797		2,525	
Insurance		411		575	
Bank charges and interest	-	283		236	
		631,506		995,178	
EXCESS OF REVENUES (EXPENSES)	\$	42,983	\$	(144,870)	

## Statement of Changes in Net Debt Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

	March 31 2025	October 27 2024	
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) - BEGINNING OF PERIOD EXCESS OF REVENUES (EXPENSES)	\$ (106,701) 42,983	\$ 38,169 (144,870)	
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) - END OF PERIOD	\$ (63,718)	\$ (106,701)	

### **Statement of Cash Flows**

### Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

		March 31 2025 (5 months)		
OPERATING ACTIVITIES  Excess of revenues (expenses)  Item not affecting cash:	\$	42,983	\$	(144,870)
Amortization of capital assets		2,797		2,525
		45,780		(142,345)
Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Accounts payable and accruals Prepaid expenses Wages payable	<i>y</i>	185,428 46,276 1,965 (295,501)	_	(175,669) (59,055) (2,103) 214,638
	_	(61,832)		(22,189)
Cash flow used by operating activities	_	(16,052)		(164,534)
INVESTING ACTIVITY Purchase of capital assets	_	(8,466)		(1,072)
DECREASE IN CASH FLOW		(24,518)		(165,606)
CASH - BEGINNING OF PERIOD		24,053		189,659
CASH - END OF PERIOD	\$	(465)	\$	24,053

# Notes to Financial Statements Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

#### 1. PURPOSE OF THE CAUCUS

The New Democratic Party Caucus (the "Caucus") is organized under section 50(1)(b) of the Legislative Assembly and Executive Council Act. The Caucus provides research, secretarial and general services for the New Democratic Party of Saskatchewan Members of the Legislative Assembly.

The Caucus receives funding from the Legislative Assembly pursuant to various directives adopted by the Legislative Assembly's Board of Internal Economy.

The Caucus year end coincides with the fiscal year end of the provincial government. In the event of a provincial election, the Caucus is dissolved the day before polling day and a new Caucus begins the day after.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

#### Financial instruments policy

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

Financial assets including cash and accounts receivable are reported at amortized cost.

Financial liabilities including accounts payable and accrued liabilities are measured at amortized cost.

#### Revenue recognition

Allowances and grants are recognized on a monthly basis per the directives of the Board of Internal Economy. Interest and other income is recognized in the period earned and cost recoveries are recognized in the period the cost is incurred if the amount can be estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

#### Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization. Capital assets are amortized over their estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis at the following rates:

Equipment 5 years Computer equipment 3 years

# Notes to Financial Statements Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

#### 3. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

As at yearend, the Caucus' accounts receivable includes:

	 March 31 2025	October 27 2024
Opposition Caucus Grant Canada Post reimbursement from MLAs Reimbursement for retirement allowance payable to	\$ 51,738 20,458	\$ 46,178 -
employees	 -	211,446
	\$ 72,196	\$ 257,624

#### 4. CAPITAL ASSETS

	 Cost	ccumulated mortization	March 31 2025 et book value	October 27 2024 Net book value
Equipment Computer equipment	\$ 7,117 12,330	\$ 3,082 6,609	\$ 4,035 5,721	\$ 137 3,949
	\$ 19,447	\$ 9,691	\$ 9,756	\$ 4,086

#### 5. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUALS

In accordance with the Board of Internal Economy Directive #23 - Caucus Accountability and Disclosure, at year end, accounts payable and accrued liabilities include:

		 October 27 2024	
Professional fees and contractual services Printing, postage and delivery Equipment maintenance and website service Metric project Telephone and communications Travel and accomodation Credit card	\$	35,012 21,643 16,952 5,000 3,083 1,023 (1,822)	\$ 25,520 9,095 - - - - - -
	\$	80,891	\$ 34,615

#### 6. LINE OF CREDIT

The Caucus has a line of credit of \$20,000 available of which no amount has been drawn upon at year end. The line of credit is secured under a general security agreement and bears interest at 4.950%. Reported bank indebtedness arises from cheques issued in excess of funds on deposit.

# Notes to Financial Statements Five Month Period Ended March 31, 2025

#### 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Caucus is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments and management is responsible to monitor, evaluate and manage these risks. The following analysis provides information about the Caucus's risk exposure and concentration as of March 31, 2025.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Caucus' income is from grant funding sources and therefore it is management's opinion the Caucus is not exposed to significant credit risk. Any exposure to unrecoverable cost recoveries is nominal as no cost outlay is made until the arrangement is in place.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Caucus' significant exposure to liquidity risk is related to accumulated employee payables that are not funded by Legislative Assembly. As at yearend the balance is \$24,370 (2024 - \$67,923) which is included in wages payable.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. The Caucus does not have significant exposure to interest rate risk.

#### 8. CAUCUS SURPLUS

Board of Internal Economy Directive #23 - Caucus Accountability and Disclosure provides that within six months of polling day, surplus Caucus funds, if any, after payment of outstanding accounts shall revert to the Crown if the Caucus ceases to exist as a result of the provincial election.