



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 88

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Wednesday, December 12, 1990

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

**ROUTINE**

**Notices of Motions**

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

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta make known to the Liberal Government in Quebec, that we strongly oppose that Government's recent call for the Federal Government's withdrawal from health care transfers to the provinces and the abandonment of the national standards outlined in the Canada Health Act.

Que l'Assemblée législative de l'Alberta apprenne au gouvernement libéral du Québec que nous sommes vigoureusement opposés à leur demande récente que le gouvernement fédéral retire ses transferts pour soins de santé aux provinces et abandonne les standards nationaux contenus dans la Loi de santé du Canada.

**Introduction of Bills (First Reading)**

Notice having been given:

Bill 268 Children's Access Rights Enforcement Act — Mr. Evans

Bill 293 Environmental Bill of Rights Act — Mr. Mitchell

- Bill 294 Alberta Seniors Advisory Council Act — Rev. Mr. Roberts
- Bill 295 An Act to Prevent Discrimination Against Married Couples Seeking Farm Financial Support — Mr. Fox

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Mr. Martin, Hon. Leader of the Opposition:

Communiqués issued by the Western New Democratic Party Leaders,  
December 11, 1990

Sessional Paper 616/90

Hon. Mr. Stewart, Minister of Technology, Research and Telecommunications,  
pursuant to the Alberta Educational Communications Corporation Act, cA-18, s12,  
1980 Statutes (c1, s11, 1981 Statutes):

Alberta Educational Communications Corporation, Annual Report 1990

Sessional Paper 123A/90

Hon. Mr. Rostad, Attorney General, pursuant to the Legal Profession Act, cL-9,  
s108(2), 1980 Statutes:

Alberta Law Foundation, Annual Report 1990

Sessional Paper 20A/90

Hon. Mr. Dinning, Minister of Education, pursuant to the Premier's Council on the  
Status of Persons with Disabilities, cP-14.5, s7(2), 1988 Statutes:

Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, Annual Report  
1989-90

Sessional Paper 89A/90

Hon. Mr. Gogo, Minister of Advanced Education, pursuant to the Financial  
Administration Act, cF-9, s2(6), 1980 Statutes:

Northern Alberta Institute of Technology, Annual Report 1989

Sessional Paper 9A/90

Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, Annual Report 1989

Sessional Paper 9B/90

University of Calgary, Annual Report 1989-90

Sessional Paper 10D/90

Mr. Evans, Hon. Member for Banff-Cochrane, pursuant to the Tourism Education  
Council Act, cT6.3, s7(2), 1988 Statutes:

Alberta Tourism Education Council, Annual Report 1990

Sessional Paper 129A/90

Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark:

Correspondence between the Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark and the Hon. Dr. West, Minister of Recreation and Parks, and the Federal Environment Minister, dated March 20, April 5, and May 7, 1990

Sessional Paper 617/90

Mrs. Gagnon, Hon. Member for Calgary-McKnight:

Letters from Calgary residents expressing concern about corporate pooling of funds between school districts

Sessional Paper 618/90

#### Ministerial Statements

Hon. Mr. Gogo, Minister of Advanced Education, announced a draft policy on adult literacy and tabled copies of Foundations for Adult Learning and Development Policy, December 1990.

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

### **Motion Under Standing Order 40**

Rev. Mr. Roberts, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, requested unanimous consent of the Assembly for consideration of the following motion:

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Que l'Assemblée législative de l'Alberta apprenne au gouvernement libéral du Québec que nous sommes vigoureusement opposés à leur demande récente que le gouvernement fédéral retire ses transferts pour soins de santé aux provinces et abandonne les standards nationaux contenus dans la Loi de santé du Canada.

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 57 Electoral Boundaries Commission Act — Hon. Mr. Rostad

Debate continued on an amendment moved by Mr. Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Belmont, on December 10, 1990:

Section 17(2) and (3) are struck.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated. The names being called were taken as follows:

For the motion: 15

Barrett	Gibeault	McInnis
Bruseker	Hewes	Mitchell
Doyle	Laing (Edmonton-Avonmore)	Roberts
Ewasiuk	Martin	Sigurdson
Fox	McEachern	Woloshyn

Against the motion: 43

Ady	Fjordbotten	Mirosh
Betkowski	Gesell	Moore
Black	Getty	Nelson
Bogle	Gogo	Paszkowski
Bradley	Horsman	Severtson
Calahasen	Hyland	Shrake
Cherry	Isley	Speaker (Little Bow)
Clegg	Johnston	Stewart
Day	Jonson	Tannas
Dinning	Kowalski	Thurber
Drobot	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Trynchy
Elliott	Lund	Weiss
Elzinga	Main	West
Evans	McClellan	Zarusky
Fischer		

And after some further 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 all amendments considered by the Committee of the Whole this date.

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## **Adjournment**

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until Thursday, December 13, 1990, at 2:30 p.m.

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## **NOTICES**

### **Leave to Introduce a Bill**

- 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 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 291 Employee Equity Development Act — Ms Barrett

David J. Carter,  
Speaker

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