

# Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 29

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**Second Session** 

Twenty-Second Legislature

Thursday, April 26, 1990

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 p.m.

## **ROUTINE**

## **Presenting Petitions**

Mr. Ewasiuk, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly, presented a petition from 22 elementary school students and their teacher asking that more be done to protect Alberta's environment.

Mr. Bruseker, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West, presented a petition from 1,055 members of the Dutch community protesting the intended cancellation by Canadian Air Lines International of the direct flight from Edmonton to Amsterdam.

## **Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Anderson, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, announced that effective November 1, 1990, all Albertans purchasing third party automobile warranties will have additional protection on their warranty claims.

Mr. Martin, Hon. Leader of the Opposition, commented on the statement.

## ORDERS OF THE DAY

## **Written Questions**

The following Written Questions were accepted:

#### **258.** (Mrs. Hewes)

How many Albertans received premium subsidy under the Alberta Health Care subsidy plan in the past three fiscal years in the following categories:

- (1) family coverage
  - (a) regular rate (combined adjusted taxable balance above \$10,000);
  - (b) combined adjusted taxable balance above \$8,000 but not more than \$10,000:
  - (c) combined adjusted taxable balance above \$6,000 but not more than \$8,000; and
  - (d) combined adjusted taxable balance not more than \$6,000;
- (2) single coverage
  - (a) regular rate (adjusted taxable balance above \$5,500);
  - (b) adjusted taxable balance above \$4,500, but not more than \$5,500;
  - (c) adjusted taxable balance above \$3,500, but not more than \$4,500; and
  - (d) adjusted taxable balance not more than \$3,500?

#### 259. (Mr. Mitchell)

What facilities are available for the safe disposal of biomedical waste (e.g. syringes used by diabetics) by individuals, and what information is available to inform the public about these facilities?

The following Written Questions were not accepted:

#### 245. (Mr. Taylor)

With regard to the Alberta Government offices in New York, Los Angeles, London (England), Hong Kong, and Tokyo, what is the name and title of the employees working in these offices, what is their salary classification and what benefits does each employee receive by way of automobile or automobile allowance, accommodation or accommodation allowance, and entertainment allowance?

#### 256. (Mr. Chumir)

What is the amount of legal fees paid by the Government for Mr. Donald Cormie and members of his family with respect to the Code hearing and related matters?

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

#### 193. Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

- (1) What are the air emission standards for the Millar Western pulp mill at Whitecourt?
- (2) How many times have these standards been exceeded and by what amount, since the plant started operating?
- (3) What is the cause of the high levels of fly ash from the plant?
- (4) How many samples of fly ash have been examined for heavy metals, dioxins, and potentially harmful substances and what are the levels of each of the substances found?
- (5) What are the potential health effects of high levels of fly ash?
- (6) What measures are being taken to overcome the problems in the Millar Western pulp mill and teepee burner?
- (7) What measures are being taken to ensure that the same problems do not occur with other chemi-thermomechanical pulp mills being constructed in Alberta?

#### 206. Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

- (1) How often does Procter & Gamble monitor its pulp mill at Grande Prairie and Weldwood monitor its pulp mill at Hinton for total organochlorines, dioxins, and furans in:
  - (a) final liquid effluent,
  - (b) sludge in ponds, and
  - (c) air emissions?
- (2) How often does Alberta Environment monitor those two plants for the same pollutants and on how many occasions and by what amount did their measurements differ from those taken by the plant.
- (3) If there is any discrepancy, what are the reasons for this?
- (4) How many times has Alberta Environment and/or Procter & Gamble taken measurements to monitor the groundwater for total organochlorines, dioxins, and furans or any other substances in the vicinity of the landfill in which sludge from the ponds has been dumped and what levels of these substances were measured and in particular, what levels have been recorded since January 1, 1988?

#### **207**. Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

- (1) What are the air emission standards for the Millar Western teepee burner at Whitecourt and were these standards established in Millar Western's licence to operate under the Clean Air Act?
- (2) What are the air emission standards for the Millar Western pulp mill at Whitecourt?
- (3) What are the facilities for monitoring the air emissions from the teepee burner and the pulp mill?

- (4) On what occasions and by how much were air emission standards in Whitecourt exceeded:
  - (a) at the teepee burner, since January 1, 1988,
  - (b) at the pulp mill, since it started operation in 1988,
  - (c) at any monitoring location in the Town of Whitecourt, since January 1, 1988?

#### **208.** Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

Concerning the monitoring of the environmental impact of the Lake Wabamun operation of TransAlta:

- (1) How often are air emissions from the stacks measured each month; and what substances are measured?
- (2) How many times, if any, in the last 10 years did any of the substances measured exceeded the limits set by the plant's licence to operate under the Clean Air Act?
- (3) What were the monitored values, on those occasions, in the last 10 years if any, when the levels were in excess of the permitted level, and what were the emission standards permissable under the licence issued in accordance with the Clean Air Act?
- (4) How is possible contamination of Lake Wabamun being monitored?
- (5) How often are the sumps that collect the sulphuric acid used to clean the heating coils in the evaporating tanks checked?
- (6) How many times during the past 10 years have the sumps overflowed into Lake Wabamun?
- (7) What measures have been taken to prevent overflow from the sumps into the lake?

#### **218**. Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government:

- (1) How many suicides were attempted or committed by children with child welfare status in the fiscal years ending:
  - (a) March 31, 1987,
  - (b) March 31, 1988, and
  - (c) March 31, 1989?
- (2) How many children with child welfare status were considered to be at risk of suicide during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1989?

#### **219.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government:

How many of the child welfare workers employed by the Department of Family and Social Services are registered social workers?

#### 244. Mr. McInnis to ask the Government:

As a consequence of the Department of the Environment's Mission Statement: "The costs of preventing and reclaiming environmental impacts will be borne by the polluter,"

- (1) How much money was collected by the Department of the Environment for permits under the Clean Air Act during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1990?
- (2) How much money was collected by the Department of the Environment for permits under the Clean Water Act during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1990?
- (3) How much money was collected from Alberta-Pacific Forest Industries Ltd. as their share of the Environmental Impact Assessment Review Board during the fiscal year ending March 31, 1990?

#### 251. Mr. McInnis to ask the Government:

- (1) With respect to fish samples taken from the Wapiti River in 1986 for mercury analysis, where are these samples located?
- (2) Why were none of the funds voted by the Legislative Assembly for protection of the environment, fish and wildlife available for testing these samples since they were gathered?
- (3) Will these samples be analyzed for mercury content? If so when?

#### **253.** Mr. Bruseker to ask the Government:

- (1) How much did it cost to send two Soviet bureaucrats to attend a Banff School of Advanced Management session beginning February 4, 1990?
- (2) Why were these two bureaucrats sent?
- (3) What did we get in return for our dollars?

#### 254. Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

What are the terms of reference for Jaakko Pöyry Consulting Inc. when examining the scientific data submitted to the Alberta-Pacific Environmental Impact Assessment Review Board?

#### 255. Mr. Chumir to ask the Government:

What amount, if any, has been paid by the Government to Mr. Hugh Planche, in respect of services rendered for the fiscal periods ending March 31, 1987, 1988, 1989, and 1990?

#### **257.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government:

Has the Government prepared any estimates of the annual cost that would be incurred by extending pension benefits, equivalent to the widows' pension, to single Albertans, of both sexes, who are in the same age range and the same economic circumstances as a person qualifying for a pension under the Widows' Pension Act? What is the Government's estimate of undertaking such changes?

#### **260.** Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

With respect to developments in the Bow Corridor, what is the policy of the Government for

- (1) determining whether an environmental impact assessment is required; and
- (2) carrying out an environmental impact assessment?

#### **261.** Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government:

What was the reason for the Department of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife's payment of \$311,670 to Canadian Forest Products Ltd. in 1988-89 (see p.5.36 of Supplementary Information to the Public Accounts, 1988-1989)?

#### **Motions for Returns**

Debate adjourned on the following motion:

#### 158. Moved by Mr. Fox:

That an order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:

A copy of the Master Agreement, including any amendments thereto, between the Government of Alberta and Peter Pocklington covering a \$55 million loan guarantee and a \$12 million loan made available to Gainers Properties Inc. on March 3, 1988.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(3), debate adjourned with Mr. Fox speaking.

The following motion was defeated:

#### 157. Moved by Mr. McEachern:

That an order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:

A copy of the audited financial statement of 354713 Alberta Ltd. ("Softco") for the year ending March 31, 1989, and a financial report for the nine-month period ending December 31, 1989.

The following motions were ordered to stand:

### **166.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:

A copy of all reports prepared by or on behalf of the Government and its emanations on studies of zero-effluent pulp mills pursuant to recommendation 57 of the Environment Council of Alberta, February 1979 report, "The Environmental Effects of Forestry Operations in Alberta."

#### **167.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:

A copy of all reports and studies for the Special Waste Management Corporation or the Department of the Environment evaluating the Von Roll rocking kilns at the Swan Hills facility.

#### **168.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:

A copy of all market reports and studies prepared for the Special Waste Management Corporation or the Department of the Environment on the installation of new rotating kilns at the Swan Hills facility.

#### **183.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of all laboratory reports and analyses submitted to the Government on tests for dioxins and furans in fish from Alberta rivers during the period May 18, 1988 through March 8, 1990.

#### **184.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A detailed account of the complete expenditures for the Premier's Commission on Future Health Care for Albertans.

#### **194.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Every study made by or for the Government since April 1, 1988, on salary levels of employees working in any of the voluntary human service sectors.

#### **204.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all tenders submitted for the project or projects for which contracts totalling \$439,653 were awarded to David Bromley Engineering (1983) Ltd., by the Department of Recreation and Parks, in the 1986/87 and 1987/88 fiscal years.

#### **205.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all financial analyses paid for by the Government, or done by its employees, that investigated the financial transactions made by Gainers Inc., involving Government loans and loan guarantees, during the period before the Government's takeover of the company.

#### **211.** Mr. Taylor to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of all invoices relating to the expenditure of \$176,533 at the Dai Ichi Hotel Enterprise Co. in the 1987-1988 fiscal year, by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services.

#### **212.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A detailed breakdown of Government expenditure on the Oldman River Dam, since the initiation of the project.

#### **222.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Copies of the documents pertaining to Weldwood of Canada, Hinton Division, and H.R. Milner Plant, Alberta Power, Grande Cache, as listed below:

- (1) the companies' applications to operate under the Clean Air and Clean Water
- (2) the licences to operate issued under the Clean Air and Clean Water Acts;
- (3) certificates, orders, or waivers issued by Alberta Environment pursuant to licences to operate in the last 10 years;
- (4) the latest annual reports for each company under the Clean Air and Clean Water Acts; and
- (5) a list and description of violations in the last five years relating to contaminants or conditions that should have been controlled pursuant to the Clean Air and Clean Water Act licences to operate.

#### **223**. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly to issue for a Return showing:

Copies of the documents which form and support the claim by the Government, against the Federal Government, made under the stabilization provisions of the Fiscal Arrangements Act in respect of the 1986-87 revenue downturn.

#### **237**. Rev. Mr. Roberts to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Documents prepared by the Government presenting a detailed breakdown of the Government's response to the recommendations in both the Watanabe and Hyndman reports, and an indication of which recommendations will be acted upon in 1990, 1991, 1992, and after.

#### 238. Rev. Mr. Roberts to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all evaluation reports prepared by the Department of Health on the six-month pilot project called "Medilink" (begun in the fall of 1989), including the evaluation of three types of health care cards.

#### **239.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of the water quality data on the secondary treatment lagoon effluent from

- (1) the Procter & Gamble Mill, Grande Prairie;
- (2) the Millar Western Pulp Mill, Grande Prairie;
- (3) the Weldwood Pulp Mill, Hinton;

to be tabled in the House, the day following receipt, on an on-going basis.

#### **240.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of the water quality data on the secondary treatment lagoon effluent from

- (1) the Procter & Gamble Pulp Mill, Grande Prairie, from January 1989 until the present;
- (2) the Millar Western Pulp Mill, Whitecourt, from the date of commissioning in 1988 until the present; and
- (3) the Weldwood Pulp Mill, Hinton, from 1985 until the present.

#### **241**. Rev. Mr. Roberts to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: The records of the Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan showing:

- (1) the total of all payments made to and the number of services provided by optometrists according to benefit codes B650 to B659 between June 30, 1988 and December 31, 1989, and
- (2) the total of all payments made to and the number of services provided by ophthalmologists according to the non-surgical benefit codes (P and B sections) for the same period.

#### **248.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Copies of all emission control orders issued by Alberta Environment from April 1, 1988 through March 31, 1990.

#### **249.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: A copy of all letters of permission issued by Alberta Environment for non-routine discharge of liquid effluents from April 1, 1988 through March 31, 1990.

#### **250.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: A copy of the two reports of a Task Force on Environment Law Enforcement in Alberta referred to on page 23 in the 1987/88 report of Alberta Environment.

#### **252**. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A comprehensive listing of all Canadian equities, convertible bonds, short-term money market securities, and other assets held by the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund under Schedule 4, Commercial Investment Division investments as of June 30, 1989; September 30, 1989; December 31, 1989; and March 31, 1990.

#### **262.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Any reports that the Government has purchased or received that have been carried out by Jaakko Pöyry Oy or Jaakko Pöyry Consulting Inc.

#### **263.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A detailed breakdown of all grants under the Team Tourism program indicating the names of the recipients, total value of each grant, purpose of each grant, and total amount of funds delivered under the program.

#### **264.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of the operating leases in effect after September 25, 1987, and any subsequent amendments thereto, between Gainers Properties Inc. on the one hand, and Gainers Inc. and Sodor Foods Inc. on the other.

#### **265.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of the Personal Performance Guarantee, dated September 25, 1987, and any subsequent amendments thereto, provided by Peter Pocklington to the Government of Alberta pursuant to a \$55 million guaranteed loan and a \$12 million loan made available to Gainers Properties Inc. on March 3, 1988.

#### **266**. Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of the trust agreement or agreements between the Government of Alberta and 369413 Alberta Ltd. with respect to the ownership and control of Gainers Inc., Gainers Properties Inc., Sodor Foods Inc., or their subsidiaries.

#### **267.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of a report prepared by Coopers & Lybrand Limited with the assistance of Clarkson Gordon, on or about July 1989, which contains a comprehensive business plan for Gainers and a detailed industry and market study to address the company's short- and long-term viability.

#### **268.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Copies of all agreements between the Government of Alberta, 369413 Alberta Ltd., and Gainers Inc. with respect to the payment or non-payment of any debts or advances owing by Gainers or any of its subsidiaries.

#### **269.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all agreements between the Government of Alberta, or its nominee, and Lloyds Bank Canada with respect to the special warrant expenditure of \$35 million, on or about October 20, 1989, to purchase the indebtedness owing to Lloyds Bank by Gainers Inc.

### **270.** Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of a Priorities and Postponement Agreement between Lloyds Bank Canada and 369413 Alberta Ltd., dated on or about August 8, 1989, whereby the Bank was allowed to take a \$5 million prior charge on the fixed assets of Gainers.

#### **271**. Mr. Fox to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Copies of all agreements between the Government of Alberta, 369413 Alberta

Ltd., and the lending institution which advanced monies under the \$55 million loan to Gainers Properties Inc. announced on March 3, 1988.

## **272.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of all documents and correspondence exchanged by the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta regarding the implementation and administration of the flat rate tax.

#### 273. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

A copy of every study or report prepared for or by the Government since January 1, 1987, on the feasibility of implementing a new rent relief program or the costs involved in implementing such a program.

# Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

#### **Second Reading**

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 205 Freedom of Information and Protection of Personal Privacy Act — Mr. Decore

A debate followed.

Mr. McEachern moved that the question be now put.

Mr. Lund moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

## Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, at 5:30 p.m., it was agreed that when the Members reassembled at 8:00 p.m., they would be in Committee of Supply, and the Deputy Speaker left the Chair.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1990 — 8:00 P.M.

## **Committee of Supply**

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Moore reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows, and requests leave to sit again.

Resolved that a sum not exceeding the following be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1991, for the Department and purposes indicated:

#### **Recreation and Parks**

\$ 3,820,392	Departmental Support Services
40,129,541	Recreation Development
31,787,236	Provincial Parks
13,373,308	Kananaskis Country Management

The question being put, the report and the request for leave to sit again were agreed to.

## Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stewart, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:18 p.m. until Friday, April 27, 1990, at 10:00 a.m.

## **NOTICES**

## Leave to Introduce a Bill

Bill	19	Financial Consumers Act — Hon. Mr. Anderson
Bill	20	Consumption Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 1990 — Hon. Mr. Johnston
Bill	21	Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1990 — Hon. Mr. Johnston
Bill	22	Agricultural Development Amendment Act, 1990 — Hon. Mr. Isley
Bill	219	Arts Council Act — Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	222	An Act to Amend the Interprovincial Lottery Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	223	Alberta Economic Diversification Board Act — Mr. Bruseker
Bill	224	Water Transfer Control Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	225	An Act to Amend the Auditor General Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	226	Open Taxation Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	227	Quality Child Day Care Training and Standards Act — Ms Mjolsness
Bill	229	An Act to Amend the Students Finance Act — Ms Barrett
Bill	231	Public Service Pay Equity Act — Mr. Decore
Bill	232	An Act to Amend Certain Statutes on Maintenance — Ms M. Laing
Bill	233	Quality Child Day Care Standards Act — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	234	Arts Board and Arts Council Act — Ms Barrett
Bill	235	An Act to Amend the School Act — Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	236	Instructional Materials Production Act — Mr. Jonson
Bill	237	An Act to Amend the Dairy Board Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	238	Environmental Ombudsman Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	239	Environmental Impact Assessment Act — Mr. McInnis
Bill	240	An Act to Amend the Hail and Crop Insurance Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	241	An Act to Amend the Limitation of Actions Act — Mr. Wright

Bill 242 School User Fees Elimination Act — Mr. Woloshyn

- Bill 243 An Act to Amend the Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped Act Ms Mjolsness
- Bill 246 An Act to Include Midwifery as a Profession Under the Health Disciplines Act Mrs. Hewes
- Bill 247 Justice Review Committee Act Mr. Day
- Bill 248 An Act to Amend the School Act Mrs. Gagnon
- Bill 249 Native Peoples Representation Act Ms Calahasen
- Bill 250 An Act to Amend the Hail and Crop Insurance Act Mr. Paszkowski
- Bill 251 Forest Industry Development Administration Act Mr. Mitchell
- Bill 252 An Act to Amend the Universities Act Mrs. Gagnon
- Bill 253 Alberta Farm Security Act Mr. Taylor
- Bill 254 An Act to Amend the Individual's Rights Protection Act Ms M. Laing
- Bill 255 Alberta Palliative Care Foundation Act Mrs. Black
- Bill 257 Service Dogs Act Mr. Payne
- Bill 258 An Act to Amend Certain Statutes on Marital Status Ms M. Laing
- Bill 259 Tobacco Control Act Mr. Schumacher
- Bill 260 An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act Mr. Payne
- Bill 261 An Act to Phase Out the Use of Chlorofluorocarbons Mr. Mitchell
- Bill 262 Space Agencies Act Mr. Day
- Bill 263 An Act to Amend the Marketing of Agricultural Products Act Mr. Fox
- Bill 264 An Act to Amend the Historical Resources Act Ms Barrett
- Bill 265 Natural Gas Tax Rebate for Alfalfa Pelletizing Act Mr. Paszkowski
- Bill 267 An Act to Commit Government to a Five Year Funding Planning Framework Mr. Wickman
- Bill 268 Children's Access Rights Enforcement Act Mr. Evans
- Bill 269 "Whistle Blower's" Protection Act Mr. McInnis
- Bill 270 An Act to Amend the Judicature Act Mr. Wright
- Bill 271 An Act to Amend the Expropriation Act Mr. Lund
- Bill 272 Environmental Assessment Act Mr. Mitchell
- Bill 273 Financial Reform Act Mr. Hawkesworth
- Bill 274 Freedom of Information and Personal Privacy Act Mr. Pashak
- Bill 275 Unfair Contract Terms Act Mr. Wright
- Bill 277 Government Open Contract Act Mr. Bruseker

- Bill 279 An Act to Amend the Builders' Lien Act Mr. Taylor
- Bill 280 An Act to Amend the Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan Act Mr. Doyle

## **Written Questions**

#### **286.** Ms Barrett to ask the Government:

How much did the Government spend on the "special television message" involving the Premier to which Hon. Mr. Kowalski referred in the Assembly on April 26, 1990, and any other advertising message related to "promoting" volunteer week which may or may not have directly involved the Premier, including:

- (1) TV air time costs and production costs;
- (2) other electronic air time and production costs;
- (3) print media space and production costs; and
- (4) any other costs associated with this advertising campaign?

David J. Carter, Speaker

Title: Thursday, April 26, 1990