

Province of Alberta

Day 38

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ORDER PAPER

Third Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, September 15, 2022

Prayers (1:30 p.m.)

ROUTINE (1:30 p.m.)

O Canada (First sitting day of each week) God Save the King (Thursday)

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

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
Deferred Divisions (Thursday)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Motions

4. Moved by Hon. Mr. Toews:

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

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Sabir

20. Hon. Mr. Yaseen to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly

- a) condemn all forms of discrimination against individuals that are based on the individual's race, ethnicity, faith or gender because Albertans value religious, ethnic, gender, and cultural diversity;
- b) specifically condemn all acts of Islamophobia, antisemitism and hate against the expression of all religious faiths and beliefs;
- affirm the right of all Albertans to participate fully in public life, specifically
 the right to wear religious symbols in public without fear of punishment or
 physical harm; and
- d) express its opposition to Quebec's Act Respecting the Laicity of the State, which unfairly prohibits public servants from wearing symbols of their faith while at work.
- **24.** Oral notice having been given, Hon. Mr. McIver to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 18, Utility Commodity Rebate 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.

25. Oral notice having been given, Hon. Mr. McIver to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 18, Utility Commodity Rebate Act, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

26. Oral notice having been given, Hon. Mr. McIver to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 18, Utility Commodity Rebate Act, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Third Reading, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

Bill 19 Condominium Property Amendment Act, 2022 — Hon. Mr. Glubish
 Adjourned debate: Hon. Ms Gray

Committee of the Whole

Bill 23 Professional Governance Act — Hon. Mr. Madu

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

Bill 206 Prohibiting Ownership of Agricultural Lands (Pension Plans and Trust Corporations) Act — Mr. van Dijken

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills

Bill 208 Post-Secondary Funding Assessment Act — Hon. Mr. Eggen (Due Day 44)

Second Reading

Bill 202 Public Health (Transparency and Accountability) Amendment Act, 2022 — Mr. Loewen (Time remaining: 109 minutes)

Adjourned debate: Hon. Ms Issik

Bill 207 Traffic Safety (Tow Truck Warning Lamps) Amendment Act, 2022 — Mr. Rutherford

Motions Other Than Government Motions

506. Moved by Ms Rosin (Time remaining: 17 minutes):

Be it resolved that

(a) the Standing Committee on Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing

- (i) conduct a review of the Standing Orders, procedures, practices and traditions of other Westminster-style parliaments for the purpose of identifying the rules, processes or practices of those parliaments and their committees that facilitate collaboration and cooperation among their Members, and
- (ii) recommend changes to the Standing Orders and practices of the Assembly, including its committees, that would facilitate increased collaboration and cooperation among all Members of the Assembly,
- (b) during the course of its review, the Committee continues despite prorogation of a session of the 30th Legislature and may, without leave of the Assembly, meet during a period when the Assembly is adjourned or prorogued, and
- (c) no later than nine months after the beginning of the Committee's review, the Committee must submit a report on its review to the Legislative Assembly that sets out the Committee's recommendations, if any.

Debate adjourned, Hon. Mr. Bilous speaking.

507. Moved by Mr. Neudorf (Time remaining: 17 minutes):

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review the rate of growth of the number of public servants employed by departments, public agencies, and municipalities, and establish benchmarks for hiring new employees that are linked to population and population growth to ensure that the size of the public service is appropriate.

Debate adjourned, Hon. Mrs. Allard speaking.

508. Mr. Stephan to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to conduct an independent, comprehensive, public review into the Government's COVID-19 response, including a full cost analysis of public health measures and Government restrictions.

509. Mr. Nielsen to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to take any necessary steps to immediately create and implement a comprehensive strategy for the medical condition known as "long COVID," to support Albertans suffering long-term health impacts due to COVID-19 infection.

510. Ms Pancholi to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to implement a policy that requires the creation of onsite, licensed childcare spaces to be included as part of every new kindergarten to grade 12 school construction project funded by the Government of Alberta starting in the 2022-2023 fiscal year.

NOTICES

Government Motions

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

That an humble address be presented to His Majesty The King as follows:

We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, wish to express the deep sympathy felt by this Assembly for the great sorrow which Your Majesty has sustained by the death of the late Queen, Your Majesty's mother; extend to all the Royal Family the deep sympathy of this Assembly in their grief; assure Your Majesty that Her late Majesty's unstinting dedication over a reign of 70 years to the service of our great province and its people, and to the service of the countries and peoples of the wider Commonwealth, will always be held in affectionate and grateful remembrance; and express to Your Majesty our loyalty to You and our conviction You will strive to uphold the liberties and to promote the happiness of the people in all Your realms now and in the years to come.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper, Speaker