



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 57

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Monday, October 26, 2020

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

The Speaker paid tribute to former Member Hon. Nicholas W. Taylor, Member for Westlock-Sturgeon, 1986 to 1993, and Redwater, 1993 to 1996, who passed away on October 3, 2020

Members' Statements

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Central Peace-Notley, made a statement regarding the role of personal responsibility and public education in addressing the COVID-19 pandemic.

Ms Pancholi, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, made a statement regarding the New Democratic Party's strategy to support the early learning and childcare sector.

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake-St. Paul, made a statement regarding Government actions to improve access to driver road testing.

Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, made a statement regarding how Government policies have affected Lethbridge.

Mr. Singh, Hon. Member for Calgary-East, made a statement regarding Diwali, the Hindu festival of lights.

Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, made a statement regarding the need for the Government to support the residents of northeast Calgary, who were affected by a major hailstorm this past summer.

Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, made a statement regarding the Strategic Aviation Advisory Council.

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert, made a statement regarding the experiences of AISH recipients and the de-indexing of AISH payments.

Mr. Schow, Hon. Member for Cardston-Siksika, made a statement regarding the Vauxhall Academy of Baseball.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 205 Genocide Remembrance, Condemnation and Prevention Month Act —
Mr. Singh

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Conflicts of Interest Act, cC-23, s46(2):

Office of the Ethics Commissioner of Alberta Annual Report, April 1, 2019 to
March 31, 2020

Sessional Paper 395/2020

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Committee of the Whole

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole and the Speaker left the Chair.

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 204 Voluntary Blood Donations Repeal Act — Mr. Yao

Motions Other Than Government Motions

510. Mr. Turton to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to examine the feasibility of implementing measures such as extended producer liability that balance the environmental and economic needs of Albertans.

Mr. Schow moved that the motion be amended by striking out “extended producer liability” and substituting “extended producer responsibility.”

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A debate followed on the amendment.

The question being put, the amendment was agreed to.

Debate continued on the motion as amended.

The question being put, the motion as amended was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Madu, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General, the Assembly adjourned at 5:55 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2020 — 7:30 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 35 Tax Statutes (Creating Jobs and Driving Innovation) Amendment Act, 2020
— Hon. Mr. Toews

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Nixon moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 36 Geothermal Resource Development Act — Hon. Mrs. Savage

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Nally moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Nally, Associate Minister of Natural Gas and Electricity, the Assembly adjourned at 10:20 p.m. until Tuesday, October 27, 2020, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker