

**Database: Government of Saskatchewan Innovations  
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Factors**

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| <b>1971:</b> |                |               |          |                    |   |  |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| 1            | 62 D           | Partin Po     | 63       | Social Services    | 39. Cultivate community activism  | 1st: Sask<br>2nd: Canada   | 1971*              | 1982            | 11          | 0                 | 1  |
| 2            | 69 D           | Labr Po       | 70       | Labour             | *50. Universal 40-hour work week, with time and one-half for overtime   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask province  | 1971               | 1982            | 11          | 0                 | 1  |
| 3            | 70 D           | Labr Po       | 71       | Labour             | Minimum wage steadily increased until highest in Canada in 1982   |  | 1971               | 1982            | 11          | 0                 | 1  |
| 4            | 87 D           | Mgt Po        | 88       | NDP Cabinet        | 126. Comprehensive innovation program (1971 and subsequent NDP election platforms)  | 1st: Sask:<br>NDP New Deal 1971<br>2nd: Canada:<br>Liberal Party Red Book 1973 | 1971               | 1982            | 11          | 0                 | 1  |
| 5            | 115 WM         | Educn Po      | 115      | Provincial Library | 88. Create a comprehensive one-province library system<br>-re-announced 2010: same library card throughout Saskatchewan.<br>-abolished 2017. No longer able to borrow in person at a different library.<br>In 2021 functions like interlibrary loan.<br>-budget reduced from \$12.767M in 2016-17 to \$7.928M in 2017-18, -37.9%. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1971ff             | 2017            | 46          | 0                 | 4  |

<sup>1</sup> Was Appendix A5.

<sup>2</sup> 0=survived <10 years, 1= survived 10-<20 years, 2= survived 20-<30 years, 3= survived 30-<40 years, 4= survived 40-<50 years, 5=ongoing

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| 6   | 143 SE         | Env't Po         | 143      | Environment   | 36. Establish large parks by statute and with a statutory land and financial base 1971, 1973, 1979, 1981.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask             | 1971               | Ongoing 2021    | 50          | 1                        | 5   |
|     | x6             | 6<br>6<br>Policy |          |   |   |                                    |                    |                 |             | 0=5<br>1=1<br>T=6        | 0=0<br>1=4<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>x4=1<br>5 ongoing=1<br>T=6        |
|     |                |                  |          |   |   |                                    |                    |                 |             | Admin<br>Termd:<br>Pr =0 | Policy termd<br>0=0<br>1=4<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>4=1<br>5=1<br>T=6 |
|     | <b>1972:</b>   |                  |          |   |   |                                    |                    |                 |             |                          |   |
| 7   | 5 B            | Other Indig Po   | 32       | HRDA Indian & Native <sup>+</sup> Affairs Secretariat | 92. Agency with comprehensive mandate to address inequality of disadvantaged (aboriginal <sup>+</sup> [Indigenous] and disabled) people<br>-included Grants for Innovative Projects \$250K/year (\$ from fed govt)<br>-1972 HRDA small and specific<br>-Minister Bowerman responsible for land claims<br>-Minister Smishek responsible for rest of Indigenous initiatives | 1st: Sask 1972                     | 1972               | 1978            | 6           | 0                        | 0   |
| 8   | 139 SE         | Env't Po         | 139      | Environment   | Create an environment department  | 1st: Canada 1971<br>2nd: Sask 1972 | 1972               | Ongoing 2021    | 49          | 1                        | 5   |
| 9   | 26 D           | Labr Po          | 22       | Labour  | *53. Employers required to give notice and negotiate technological change   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask May 1972    | 1972               | 1982            | 2           | 0                        | 0   |

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| 10  | 57 D           | Agri Po       | 58       | Land Bank                 | *19. Introduce a program to permit intergenerational transfer of land, Sask Land Bank Commission (Land Bank)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask May 1972   | May-1972           | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 11  | 58 D           | Agri Po       | 59       | Farmstart                 | 20. Agency to facilitate start-up of new farms by young farmers (Farmstart, a crown corporation) & especially hog production (Sask Encyclopedia)                        | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask May 1972   | May-1972           | Jan. 1, 1984    | 11          | 0                 | 1  |
| 12  | 61 D           | Env Po        | 62       | Highways & Transportation | 37. Environment and heritage protection by Dpt. of Highways & Transportation.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 13  | 64 D           | Occh Po       | 65       | Labour                    | 42. Require workplace joint employer-employee safety committees in workplaces with more than 10 employees.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : B.C. 1960s 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Sask 1972  | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 14  | 65 D           | Occh Po       | 66       | Labour                    | *43. Joint employee/employer occupational health and safety committees pivotal to the occupational health and safety program.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1972   | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 15  | 66 D           | Occh Po       | 67       | Labour                    | 44. Occupational Health and Safety Branch acknowledged, recorded and made public the reports of the joint committees.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1972   | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 16  | 67 D           | Occh Po       | 68       | Labour                    | 45. Three rights as an integral part of workplace health and safety reforms: the right to know, to participate and to refuse work believed (not known) to be dangerous. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1972<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : Quebec White Paper 1978<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> : Nfld 1979 | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 17  | 68 D           | Occh Po       | 69       | Labour                    | 46. No limitations on worker's right to know about health and safety issues in the workplace.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1972   | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 18  | 71 D           | Labr Po       | 72       | Labour                    | *56. Four weeks annual vacation after 20 years of service and three weeks annual vacation after one year of service.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1972               | 1982            | 10          | 0                 | 1  |

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| 19  | 72 D           | Labr Po       | 73       | Labour                                       | *65. Right to refuse to perform what the worker believed to be "unusually dangerous" work   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1972                        | 1982                   | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 20  | 85 D           | Socl Po       | 86       | DNS  | 111. Communities built their own social housing to foster local economic development and build community capacity.                | 1st: Sask 1977<br>+++ 2nd: Canada 1992                          | 1972                        | 1984                   | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 21  | 90 D           | Labr Po       | 92       | Labour                                       | Health and safety regulation carried out through the workplace.   | 1st: B.C<br>2nd: Sask   | 1972                        | 1982                   | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 22  | 100 RC         | Agri Po       | 99       | Sask Hog Marketing Commission and then Board | *24. Hog price enhancement program: Commission to do central desk selling with no supply management                               | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>2nd: Alberta/<br>Manitoba<br>4th: N/A | 1972                        | 1998                   | 26          | 0                 | 2  |
| 23  | 118 WM         | Educ Indig Po | 118      | Continuing Education                         | *101. Creation of provincially funded, Indian-controlled [Indigenous] cultural college-Saskatchewan Indian Cultural Centre (SICC) | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.            | 1972                        | 2016                   | 44          | 0                 | 4  |
| 24  | 122 WM         | Educ Indig Po | 122      | Continuing Education                         | *104. Creation of special program for Indian teacher education (Indian Teacher Education Program-ITEP) [Indigenous]               | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.            | 1972-3.<br>Say 1972-website | 2016                   | 44          | 0                 | 4  |
| 25  | 152 SE         | Labr Po       | 152      | Labour                                       | *63. Workers have a right to participate in work environment matters  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1972                        | Ongoing 2021 Confirmed | 49          | 1                 | 5  |
| 26  | 167 SE         | HumanR Po     | 167      | Human Rights Commission                      | 115. Arms-length Human Rights Commission  | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Sask.<br>April 1972                        | 1972                        | Ongoing 2021           | 49          | 1                 | 5  |
| 27  | 179 SE         | Partin Po     | 179      | Cabinet                                      | 141. Leverage other programs/ create partnerships, e.g. Land Bank, community colleges.  | 1st: Sask   | 1972                        | Ongoing 2021           | 49          | 1                 | 5  |
| 28  | 183 SE         | HumanR Po     | 183      | Public Service Commission                    | 157. Appoint first female deputy minister.  | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Sask                                       | 1972                        | Ongoing 2021 confirmed | 49          | 1                 | 5  |

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|              | 22             | 22 Policy 0 Admin |          |                    |  |   |                    |                 |             | 0=17<br>1=5<br>T=22 | 0= 2<br>1=12<br>2=1<br>3=0<br>4=2<br>5=5<br>T=22       |
|              |                |                   |          |                    |  |   |                    |                 |             | Admin Termd: =0     | Policy termd: 0=2<br>1=12<br>2=1<br>4=2<br>5=5<br>T=22 |
| <b>1973:</b> |                |                   |          |                    |  |   |                    |                 |             |                     |  |
| 29           | 20 D           | Envvt Po          | 15       | Environment        | *32. Public opinion & recommendations solicited not only for but also for subjects & policies of major importance to the province (uranium and land use) | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1973               | 1982            | 9           | 0                   | 0  |
| 30           | 39 D           | Finn Pr           | 39       | Finance            | 130. Introduce program-based management information system, PMIS, with results component.  | 1st: USA Dpt. of Defense<br>1963 2nd: Ont, Govt of USA<br>1968 3rd: Canada<br>1969-70 ++<br>4th: Sask<br>1973 | 1973               | 1982            | 9           | 0                   | 0  |
| 31           | 37 D           | Partin Po         | 36       | Each dpt           | 96. Processes for public consultation and participation  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1973               | 1982            | 9           | 0                   | 0  |
| 32           | 48 D           | Ecd Po            | 48       | CIC                | *6. Policy: Establish head office activity in own jurisdiction for all major mineral industries.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask through cc   | 1973               | 1991            | 18          | 0                   | 1  |

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| 33  | 49 D           | Ecd Po        | 49       |                                | -oil & gas  |   | 1973               | 1986              | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 34  | 50 D           | Ecd Po        | 50       |                                | -potash   |   | 1973               | 1988              | 15          | 0                 | 1  |
|     |                |               |          |                                | See later:<br>-coal (SaskPower) in 1974<br>-mineral exploration in northern Sask, esp. uranium (SMDC), 1974/1975  |   |                    |                   |             |                   |  |
| 35  | 83 D           | Educn Po      | 83       | Continuing Education Education | 89. Province-wide Community College system  | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Sask<br>April 1973   | April, 1973        | 1987              | 14          | 0                 | 1  |
| 36  | 84 D           | Educn Po      | 84       | Continuing Education           | *121. "Brokerage" community college system without permanent facilities, staff or programs.   | 1st: Sask May 1973  | 1973               | 1990-91           | 17          | 0                 | 1  |
| 37  | 91 D           | Socl Po       | 93       | Social Services                | 144. Offer welfare recipients the opportunity to work in short-term, developmental projects, that made them eligible for unemployment insurance, Employment Support Program, ESP. | 1st: Sask<br>2nd & 3rd: Canada/ New Brunswick   | 1973               | 1987              | 14          | 0                 | 1  |
| 38  | 92 D           | Educn Po      | 94       | Continuing Education           | 145. +Community colleges without capital facilities or permanent staff.   | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Sask<br>April 1973   | 1973               | 1987              | 14          | 0                 | 1  |
| 39  | 96 RC          | Mgt Po        | 90       | GFO CIC                        | 128. First Heritage Fund (sovereign wealth fund)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Energy & Resource Fund<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : 1976: AB<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> : May 1978: Sask Heritage Fund | 1973 Act 1/4/78    | 1992 Act repealed | 19          | 0                 | 1  |
| 40  | 97 RC          | Ecd Po        | 96       | Sask. Trading Corp.            | 14. Establish Crown corporation to actively buy and sell local products into international markets, Sask Trading Corporation (Sask. Trading Corp.)                                | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1973   | 1973               | 1991 abolished    | 18          | 0                 | 1  |

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| 41  | 56 D           | Mgt Po         | 57       | Sask Comp          | 7. Establish Crown corporation to run and manage computer facilities for the govt, crown corporations, universities. Sask Computer Utility Corporation, Sask Comp  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1973<br>1st in western Canada.<br>Canada 2nd:<br>B.C. 1980s   | 1973               | 1988                   | 15          | 0                 | 1  |
| 42  | 114 WM         | Env Po         | 114      | Environment        | *29. Ban the sale of carbonated beverages in non-returnable containers (pop and beer cans).  | 1st: Sask 1974<br>2nd: Oregon, USA<br>3rd: none  | 1973               | 2015                   | 42          | 0                 | 4  |
| 43  | 146 SE         | Socl Pr        | 146      | Labour             | *52. Workers' advocates to provide assistance to injured workers making claims against the Workers Compensation Board  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1973               | Ongoing 2021 Confirmed | 48          | 1                 | 5  |
| 44  | 47 D           | Fin Po         | 47       | Finance            | *13. Policy: Secure a larger percentage of the gross value of resources  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1973               | 1983 +++               | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 45  | 53 D           | Ecd Po         | 53       | SaskOil            | *7. Create a crown corporation to explore for and develop oil and gas, Sask Oil and Gas (Sask Oil)   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>SaskOil May 1973<br>2nd: Alberta: Alberta Energy 1973<br>3rd: Canada: Petro Canada July 1975                                     | May-1973           | 1985                   | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 46  | 77 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 78       | Health             | 80. Community health centres (community clinics) were 1 <sup>st</sup> established in Canada in 1962, with union funding in Sault Ste. Marie, ON, & in Sask with GoS, line-by-line funding for 1 centre, in Saskatoon. -In 1973, the GoS funded three new community centres, in Regina, Prince Albert & Wynyard (3 additional) with line-by-line funding. | Tied for 1st in 1962:<br>-with union funding in Sault Ste. Marie, ON<br>-GoS funding for 1 centre.<br>-1973 1 <sup>st</sup> to fund multiple centres (T=4) | 1973               | 1984                   | 11          | 0                 | 1  |



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| 47  | 158 SE         | Health Dpt. Po                   | 158      | Health              | 81. Provide global funding to 4 community health centres. The four community health centres in Saskatoon, Regina, Prince Albert & Wynyard were able to continue and to provide a wider range of services due to global funding and funding increases in the 1970s. Saskatoon centre had originally been funded by GoS in 1962. -Cooperatives, run by a board.<br>In 2016-17, approx. 61 health-related community orgns received funding from Regional Health Authorities to provide a range of initiatives including clinical services, harm reduction programs, and mental health and addictions support. 2017-18 Budget announced 10% cut but retracted August 17, 2017. | 1st: Sask 1962<br>2nd: Sask 1973 3 <sup>rd</sup> : Quebec CLSCs 4th: ON (union funded) Sault Saint Marie | 1973               | Ongoing <sup>3</sup> | 48          | 1                   | 5  |
| 48  | 76 D           | Socl Po                          | 77       | Social Services     | *72. Developmental support program to help those on welfare to work (ESP).   | 1st: Sask, 1973 pilot.   | 1973               | 1987                 | 14          | 0                   | 1  |
| 49  | 138 SE         | Agri Po                          | 138      | SCIC Treasury Board | Expanded the coverage of Sask. Crop Insurance Corporation (SCIC), a crown corporation to administer the crop insurance program   |  | 1973               | Ongoing 2021         | 48          | 1                   | 5  |
| 50  | 153 SE         | Labr Po                          | 153      | Labour              | *54. Right of an employee to obtain a leave of absence to run as a candidate and serve a term in any public office   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1973               | Ongoing 2021         | 48          | 1                   | 5  |
|     | 22             | 22<br>20<br>Policy<br>2<br>Admin |          |                     |  |  |                    |                      |             | 0=18<br>1=4<br>T=22 | 0= 3<br>1=14<br>2= 0<br>3=0<br>x4=1<br>x5=4<br>T=22    |

<sup>3</sup> All 4 community health centres confirmed ongoing in 2021. Do they still have GoS funding??

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|     | <b>1974:</b>   |               |          |                                       |  |  |                    |  |             |                                   |  |
| 51  | 4 B            | Labr Po       | 24       | Labour                                | Legislation: Protect employees from loss of wages when an employer fails financially.<br>-never proclaimed. Never put in place.  | 1st: Sask  | 1974               | 1974   | 0           | 0                                 | 0  |
| 52  | 106 RC         | Agri Po       | 105      | Farmland Security Act (FSA)           | 21.Restriction of foreign ownership of farmland  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : PEI + Sask, 1974   | 1974               | 2003   | 29          | 0                                 | 3  |
| 53  | 9 D            | Ecd Po        | 4        | Cabinet                               | *10. Policy: OIC & amendments to mineral resource regulations gave SMDC a statutory right to purchase up to 50% of all new hard rock mining claims in northern Sask. after March 1, 1975.<br>-Name changed to Sask. Minerals later?? I don't think so.<br><u>-The Crown Minerals Act, SS 1984-85-86, c C-50.2 - CanLit</u> | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1974               | 1984   | 10          | 0                                 | 0  |
| 54  | 13 D           | Socl Po       | 8        | CIC Municipal Affairs Social Services | Sask Housing Corporation (SHC) (mandate). Name continues, mandate changed.   |  | 1974               | 1983   | 9           | 0                                 | 0  |
| 55  | 15 D           | Educn Po      | 10       | Sask Media                            | Create Sask Educational Communication Corporation (SaskMedia), a crown corporation.<br>-Alberta Educational Communications Corporation (ACCESS Alberta), 1973.<br>-Sask: 1982 Cons govt put tape distribution back into the hands of the   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : TV Ontario 27/9/1970 2 <sup>nd</sup> : ACCESS Alberta 1973<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> : Sask 1974<br>Others: the | 1974               | 1982 in practice March 31 1983. 2/8/92 legn repealed | 9           | 0                                 | 0  |

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|     |                |                |          |   | Ministry of Education. Successor: Educational television began in the fall of 1984, Univ. of Regina delivered credit courses to 5 small southern Sask centres. Then new agency, Saskatchewan Communications Network (SCN). | Knowledge Network (BC), Télé-Québec                |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| 56  | 18 D           | Env Po         | 13       | Environment   | *30. Policy: Open, honest environmental public involvement & consultation process.   | 1st: Canada 1974<br>2nd: Sask                      | 1974               | 1983            | 9           | 0                 | 0  |
| 57  | 19 D           | Env Po         | 14       | Environment   | *31. Policy: Environmental impacts include economic and social implications.   | 1st: Sask  | In practice: 1974  | 1982            | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 58  | 21 D           | Env Po         | 16       | Environment   | *33. Establish a comprehensive environmental assessment of a project:  | 1st: Canada 1974<br>2nd: Sask                      | 1974               | 1982            | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 59  | 32 D           | Educ Po        | 30       | Continuing Education, Education, Advanced Education | 90. Arms-length agency to recommend funding levels and manage funding to universities.   | 1st: Sask May, 1974                                | May, 1974          | 1983            | 9           | 0                 | 0  |
| 60  | 33 D           | Educ Po        | 31       | Education   | 91. Media-based educational program, SaskMedia   | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Alberta<br>3rd: Sask May 1974 | May, 1974          | March 31 1983   | 9           | 0                 | 0  |
| 61  | 42 D           | Finn Pr        | 42       | CIC   | 146. Offer Saskatchewanians the opportunity to invest in the province, Sask Development Fund.  | 1st: Sask June 1974                                | 1974               | 1983            | 9           | 0                 | 0  |
| 62  | 43 D           | Soc Po         | 43       | Cabinet Several dpts                                | 152. Policy: Comprehensive approach to children  | 1st: Sask Oct 1, 1974                              | 1974               | 1982            | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 63  | 44 D           | Other Indig Po | 44       | Cabinet Dpts  | 153. Policy: Comprehensive approach to Indians and Metis [Indigenous] - many developmental programs.   | 1st: Sask  | 1974               | 1982            | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 64  | 40 D           | Finn Pr        | 40       | Finance Cabinet                                     | 131. Balance budget during entire government, mostly 1970s, when most other governments ran deficits.  | 1st: Alberta<br>2nd: Sask                          | 1974               | 1983            | 9           | 0                 | 0  |

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| 65  | 54 D           | Ecd Po         | 54       | SMDC                 | 8. Establish a Crown corporation to explore for minerals in northern Sask, especially uranium (Sask Mining Development Corporation, SMDC)                     | 1 <sup>st</sup> : France<br>2nd: Sask<br>1974   | 1974                | 1988                | 14          | 0                 | 1  |
| 66  | 55 D           | Ecd Po         | 55       | PCS                  | *11. Purchase shares to establish a controlling interest in a major industry (40% of potash industry) (Potash Corporation of Sask, PCS, at market price.      | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1974   | 1974                | 1991                | 17          | 0                 | 1  |
| 67  | 63 D           | Socl Po        | 64       | Social Services      | *40. Require all day cares to be run by a parent board.   | 1st: Sask   | 1974                | 1986                | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 68  | 74 D           | Socl Po        | 75       | Social Services      | *70. Family income support program (FIP) for the working poor with children.  | 1st: Sask 1974<br>2nd: Canada 1992 Child Tax Benefit                                    | Oct 1 1974          | 1986                | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 69  | 73 D           | Socl Po        | 74       | Finance              | 69. Secure federal cost-sharing for day care, enabling a major expansion of the program.  | 1st: Manitoba/Sask  | 1974                | 1986                | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 70  | 80 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 80       | Public Health        | 77. Free telecommunication aids for disabled  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1974 <sup>+++</sup> | 1987 <sup>+++</sup> | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 71  | 81 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 81       | Public Health Health | *84. Staged, universal children's dental program, staffed by dental paraprofessionals (dental nurses) (SDP) (Also listed under Cost-Containment innovations). | 1st: Nfld 1950<br>2nd: PEI 1971<br>3rd: Sask Sept 1974, Quebec, N.S. 6th: Manitoba 1976 | Sept, 1974          | 1987                | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 72  | 82 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 82       | Public Health Health | 86. Regular quality assurance monitoring of care provided to children in the SDP.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1974<br>2nd: Manitoba 1976                                       | 1974                | 1987                | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 73  | 86 D           | Ecd Po         | 87       | Continuing Education | 124. Create and fund a Saskatchewan Science Council   | 1st: Canada<br>2nd: Sask?   | 1974                | 1984                | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 74  | 51 D           | Ecd Po         | 51       | Sask Power           | Establish head office activity in own jurisdiction for all major mineral industries:<br>-coal (SaskPower)   |   | 1974                | 1991                | 17          | 0                 | 1  |

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| 75  | 95 RC          | Other Indig Po | 85       | Attorney General           | 109. Indian [Indigenous] special constable program (federal funding available)<br>-There is a successor.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1974                | 1991                      | 17          | 0                 | 1  |
| 76  | 93 D           | Mgt Po         | 95       | DNS                        | *155. +Organize a single agency to deliver almost all programs in the north, Department of Northern Sask., DNS  | 1st: Canada<br>2nd: Manitoba<br>3rd: Sask<br>1974                                | 1974                | 1984                      | 10          | 0                 | 1  |
| 77  | 98 RC          | Mgt Po         | 97       | SEDCO                      | Major increase in Saskatchewan Economic Development Corporation (SEDCO) retained earnings   |  | 1974                | 1995                      | 21          | 0                 | 2  |
| 78  | 101 RC         | Socl Po        | 100      | Sask. Govt Insurance (SGI) | 78. Lifetime payments to people disabled in auto accidents without proof or fault (AAIA)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Jan 1, 2003   | 1974 <sup>+++</sup> | 1998<br>abolished         | 24          | 0                 | 2  |
| 79  | 141 SE         | Env Po         | 141      | Environment                | *27. Create a compulsory environmental assessment policy  | 1st: Sask 1979-80<br>2nd: Alberta 1981<br>3rd: New Brunswick 1983                | In practice, 1974.  | Ongoing 2021              | 46          | 1                 | 5  |
| 80  | 144 SE         | Partin Po      | 144      | Each dpt.                  | 38. Actively develop processes for public consultation and participation.   | 1st: Sask  | 1974                | Ongoing 2021              | 47          | 1                 | 5  |
| 81  | 145 SE         | Partin Pr      | 145 31   | Continuing Education       | 41. Educational institutions create and actively use employer and community advisory committees.  | 1st: Sask  | 1974                | Ongoing 2021              | 47          | 1                 | 5  |
| 82  | 147 SE         | Labr Po        | 147      | Labour                     | Maternity leave   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : Canada through Un-employment program | 1974                | Ongoing 2021<br>Confirmed | 47          | 1                 | 5  |
| 83  | 159 WM         | Health Dpt. Po | 159      | Public Health              | 76. Free hearing tests and hearing aids at cost, Sask. Hearing Aid Plan, SHAP. On again, off again. 1981-82: \$1.355M<br>1990-91: \$2.553M. 1/7/17 privatized. Undisclosed amount of subsidy provided through Supplementary | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1974 <sup>+</sup>   | 2017<br>privatized        | 43          | 0                 | 4  |

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|-----|----------------|---------------|----------|--------------------|--|---|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|-------------------|--|
|     |                |               |          |                    | Health (SHAP no longer a line item). Effective July 1, 2017, hearing aid sales and services for adults will no longer be provided by health regions. Saskatchewan residents may purchase hearing aids and services from private sector hearing clinics throughout the province. <a href="https://www.rqhealth.ca/departments/hearing-aid-plan">https://www.rqhealth.ca/departments/hearing-aid-plan</a>  |   |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| 84  | 170 SE         | HumanR Po     | 170      | Attorney General   | <p>118. Legal aid (counsel for indigent persons)</p> <p>-Sask The Attorney General's Act, 1973, s.5. (c.6, s.3; R.S.S. 1978, c.A-33, s.5).</p> <p>- Sask May 1974 The Community Legal Services Act, 1974</p> <p>-Name changed from The Saskatchewan Community Legal Services Commission to The Saskatchewan Legal Aid Commission 1983, Chapter L-9.1.</p> <p>-does that mean it was terminated?? Less help??</p> <p>-First federal assistance was given in the form of grants by the Department of National Health and Welfare to establish community clinics in four Canadian provinces. 3. Zemans, 1978</p> <p>- <b>1998.</b> Ontario government introduces the Legal Aid Services Act, 1998 to create Legal Aid Ontario, an independent but publicly funded and publicly accountable non-profit corporation providing high quality legal aid services to low-income people throughout the province.</p> | 1st province-wide program: Ontario 1967, the Ontario Legal Aid Plan<br>2nd: Sask May 1974, The Community Legal Services Act, 1974 | 1974               | Ongoing 2021    | 47          | 1                 | 5  |

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| 85  | 171 SE         | HumanR Po                        | 171      | Attorney General     | 119. Introduced option of working off fines through community service, fine option program.  | 1st: Sask May 1974<br>2nd: ON 1990? | 1974               | Ongoing 2021    | 47          | 1                                 | 5   |
| 86  | 162 SE         | Health Dpt. Po                   | 162      | Public Health Health | *83. Universal prescription drug plan.   | 1st: Sask May 1974                  | 1974               | Ongoing 2021    | 47          | 1                                 | 5   |
| 87  | 180 SE         | Fin Po                           | 180      | Health               | 143. Control costs of prescription drugs through bulk purchasing for the whole province.   | 1st: Canada<br>2nd: Sask May 1974   | 1974               | Ongoing 2021    | 47          | 1                                 | 5   |
| 88  | 172 SE         | Health Dpt. Po                   | 172      | Public Health        | *122. Strategy for reducing drug prices: price negotiation and bulk buying for the whole province.   | 1st: Sask May 1974                  | 1974               | Ongoing 2021    | 47          | 1                                 | 5   |
|     | 38             | 38<br>35<br>Policy<br>3<br>Admin |          |                      |  |                                     |                    |                 |             | 0=29<br>1=9<br>T=38               | 0=13<br>1=12<br>2= 2<br>3= 1<br>4=1<br>5=9<br>T=38                          |
|     |                |                                  |          |                      |  |                                     |                    |                 |             | Admin Termd:<br>0=2<br>5=1<br>T=3 | Policy<br>0=11<br>1=12<br>2=2<br>T=25<br>3=1<br>4=1<br>T=2<br>5=8<br>GT= 35 |
|     | <b>1975:</b>   |                                  |          |                      |  |                                     |                    |                 |             |                                   |   |
| 89  | 3 B            | Labr Po                          | 23       | Labour               | *55. Legislated equal pay for similar work<br>-Legislated but never proclaimed or further implemented.<br>-Tried again 1991+.<br>-Legislated?<br>-Never implemented. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask?<br>1973??   | 1975               | 1975            | 7           | 0                                 | 0   |

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| 90  | 52 D           | Ecd Po        | 52       |                    | Establish head office activity in own jurisdiction for all major mineral industries<br>-uranium (SMDC)<br>1978, c S-30: The Saskatchewan Mining Development Corporation, RSS.<br>SS 1988-89, c S-30.1: Saskatchewan Mining Development Corporation Reorganization Act, The.<br>This statute is repealed or spent since 1993-12-31. Missing version: in force between Jun 29, 1988 and Dec 31, 1993. | 1974<br>Wikipedia   | Earlier says 1974.1975 | 1988                            | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 91  | 29 D           | Labr Po       | 27       | Labour             | *67. Womens' <i>Division</i> with teeth (responsibility for investigating violations of the "equal pay," maternity, paternity and adoption leave legislation).  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask?   | 1975                   | 1982                            | 7           | 0                 | 0  |
| 92  | 41 D           | Finn Pr       | 41       | Cabinet            | 135. Policy: Comprehensive disclosure of financial dealings of govt   | 1st: Canada<br>2nd: Sask  | 1975                   | 1983<br>Now quarterly reporting | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 93  | 59 D           | Agri Po       | 60       | Agriculture        | *23. Farm income stabilization program designed around the insurance principle (SHARP)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Ap 1975<br>2nd: Alberta<br>3rd: Manitoba<br>4th: B.C.<br>5th: Remaining provinces with sig hog prodn | 1975                   | 1988                            | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 94  | 75 D           | Socl Po       | 76       | Social Services    | 71. Senior Citizens' Income Supplement (SIP) for low-income seniors.  | 1st: Canada (GIS)<br>2nd: Sask<br>3rd: Alberta  | Oct 1 1975             | 1986                            | 11          | 0                 | 1  |



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| 95  | 79 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 79       | Public Health        | 75. Free prostheses, orthotics, wheelchairs, canes, crutches, walkers, Sask. Aids to Independent Living, SAIL, for the disabled. 1981-82: \$2.488M, cut back 1987*, 1990-91: \$2.553M, 2011-12: \$37.901M., 2017-18: \$42.449M, 2021-22: \$52.473M.<br>-Coverage has gone up & down.<br>-Now \$x/month.<br>-Still a program by that name.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1975<br>+++        | Cut back 1987*  | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 96  | 88 D           | Mgt Po         | 89       | Cabinet              | 127. Almost all line departments given planning capacity.  | 1st: Sask 1975<br>2nd: Canada 1994   | 1975               | 1987<br>+++     | 12          | 0                 | 1  |
| 97  | 99 RC          | Agri Po        | 98       | Agriculture          | Govt of Sask adopted agricultural extension model from USA<br>-began whittling away at it mid-1990s  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : USA state  | 1975               | 2000            | 25          | 0                 | 2  |
| 98  | 116 WM         | Educn Po       | 116      | Provincial Library   | 88. Reciprocal borrowing agreement for all libraries in the province<br>-abolished 2017. No longer able to borrow in person at a different library. Functions like interlibrary loan in 2021.<br>-budget reduced from \$12.767M in 2016-17 to \$7.928M in 2017-18, 37.9%.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1975<br>+++        | 2017            | 42          | 0                 | 4  |
| 99  | 117 WM         | Educ Indig Po  | 117      | Continuing Education | 100. Creation of an Indigenous professional program (law), University of Saskatchewan.<br>Tuition \$4182.70 (2021)<br><a href="https://law.usask.ca/programs/spring-and-summer-law-courses-for-Indigenous-students.php">https://law.usask.ca/programs/spring-and-summer-law-courses-for-Indigenous-students.php</a><br>- Summer Program started 1973 (preparatory, not remedial).<br>- Native Law Centre started 1975. It now offers the Summer Program + 1 and encourages national participation, all at high cost. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : Manitoba<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> : Canada<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain. | 1975               | 2016            | 41          | 0                 | 4  |

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| 100 | 129 SE         | Ecd Po                           | 129       | Finance                   | *12. Policy: Establish a profit-sensitive royalty system  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : Alta   | 1975               | Ongoing 2021              | 46          | 1                   | 5  |
| 101 | 137 SE         | Agri Po                          | 137       | Sask Crop Insurance Board | 22. Launched in 1965 in Sask. After several years of operation on their own, federal-provincial negotiations resulted in the creation of a national Crop Insurance Program with the federal government a full participant in the management and financing of its administrative costs, so producer premiums only reflected production risk for their areas. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1965, formulated & implemented 1 <sup>st</sup> Crop Insurance program<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> : Manitoba, shortly after Sask.<br>3 <sup>rd</sup> etc.: All provincial agriculture departments adopted. | Ap 1975            | Ongoing 2021              | 46          | 1                   | 5  |
| 102 | 156 SE         | Labr Po                          | 156       | Labour                    | 66. Industry-wide labour negotiations (construction) -nightmare for decades   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1975               | Ongoing 2021              | 46          | 1                   | 5  |
| 103 | 163 SE         | Partin (governance) Po           | 163       | DNS                       | Northern Indigenous communities took over their own governance. Keith Goulet  | 1 <sup>st</sup> in Canada  | 1975               | Ongoing 2021 <sup>4</sup> | 46          | 1                   | 5  |
| 104 | 164 SE         | Partin (governance) Po           | 164       | DNS                       | The new Northern School Board and Île-à-la-Crosse School Board put education leadership in the hands of Indigenous communities, whose elected school leaders were previously in non-Indigenous institutions. Keith Goulet   | 1 <sup>st</sup> in Canada 1975   | 1975               | Ongoing 2021              | 46          | 1                   | 5  |
|     | x16            | 16<br>15<br>Policy<br>1<br>Admin |           |                           |   |  |                    |                           |             | 0=11<br>1=5<br>T=16 | x0= 3<br>1=5<br>x2=1<br>x3=0<br>x4=2<br>x5=5           |

<sup>4</sup> 2010 Act revised: Northern Administration District Act.

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|     |                |               |          |                          |  |  |                    |   |             |                      | xxT=16   |
|     |                |               |          |                          |  |  |                    |   |             | Admin Termd: 0=1 T=1 | Policy: 0=2 1=5 2=1 T=8 4=2 T=2 5=5 GT= 15             |
|     | <b>1976:</b>   |               |          |                          |  |  |                    |   |             |                      |  |
| 105 | 105 RC         | HumanR Po     | 104      | Attorney General Justice | *98. The provincial response to Indian [Indigenous] land claims includes settling by providing provincial Crown land as part of the entitlement.   | 1st: Sask<br>2nd: Ontario<br>3rd: B.C.<br>1995       | 1976               | 2002  | 26          | 0                    | 3  |
| 106 | 6 B            | Ecd Po        | 38       | CIC                      | 125. Elite bus service, operated by Sask. Transportation Company, STC, a Crown Corporation. Tried again by the Romanow government for a short time, late 1990s, Regina to/fr Stoon. STC shut down in May, 2017.<br><a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saskatchewan_Transportation_Company">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saskatchewan_Transportation_Company</a> | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask                               | 1976               | 1980  | 4           | 0                    | 0  |
| 107 | 89 D           | Mgt Po        | 91       | Finance                  | 134. First currency swap (derivative) transactions by anyone in Canada, govt or private sector, and among the first by anyone in any market.   | 1st: Sask  | 1976               | 1986<br>+++   | 10          | 0                    | 1  |
| 108 | 107 WM         | Educ Indig Po | 106      | Continuing Education     | *103. Fund creation of a provincially-funded, university-affiliated Indian-controlled [Indigenous] degree granting institution, Indian Federated College (SIFC) at the University of Regina (UofR) (UofR became an independent university in 1974.)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain. | May 1 1976         | 2010<br>Success or:<br>Some prov. \$ restored after 1 year. | 34          | 0                    | 3  |

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| 109 | 119 WM         | Educ Indig Po                    | 119      | Continuing Education                                    | *105. Creation of special program for Indian social work education, Sask Indian Social Work Education Program (ISWEP) [Indigenous]   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.         | May 1976                   | 2016            | 40          | 0                  | 4  |
| 110 | 121 WM         | Educ Indig Po                    | 121      | Continuing Education                                    | *102. Creation of provincially-funded, Indian-controlled community college - Sask Indian Community College [Indigenous]  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.         | 1976                       | 2016            | 40          | 0                  | 4  |
| 111 | 125 SE         | Finn Po                          | 125      | Executive Council, later transferred to Dpt. of Finance | 132. Forecast revenues by building personal income tax model.  | 1st: Ontario<br>2nd: Sask (better)                           | 1976                       | Ongoing 2021    | 45          | 1                  | 5  |
| 112 | 126 SE         | Finn Po                          | 126      | Executive Council                                       | 133. Forecast economic activity by building a macroeconomic model.   | 1st: Sask.<br>Inadequate<br>2nd: Canada.<br>Only good model. | 1976                       | Ongoing 2021    | 45          | 1                  | 5  |
| 113 | 134 SE         | Ecd Po                           | 134      | SPC   | 9. SaskPower Research and Development began testing wind turbines west of Regina in 1976.  | DK   | 1976                       | Ongoing 2021    | 45          | 1                  | 5  |
| 114 | 165 WM         | Partin (governance) Po           | 165      | DNS   | Tribal council & Indigenous-controlled institutions included in an educational governance structure (Isle a la Cross & Creighton School Boards represented on NORTEP Board). <sup>5</sup> NORTEP was impactful. Indigenous. Keith Goulet | 1 <sup>st</sup> in Canada <sup>6</sup>                       | 1976 official <sup>7</sup> | 2017            | 41          | 0                  | 4  |
|     | 10             | 10<br>10<br>Policy<br>0<br>Admin |          |   |  |  |                            |                 |             | 0=7<br>1=3<br>T=10 | 0=1<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>x3=2<br>x4=3<br>x5=3              |

<sup>5</sup> The *Education Act* did not say this could happen. Source: Keith Goulet.

<sup>6</sup> Source: Keith Goulet

<sup>7</sup> Source: Keith Goulet. He says there was legislation in 1983.

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|            |                |               |          |   |   |   |                    |                 |             |                   | xxT=10   |
|            |                |               |          |   |   |   |                    |                 |             | Admin Termd: T=0  | Policy 0=1 1=1 2=0 T=2 3=2 4=3 T=5 5=3 GT= 10          |
|            | <b>1977:</b>   |               |          |   |   |   |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| <b>115</b> | 2 B            | Env Po        | 17       | Environment                               | 34. Review an entire policy area and industry through a public inquiry (Bayda Inquiry)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Cluff Lake Board of Inquiry 1977 | 1977               | 1979            | 2           | 0                 | 0  |
| <b>116</b> | 14 D           | Socl Po       | 9        | DNS                                       | 112. Use of local materials to build social housing. Support local business. -Buying locally also encouraged during 1990s (NDP govt). | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask                                  | 1977<br>+++        | 1994<br>1983    | 17<br>7     | 0                 | 0  |
| <b>117</b> | 23 D           | Occh Po       | 19       | Labour -New Deal for People 1971 platform | 47. Jail sentences for individuals convicted of offenses under the Occupational Health and Safety Act (two years).                    | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1977                             | 1977               | 1982            | 5           | 0                 | 0  |
| <b>118</b> | 24 D           | Occh Po       | 20       | Labour -New Deal for People 1971 platform | 48. Employers required to consult and co-operate with the Committee in the resolution of problems of health and safety.               | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1977                             | 1977               | 1982            | 5           | 0                 | 0  |
| <b>119</b> | 25 D           | Ecd Po        | 21       | Labour -New Deal for People 1971 platform | 49. Liability of directors and officials of corporations who knowingly participate in offenses committed by corporations.             | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 1977                             | 1977               | 1982            | 5           | 0                 | 0  |
| <b>120</b> | 38 D           | Partin Po     | 37       | Department of Environment                 | *97. Northerners [80-90% Indigenous] participate in both developing policy and making local resource development                      | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Bayda                            | 1977               | 1982            | 5           | 0                 | 0  |

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|     |                |               |          | t Cabinet          | decisions   |  |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| 121 | 94 RC          | Ecd Po        | 56       | SEDCO              | Saskatoon Research Park, later Innovation Place, a university-provincial-SEDCO partnership to create a science and technology campus at the University of Sask, mid-1970s. The Saskatchewan Economic Development Corporation (SEDCO) was established as a Sask Crown corporation in 1963 to foster economic development in Sask, primarily through commercial loans to provincial companies.  | Sask, University of Sask., private sector  | 1977               | 1995            | 18          | 0                 | 1  |
| 122 | 120 WM         | Educ Indig Po | 120      | DNS                | 108. Creation of special program for distance teacher education for Northern Aboriginal [Indigenous] people, Northern Teacher Education Program (NORTEP) and Northern Professional Access College (NORPAC), run by Aboriginal people. <b>Announced in 1976.</b> Northern Indigenous communities had recently taken over their own governance. Sponsorship for the program was provided by the Northern Lights School Division 41113, based in Prince Albert, Sask. 400 students graduated from NORTEP, 91% of whom are teaching in the North. Students who qualified for northern status but not treaty status had their tuition and books covered. Northlands listed tuition and books for the fall of 2017 at \$6,900. About 65 NORTEP students could have been affected by the transfer. <sup>8</sup> The Province said Northlands College took over mandate | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Now: Bits & pieces remain. Funding only restored (partially) for NORTEP & SUNTEP. | 1977               | July 31, 2017   | 40          | 0                 | 4  |

<sup>8</sup> NORTEP was impactful (Source: Keith Goulet).

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|     |                |               |          |                                      | for northern education. (Bridges, 2017). Partial funding restored (partially) to Northlands College for NORTEP & SUNTEP, not for other programs.   |  |                    |                        |              |                   |  |
| 123 | 127 SE         | Mgt Pr        | 127      | Labour                               | 159. Monitor collective bargaining, develop strategy for collective bargaining throughout the public sector and introduce collective bargaining throughout the public sector, with the exception of Order-in-Council appointments. | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1977<br>+++        | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 124 | 148 SE         | Labr Po       | 148      | Labour                               | *57. Paternity leave   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Canada, Un-employment program | 1977               | Ongoing 2021 Confirmed | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 125 | 149 SE         | Labr Po       | 149      | Labour                               | 58. Bereavement leave  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1977<br>+++        | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 126 | 160 SE         | Socl Po       | 160      | Attorney General Justice             | 87. Compulsory seat belt legislation.  | 1st: USA county 2nd: Ontario 3rd: Sask                                 | July 1 1977        | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 127 | 175 SE         | Finn Po       | 175      | Public Employees' Pension Plan, PEPP | 36. Address public sector unfunded liabilities (superannuation, WCB, crown corporations). Public Employees Pension Plan Act, The 1996  | 1st: Sask 1977 2nd: none as of 1997                                    | 1977               | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 128 | 176 SE         | Finn Po       | 176      | PEPP                                 | 137. Create a fully funded defined contribution (not defined benefit) public service superannuation plan (public service, teachers, SaskPower, SaskTel, other crown corporations, WCB).  | 1st: Sask 1977 2nd: Canada 2003  | 1977               | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |
| 129 | 177 SE         | Finn Po       | 177      | PEPP                                 | 138. Change public pensions from defined-benefit to defined contribution plans for new employees   | 1st: Sask  | 1977               | Ongoing 2021           | 44<br>S=2875 | 1                 | 5  |
| 130 | 178 SE         | Finn Po       | 178      | PEPP                                 | 139. Invest pensions in money markets.   | 1st: Sask 1977 2nd: Canada 2000  | 1977               | Ongoing 2021           | 44           | 1                 | 5  |

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| 131 | 182 SE         | Partin Pr                        | 182      | Departments                   | 151. Produce transcripts of hearings in plain language for environmental reviews (especially beneficial to northerners).  | 1st: Sask                                      | 1977               | Ongoing 2021    | 44          | 1                             | 5  |
|     | 17             | 17<br>15<br>Policy<br>2<br>Admin |          |                               |   |  |                    |                 |             | 0=8<br>1=9<br>T=17            | 0=6<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>4=1<br>5=9<br>T=17                           |
|     |                |                                  |          |                               |   |  |                    |                 |             | Admin<br>Termd:<br>5=2<br>T=2 | Policy<br>0=6<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>T=7<br>3=0<br>4=1<br>T=1<br>5=7<br>GT= 15 |
|     | <b>1978:</b>   |                                  |          |                               |   |  |                    |                 |             |                               |  |
| 132 | 7 D            | Mgt Po                           | 1        | Crown Corporation s           | 1. Policy: Govt as "manager" of the economy   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Japan 2 <sup>nd</sup> : Sask | 1978               | 1982            | 4           | 0                             | 0  |
| 133 | 8 D            | Mgt Po                           | 2        | CIC                           | *2. Monitor economic development of province through Crown corporations & CIC   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask                         | 1978               | 1982            | 4           | 0                             | 0  |
| 134 | 11 D           | Ecd Po                           | 6        | SED, a crown corporation (cc) | Create SED, a crown corporation high-tech firm in Saskatoon jointly owned by the province, the University of Saskatchewan, and its employees; a sophisticated research company. | Initiated by professors at UoS                 | 1978               | 1987            | 9           | 0                             | 0  |



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| 135 | 12 D           | Ecd Po        | 7        | SED, a crown corporation | Support development of high-tech industry: SED   |                                  | 1978                                 | 1987   | 9           | 0                 | 0  |
| 136 | 17 D           | Env Po        | 12       | Environment              | *28. Environmental protection legislation—air  | Sask                             | 1978                                 | 1986/ (2012)                                     | 8/(34)      | 0                 | 0/(3)  |
| 137 | 27 D           | Finn Po       | 25       | Finance pensions acts    | 61. Legislated locking-in of all pension benefits.<br>Pension Benefits Act, 1978<br>Legislation records:<br>4. between Mar 1, 1986 and Dec 31, 1992 (missing)<br>3. between Jul 9, 1982 and Feb 28, 1986 (missing)<br>2. between Jul 1, 1981 and Jul 8, 1982 (missing)<br>1. between Feb 26, 1979 and Jun 30, 1981 (past) (available)<br>Pension Benefits Act, 1992<br>= The Pension Benefits Act, 1992<br><b>“Locking in</b><br><b>29(1)</b> Except as otherwise provided in this Act or the regulations, no person entitled to a pension may withdraw or surrender during his or her lifetime any pension, any interest in a pension or any commuted value of a pension, and any transaction that purports to effect such a withdrawal or surrender is void.<br>(2) Subsection (1) applies to all commuted values that are locked in pursuant to the former Act.”<br>The Pension Benefits Regulations, 1993<br>Current:<br>Pension Plan Act 2015<br><b>Contributions permanently vested</b><br><b>12(1)</b> Subject to subsection (2), section 12.1, subsection 13(5) and sections 14, | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask June 1980 | Leg'd 1978<br>In force Feb. 26, 1979 | June 30, 1981<br><br>Reinstated (successor) 1992 | 2 years     | 0                 | 0  |

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|     |                |                |           |   | 16 and 19.1, all contributions made by or on behalf of a participant pursuant to this Act, other than overcontributions, together with the accumulated earnings on those contributions, are <b>permanently vested</b> [note: not locked in] and shall be used for the sole purpose of providing a life annuity or other prescribed pension benefit to the participant pursuant to section 13. 1992 legislation introduced a guaranteed minimum monthly amount. |   |                         |                 |             |                   |  |
| 138 | 28 D           | Labr Po        | 26        | CIC                                     | *64. Workers appointed to Board of Potash Corporation-Step in the direction of Industrial Democracy.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1978                    | 1982            | 4           | 0                 | 0  |
| 139 | 34 D           | Other Indig Po | 33        | Sask Housing                            | 113. Urban Native Housing -federal-provincial agreement. Expected renewal but for 5-6 years only.<br>-1986 new agreemt neg'd<br>-Abt 1995 fed. govt w/drew from funding social housing.<br>-There was also a Rural and Native Housing Program.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask & Canada<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain. | 1978                    | 1985            | 7           | 0                 | 0  |
| 140 | 35 D           | Other Indig Po | 34        | Executive Council                       | *93. Policy: Comprehensive social development program for Indian and Metis [Indigenous] people (based on their participation and general consultation)<br>-or maybe Smishek became responsible as of 1978??  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1978<br>+++<br>Not sure | 1986            | 8           | 0                 | 0  |
| 141 | 36 D           | Other Indig Po | 35        | Minister responsible for Status Indians | *94. Permit Indian [Indigenous] groups to take the lead in determining programs which should be created and financed by province for them  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1978<br>+++             | 1982            | 4           | 0                 | 0  |

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| 142 | 60 D           | Agri Po       | 61       | Agriculture                        | *25. Hog price stabilization program (SHARP)   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>2nd: Alberta<br>3rd: Manitoba<br>4th: B.C.<br>5th: Remaining provS with sig hog product'n | 1978               | March 31 1991   | 13          | 0                 | 1  |
| 143 | 78 SE          | SocL Po       | 157      | Social Services                    | 74. Comprehensive province-wide home care program, funded and run by Dpt. of Social Services.<br>-to serve disabled (& those leaving hospital, in poor health, injured outside the workplace).<br>-by 2010-11 transferred to Health Authorities. Did not appear in Estimates otherwise.<br>-by at least 2016-17 became "Seniors Personal Care Home Benefit".<br>-also listed under Health, 157 | 1st: Manitoba 1974<br>2nd: Sask 1978  | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |
| 144 | 123 SE         | Mgt Po        | 123      | CIC                                | 147. +Create a holding company to hold the equity of (almost) all crown corporations.  | 1st: Sask   | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |
| 145 | 124 SE         | Mgt Po        | 124      | Crown Investments Corporation, CIC | *3. Create a holding company for all commercial crown corporations and most provincial investment in the private sector.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask  | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |
| 146 | 128 SE         | Mgt Po        | 128      | CIC                                | Create Crown Investments Corporation (CIC) to manage the new economic policy & especially the resource development crowns. Scope of the operation, complexities of the crown sector an innovation in the late 1970s.   |   | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |

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| 147 | 130 SE         | Finn Po       | 130      | CIC                           | *4. Policy: Establish different expectations of different kinds of Crown corporations: Commercial and resource crowns should make a profit while others were not expected to do so.   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask             | 1978                | Ongoing 2021                           | 43           | 1                 | 5  |
| 148 | 132 SE         | Finn Pr       | 131      | Crown Investments Corporation | Prepare and publish a consolidated financial statement for the operations of the commercial crown corporations  | 1 <sup>st</sup>                    | 1978                | Ongoing 2021                           | 43           | 1                 | 5  |
| 149 | 133 SE         | Finn Pr       | 132      | Crown Investments Corporation | Prepare and publish a consolidated statement for the financial positions of all crown corporations  | 1 <sup>st</sup> in Canada Dec 1978 | 1978                | Ongoing 2021                           | 43           | 1                 | 5  |
| 150 | 135 SE         | Ecd Po        | 135      | SaskTel                       | Construction of a Saskatchewan fibre optics network, Sask Telecommunications (SaskTel). . Had begun in 1979. In 1984 SaskTel completed construction of the world's longest commercial fibre optics network.   |                                    | 1978                | Ongoing 2021                           | 43           | 1                 | 5  |
| 151 | 150 SE         | Labr Po       | 150      | Labour                        | *59. Two consecutive days off, subject to a more mutually acceptable arrangement to be agreed to by the employee and employer (this is regulated)   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask             | 1978 <sup>+++</sup> | Ongoing 2021- <sup>+++</sup> Confirmed | 43           | 1                 | 5  |
| 152 | 151 SE         | Labr Po       | 151      | Labour                        | 60. Worker could not be discharged for activities or involvement as a member of an Occupational Health and Safety Committee   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask             | 1978 <sup>+++</sup> | Ongoing 2021 <sup>+++</sup> Confirmed  | 43<br>S=1715 | 1                 | 5  |
| 153 | 157 SE         | Socl Po       | 157      | Social Services               | 74. Comprehensive province-wide home care program, funded and run by Dpt. of Social Services.<br>-to serve those leaving hospital, in ill health or injured (& disabled: see above)<br>-by 2010-11 transferred to Health Authorities. Did not appear in Estimates | 1st: Manitoba 1974 2nd: Sask 1978  | 1978                | Ongoing 2021                           | 43           | 1                 | 5  |

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|     |                |               |          |                    | otherwise.<br>-by at least 2016-17 became "Seniors Personal Care Home Benefit".  |   |                    |                 |             |                   |  |
| 154 | 168 SE         | HumanR Po     | 168      | Attorney General   | 116. Unified Family Court UFCs were piloted in four jurisdictions: Hamilton, Ontario (1977), Saskatoon, Saskatchewan (1978), Fredericton, New Brunswick (1979), and St. John's, Newfoundland (1979). After each of these pilot projects received favorable evaluation results, the UFCs in these jurisdictions became permanent. Since then, UFCs have been maintained or expanded within the original four provinces and have been introduced in Prince Edward Island, Manitoba and Nova Scotia. There are currently 39 UFCs in operation in seven provinces. Sask. has 2 locations: Stoon & P.A. | Shared fed-prov jurisdicn. 1974 Law Reform Commission of Canada recommended UFC model. 1st: Ont 1977 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sask January 1978 pilot, then institutionalized 3 <sup>RD</sup> : N.B 1979 4 <sup>TH</sup> : Nfld Institutionalized: -Ontario-1994 -Man-abt 1996 | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |
| 155 | 169 SE         | HumanR Po     | 169      | Attorney General   | 117. Lower age of majority from 19 to 18.  | 1st: Sask 1972?? The Age of Majority Act Being Chapter A-6 of The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1978  | 1978               | Ongoing 2021    | 43          | 1                 | 5  |

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|            | 24             | 24<br>22<br>Policy<br>2<br>Admin |          |                           |  |   |                    |                 |             | 0=11<br>1=13<br>T=24          | 0=10<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>4=0<br>5=13<br>xT=24                         |
|            |                |                                  |          |                           |  |   |                    |                 |             | Admin<br>Termd:<br>5=2<br>T=2 | Policy<br>0=10<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>T=11<br>3=0<br>4=0<br>T=0<br>5=11<br>T=22 |
|            | <b>1979:</b>   |                                  |          |                           |  |   |                    |                 |             |                               |   |
| <b>156</b> | 16<br>D        | Agri<br>Po                       | 11       | Agriculture               | *26. Program for enhanced applied farm research, based on farmer involvement and self-help principles (Farm Lab), administered by UoS      | 1st: Sask<br>February 26,<br>1979                       | 1979               | 1987<br>+++     | 8           | 0                             | 0   |
| <b>157</b> | 45<br>D        | Mgt<br>Pr                        | 45       | Several dpts              | 154. +One-stop entry into all provincial govt (especially regulatory) requirements for development projects (interdepartmental committee). | 1st: Sask   | 1979               | 1982            | 3           | 0                             | 0   |
| <b>158</b> | 46<br>D        | Mgt<br>Pr                        | 46       | Public Service Commission | 158. Establish an executive development program.   | 1st: Canada<br>2nd: Sask                                | 1979<br>+++        | 1986<br>+++     | 7           | 0                             | 0   |
| <b>159</b> | 102<br>RC      | Health<br>Dpt.<br>Po             | 101      | Health                    | 82. Establish Health Research Fund   | 1st: Alberta<br>2nd: Sask<br>April 1979<br>3rd: Ontario | 1979               | 2002            | 23          | 0                             | 2   |
| <b>160</b> | 136<br>SE      | Ecd<br>Po                        | 136      | SaskTel                   | 16. Fibre optics network created by Sask Telecommunications, SaskTel   | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask                                  | 1979               | Ongoing<br>2021 | 42          | 1                             | 5   |

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| 161 | 154 SE         | Socl Po       | 154      | WCB & Social Services | 73. Workers' Compensation Board insurance converted from insurance of injured body parts to mixed income replacement and insurance program.  | 1st: Sask 1979<br>2nd: all other provinces   | 1979   | Ongoing 2021    | 42          | 1                 | 5  |
| 162 | 155 SE         | Labr Po       | 155      | Labour                | 68. Govt can only end a strike through an act of the Legislature (not an Order-in-Council, OIC) (affects right to strike)  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask 2 <sup>nd</sup> : none  | 1979 <sup>+++</sup>                          | Ongoing 2021    | 42          | 1                 | 5  |
| 163 | 112 WM         | Envt Po       | 111      | Environment           | <p>Fund creation of 2 more independent; jointly funded and run municipal-university- and provincially-funded urban parks with a statutory land and financial base.</p> <p>-Wascana Centre, 1908/12, incorporated 1962. Province took it over, 2017 budget. 1962-2017: 55 years.</p> <p>-Some no longer get any provincial \$:</p> <p>-Wakamow, Moose Jaw, 1981-2017, for sure. If true, why are there Prov. Reps on the Bd of Directors??</p> <p>-Meewasin Valley Authority Act, Saskatoon, 1979-2017.</p> <p>Created in 1979 by an Act of the GoS, The Meewasin Valley Authority Act. Meewasin is a non-profit organization dedicated to conserving the cultural &amp; natural resources of the South Sask. River Valley.</p> <p>Three participating parties (City of Saskatoon, Government of Saskatchewan, and University of Saskatchewan manage the Meewasin Valley.</p> <p>-4 GoS reps .</p> <p><a href="https://meewasin.com/about/">https://meewasin.com/about/</a></p> | <p>1<sup>st</sup>: Sask Wascana Centre 1962</p> <p>2<sup>nd</sup>: Meewasin Valley Authority, Saskatoon, 1979</p> <p>3<sup>rd</sup>: Wakamow Valley Authority, 1981.</p> | Meewas in 1979: 38<br>Wakamow 36<br>Mean: 37 | 2017            | 37          | 0                 | 3  |
| 164 | 131 SE         | Finn Pr       | 133      | CIC                   | Standardize fiscal periods of Crown corporations. Saskatchewan one of few jurisdictions to standardize fiscal periods of Crown corporations.   | Among 1st three  | 1979   | Ongoing 2021    | 42          | 1                 | 5  |

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| 165 | 166 SE         | HumanR Po                        | 166      | Attorney General                           | 114. Human Rights Code Saskatchewan had been the first Canadian government to introduce bill of rights, in 1953, which was passed unanimously by the Legislature. Canada introduced one in 1977 & Saskatchewan amalgamated is related human rights legislation into a new Code in 1979. | 1st: Ont 1962<br>Canada 1977<br>2nd: Sask<br>May 1979 | 1979               | Ongoing 2021    | 42<br><br>Sum=2383 | 1  | 5  |
| 166 | 173 SE         | Envtpo                           | 173      | Environment 2021: Parks, Culture and Sport | 123. Comprehensive heritage program ("rainy day fund")  | 1st: Sask 1979  | 1979               | Ongoing 2021    | 42                 | 1  | 5  |
| 167 | 174 SE         | Finpo                            | 174      | Finance                                    | 129. Long Term Fiscal Accounting  | 1st: Sask   | 1979<br>+++        | Ongoing 2021    | 42                 | 1  | 5  |
| 168 | 181 SE         | Finpo                            | 181      | CIC  | 148. Standardize fiscal periods in whole crown corporation sector.  | 1st: Sask   | 1979               | Ongoing 2021    | 42                 | 1  | 5  |
|     | 13             | 13<br>10<br>Policy<br>3<br>Admin |          |  |   |   |                    |                 |                    | 0=5<br>1=8<br>T=13                                 | 0=3<br>2=1<br>3=1<br>5=8<br>T=13                         |
|     |                |                                  |          |  |   |   |                    |                 |                    | Admin<br>Termd:<br>0=2<br>T=2<br>T=0<br>5=1<br>T=3 | Policy<br>0=1<br>2=1<br>T=2<br>3=1<br>T=1<br>5=7<br>T=10 |
|     | <b>1980:</b>   |                                  |          |  |   |   |                    |                 |                    |  |  |
| 169 | 30 D           | Health Dpt. Po                   | 28       | Health                                     | *79. Implement federal Lalonde Report – focus on prevention (demonstration programs of preventive health  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask                                | 1980               | 1986            | 6                  | 0  | 0  |



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|     |                |               |          |                     | initiatives-pilots)  |                        |   |                 |             |                   |  |
| 170 | 103 RC         | Socl Po       | 102      | Intergovtal Affairs | *95. Private sector employment equity program (for Indian and native [Indigenous] people), required as condition of approval of development of Cluff Lake uranium mine.  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask | 1980                                    | 2002            | 22          | 0                 | 3  |
| 171 | 104 RC         | Socl Po       | 103      | Cabinet Environment | 156. +Non-government employment equity program (for Northerners, Cluff Lake & Key Lake uranium mines. It has been decommissioned. <a href="https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cluff_Lake_mine">https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cluff_Lake_mine</a>  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask | 1980                                    | 2002 Cluff Lake | 22          | 0                 | 3  |
| 172 | 183 D          | Socl Po       | 183      | Cabinet Environment | 31.Private sector employment equity program (for Indian and native people, since 80-90% of the DNS population was Indigenous) (Key Lake Uranium mine, 1983-1999). <sup>9</sup> Nearby McArthur River opened 1999 <a href="https://www.cameco.com/businesses/uranium-operations/canada/mcarthur-river-key-lake">https://www.cameco.com/businesses/uranium-operations/canada/mcarthur-river-key-lake</a> <sup>10</sup> -often not achieved | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sask   | Key Lake approved 1980, same conditions | 1999            | 19          | 0                 | 1  |

<sup>9</sup> Mining of this ore ceased in the late 1990s; the Key Lake mill now processes uranium ore from the McArthur River mine and from existing stockpiles on site. High-grade ore from McArthur River is blended with lower grade local rock before being passed through the mill. In addition, ammonium sulfate fertilizer is produced as a byproduct from used reagents. The pits of the mined out local deposits are being used as mill tailings management facilities. [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Key\\_Lake\\_mine](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Key_Lake_mine) Currently owned by Cameco.

<sup>10</sup> Jan. 30, 2023: The Key Lake mine is mined out. The mill continues to operate onsite, currently employing approximately 730 people, more than half of which are of Indigenous heritage. Cameco owns the site. It was closed is planning additional hiring for the sites going forward and is striving for a year-end workforce that has a higher representation of women and Indigenous people than from pre-shutdown levels. <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/news-and-media/2022/november/28/operations-resume-at-camecos-mcarthur-river-uranium-mine-and-key-lake-mill> The nearby McArthur River Uranium Mine/Key Lake site is the world's largest high-grade uranium mine. It is still required to hire 50% northerners but is not likely to be meeting the 50% requirement. It has never been easily or totally met. When there are shutdowns (e.g. production was suspended at McArthur River and Key Lake for approximately four years beginning in January 2018 due to persistent weakness in the global uranium market), for short or longer periods, reopening requires different skills than operations. Northerners are not always involved in the reopening work.

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| 173 | 1 B            | Mgt Pr                  | 3        | Crown Investments Corporation, CIC | *5. Crown corporation advertising campaign  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask   | 1980               | 1980                   | 1           | 0                  | 0  |
| 174 | 108 WM         | Educ Indig Po           | 107      | Education                          | 99. Fund creation of a school program to enhance involvement of aboriginal [Indigenous] parents in their children's schooling.              | 1st: Manitoba<br>2nd: Sask<br>1980   | 1980               | 2016 Privatized to NGO | 36          | 0                  | 3  |
| 175 | 109 WM         | Educ Indig Po           | 108      | Continuing Education               | *106. Fund creation of provincially funded, Metis-controlled post-secondary educational institution (Gabriel Dumont Institute) [Indigenous] | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask<br>1975-78<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.                                    | 1980               | 2016                   | 36          | 0                  | 3  |
| 176 | 110 WM         | Educ Indig Po           | 109      | Continuing Education               | *107. Fund creation of special program for teacher education for Aboriginal [Indigenous] residents of urban centres (SUNTEP).               | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Sept. 20, 1980<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.<br>-2016 sme prov. \$ restored | 1980               | 2016 Successor         | 36          | 0                  | 3  |
| 177 | 111 WM         | Other Indig Po          | 110      | Attorney General                   | 110. Fund creation of Indian (Native) court workers program (now Aboriginal [Indigenous] courtworker program).                              | 1st: Sask<br>Now: Bits & pieces remain.  | 1980               | 2016                   | 36          | 0                  | 3  |
| 178 | 142 SE         | Env Po                  | 142      | Environment                        | 35. Create ecological reserves.   | 1st: Sask June 1980  | 1980               | Ongoing 2021           | 41          | 1                  | 5  |
| 179 | 140 SE         | Env Po                  | 140      | Environment                        | Create a Sask Environmental Policy  |  | 1980               | Ongoing 2021           | 41          | 1                  | 5  |
| 180 | 161 SE         | Socl Po                 | 161      | Attorney General                   | 120. Equal sharing of family property between husband and wife -1998 court case created an exception. It is not widely used.                | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask May 1979  | 1980               | Ongoing 2021           | 41          | 1                  | 5  |
|     | 12             | 12<br>11<br>Policy<br>1 |          |                                    |   |  |                    |                        |             | 0=9<br>1=3<br>T=12 | 0=2<br>1=1<br>3=6<br>5=3                               |

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|------------|----------------|----------------|----------|--------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------------|--|
|            |                | Admin          |          |                    |   |                                  |                    |                 |             |                      | T=12   |
|            |                |                |          |                    |   |                                  |                    |                 |             | Admin Termd: 0=1 T=1 | Policy 0=2 1=1 T=3 3=6 T=6 5=3 T=12                    |
|            | <b>1981:</b>   |                |          |                    |   |                                  |                    |                 |             |                      |  |
| <b>181</b> | 31 D           | Health Dpt. Po | 29       | Health             | 85. Capitation fee for provincial dental program administered by the College of Dental Surgeons which paid dentists in private practice a fee for service (to fund care for adolescents transferred from the SDP to dentists in private practice).  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask Sept 1981 | 1981               | 1987            | 6           | 0                    | 0  |
| <b>182</b> | 10 D           | Ecd Po         | 5        | Sask Minerals      | Saskatchewan Minerals crown corporation major sodium sulphate expansion 1981.<br>-Crown corporation created 1948 to mine sodium sulphate, Saskatchewan Minerals (Sask Minerals).<br><a href="https://saskatchewanminingandminerals.com/company-overview/">https://saskatchewanminingandminerals.com/company-overview/</a><br>-Chaplin, Fox Valley<br>-Saskatchewan Minerals started construction of a plant at Ingebrigt in 1966, producing a higher grade, commonly called detergent grade.<br>-1981 Saskatchewan Minerals purchased Sybouts, located near Gladmar, Sask. The plants at Bishopric, |                                  | 1947 estd<br>1981  | 1988            | 7           | 0                    | 0  |

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|            |                |                                |           |                    | <p>Chaplin &amp; Sybouts produced salt cake grade.<br/>                     -privatized 1988.<br/>                     - In <b>1984</b>, Saskatchewan Minerals closed its low-grade sodium sulphate plants at Mossbank and Gladmar, and introduced state-of-the-art equipment at its Chaplin plant, which enabled production of detergent-grade sodium sulphate.<br/>                     - Saskatchewan is a world leader in naturally produced sodium sulphate, currently producing 6% of the total world supply. The four major companies extracting sodium sulphate in the province are Goldcorp Inc., Millar Western Industries, Ormiston Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd., and SOTEC Products Ltd.</p> <p>Sodium Sulphate - University of Regina</p> <p><a href="https://esask.uregina.ca/modules/custom">https://esask.uregina.ca/modules/custom</a></p> |                        |                    |                  |             |                        |  |
|            | 2              | 2<br>2<br>Policy<br>0<br>Admin |           |                    |   |                        |                    |                  |             | 0=2<br>1=0<br>T=2      | 0=2<br>1=0<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>4=0<br>5=0<br>T=2          |
|            |                |                                |           |                    |   |                        |                    |                  |             | Admin<br>Termd:<br>T=0 | Policy<br>0=2<br>T=2                                   |
|            | <b>1982:</b>   |                                |           |                    |   |                        |                    |                  |             |                        |  |
| <b>183</b> | 113<br>RC      | Labr<br>Po                     | 113       | Labour             | 62.Public servants' & crown corporations' pensions fully funded by  | 1 <sup>st</sup> : Sask | 1982               | 1988<br>transfer | 39<br>44    | 0                      | 1  |

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|--|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------|---|----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--|
|  |                      |                                |          |                               | government and employee 50-50 contributions for new employees coming into the public service and for teachers' pension funds<br>-came into effect 1982.<br>-Initially invested by the GoS<br>-Privatized, now known as Public Employees Pension Plan, PEPP. |                      |                               | red to CIC. Privatized in 1994. | 6<br>14     |                                 |  |
|  | 1                    | 1<br>1<br>Policy<br>0<br>Admin |          |                               |   |                      |                               |                                 |             | 0=1<br>1=0<br>T=1               | 0=0<br>1=1<br>2=0<br>3=0<br>4=0<br>T=1                 |
| <b>Could have been included but was not:</b> |                      |                                |          |                               |   |                      |                               |                                 |             |                                 |  |
| 184  |                      | HumanR                         |          | Executive Council             | Flexible Working Hours  | 1                    | Pilot 1974 under Dwayne Adams |                                 |             |                                 | 5  |
| 185  |                      |                                |          | Agriculture                   | Crop Development Centre   |                      |                               |                                 |             |                                 | 5  |
|  | <b>Total 40+ yrs</b> |                                | 183      | T=183                         | WM 17<br>SE 60  |                      |                               |                                 |             |                                 |  |
|  | <b>Total 40+ yrs</b> |                                | 183      |                               | <b>Total Terminated:</b><br>B 6                  WallM 17<br>D 86<br>RC 14 <b>Total 123</b><br><b>Survival:            Ongoing 60</b><br><b>Grand Total 183</b>   |                      |                               |                                 |             |                                 |  |
|  | <b>Grand Total</b>   |                                |          | <b>Termin:</b><br><b>Ecc:</b> | <b>Terminations:</b><br>B=6                  RC=14  |                      |                               |                                 |             | <b>0= 123</b><br><b>(67.2%)</b> | <b>0=45</b><br><b>1=52</b>                             |

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|-----|----------------|---------------|-----------|--|---|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|--|---|
|     |                |               |           | Ecd 17/21<br>Agrl 8/10<br>Envt 9/15<br>Labr 11/20<br>Occh 7/7<br>52/x73<br><br><b>Soc:</b><br>Educn 8/8<br>Educ indig 10/10<br>Other Indig 7/7<br>Health Dpt 9/12<br>Socl 14/20<br>HumanR 1/8<br>49/65<br><br><b>Admin:</b><br>Partin 4/10<br>Finn 6/19<br>Mgt 12/x16<br>22/45<br>123/183<br><br>Term 123<br>Surv 60<br><b>T=183</b> | D=86<br>WM=17<br><i>T terms= 123</i><br><br><i>Survived (censored, SE):</i><br><i>T Surv=60</i><br><br><b>Grand Total = 183</b> |                      |                    |                 |             | <b>1=60 (32.8%)</b><br><b>T=183</b><br><br><b>Policy:</b><br>169<br><b>Admin:</b><br>7+7=14<br><b>GT=169+</b><br><b>14=183</b> | <b>2=5</b><br><b>3=10</b><br><b>4=11</b><br><b>T=123</b><br><b>5=60</b><br><b>GT= 183</b> |

**Abbreviations:** agriculture=agrl, censored = censd, economic development=ecd, education=educn, envt=environment, financial=Fin, health= Health Dpt., human rights=HumanR, Indigenous education= Educ Indig , Indigenous=other Indig, labour=labr, management=mgt, occupational health & safety=occh, participation & communication=Partin, po=policy, pr=process innovations, Prem=Premier(s): B=Alan Blakeney, D=Grant Devine, Govt=government, RC=Roy Romanow & Lorne Calvert, WM=Brad Wall & Scott Moe, SE=Still exists, social=socl, right censored, survd=survived; T=Total.

**Surv decades** (Survival/Termination decades): 0=<10, 1=10-<20, 2=20-<30, 3=30-<40, 4=40+

**Notes:**

Implemented=Legislation passed, appeared in Supplementary Estimates, Estimates, annual report. Not: Announced.

Terminated (USGM, 2020) includes name change, transfer to a different department/ministry, large reduction in funding, privatization, disappeared from GoS documents. The United States Government Manual (USGM) defines termination the same way but does not mention privatization.

Terminated: 0=123; i.e., 2/3 terminated. Survived=60, 1/3 survived.

\* Innovations discussed in Glor, 1997 or Glor, 2002.

+ Terminologies to describe Indigenous people have changed over time. At the time (1971-82), the terms Indian, Native and Métis were used. Subsequently, Aboriginal was used, and now (2023) Indigenous.

A policy innovation involves a new policy or program. Process: involves a new process/administrative process/organization.

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