

# Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 30

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**Second Session** 

Twenty-Second Legislature

Friday, April 27, 1990

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 a.m.

# **ROUTINE**

### **Notices of Motions**

Mr. Gibeault, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Millwoods, gave oral notice of his intention to move the following motion under Standing Order 40 on Orders of the Day:

Be it resolved that in recognition of April 28 being the National Day of Mourning for workers injured or killed on the job, and in light of the many hazardous worksites across Alberta, the Legislative Assembly establish a Special Task Force to conduct public hearings with all interested parties to identify solutions to the health and safety problems faced by Alberta workers.

### **Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Dinning, Minister of Education, announced that Monday, April 30, 1990, marks the beginning of Education Week.

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

# **Motion Under Standing Order 40**

Mr. Gibeault, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Millwoods, requested the unanimous consent of the Assembly for consideration of the following motion:

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Unanimous consent was not granted.

# ORDERS OF THE DAY

# **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 assumed the Chair and Mr. Jonson 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:

### **Municipal Affairs**

\$ 9,578,562	Departmental Support Services
220,566,105	Financial Support for Municipal Programs
125,909,179	Alberta Property Tax Reduction Plan - Rebates to Individuals
9,479,844	Support to Community Planning Services
24,017,525	Administrative and Technical Support to Municipalities
1,934,584	Regulatory Boards
103,765,634	Research and Financial Assistance for Housing
170,000,000	Housing and Mortgage Assistance for Albertans

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 1:00 p.m. until Monday, April 30, 1990, at 2:30 p.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**

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

- (1) What administrative and support positions relating to the construction of dams have been transferred from the Department of the Environment to the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services?
- (2) How many full-time equivalent positions were transferred in total?

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

What is the Government's policy concerning the use of helicopters to access provincial parks, natural areas, and wilderness areas for recreational use (such as fishing, skiing, walking)?

### **Motions for Returns**

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: A detailed breakdown of payments received by the Province from the Government of Canada, under the Canada Assistance Plan, by department and by program component for the fiscal years 1988, 1989, 1990 (forecast), and 1990 (estimated).

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: Copies of all letters between the Provincial Treasurer and the Federal Finance Minister regarding the flat-rate tax.

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: A list of the companies which the Government reviewed before selecting Jaakko Pöyry Consulting Inc. to make an assessment of the scientific data submitted to the Alberta-Pacific Review Board.

David J. Carter, Speaker

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