

Day 24

(Issued Monday, October 7, 2019, pursuant to Standing Order 39(4))

# **ORDER PAPER**

First Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Tuesday, October 8, 2019

Prayers (10:00 a.m.)

**Tablings to the Clerk** 

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

O Canada (First sitting day of each week)

Oral Question Period (1:50 p.m. daily) (Day 3)

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

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

#### **Government Motions**

**6.** Moved by Hon. Mr. Nixon:

Be it resolved that, notwithstanding Standing Order 8(1), the Assembly shall meet in the afternoon on Monday, May 27, 2019, for consideration of Government business.

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. McIver

22. Oral notice having been given, Hon. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Second Reading, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

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

Motions for Concurrence in Committee Reports on Public Bills Other Than Government Bills

Bill 203 An Act to Protect Public Health Care — Mr. Feehan

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

Bill 202 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement (Protecting Alberta's Children)
Amendment Act, 2019 — Mr. Ellis (Time remaining: 119 minutes)

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

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

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to conduct a thorough review of access to abortion services and reproductive health services in Alberta, take action to remove barriers to these services, and ensure access to safe, timely, and equitable services in all communities across the province.

#### **507.** Mr. Feehan to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly, in recognition of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the traditional territory of indigenous peoples, urge the Government to undertake robust consultation with indigenous communities prior to the sale of Crown land in northern Alberta, and adopt a comprehensive consultation process as a standard for all future proposed Crown land sales.

#### **508.** Ms Goodridge to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to immediately demand the federal government recognize the benefits Alberta's oil sands and other fossil fuels provide to the people of Canada in terms of economic growth, prosperity, and support for communities across Canada.

## **509.** Mr. Hanson to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to enhance the biodiversity, health, and economic value of Alberta's lakes by utilizing the Cold Lake Fish Hatchery and other tools at the Government's disposal in order to increase Alberta's walleye fish stock.

#### **510.** Mr. Schow to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to work with the federal government, the United States Government, and the State of Montana to ensure that the Carway point of entry be operational 24 hours per day.

## **NOTICES**

## **Government Motions**

## **28.** Hon. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly express its support for Alberta's oil and gas industry, for the continued responsible development of best-in-class energy resources in accordance with the highest ethical and environmental standards, and for individuals who show their support by wearing their pro-Canadian oil and gas apparel, including when visiting the Alberta Legislature, and urge the Government to continue its efforts to advocate for the reversal of federal and provincial policies that have negatively impacted workers in Alberta's oil and gas industry.

## **29.** Hon. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the membership of the Assembly's committees be replaced as follows:

- A. on the Standing Committee on the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, that Mr. Orr replace Mr. Gotfried as Chair, Mr. Getson replace Mr. Orr as Deputy Chair, MLA Loyola replace MLA Irwin, and Mr. Singh replace Mr. Gotfried;
- B. on the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills, that Ms Glasgo replace Mr. Gotfried;
- C. on the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, that Mr. Nixon (Calgary-Klein) replace Mr. Amery;
- D. on the Special Standing Committee on Members' Services, that Mr. Neudorf replace Ms Armstrong-Homeniuk;
- E. on the Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future, that MLA Irwin replace Mr. Dach;
- F. on the Standing Committee on Families and Communities, that Mr. Shepherd replace MLA Irwin;
- G. on the Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship, that Mr. Dach replace MLA Loyola and Mr. Loewen replace Ms Armstrong-Homeniuk.

#### **30.** Hon. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

- A. Be it resolved that the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta effective May 30, 2019, be amended as follows:
  - 1. Standing Order 3(4) is amended by striking out "Unless otherwise ordered" and substituting "Unless otherwise ordered or varied under suborder (5), (5.1), (8) or (9)".
  - 2. Standing Order 7(4) is amended by striking out "6 Members" and substituting "9 Members".
  - 3. Standing Order 8(7)(c) is amended by striking out "8 sitting days" wherever it occurs and substituting "4 sitting days".
  - 4. Standing Order 41(1) is struck out and the following is substituted:
    - 41(1) The sequence of motions other than Government motions shall be determined by a random draw of the names of all Members except for
      - (a) the Speaker,
      - (b) members of the Executive Council, and
      - (c) any Member who has submitted written notice to the Clerk no later than 3 days prior to the date of the draw of the Member's intention to be excluded from the draw.
  - 5. Standing Order 56(2.4) is struck out and the following is substituted:
    - (2.4) A temporary substitution may be terminated at any time by the original Member of the committee and shall not be in effect during any portion of a committee meeting that the original Member attends.

6. The following is added after Standing Order 61:

### **Voting – interim and supplementary estimates**

- 61.1(1) At the end of consideration of interim or supplementary estimates there shall be one vote in Committee of Supply on the estimates of the Legislative Assembly and the officers of the Legislature followed by one vote on the estimates of the Government unless
  - (a) additional votes are required on amendments pursuant to suborder (3) prior to calling the vote on the interim or supplementary estimates, or
  - (b) on at least one day's notice a Member has provided written notification to the Chair and the Clerk of the Member's desire that the estimates of a particular ministry be voted upon separately, in which case that ministry's estimates shall be voted separately and the final vote for the interim or supplementary estimates shall consist of the estimates of any ministries not yet voted upon.
- (2) The votes under suborder (1) shall be taken without debate or amendment except as provided in suborder (3).
- (3) When an amendment to the interim or supplementary estimates is moved in Committee of Supply, the vote on the amendment stands deferred until the end of consideration of the interim or supplementary estimates.
- 7. Standing Order 65(1)(b) is amended by striking out "in committees of the whole Assembly" and substituting "subject to Standing Order 29(3)(b) and (c), in committees of the whole Assembly".
- 8. Standing Order 72(1) is struck out and the following is substituted:
  - 72(1) The sequence of Public Bills and Orders other than Government Bills and Orders shall be determined by a random draw of the names of all Members except for
    - (a) the Speaker,
    - (b) members of the Executive Council, and
    - (c) any Member who has submitted written notice to Parliamentary Counsel no later than 3 days prior to the date of the draw of the Member's intention to be excluded from the draw.
- 9. Standing Order 108 is struck out and the following is substituted:

## **Duties of Clerk Assistant**

- 108 The Clerk Assistant of the Assembly shall
  - (a) assist the Clerk of the Assembly in fulfilling the Clerk's duties in the Assembly, in divisions, and in the general administration of the Legislative Assembly, and

(b) in the absence of the Clerk, substitute for the Clerk and exercise the authority and discharge the responsibilities normally vested in the Clerk

subject to such orders that may be received from the Speaker or the Clerk.

#### **Duties of Clerk of Committees**

108.1 The Clerk of Committees

- (a) is responsible for administrative support to all committees of the Assembly and the safekeeping of all committee papers and records, and
- (b) in the absence of the Clerk and the Clerk Assistant, substitute for the Clerk and exercise the authority and discharge the responsibilities normally vested in the Clerk

subject to such orders that may be received from the Speaker or the Clerk.

- 10. The heading to Standing Order 109 is amended by striking out "Parliamentary Counsel" and substituting "the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel".
- 11. Standing Order 109 is amended
  - (a) by renumbering Standing Order 109 as Standing Order 109(1),
  - (b) in suborder (1)(c) by striking out "Clerk and the Clerk Assistant" and substituting "Clerk, Clerk Assistant, and Clerk of Committees", and
  - (c) by adding the following after suborder (1):
    - (2) The Law Clerk shall serve as head of the office of Parliamentary Counsel.
- B. And be it further resolved that the amendments in this motion shall come into force on passage.
- **31.** Hon. Mr. Nixon to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that, pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), commencing upon passage of this motion, the Assembly shall meet on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings for consideration of Government business for the duration of the First Session of the 30th Legislature 2019 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.

**32.** Hon. Mr. Toews to propose the following motion:

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

# Leave to Introduce a Bill

- Bill 14 Alberta Indigenous Opportunities Corporation Act Hon. Mr. Wilson
- Bill 15 Real Estate Amendment Act, 2019 Hon. Mr. Glubish

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, October 8, 2019