

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 83

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Wednesday, December 5, 1990

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

# ROUTINE

# **Presenting Petitions**

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Westlock-Sturgeon, presented a petition from 600 residents of Westlock urging the Government to proceed with construction of the new Immaculata Hospital.

# **Reading and Receiving Petitions**

On request by Mr. McInnis, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Jasper Place, the following petition was read and received:

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We the undersigned hereby ask the Alberta Legislative Assembly to increase support for public transit policy.

## **Notices of Motions**

Mr. Pashak, Hon. Member for Calgary-Forest Lawn, gave oral notice of his intention to move the following under Standing Order 40 on Orders of the Day:

Be it resolved that this Assembly transmit to the Government of Canada our strenuous objection to the \$100 million budget cuts to the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, which have resulted in the closure of 10 regional CBC outlets, including Calgary CBC operations effective today, causing the loss of over 100 jobs and severing vital communication links in southern Alberta, and our call for reinstatement of full operational funding for the CBC.

#### **Introduction of Bills (First Reading)**

Notice having been given:

Bill 252 An Act to Amend the Universities Act - Mrs. Gagnon

Bill 287 An Act to Provide for Elected Representation on Post-Secondary Educational Institute Boards — Ms Barrett

### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. R. Speaker, Minister of Municipal Affairs, pursuant to the Alberta Mortgage and Housing Corporation Act, cA-32.5, s25(2), 1984 Statutes:

Alberta Mortgage and Housing Corporation, Annual Report 1989-90 Sessional Paper 83A/90

Hon. Ms McCoy, Minister of Labour, pursuant to the Public Service Act, cP-31, s5(2), 1980 Statutes:

Public Service Commission, Annual Report 1989

Sessional Paper 82/90

Mr. Nelson, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, pursuant to the Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Act, cA-38, s12, 1980 Statutes:

Alberta Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission, Annual Report 1989-90 Sessional Paper 61A/90

Rev. Mr. Roberts, Hon. Member for Edmonton Centre:

Letters from physicians and the Mayor of Edmonton regarding additional support for the redevelopment of the Royal Alexandra Hospital

Sessional Paper 607/90

# **Motion Under Standing Order 40**

Mr. Pashak, Hon. Member for Calgary-Forest Lawn, 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**

## **Government Bills and Orders**

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

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole.

(Assembly in Committee)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 52 Natural Resources Conservation Board Act — Hon. Mr. Orman

Consideration was given to amendments moved by Mr. McInnis, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Jasper Place (reference to Sessional Paper 378/90). The question being put, the amendments were defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 8

Bruseker Chumir Gagnon Hewes Martin McEachern McInnis Taylor Against the motion: 46

Adair	Fowler	Orman
Ady	Fox	Paszkowski
Barret	Getty	Payne
Betkowski	Gogo	Roberts
Black	Kowalski	Shrake
Bogle	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Sigurdson
Bradley	Lund	Sparrow
Brassard	Main	Speaker (Little Bow)
Cardinal	McClellan	Tannas
Clegg	Mirosh	Thurber
Day	Mjolsness	Trynchy
Dinning	Moore	Weiss
Elliott	Musgrove	West
Evans	Nelson	Woloshyn
Ewasiuk	Oldring	Zarusky
Fischer	-	-

And after some further time spent therein, the Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported with some amendments and ordered to be read a Third time:

Bill 52 Natural Resources Conservation Board Act — Hon. Mr. Orman

Ordered, That the report be concurred in.

Mr. Jonson, Deputy Chairman of Committees, tabled copies of all amendments considered by the Committee of the Whole this date.

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#### **Third Reading**

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

Bill 52 Natural Resources Conservation Board Act — Hon. Mr. Orman

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 34

Ady	Fischer	Orman
Betkowski	Fowler	Paszkowski
Black	Gogo	Payne
Bogle	Jonson	Rostad
Bradley	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Sparrow
Brassard	Lund	Speaker (Little Bow)
Cardinal	McClellan	Tannas
Clegg	Mirosh	Thurber
Day	Moore	Trynchy
Dinning	Nelson	Weiss
Elliott	Oldring	Zarusky
Evans	-	-

Against the motion: 15

Barrett	Gagnon	Mjolsness
Bruseker	Hewes	Pashak
Chumir	Martin	Roberts
Ewasiuk	McEachern	Sigurdson
Fox	McInnis	Woloshyn

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 52 Natural Resources Conservation Board Act — Hon. Mr. Orman

#### Committee of the Whole

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole.

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Speaker resumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 57 Electoral Boundaries Commission Act — Hon. Mr. Rostad

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Jonson, Deputy Chairman of Committees, tabled copies of amendments considered by the Committee of the whole this date.

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# Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until Thursday, December 6, 1990, at 2:30 p.m.

# NOTICES

## Leave to Introduce a Bill

- Bill231Public Service Pay Equity Act Mr. Decore
- Bill 233 Quality Child Day Care Standards Act Mrs. Hewes
- Bill 236 Instructional Materials Production Act Mr. Jonson
- Bill 242 School User Fees Elimination Act Mr. Woloshyn
- Bill 247 Justice Review Committee Act Mr. Day
- Bill 249 Native Peoples Representation Act Ms Calahasen
- Bill 250 An Act to Amend the Hail and Crop Insurance Act Mr. Paszkowski
- Bill 255 Alberta Palliative Care Foundation Act Mrs. Black
- Bill 257 Service Dogs Act Mr. Payne
- Bill 260 An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act Mr. Payne
- Bill 262 Space Agencies Act Mr. Day
- 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 271 An Act to Amend the Expropriation Act Mr. Lund
- Bill 273 Financial Reform Act Mr. Hawkesworth
- Bill 274 Freedom of Information and Personal Privacy Act Mr. Pashak
- Bill 285 An Act to Amend the Amusements Act Mr. McInnis
- Bill 288 Telemarketing Act Mr. Bruseker
- Bill 289 An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act Mrs. Hewes
- Bill 290 An Act to Amend the Public Service Employee Relations Act Mr. Decore

## Written Questions

**433.** Mr. Chumir to ask the Government:

What is the amount of tobacco tax revenues accruing to the Government for the fiscal year 1990-91, year to date, from the following sources: cigarettes, cigars, and loose tobacco?

# **Motions for Returns**

**434.** Rev. Mr. Roberts to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: A list of those rural hospitals which in the view of the Hospital Services Division of Alberta Health will have their funding decreased after the implementation of the acute care funding system, as well as those rural hospitals that stand to gain by the acute care model.

**435.** Rev. Mr. Roberts to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: The back-up systems used by Information Technology Division of Alberta Health for the billing, medical, and other information databases in the Health Care Insurance Division, and other divisions of the Department of Health.

**436.** Mr. McInnis to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: A copy of all studies prepared for the Government by Cliff Ronden on the feasibility of recycling pesticide containers.

**437.** Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: Copies of the audited financial statements of Alberta Intermodal Services Ltd. for the year ending December 31, 1989.

**438.** Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing: Copies of the unaudited financial update of Alberta Intermodal Services Ltd. for the nine months ending September 30, 1990.

David J. Carter, Speaker

Title: Wednesday, December 5, 1990