



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

Day 56

ORDER PAPER

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Thursday, December 1, 2016

Prayers (9:00 a.m.)

ROUTINE (1:30 p.m.)

O Canada (First sitting day of each week)

Oral Question Period (1:50 p.m. daily) (Day 5)

Introduction of Visitors

Introduction of Guests

Ministerial Statements

Members' Statements

Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Presenting Petitions

Notices of Motions

Introduction of Bills

Tabling Returns and Reports

Tablings to the Clerk

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Motions

13. Moved by Hon. Mr. Ceci:

Be it resolved that the Assembly approve in general the business plans and fiscal policies of the Government.

Adjourned debate: MLA Connolly

27. Hon. Mr. Mason to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Message from Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, the 2016-17 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund, and all matters connected therewith, be referred to Committee of Supply.

28. Hon. Mr. Mason to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 61(2), the Committee of Supply shall be called to consider the 2016-17 Supplementary Supply Estimates for the General Revenue Fund for three hours on Monday, December 5, 2016, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

Bill 22 An Act to Provide for the Repatriation of Indigenous Peoples' Sacred Ceremonial Objects — Hon. Minister Miranda

Bill 33 Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 2016 (No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Mason

Bill 34 Electric Utilities Amendment Act, 2016 (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Bill 35 Fair Elections Financing Act — Hon. Ms Gray

Committee of the Whole

Bill 25 Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act — Hon. Ms Phillips

Bill 27 Renewable Electricity Act (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Bill 32 Credit Union Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Bill 36 An Act to Enhance Off-Highway Vehicle Safety — Hon. Mr. Mason

Third Reading

Bill 21 Modernized Municipal Government Act — Hon. Ms Larivee

Bill 30 Investing in a Diversified Alberta Economy Act (\$) — Hon. Mr. Bilous

Bills Awaiting Royal Assent

- Bill 24 Forest and Prairie Protection Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Carlier
- Bill 26 Ukrainian-Canadian Heritage Day Act — Mrs. Littlewood
- Bill 28 Public Health Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Ms Hoffman
- Bill 29 Vital Statistics and Life Events Modernization Act — Hon. Ms McLean
- Bill 31 Agencies, Boards and Commissions Review Statutes Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Motions for Returns

MR25. Mr. Cyr to propose the following motion (Due Day 17):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of any studies or briefing notes prepared for the Government between January 1, 2012, and February 29, 2016, regarding legal aid or self-represented litigants in Alberta.

Debate adjourned, Hon. Minister Miranda speaking.

MR28. Mr. Strankman to propose the following motion (Due Day 17):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
A copy of the three-column document used in the drafting of Bill 6, Enhanced Protection for Farm and Ranch Workers Act.

MR29. Mr. Strankman to propose the following motion (Due Day 17):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of all correspondence relating to the change in responsibility for the regulations for Bill 6, Enhanced Protection for Farm and Ranch Workers Act, from the Ministry of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour to the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.

MR30. Mr. Smith to propose the following motion (Due Day 17):

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
A copy of the three-column document used in the drafting of Bill 8, Public Education Collective Bargaining Act.

- MR32.** Mrs. Pitt to propose the following motion (Due Day 17):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of internal working documents or reports prepared by or on behalf of the Government from May 22, 2015, and March 7, 2016, pertaining to the review conducted by the Minister of Human Services to improve the management of the Public Trustee common fund as well as the reporting processes of the Public Trustee, as referenced in a Government news release issued February 10, 2016.
- MR34.** Mr. Clark to propose the following motion (Due Day 24):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of any reports, evaluations, or assessment documents prepared for or by the Ministry of Health from May 24, 2015, to March 15, 2016, on reforms to physician labour relations and physician compensation.
- MR35.** Mr. Clark to propose the following motion (Due Day 24):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of any reports or assessment documents prepared by or for the Government from May 24, 2015, to March 15, 2016, evaluating the Job Creation Incentive Program.
- MR38.** Mr. Barnes to propose the following motion (Due Day 39):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of all documents and correspondence prepared by or on behalf of the Ministry of Health between July 1, 2015, and March 31, 2016, relating to a review of dental fees in the province.
- MR39.** Mr. Barnes to propose the following motion (Due Day 39):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of all internal working documents or reports prepared by or on behalf of the Government relating to the review of the objectives and outcomes of the Rural Physician Action Plan as referenced by the Minister of Health during Oral Question Period on March 15, 2016.
- MR40.** Mr. Barnes to propose the following motion (Due Day 39):
- That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
Copies of all documents prepared by or on behalf of the Government between November 1, 2015, and March 31, 2016, relating to the creation of a new Alberta Health Services policy for visitors to health-care facilities.

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Referred to the Standing Committee on Families and Communities

Bill 203 Fair Trading (Motor Vehicle Repair Pricing Protection for Consumers) Amendment Act, 2016 — Mr. Carson

Second Reading

Bill 207 Veterinary Profession (Clear and Timely Price Disclosure) Amendment Act, 2016 — MLA Cortes-Vargas

Bill 208 Occupational Health and Safety (Protection from Workplace Harassment) Amendment Act, 2016 — Mr. Coolahan

Bill 209 Active Schools Week Act — Mr. Shepherd

Committee of the Whole

Bill 202 Alberta Affordable Housing Review Committee Act — Ms Luff (Due Day 20)

Bill 204 Alberta Tourism Week Act — Mr. Dang (Due Day 24)

Motions Other Than Government Motions

510. Ms Luff to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review section 85(1) of the Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act, and section 25(2)(d)(iii) of Adoption Regulation AR 187/2004, with a view to removing the prohibition on prospective adoptive parents that currently prevents them from advertising and publishing a profile.

511. Mr. Westhead to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase its efforts to conserve and manage public lands in Alberta's headwater regions to optimize downstream water security for future generations of Albertans.

512. Mr. Ellis to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly *urge the Government to introduce legislation that would establish* an Alberta Seniors Charter of Rights that would ensure seniors (a) are given the highest level of dignity, respect, and treatment regardless of their situation; (b) have access to seniors' housing which is safe, affordable, and provides a healthy environment; (c) have access to programs which would help them remain physically active and participate within their communities; and (d) have access to the highest quality of mental health care programs, treatments and support.

513. Mr. Dach to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta urge the Government to give favourable consideration to requests from municipalities to amend their debt limits to more easily support the construction of affordable housing projects.

514. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to commit to the development of a flood mitigation strategy for the Red Deer River that supports the surrounding community's ability to manage flood conditions.

515. Mr. Fildebrandt to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly establish a committee to study the feasibility of providing a choice in workplace injury compensation as an alternative to the coverage provided by the Workers' Compensation Board, and report to the Assembly by September 30, 2017.

516. MLA Loyola to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review the Local Authorities Election Act and consider amendments that would allow permanent residents living in Alberta to vote in municipal elections.

517. Ms McKittrick to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider adopting strategies and policies that promote the development of and support for co-operatives and credit unions in Alberta.

518. Mr. Nielsen to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider introducing "pay-before-you-pump" legislation similar to laws in place in other provinces.

519. Mr. S. Anderson to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider establishing policies and incentive to encourage individuals, businesses, and public bodies to reduce the amount of food they waste.

520. Mr. Sucha to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to explore the feasibility of implementing changes to the Alberta Justice Fine Option Program to include all fines imposed pursuant to the Traffic Safety Act.

NOTICES

Leave to Introduce a Bill

Bill 37 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2016 (No. 2) (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Projected Government Business

Thursday, December 1	Morn. — Government Bills and Orders Committee of the Whole Bill 25 And as per the Order Paper
	Aft. — Government Bills and Orders Third Reading Bill 32, 25 And as per the Order Paper

Written Questions and Motions for Returns for Consideration on Day 57

Notice Given April 21, 2016

Motions for Returns

To be dealt with: MR25 (adjourned), MR28, MR29, MR30, MR32

Notice Given May 5, 2016

Motions for Returns

To be dealt with: MR34, MR35

Notice Given June 2, 2016

Motions for Returns

To be dealt with: MR38, MR39, MR40

**Due Dates Under Standing Order 34(5) for
Written Questions Accepted and Motions for Returns Agreed to**

Day 71 WQ11, WQ15, WQ16, WQ17, WQ18, WQ19, WQ20, WQ21, WQ22,
MR36, MR37

Day 75 MR20

Day 83 MR23

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, December 1, 2016