

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

Day 55

ORDER PAPER

Third Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Thursday, November 16, 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 6)

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

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

Be it resolved that:

- 1. The Conflicts of Interest Act be referred to the Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship and the Committee shall be deemed to be the special committee of the Assembly for the purpose of conducting a comprehensive review pursuant to section 48 of that Act;
- 2. The Committee may, without leave of the Assembly, sit during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued;
- 3. The Committee may take into consideration any material prepared for, or submissions provided to, the Select Special Ethics and Accountability Committee;
- 4. In accordance with section 48 of the Conflicts of Interest Act, the Committee must submit its report to the Assembly within one year after beginning its review and that report is to include any amendments recommended by the Committee.
- **33.** Hon. Mr. Mason to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), commencing November 27, 2017, the Assembly shall meet on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings for consideration of Government business for the duration of the Third Session of the 29th Legislature 2017 Fall Sitting unless the Government House Leader notifies the Assembly that there shall be no evening sitting that day by providing notice under Notices of Motions in the Daily Routine or at any time prior to 6 p.m.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

- Bill 28 School Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Mr. Eggen
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Committee of the Whole

- Bill 27 Conflicts of Interest Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Min. Ceci
- Bill 29 An Act to Reduce Cannabis and Alcohol Impaired Driving Hon. Mr. Mason

Bills Awaiting Royal Assent

- Bill 19 An Act to Protect Gas and Convenience Store Workers Hon. Ms Gray
- Bill 20 Beaver River Basin Water Authorization Act Hon. Ms Phillips
- Bill 21 Agencies, Boards and Commissions Review Statutes Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Min. Ceci
- Bill 22 Resident and Family Councils Act Hon. Ms Hoffman
- Bill 23 Alberta Human Rights Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Ms Ganley
- Bill 24 An Act to Support Gay-Straight Alliances Hon. Mr. Eggen
- Bill 25 Regulated Forestry Profession Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Ms Gray
- Bill 206 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement (Adoption Advertising) Amendment Act, 2017 — Mrs. Aheer

Written Questions

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

Second Reading

- Bill 207 Regulatory Burden Reduction Act Mr. Hunter (Time remaining: 37 minutes) Debate adjourned.
- Bill 208 Government Organization (Utilities Consumer Advocate) Amendment Act, 2017 Mr. Hinkley
- Bill 209 Radon Awareness and Testing Act Ms Luff
- Bill 210 Missing Persons (Silver Alert) Amendment Act, 2017 Mr. Smith

Motions Other Than Government Motions

509. Mr. Gotfried to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly establish a special committee 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.

NOTICES

Leave to Introduce a Bill

- Bill 26 An Act to Control and Regulate Cannabis Hon. Ms Ganley
- Bill 30 An Act to Protect the Health and Well-being of Working Albertans Hon. Ms Gray
- Bill 211 Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped (Discretionary Trust) Amendment Act, 2017 — Mr. Malkinson

Projected Government Business

 Thursday, November 16
 Morn.
 No morning sitting pending the passage of Government Motion 31

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 Government Bills and Orders

 Second Reading
 Bill 29

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 Bill 29

 And as per the Order Paper

Written Questions and Motions for Returns for Consideration Monday, November 27, 2017

Written Questions

To be dealt with: WQ18

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

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Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Thursday, November 16, 2017