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The committee met at 0900 in committee room 1.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): Good morning, everyone. The Standing Committee on Heritage, Infrastructure and Cultural Policy will now come to order. We are joined by staff from legislative research, Hansard and broadcast and recording.

Please wait until I recognize you before starting to speak, and as always, all comments should go through the Chair. Are there any questions before we begin? Okay.

On today's agenda is committee business. Are there any motions? MPP Thanigasalam.

Mr. Vijay Thanigasalam: Good morning, Chair. I move that the committee enter closed session for the purpose of organizing committee business.

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): MPP Thanigasalam has moved a motion. Any discussion or debate? Seeing none, we will now go into—

Interjection.

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): I looked and asked. Oh, MPP Bell. We got your breath.

Ms. Jessica Bell: Right. Why are we going into closed session? What's the benefit?

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): Any further discussion or debate?

Ms. Jessica Bell: Since you're calling for it—don't you think the public wants to know how we're discussing this and why?

Okay. I'd like a recorded vote.

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): You'd like a recorded vote?

Ms. Jessica Bell: Yes.

Ayes

Coe, Holland, Pang, Rae, Laura Smith, Thanigasalam.

Nays

Burch, McMahon.

The Chair (Ms. Laurie Scott): Seeing the majority, we will go into closed session. We'll give the Clerk a few minutes just to make adjustments.

The committee continued in closed session at 0904.

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