GOVERNMENT MOTIONS 2012 (27th Legislature, 5th Session)

	Text of Motion	Sponsor	Dates Debated	Disposition
	That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor as follows: To His Honour the Honourable Colonel (Retired) Donald S. Ethell, OC, OMM, AOE, MSC, CD, LLD, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta: We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session.	Mr. Fawcett Mr. Rodney	February 8, 2012 February 13, 2012 February 14, 2012 February 15, 2012 March 6, 2012	Adjourned debate Adjourned debate Adjourned debate Adjourned debate Agreed to
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 8, 2012	Hon. Ms Redford	February 7, 2012	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 8, 2012	Agreed to
3	Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly resolve itself into Committee of Supply, when called, to consider supply to be granted to Her Majesty.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 8, 2012	Agreed to
4	Be it resolved that the Message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the 2011-12 Supplementary Supply Estimates (No. 2) for the General Revenue Fund, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to Committee of Supply.	Hon. Mr. Horner	February 9, 2012	Agreed to
5	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 (No. 2) for the General Revenue Fund shall be one day.	Hon. Mr. Horner	February 9, 2012	Agreed to

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6	Be it resolved that the following procedures apply for the consideration of the 2012-2013 Main Estimates:	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 8, 2012	Agreed to
	When they are laid before the Assembly, the Main Estimates stand referred to Committee of Supply and the Policy Field Committees as outlined in the attached Schedule.			
	 Standing Order 59.01(4) shall apply to consideration of the Main Estimates in Policy Field Committees and in Committee of Supply except that after the time allocated to the third party in suborder (4)(c), (a) for the next 20 minutes, the members of the fourth party and the Minister, or the member of Executive Council acting on the Minister's behalf, may speak, and (b) for the next 20 minutes, the members of any other party represented in the Assembly or any independent Members and the Minister, or the member of Executive Council acting on the Minister's behalf, may speak. Standing Order 59.01(5) and (6) shall apply with any necessary modifications to the consideration of Main Estimates in Committee of Supply. Each department's estimates shall receive a minimum of 3 hours' consideration except for the estimates of Executive Council, which shall receive a minimum of 2 hours' consideration. When a department's estimates are considered by Committee of Supply, the committee's consideration shall continue until it is complete, notwithstanding Standing Orders 3(1) and 4. A Policy Field Committee shall commence its consideration of a department's estimates at 6:30 p.m. or, if the Assembly has adjourned later than 6:00 p.m., one half hour after the Assembly adjourns for the day. After the Committee of Supply has concluded its consideration of a department's estimates, the Committee rises and reports progress without question put. All votes on a department's estimates in Committee of Supply stand deferred until the date scheduled for the vote on the Main Estimates. The Committee of Supply shall vote on the Main Estimates on the evening of March 13, 2012, commencing at 7:30 p.m. Standing Orders 59.01(1), (2) and (3), 59.03(3) and (4), and 60(1) shall not apply to the consideration of the 2012-2013 Main Estimates. (See Order Paper dated February 7,			
	the Schedule.)			
7	Be it resolved that the Assembly approve in general the business plans and fiscal policies of the Government.	Hon. Mr. Liepert	February 9, 2012 February 14, 2012	Adjourned debate Adjourned debate

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8	Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), the Assembly shall meet in the evening on the following dates: (a) on February 13, 2012, for consideration of the 2011-12 Supplementary Supply Estimates (No. 2), to be followed by consideration of Government business; (b) on March 13, 2012, following the vote on the 2012-13 Main Estimates and the report from Committee of Supply, for consideration of Government business; and (c) commencing March 14, 2012, every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for the remainder of the 2012 Spring Sitting unless, on motion by the Government House Leader made before 6 p.m., which may be made orally and without notice, the Assembly is adjourned to the following sitting day.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 8, 2012	Agreed to
9	Be it resolved that the following changes to: A. the Standing Committee on Public Health and Safety be approved: that Mr. Rodney replace Mr. Ouellette; B. the Standing Committee on Energy be approved: that Mr. Ouellette replace Mr. Rodney.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	February 8, 2012	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. Ms Redford	March 6, 2012	Agreed to
11	Be it resolved that: 1. Mr. Rick Hansen be invited to the floor of this Chamber to address the Legislative Assembly on Monday, March 12, 2012; 2. This address be the first item of business after the singing of O Canada; and 3. The ordinary business of the Assembly resume upon the conclusion of Mr. Hansen's address; And be it further resolved that Mr. Hansen's address become part of the permanent records of the Assembly.	Hon. Mr. Hancock	March 8, 2012	Agreed to