

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS (2011)

	Text of Motion	Sponsor	Dates Debated	Disposition
1	Be it resolved that the Speech of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor to this Assembly be taken into consideration on Wednesday, February 23, 2011	Hon. Mr. Stelmach	February 22, 2011	Agreed to
2	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly resolve into Committee of the Whole, when called, to consider certain Bills on the Order Paper.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 23, 2011	Agreed to
3	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly resolve into Committee of Supply, when called, to consider supply to be granted to Her Majesty.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 23, 2011	Agreed to
4	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), the Assembly shall meet in Committee of Supply for consideration of the 2010-11 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund on the evening of Monday, February 28, 2011, commencing at 7:30 p.m.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 23, 2011	Agreed to
5	Be it resolved that this motion apply for the consideration of the 2011-12 Main Estimates: (See the Votes and Proceedings dated February 23, 2011)	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 23, 2011	Agreed to
6	Be it resolved that the Message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the 2010-11 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to Committee of Supply.	Hon. Mr. Snelgrove	February 24, 2011	Agreed to
7	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 61(2), the number of days that Committee of Supply will be called to consider the 2010-11 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund shall be one day.	Hon. Mr. Snelgrove	February 24, 2011	Agreed to
8	Be it resolved that the Assembly approve in general the business plans and fiscal policies of the Government.	Hon. Mr. Snelgrove	February 24, 2011 March 1, 2011	Adjourned debate Adjourned debate
9	Be it resolved that the following changes to: A. the Standing Committee on Private Bills be approved; B. the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be approved; C. the Standing Committee on Members' Services be approved; D. the Standing Committee on Health be approved; E. the Standing Committee on Resources and Environment be approved; F. the Standing Committee on the Economy be approved; G. the Standing Committee on the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund be approved;(See the Votes and Proceedings dated February 23, 2011)	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 23, 2011	Agreed to
10	Be it resolved that the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of the Assembly as are members of Executive Council.	Hon. Mr. Stelmach	March 14, 2011	Agreed to

11	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge all Members of the Canadian House of Commons to pass Bill C-619, An Act to Amend the Canadian Wheat Board Act (notice of opting out and licence for activities), allowing western Canadian producers to opt out of participating in the Canadian Wheat Board thereby giving Alberta farmers the choice to market their product as they choose.	Hon. Mr. Hayden	March 15, 2011	Agreed to
12	Be it resolved that: 1. The Standing Committee on Public Safety and Services be deemed to be the special committee of the Assembly for the purpose of conducting a comprehensive review of the Lobbyists Act, as provided for in section 21 of that Act; 2. The committee must commence its review of the Lobbyists Act no later than September 28, 2011, and must submit its report to the Assembly within one year of commencing its review including any amendments recommended by the committee; 3. No additional remuneration shall be provided to the members of the committee for the purpose of conducting this review.	Hon. Mr. Olson		Not required
13	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), commencing Wednesday, April 20, 2011, following the vote on the main estimates and the report from Committee of Supply, the Assembly shall meet for consideration of government business and thereafter shall meet on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings for the remainder of the 2011 Spring sitting unless, on motion by the Government House Leader made before 6:00 p.m., which may be made orally and without notice, the Assembly is adjourned to the following sitting day.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	April 14, 2011	Agreed to
14	Be it resolved that: 1. The Standing Committee on Legislative Offices be deemed to be the special committee of the Assembly for the purpose of conducting a comprehensive review of the Lobbyists Act, as provided for in section 21 of that Act; 2. The committee must commence its review of the Lobbyists Act no later than September 28, 2011, and must submit its report to the Assembly within one year of commencing its review including any amendments recommended by the committee; 3. No additional remuneration shall be provided to the members of the committee for the purpose of conducting this review.	Hon. Mr. Olson	April 20, 2011	Agreed to
15	Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 10, Alberta Land Stewardship Amendment Act, 2011, is resumed, not more than five hours shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	April 27, 2011	Agreed to on division
16	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 3(9), the 2011 Spring Sitting of the Assembly shall stand adjourned upon the Government House Leader advising the Assembly that the business for the sitting is concluded.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	May 10, 2011	Agreed to
17	Be it resolved that a Select Special Information and Privacy Commissioner Search Committee of the Legislative Assembly be appointed, consisting of the following members, namely . . . (See the Votes and Proceedings dated May 11, 2011)	Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky	May 11, 2011	Agreed to

18	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly confirm the appointment by the Lieutenant Governor in Council of Peter Hourihan as Ombudsman and concur in the report of the Select Special Ombudsman Search Committee.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	October 25, 2011	Agreed to
19	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 3(9), the Assembly stand adjourned at the conclusion of the October 25, 2011, sitting and reconvene on November 21, 2011.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	October 25, 2011	Agreed to on division
20	Be it resolved that the following changes to: A. the Standing Committee on the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund be approved: B. the Standing Committee on Legislative Offices be approved: C. the Standing Committee on Private Bills be approved: D. the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing be approved: E. the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be approved: F. the Standing Committee on Members' Services be approved: (See the Votes and Proceedings dated October 25, 2011)	Hon. Mr. Hancock	October 25, 2011	Agreed to
21	Be it resolved that the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta be amended in Standing Order 52.01 by striking out suborder (1) and substituting the following: 52.01(1) At the commencement of the first session of each Legislature, 5 Policy Field Committees, consisting of 11 members each, shall be established to consider the following subject areas: (a) Standing Committee on Community Development – mandate related to the areas of municipal affairs, tourism, parks and recreation, and culture and community services; (b) Standing Committee on Education – mandate related to the areas of education and advanced education and technology; (c) Standing Committee on Energy – mandate related to the areas of intergovernmental, international and aboriginal relations, sustainable resource development, environment and water, agriculture and rural development, and energy; (d) Standing Committee on Finance – mandate related to the areas of finance, treasury board and enterprise, Service Alberta, transportation, and infrastructure; (e) Standing Committee on Public Health and Safety – mandate related to the areas of health and wellness, justice and attorney general, solicitor general and public security, human services, and seniors.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	October 25, 2011	Agreed to
22	Be it resolved that the following Members be appointed to the Assembly's five Standing Committees: . . . (See the Votes and Proceedings dated October 25, 2011)	Hon. Mr. Hancock	October 25, 2011	Agreed to
23	Be it resolved that the Message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the 2011-12 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to Committee of Supply.	Hon. Mr. Horner	November 22, 2011	Agreed to

24	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 61(2), the number of days that Committee of Supply will be called to consider the 2011-12 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund shall be one day.	Hon. Mr. Horner	November 22, 2011	Agreed to
25	Be it resolved that the following changes to the Standing Committee on Legislative Offices be approved: that Mr. Blackett replace Mr. Mitzel as Chair, that Mr. Ouellette replace Mr. Mitzel.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 22, 2011	Agreed to
26	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), beginning November 22, 2011, the Assembly shall meet on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings for consideration of government business for the remainder of the 2011 Fall Sitting unless, on motion by the Government House Leader made before 6:00 p.m., which may be made orally and without notice, the Assembly is adjourned to the following sitting day.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 22, 2011	Agreed to
27	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 3(9), the schedule for the 2011 Fall Sitting (as outlined in the calendar published pursuant to Standing Order 3) be modified to allow for the Fall Sitting to be extended beyond the first Thursday in December until such time as, or when, the Government House Leader advises the Assembly that the business for the sitting is concluded and at such time the Assembly stands adjourned.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 30, 2011	Agreed to
28	Be it resolved that the following changes to the Standing Committee on Education be approved: that Ms Pastoor replace Mr. Zwozdesky, that Ms Pastoor replace Mr. Zwozdesky as Chair.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 30, 2011	Agreed to
29	Be it resolved that the following change to the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing be approved: that Mr. Zwozdesky replace Dr. Brown.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 30, 2011	Agreed to
30	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly concur in the Select Special Information and Privacy Commissioner Search Committee report and recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that Jill Clayton be appointed Information and Privacy Commissioner for the Province of Alberta for a 5-year term commencing February 1, 2012.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	November 30, 2011	Agreed to
31	Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 21, Election Amendment Act, 2011, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.	Hon. Mr. Hancock		Not required
32	Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 24, Health Quality Council of Alberta Act, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	December 6, 2011	Agreed to on division
33	Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 26, Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2011, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	December 6, 2011	Agreed to on division

34	Be it resolved that the following change to the Special Standing Committee on Members' Services be approved: that Mr. MacDonald replace Ms Pastoor.	Hon. Mr. Denis	December 6, 2011	Agreed to
35	Be it resolved that the following changes to the Standing Committee on Public Health and Safety be approved: that Dr. Taft replace Ms Pastoor, that Dr. Taft replace Ms Pastoor as Deputy Chair.	Hon. Mr. Denis	December 6, 2011	Agreed to