



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

Day 40

**ORDER PAPER**

Third Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

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Monday, May 29, 2017

**Prayers (1:30 p.m.)**

**ROUTINE (1:30 p.m.)**

**O Canada (First sitting day of each week)**

**Oral Question Period (1:50 p.m. daily) (Day 7)**

**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: Ms Miller

### Government Bills and Orders

#### Second Reading

Bill 17 Fair and Family-friendly Workplaces Act — Hon. Ms Gray

Debate adjourned on amendment.

#### Committee of the Whole

Bill 16 An Act to Cap Regulated Electricity Rates (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

### Bills Awaiting Royal Assent

Bill 8 An Act to Strengthen Municipal Government — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

Bill 11 Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Ms Gray

Bill 12 New Home Buyer Protection Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

Bill 13 Securities Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Min. Ceci

Bill 14 An Act to Support Orphan Well Rehabilitation — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Bill 15 Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Min. Ceci

Bill 205 Advocate for Persons with Disabilities Act — Ms Jansen

Bill Pr1 Calgary Jewish Centre Amendment Act, 2017 — Ms Kazim

Bill Pr2 Paula Jean Anderson Adoption Termination Act — Mr. MacIntyre

### Written Questions

**WQ17.** Mr. Ellis to ask the Government the following question (Due Day 47):

How many charges have been laid under section 4 of the Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act since this section came into force?

**WQ18.** Mr. Ellis to ask the Government the following question (Due Day 50):

In each of the calendar years from 2013 to 2016, what was the average completion time for an autopsy and what was the longest time spent completing an autopsy at the Office of the Chief Medical Examiner?

### **Motions for Returns**

**MR5.** Withdrawn

**MR7.** Withdrawn

**MR8.** Withdrawn

**MR9.** Withdrawn

**MR10.** Withdrawn

**MR11.** Withdrawn

**MR12.** Withdrawn

### **Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Referred to the Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future**

Bill 203 Alberta Standard Time Act — Mr. Dang

Referred: during Second Reading consideration on April 3, 2017

Report by: October 4, 2017

#### **Second Reading**

Bill 206 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement (Adoption Advertising) Amendment Act, 2017 — Mrs. Aheer

Bill 207 Regulatory Burden Reduction Act — Mr. Hunter

### **Motions Other Than Government Motions**

**507.** Mr. Fraser to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a special committee to review accessibility legislation and consider potential amendments to legislation, including but not limited to the Safety Codes Act and the Elevating Devices Codes Regulation, Alta. Reg. 192/2015, with the intent to ensure accessibility for Albertans that exceeds the base requirements of the Alberta Building Code 2014.

**508.** Ms Kazim to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to recognize the first week of February as World Interfaith Harmony Week in support of the United Nations General Assembly resolution 65/5.

**509.** Mr. Gotfried to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a special committee of the Assembly to assess the financial impact of the carbon levy on organizations that provide front line care to seniors in Alberta including but not limited to for-profit organizations, not-for-profit organizations, faith-based organizations, and government owned and operated facilities; and in conducting its review the committee shall consult with key public, private, and non-profit stakeholders and make recommendations for the mitigation of any impacts deemed a threat to the provision of front line care.

**510.** Mr. Hanson to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consult with physicians and optometrists and make recommendations on possible amendments to the Traffic Safety Act to address patients who in the opinion of a physician or optometrist have a medical condition that makes it dangerous for them to drive a motor vehicle.

**511.** MLA McPherson to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to recognize a day each year to promote the awareness and prevention of concussions.

**512.** Mr. Clark to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consult with stakeholders and Albertans to study the benefits and challenges of a presumed consent model for organ donation in Alberta and report the findings to the Legislative Assembly no later than one year following the passage of this motion.

**513.** Mr. Hunter to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to improve the land exchange process for Crown and public lands to make it more efficient and transparent.

**514.** Ms Renaud to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to examine strategies for reducing barriers to abortion and reproduction health services in rural and northern Alberta.

**515.** Mr. Shepherd to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to provide enhanced labour protection for freelance workers, such as self-employed persons offering services to multiple clients.

**516.** Mr. Hinkley to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to support renewable energy projects that are fully or substantially owned by co-ops, communities, farmer associations, First Nations, Metis, and individuals.

**517.** Mr. Horne to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase Albertans' capacity and access to micro-generation and geo-thermal technologies.

**518.** Ms Sweet to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to recognize the Komagata Maru incident.

**519.** Mrs. Pitt to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to work with Alberta Health Services to find a cost-neutral means, by November 30, 2018, of removing the cap on midwifery funding to ensure that midwifery is an available birthing option to all women.

**520.** Mrs. Schreiner to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase the number of public long-term care spaces available to Albertans.

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## NOTICES

### Government Motions

**22.** Hon. Mr. Mason to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly concur in the report of the Select Special Ombudsman and Public Interest Commissioner Search Committee tabled in the Assembly on May 25, 2017, and recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that Marianne Ryan be appointed as Ombudsman and Public Interest Commissioner for the Province of Alberta for a five year term, effective July 1, 2017

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

Be it resolved that:

1. A Select Special Auditor General Search Committee of the Legislative Assembly be appointed, consisting of the following Members, namely:

Shepherd (Chair)	Gill	Littlewood
Malkinson (Deputy Chair)	Horne	van Dijken
Cyr	Kleinsteuber	Woollard

for the purpose of inviting applications for the position of Auditor General, and to recommend to the Assembly the applicant it considers most suitable to this position.

2. Reasonable disbursements by the Committee for advertising, staff assistance, equipment and supplies, rent, travel, and other expenditures necessary for the effective conduct of its responsibilities shall be paid, subject to the approval of the Chair.
3. In carrying out its responsibilities, the Committee may, with the concurrence of the head of the department, utilize the services of members of the public service employed in that department, and of the staff employed by the Assembly.
4. The Committee may, without leave of the Assembly, sit during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued.
5. When its work has been completed, the Committee shall report to the Assembly if it is sitting; during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued, the Committee may release its report by depositing a copy with the Clerk and forwarding a copy to each Member of the Assembly.

### **Leave to Introduce a Bill**

Bill 18 Child Protection and Accountability Act — Hon. Ms Larivee

### **Projected Government Business**

Monday, May 29

Eve. – **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Committee of the Whole**

Bill 16

#### **Second Reading**

Bill 17

And as per the Order Paper

Tuesday, May 30

Morn. – **Government Bills and Orders**  
**Second Reading**

Bill 17

And as per the Order Paper

Aft. – **Government Bills and Orders**  
**Committee of the Whole**

Bill 16

**Second Reading**

Bill 17

And as per the Order Paper

Eve. – **Government Bills and Orders**  
**Committee of the Whole**

Bill 16

**Second Reading**

Bill 17

And as per the Order Paper

Wednesday, May 31

Morn. – **Government Bills and Orders**  
**Committee of the Whole**

Bill 16

**Second Reading**

Bill 17

And as per the Order Paper

Aft. – **Government Bills and Orders**  
**Second Reading**

Bill 17

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	Aft.	– <b>Government Bills and Orders</b> <b>Committee of the Whole</b> Bill 17 And as per the Order Paper

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

Day 48	WQ1, WQ2
Day 55	WQ4, WQ6, WQ11, WQ12, WQ13, WQ14, WQ15, WQ16, MR6, MR13, MR14, MR17, MR18, MR20
Day 59	MR1, MR2, MR3, MR15

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,  
Speaker