

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 8

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Third Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Monday, March 25, 1991

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

ROUTINE

Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Mr. Day, Chairman of the Special Committee appointed to prepare and report lists of the Members to compose the Select Standing Committees of the Assembly, reported as follows:

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Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act (15 Members)

Ady (Chairman)	Doyle	Mitchell
Jonson (Deputy Chairman)	Ewasiuk	Moore
Black	Fischer	Osterman
Cardinal	Gesell	Payne
Cherry	Hawkesworth	Taylor

Law and Regulations (21 Members)

Gesell (Chairman)	Clegg	Nelson
Elliot (Deputy Chairman)	Evans	Paszkowski
Ady	Gibeault	Severtson
Barrett	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Shrake
Cardinal	Lund	Tannas
Cherry	McEachern	Wickman
Chivers	Mitchell	Zarusky

Legislative Offices (9 Members)

Bogle (Chairman)	Drobot	Hyland
Nelson (Deputy Chairman)	Fox	Sigurdson
Ady	Gagnon	Tannas

Members' Services (11 Members)

Carter (Chairman)	Day	McInnis
Bogle (Deputy Chairman)	Elliot	Mirosh
Barrett	Hyland	Wickman
Black	Kowalski	

Private Bills

Black (Chairman)	Gagnon	Mirosh
Cherry (Deputy Chairman)	Gesell	Musgrove
Clegg	Hewes	Severtson
Doyle	Hyland	Tannas
Elliott	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Thurber
Evans	Lund	Woloshyn
Ewasiuk	McEachern	Zarusky

Privileges and Elections, Standing Orders and Printing (21 Members)

Fischer (Chairman)	Day	Schumacher
Osterman (Deputy Chairman)	Evans	Severtson
Anderson	Fox	Speaker (Little Bow)
Calahasen	Gogo	Stewart
Cherry	Hyland	Tannas
Chivers	Mjolsness	Taylor
Chumir	Nelson	Woloshyn

Public Accounts (21 Members)

Pashak (Chairman)	Clegg	Osterman
Moore (Deputy Chairman)	Drobot	Paszkowski
Black	Gibeault	Payne
Bruseker	Jonson	Severtson
Calahasen	Laing (Calgary-Bow)	Shrake
Cardinal	Laing (Edmonton-Avonmore)	Sigurdson
Chumir	Lund	Thurber

Public Affairs (All Members)

 $Clegg \ ({\rm Chairman})$

Calahasen (Deputy Chairman)

Sessional Paper 509/91

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 268 An Act to Amend the Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan Act — Mr. Doyle

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Anderson, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs:

Automotive Discussion Paper and news release

Sessional Paper 309/91

Hon. Mr. Fowler, Solicitor General:

Policing in Relation to the Blood Tribe, Volumes 1 and 2, Report of a Public Inquiry, Commissioner's Report

Sessional Paper 310/91

Justice on Trial, Volumes I, II, and III, Report of the Task Force on the Criminal Justice System and Its Impact on the Indian and Metis People of Alberta Sessional Paper 311/91

Hon. Mr. Klein, Minister of the Environment, pursuant to the Special Waste Management Corporation Act, cS-21.5, s14(1), 1982 Statutes:

Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation, Annual Report 1990 Sessional Paper 52/91

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Motions

4. Moved by Hon. Mr. Horsman:

Be it resolved that, when the Assembly adjourns on Wednesday, March 27, 1991, at the regular hour of 5:30 p.m., it shall stand adjourned to Thursday, April 4, 1991, at 2:30 p.m.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

Consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech

Moved by Mr. Paszkowski and seconded by Mrs. B. Laing:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

To His Honour the Honourable Gordon Towers, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session.

A debate followed.

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1991 — 8:00 P.M.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill I Seniors Advisory Council for Alberta Act — Hon. Mr. Ge	Bill	eniors Advisory Council for Alberta Act —	Hon. Mr. Getty
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Bill 2 Forest Development Research Trust Fund Amendment Act, 1991 — Hon. Mr. Fjordbotten



Bill	3	Forest and Prairie Protection Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Cherry
Bill	4	Social Work Profession Act — Mrs. Mirosh
Bill	6	Oil and Gas Conservation Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Payne
Bill	7	Turner Valley Unit Operations Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Tannas
Bill	10	Powers of Attorney Act — Mr. Schumacher
Bill	15	Alberta Foundation for the Arts Act — Hon. Mr. Main

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stewart, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:05 p.m. until Tuesday, March 26, 1991, at 2:30 p.m.

NOTICES

Leave to Introduce a Bill

Bill	12	Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Thurber
Bill	20	Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Thurber
Bill	21	Rural Utilities Amendment Act, 1991 — Mr. Thurber
Bill	22	Wild Rose Foundation Amendment Act, 1991 — Hon. Mr. Kowalski
Bill	224	Children's Rights Bill — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	225	Office of Treaty Commissioner Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	228	Ecological Reserves and Heritage Rivers Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	230	Day of Mourning for Injured Workers Act — Mr. Gibeault
Bill	231	"Whistle Blower's" Protection Act — Mr. McInnis
Bill	232	Government Open Contract Act — Mr. Bruseker
Bill	233	Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 1991 — Mrs. Black
Bill	234	Freedom of Information and Personal Privacy Act — Mr. Pashak
Bill	235	Native Peoples Representation Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	236	An Act to Amend the Employment Standards Code — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	237	Alberta Farm Security Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	238	An Act to Promote Recycling Industries in Alberta — Mr. McInnis

- Bill 239 An Act to Amend the Labour Relations Code Mr. Decore
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Bill	240	Women's Agricultural Parity Act — Mr. Decore
Bill	241	Individual's Rights Protection Amendment Act — Ms M. Laing
Bill	242	An Act to Phase Out the Use of Chlorofluorocarbons — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	243	An Act to Prevent Discrimination Against Married Couples Seeking Farm Financial Support — Mr. Fox
Bill	244	Executive Remuneration Disclosure Act — Ms Barrett
Bill	245	Students Finance Act Amendment Act — Ms Barrett
Bill	246	An Act to Amend the Interprovincial Lottery Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	247	Water Resources Management Services Administration Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	248	An Act to Amend the Ambulance Services Act — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	249	Provincial Court Amendment Act, 1991 — Mrs. Black
Bill	250	Below Cost Timber Sales Act — Mr. McInnis
Bill	251	Individual Property Rights Protection Act — Mr. Gesell
Bill	252	Interprovincial Lottery Act Amendment Act — Ms Barrett
Bill	253	An Act to Amend the Legal Profession Act — Mr. Nelson
Bill	254	An Act to Amend the Widows' Pension Act — Ms M. Laing
Bill	255	Landlord and Tenant Act Amendment Act — Mr. Ewasiuk
Bill	256	Motor Vehicle Dealers Act — Mr. Hyland
Bill	257	Environmental Impact Assessment Act — Mr. McInnis
Bill	258	Limitation of Actions Act Amendment Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	259	An Act to Amend the Property Tax Reduction Act — Mr. Gesell
Bill	260	Amendment to the Individual's Rights Protection Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	261	Waste Reduction and Recycling Act — Mr. Decore
Bill	262	Native Justice Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	263	An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	264	Environmental Bill of Rights — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	265	Telemarketing Act — Mr. Bruseker
Bill	266	Residential Care Giver Training Act — Ms Mjolsness
Bill	267	Forestry Industry Development Administration Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	269	Non-Degradation of Water Quality Act — Mr. Bruseker

Bill	270	An Act to Amend the Agricultural Development Act — Mr. Paszkowski
Bill	271	Landlord and Tenant Act Amendment Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	272	An Act to Amend the Auditor General Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	273	Miscellaneous Maintenance Statutes Amendment Act — Ms M. Laing
Bill	274	Senior Citizens Medical Research Foundation Act — Mr. Musgrove
Bill	275	An Act to Amend the Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped Act — Ms Mjolsness
Bill	276	Agricultural Resources Conservation Board Act — Mr. Decore
Bill	277	Unfair Contract Terms Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	278	Decommissioning of Industrial Sites Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	279	Interest Charge Review Board Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	280	An Act to Amend the Employment Standards Code — Mr. Decore
Bill	281	An Act to Amend the Hail and Crop Insurance Act — Mr. Paszkowski
Bill	282	Alberta Youth Conservation Corps Act — Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	283	An Act to Amend the Alberta Income Tax Act — Mr. Wickman
Bill	284	Alberta Seniors Advisory Council Act — Mr. Martin
Bill	285	An Act to Amend the Dairy Board Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	286	Environmental Ombudsman Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	287	An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Act — Mr. Nelson
Bill	288	Miscellaneous Statutes on Marital Status Amendment Act — Ms M. Laing
Bill	289	Judicature Act Amendment Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	290	Quality Child Day Care Training and Standards Act — Ms Mjolsness
Bill	292	Natural Gas Tax Rebate for Alfalfa Pelletizing Act — Mr. Paszkowski
Bill	293	Alberta Economic Diversification Board Act — Mr. Bruseker
Bill	294	Water Transfer Control Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	295	An Act to Include Midwifery as a Profession Under the Health Disciplines Act — Mrs. Hewes
Bill	296	Arts Council Act — Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	297	Native Language Act — Mr. Hawkesworth
Bill	298	Public Service Pay Equity Act — Mr. Decore

Bill	299	An Act to Amend the Co-operatives Associations Act — Mr. Mitchell
Bill	300	Institute of Health Care Ethics Act — Mr. Martin
Bill	302	Non-Smokers Health Act — Mr. Chumir
Bill	303	An Act to Amend the School Act — Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	304	An Act to Amend the Amusements Act — Mr. McInnis
Bill	305	Public Service Employee Relations Amendment Act — Mr. Gibeault
Bill	306	An Act to Amend the Alberta Health Care Insurance Act — Mr. Decore
Bill	307	An Act to Amend the Builders' Lien Act — Mr. Taylor
Bill	308	An Act to Commit the Government to a Five-Year Funding Planning Framework — Mr. Wickman
Bill	309	An Act to Amend the Guarantees Acknowledgment $\operatorname{Act}-\operatorname{Mr.}$ Nelson
Bill	310	Hate Documentation Act — Mr. Hawkesworth
Bill	311	Election Act Amendment Act — Mr. Chivers
Bill	312	An Act to Amend the Liquor Control Act — Mr. Shrake

Bill 313 An Act to Amend the Hail and Crop Insurance Act — Mr. Taylor

Written Questions

259. Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government the following question:

With respect to the Order in Council Special Warrant 139/91 issued in the amount of \$51,600,000, what is the breakdown by cost and procedure for basic health services, extended health benefits for senior citizens' out-of-province hospital costs and Blue Cross?

Motions for Returns

260. Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: The share purchase agreement dated July 24, 1990, between Robert Bosch GmbH and Telus, whereby Bosch agreed to acquire a 50 percent interest in NovAtel Communications Ltd.

261. Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: Documents or studies showing the anticipated cost of the sales of Telus shares

- (1) through the Alberta Installment Program, and
- (2) through the Alberta Government Telephones employee purchase plan.
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262. Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: The annual audited financial statements for NovAtel Communications Ltd.

- (1) for each year that Alberta Government Telephones was a 50 percent shareholder, and
- (2) for 1989 and 1990.
- **263.** Mr. McEachern to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: The documents detailing all expenses associated with the sale of Alberta Government Telephones, including underwriting and selling commissions, printing, legal, registration, and advertising costs.

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David J. Carter, Speaker

Title: Monday, March 25, 1991