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## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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Tuesday, May 7, 1991

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

### **ROUTINE**

#### **Presenting Petitions**

Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, presented a petition from 112 Albertans requesting the reinstatement of funding for some senior services.

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

Upon recommendation of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill 31 Universities Foundations Act — Hon. Mr. Gogo

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mrs. Betkowski, Minister of Health:

Answer to Written Question 352 asked by Mrs. Hewes on May 2, 1991:

With respect to the recent hospital linen contract awarded by the Mill Woods Patient Support Centre:

- (1) who were the bidders in this contract, and
- (2) did the winning bid, tendered by K-Bro Linen Systems Inc., exceed the lowest bidder, and if so, by how much?

Sessional Paper 352A/91

Hon. Mr. Orman, Minister of Energy:

Alberta Office of Coal Research and Technology, Annual Review 1989-90

Sessional Paper 338/91

Mr. McInnis, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Jasper Place:

Letter dated May 7, 1991, from the Hon. Member to Hon. Mr. Getty, Premier, regarding Sunpine Forest Products, with an attached newspaper article and editorial

Sessional Paper 543/91

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Written Questions**

The following Written Questions were accepted:

**351.** (Mr. Wickman)

Did the Government commit itself in any way to funding or support for a \$500,000 computer system purchased by the United Way in Edmonton?

**368.** (Mrs. Hewes)

How many seniors with net taxable incomes between \$5,500 and \$12,000 per year are currently receiving benefits under the Alberta Aids to Daily Living Program?

The following Written Question was not accepted:

**354.** (Mr. Chumir)

- (1) How much did the Government spend on public opinion polling during the fiscal year 1990-91?
- (2) How much did each department spend on public opinion polling during the 1990-91 fiscal year?

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

**281.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government the following question:

- (1) What was the cost in terms of manpower spent by the Department of Family and Social Services to plan the recentralization of regional offices to Edmonton?
- (2) How many positions will be relocated as a result of this recentralization?

**344.** Mr. Chumir to ask the Government the following question:

What are the details, including beneficiary, amount, and terms and conditions of all loan guarantees included under the "other" category as at March 31, 1990, and December 31, 1990, as specified on page 42 of the Government's 1991 Budget Address?

**349.** Mr. Chumir to ask the Government the following question:

What is the purpose and what are the terms and conditions of the \$2,500,000 Crown guarantee advanced to Peat Marwick Thorne Inc. for the year ending March 31, 1990?

**353.** Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government the following question:

- (1) Did the \$75 million grant that the Government allocated for infrastructure for the Alberta-Pacific Forest Industries pulp mill include the payment of compensation to those whose land will be required for the construction of roads for the pulp mill?
- (2) How much has been budgeted for this compensation?

**356.** Mr. Bruseker to ask the Government the following question:

- (1) How much of the \$525 million loan guarantee extended to NovAtel Communications Ltd. by the Government on January 11, 1991, has been drawn upon as of March 31, 1991?
- (2) With respect to the above mentioned loan guarantee, is the Minister of Technology, Research and Telecommunications required to give his approval for NovAtel to make use of the loan guarantee?

**367.** Mr. Taylor to ask the Government the following question:

- (1) How many farmers received subsidies under the Farm Fuel Subsidy Program during the 1989-90 fiscal year and what was the total cost to the Government?
- (2) How many of the farmers who received the subsidy in the 1989-90 fiscal year had gross receipts over \$10,000?
- (3) How much money will the changes in the Farm Fuel Subsidy Program that were announced on August 1, 1990, save the Government in the 1990-91 fiscal year and what are the anticipated savings for the 1991-92 fiscal year?

**369.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government the following question:

How much will it cost to perform a blood gas test to determine eligibility for all those Albertans currently receiving home oxygen under the Aids to Daily Living Program?

**370.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government the following question:

How much will the Government save in Aids to Daily Living benefits by making seniors earning over \$5,500 pay a 25 percent cost-share to a maximum of \$500 per year?

**371.** Mrs. Hewes to ask the Government the following question:

How much will it cost the Government to administer the cost sharing policy under the Alberta Aids to Daily Living Program?

**373.** Mr. Mitchell to ask the Government the following question:

What was the cost to the Government, through its funding of the Crown Corporation, of the Multi-Stakeholder Consultation Session on the proposed expansion at Swan Hills of the Alberta Special Waste Treatment Centre, held on November 6, 1990, and of printing and distributing the report of that session?

**374.** Mr. McInnis to ask the Government the following question:

How many Farm Credit Stability Loans were issued to registered game growers for the purpose of game farming or game ranching, what is the total value of these loans, and are any of these loans non-performing and, if so, how many and in what amount?

**375.** Mrs. Gagnon to ask the Government the following question:

How much did the Government spend producing the Education Week package, "Education is Everybody's Business?"

## Motions for Returns

The following motion was agreed to as amended:

**208.** Moved by Mr. Taylor on behalf of Mr. Mitchell:

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

A copy of the report of the task force on the Volunteer Incorporations Act and copies of all written briefs submitted to that task force.

Hon. Mr. Anderson, Minister of Consumer and Corporate Affairs, moved that the motion be amended by deleting the words "and copies of all written briefs submitted to that task force."

The following motions were defeated:

**185.** Moved by Mr. Bruseker:

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

A copy of all agreements, correspondence, and documents exchanged between the Government, the Cormie family, and the Japanese investors regarding the sale of the Cormie ranch, and a schedule specifying the disposition of the proceeds from that sale.

**186.** Moved by Mr. Bruseker:

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

Copies of all information relating to the expenditure of \$123,018,013, with sundry vendors at less than \$10,000 and more than \$1,000, in the 1988-89 fiscal year, identified in the 1988-89 supplement to the Public Accounts.

**187.** Moved by Mr. Bruseker:

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 takeover of the company.

**193.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

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

- (1) Copies of all working papers relating to the calculation behind the original \$1.1 billion deposit to the pension fund in 1981.
- (2) Copies of all actuarial studies and forecasts, completed since 1981, on each of the following pension plans:
  - (a) Judges Pension Plan,
  - (b) Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan,
  - (c) Public Service Pension Plan,

- (d) Public Service Management Pension Plan,
  - (e) Special Forces Pension Plan,
  - (f) Local Authorities Pension Plan,
  - (g) Universities Academic Pension Plan, and
  - (h) Teachers Retirement Plan.
- (3) Copies of all statements which show the date of the receipt for pension contributions and dates of payment to the pension fund for any net surplus since 1981.

**194.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

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.

**195.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all documents pertaining to the loan guarantee agreement of \$3 million made on June 5, 1988, between the Government and the principals of Sprung Instant Structures Ltd. and Sprung Clindinin Ltd.

**196.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of any Treasury Department analyses of the effects of Federal Government budget transfer payment cuts on the Alberta economy.

**198.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

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).

**200.** Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Chumir:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all audited and unaudited financial statements (both year end and quarterly) for S.C. Properties Ltd., S.C. Financial Limited, N.A. Properties Ltd., and 354713 Alberta Ltd. (Softco) for the years 1988 through 1990 inclusive.

**205.** Moved by Mr. Sigurdson:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
All documents, reports, evidence, and information received by or prepared for the Minister of Labour respecting the Minister's investigation into allegations that Maxam Contracting Ltd. and/or Mr. Willard Kirkpatrick authored and circulated a document which breaches the Labour Relations Code.

**291.** Moved by Mr. Bruseker on behalf of Mrs. Gagnon:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all documents and correspondence between the Government and post-secondary institutions providing direction to the institutions regarding budgetary matters, including the increase in tuition and elimination of programs, for the 1990-91 and 1991-92 fiscal years.

**292.** Moved by Mr. Wickman on behalf of Mr. Decore:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
(1) Details of the services provided for the payment of \$16,279 to Fil Inc. by the Department of Labour in 1989-90; and  
(2) details of the services provided for the payment of \$75,580 to Fil Fraser by the Department of Labour in 1989-90.

**300.** Moved by Mr. Wickman:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all studies prepared by or for the Government in 1990 and 1991 on the impacts of a decentralization and relocation strategy in Alberta.

The following motions were ordered to stand:

**190.** Mr. Taylor to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all studies carried out and plans that the Government has made to divert irrigation water, stored by the Oldman River Dam and released into the river below it, around the Peigan reserve.

**204.** Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
(1) The total cost to the Government of the briefcases that were purchased to promote the Community Facility Enhancement Program;  
(2) a list of names and positions of the recipients of the briefcases; and  
(3) a copy of the invoice indicating the name of the supplier of the briefcases.

**206.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of the laboratory reports of fish bio-assays, from January 1, 1989, or, in the case of Daishowa from the start of operations, until March 1, 1991, as submitted to Alberta Environment by:  
(1) Procter & Gamble Cellulose Ltd., Grande Prairie,  
(2) Weldwood of Canada Ltd., Hinton,  
(3) Millar Western Pulp Ltd., Whitecourt, and  
(4) Daishowa Canada Co. Ltd.

**207.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

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

Any documents showing agreements between the Government and

(1) Daishowa Canada Co. Ltd. and

(2) Alberta-Pacific Forest Industries Inc.

under which the Government could be held liable if there were any delay in issuing the company licenses to operate under the Clean Air and Clean Water Acts.

**209.** 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 to March 1, 1991.

**211.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

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

Any studies that have been carried out by or for the Government on the capacity of Government and private nurseries to provide suitable trees for reforestation of the forest management areas of Alberta scheduled to be logged each year, and also to replant those areas where earlier planting was not viable or not carried out for some other reason.

**212.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

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

Any and all agreements between the Alberta Special Waste Management Corporation and the Department of the Environment dealing with the management and storage of hazardous waste materials in Alberta.

**213.** Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:

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

A copy of the Master Agreement, dated September 25, 1987, including any amendments thereto, between the Government and Peter Pocklington covering a \$55 million guaranteed loan and a \$12 million loan made available to Gainers Properties Inc. and announced on March 3, 1988.

**214.** Mr. Hawkesworth 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 pursuant to a \$55 million guaranteed loan and a \$12 million loan made available to Gainers Properties Inc.



**215. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all agreements between the Government, 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 since October 6, 1989.

**216. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of the Premier's Agreement, dated December 1986, between the Premier and Peter Pocklington covering an undertaking to provide Gainers Inc. with a \$50,000,000 loan, with no interest being payable for the first four years of such loan and interest thereafter at a rate equivalent to the Government's cost of funds.

**217. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of the Provincial Treasurer's Agreement, dated 1987, between the Provincial Treasurer and Peter Pocklington covering a grant of \$12,000,000 and a \$55 million guaranteed loan to Gainers Inc.

**218. Mr. Hawkesworth to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of the audited financial statements of Gainers Inc. for the fiscal year ending in 1990, including the statements of non-consolidated subsidiary companies.

**221. Mrs. Gagnon to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of all contracts and memoranda between the Government and Financial Collection Agencies Ltd. and any other provincial collection agencies for the collection of guaranteed provincial student loans for the fiscal years 1985 to 1990, inclusive.

**229. 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 prepared by or for the Minister of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife on the use of chemical herbicides in forest management and reforestation activities since April 1, 1989.

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of all studies and reports prepared for the Government on the use of taxation measures to promote environmentally friendly products and to discourage overpackaging and disposable and other environmentally unfriendly products.

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

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

- (1) A list of all studies prepared or initiated by the Department of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife on wildlife habitat or wildlife resources in the "green zone" since April 1, 1989.
- (2) A copy of all studies referred to in reply to (1) which have been completed as of March 14, 1991.

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

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

A copy of all market evaluation reports regarding the potential for importation of hazardous waste into the province prepared by or for the Department of the Environment or the Special Waste Management Corporation.

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

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

A copy of all evaluation reports and other assessments of the merits of the Von Roll rocking kiln design employed by the Swan Hills Special Waste Treatment facility.

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

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

A copy of any studies prepared by the Department of the Environment on the expansion of Cardinal River Coals facility near the Village of Robb, and any related studies on contamination of ground water, noise, and dust in the Robb area.

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

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

A list of all contracts let by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services for construction of the Oldman River Dam showing

- (1) the original contract price,
- (2) the date the contract was let,
- (3) the original projected date of completion,
- (4) the final or most recent agreed price, and
- (5) the actual projected completion date.

**243.** 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 the Department of the Environment in respect of the Clean Water Act from April 1, 1989 to March 14, 1991.

**245.** 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 the Department of the Environment in respect of the Clean Air Act from April 1, 1989 to March 14, 1991.

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
All studies and reports prepared by or for the Department of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife on stumpage rates in the province between April 1, 1986 and March 14, 1991.

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of all lease agreements entered for office space occupied by the Department of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife in the City of Red Deer.

**248.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing the salaries, benefits, bonuses, and other payments to senior managers of NovAtel Communications Ltd. since April 1, 1988.

**249.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents outlining the details of the severance packages and any other payments provided as a result of the termination of employment by NovAtel Communications Ltd. to John Burrows (former President), Sandy Moore (former Chief Operating Officer), and Bob Varma (former Vice-President and Group Controller).

**252.** 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, since its inception in March 1988 to March 21, 1991.

**253.** 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 from 1986 to March 21, 1991, regarding the flat-rate tax.

**254.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of any and all reports and studies conducted by or on behalf of the Government during 1989, 1990, and 1991, dealing with the forecasting of tobacco tax revenue.

**255.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Government of Alberta and the Government of Canada during 1990 and 1991 with respect to amendments of the Government of Canada/Government of Alberta Tax Collection Agreement.

**256.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of all correspondence exchanged between the Government of Alberta and the Government of Canada between 1987 and 1991, year to date, with respect to the \$539 million stabilization claim between the Province and the Federal Government.

**257.** Mr. Pashak to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
The annual amount of the revenues forgone by the Province due to the permission of sales of alcoholic beverages through non-Government outlets such as private cold beer stores and wine shops or boutiques.

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

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of any lease agreement between the Government and the Western Heritage Centre Society in respect of the site for the proposed Western Heritage Centre.

**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.

**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.

**289.** Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

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

Copies of all agreements including the operating agreement between Alberta Mortgage and Housing Corporation and West Edmonton Village up to March 28, 1991.

**290.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

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

Details of the payment of \$14,860 by the Public Affairs Bureau to Hanratty's Catering during 1989-90.

**293.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

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

Details of the payment of \$20,000 to Infometrica Ltd. by the Treasury Department during 1989-90.

**294.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

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

Details of the payment of \$46,608 to Krawetz and MacDonald by the Department of the Environment during 1989-90.

**295.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

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

- (1) Particulars of the expenditure of \$593,891 during 1989-90 by the Department of Tourism for poll(s) conducted by Gallup Canada Inc.;
- (2) questions asked by the Government in the above poll(s);
- (3) documents showing the results of the above poll(s); and
- (4) particulars of the expenditure of \$225 by Executive Council with Gallup Canada Inc.

**296.** Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
All documents and reports detailing the cost analysis of decentralization and the relocation of Government employees prepared by any Government department up to March 28, 1991.

**298.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A list of the sites that have already been designated for clean-up under the National Contaminated Sites Remediation Program.

**299.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A list of the members of NovAtel Communications Ltd.'s management committee, and a copy of NovAtel's 1991 business plan plus any subsequent updates or alterations, including plans for rationalization of research and development and manufacturing activities.

**311.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A copy of the hydrogeological evaluation of the Long Lake Regional Landfill Site.

**312.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all family violence reports submitted by the Department of the Solicitor General since the implementation of the Family Violence Initiatives in October 1990.

**313.** Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Bramalea Limited by the Departments of Energy; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Labour; and Public Works, Supply and Services.

**314. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Bowlen Realty Services Inc. by the Departments of the Attorney General; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Public Works, Supply and Services; and by the Public Works, Supply and Services Revolving Fund.

**315. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Altoma Investments Ltd. by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services.

**316. Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to AG Scott & Associates Ltd. by the Departments of the Attorney General; Family and Social Services; and the Solicitor General.

**317. Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Harrison Evans Administrative Design Consultants Ltd. by the Department of Family and Social Services.

**318. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to EDO Canada Ltd. by the Departments of Economic Development and Trade and Forestry, Lands and Wildlife.

**319. Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Financial Collection Agencies Ltd. by the Departments of Career Development and Employment; Health; Technology, Research and Telecommunications; and Treasury.

**320. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Tycor International Inc. by the Department of Economic Development and Trade.

**321. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Engineered Profiles 1989 Limited by the Department of Economic Development and Trade.

**322. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Glacier Ammonia Ltd. by the Department of Economic Development and Trade.

**323. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Center West Holdings Inc. and CTREF No. 1 Alberta Ltd. by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services.

**324. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Kerner Doreen by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services.



**325. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Omsac Developments Ltd. by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services.

**326. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Barry-Watson & Partners by the Department of Career Development and Employment.

**327. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Lon-Da Property Management Ltd. by the Departments of Culture and Multiculturalism; Energy; Environment; and Public Works, Supply and Services.

**328. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Stanley Donald R. by the Departments of Advanced Education and Public Works, Supply and Services.

**329. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Engineered Project Management Ltd. paid by the Departments of Public Works, Supply and Services and Transportation and Utilities.

**330. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Corral Management Ltd. by the Departments of Agriculture and Public Works, Supply and Services.

**331. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Environics Research Group Limited by the Department of Career Development and Employment and by the Public Affairs Bureau.

**332. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Andersen Consulting by the Departments of Family and Social Services and Health, and by the Public Works, Supply and Services Revolving Fund.

**333. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to AR Williams Materials Handling Ltd. by the Departments of Public Works, Supply and Services and Recreation and Parks, and by the Transportation Revolving Fund and the Water Resources Revolving Fund.

**334. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Criterion Research Corp. by the Departments of Career Development and Employment and Tourism.

**335. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Stetson Consulting Services by the Departments of Advanced Education; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; and Public Works, Supply and Services.

**336. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Manecon Partnership by the Departments of Consumer and Corporate Affairs; Economic Development and Trade; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; and Tourism, and by Northern Development.

**337. Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Arlington Consulting Group by the Departments of the Attorney General; Family and Social Services; Health; and Municipal Affairs, and by the Education Revolving Fund.

**338. Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Abbott Laboratories Ltd. by the Departments of the Attorney General; Environment; Family and Social Services; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Health; and the Solicitor General.

**339. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Status Plus Public Relations by the Departments of Energy and Family and Social Services, and by Executive Council Administration, the Legislative Assembly Office, and the Public Affairs Bureau.

**340. Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:**

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Francis Williams and Johnson Ltd. by the Departments of the Attorney General; Environment; Municipal Affairs; Recreation and Parks; and Tourism, and by the Public Affairs Bureau.

**341.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
How much was paid by the Alberta Health Care Insurance Plan for medical services rendered to Albertans outside of Canada, and of that total, what was the amount paid for each main classification of service or treatment for the 1985-86, 1986-87, 1987-88, 1988-89, and 1989-90 fiscal years?

**342.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to McKim Advertising Ltd. by the Departments of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Health; and Tourism, and by Northern Development.

**343.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to McVean Advertising Agency Limited by the Departments of Advanced Education; the Attorney General; Education; Environment; Family and Social Services; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Health; Labour; Municipal Affairs; Public Works, Supply and Services; Recreation and Parks; the Solicitor General; and Transportation and Utilities, and by the Public Affairs Bureau, the Transportation Revolving Fund, and on Women's Issues.

**357.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
All bids submitted in the tendering for the maintenance contract at Big Knife Provincial Park in the tender competition which closed March 22, 1991.

**358.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Batchelor David by the Departments of Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; and Transportation and Utilities.

**359.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Simson Maxwell by the Departments of Advanced Education; the Environment; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Public Works, Supply and Services (PWSS); Recreation and Parks; the Solicitor General; Transportation and Utilities; and by the PWSS, Transportation, and Water Resources Revolving Funds.

**360.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amounts as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to AM International Inc. by the Departments of Advanced Education; Agriculture; the Attorney General; Culture and Multiculturalism; Economic Development and Trade; Energy; the Environment; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; Health; Municipal Affairs; Public Works, Supply and Services (PWSS); Recreation and Parks; and Transportation and Utilities; and by the Forestry and PWSS Revolving Funds.

**361.** Mrs. Hewes to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
The details by department and nature of purpose for the dry cleaning linen expenditures paid to the following firms for the year ending March 31, 1989, as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts  
(1) Fabric Care Cleaners Ltd.;  
(2) Quality Linen Services Ltd.; and  
(3) Western Linen Supply Co. Ltd.

**362.** Mr. Decore to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Any and all agreements, including all loan guarantee agreements, between the Government, Alberta Natural Gas Company Ltd., and Magnesium International (Canada) Ltd. concerning the Magnesium Company of Canada.

**363.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Alberta-Pacific Forest Industries Inc. by the Department of Transportation and Utilities.

**364.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Adventure Contracting Ltd. by the Department of Recreation and Parks.

**365.** Mr. Taylor to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to BD Consulting by the Department of Agriculture.

**366.** Mr. Mitchell to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as reported in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to Procter & Gamble Inc. by the Departments of Family and Social Services; Forestry, Lands and Wildlife; and Transportation and Utilities; and by the Public Works, Supply and Services Revolving Fund.

**372.** Mr. Wickman to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
A detailed breakdown of purchases made with the \$1.4 million Treasury Board transfer of surplus funds available in the Grants-in-Lieu-of Taxes sub-program to funds required to cover 1989-90 furniture acquisition costs.

**376.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Details of the \$177,313,000 in investments, grants, loans, and loan guarantees provided to Alberta projects under Special/Extraordinary Proposals, as specified on page 12 of the Department of Economic Development and Trade's 1989-90 Annual Report, including the identity of each recipient, the amount advanced, and the terms and conditions thereof.

**377.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
How many copies of the book "Effective Strategies to Combat Drinking and Driving" were published, what was the total cost of publication of these books, who received copies of this book, and what was the cost of distribution to all of those people?

**378.** Mr. Chumir to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
How many Government fleet vehicles are currently in use, how many Government fleet vehicles currently use natural gas as fuel, of these, how many have been converted to natural gas use since March 31, 1991, and how many kilometres and/or years are Government fleet vehicles driven before being traded in?

**379.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of purpose of expenditure for Northern Steel Inc. as reported in the supplementary volume of the 1989-90 public accounts.

**380.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and other, including purpose of the expenditure of the amount as recorded in the supplementary information to the 1989-90 public accounts paid to William Huff Advertising Ltd. by each department of Government, the Revolving Funds of the Departments of Education; Public Works, Supply and Services; and Treasury, and by Executive Council Administration, the Office of the Auditor General, the Public Affairs Bureau, Public Safety Services, Northern Development, and Occupational Health and Safety.

**381.** Mr. Bruseker to propose the following motion:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Documents showing details of supplies and services, fixed assets, and others, including the purpose of expenditure of Myrias Research Corporation as reported in the supplementary volume of the 1989-90 Public Accounts.

## **Motions Other than Government Motions**

**211.** Moved by Ms M. Laing:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to increase funding for the basic emergency services provided by women's shelters to 100 percent, as requested by the Alberta Council of the Women's Shelters, and adequately fund community-based treatment programs for offenders and all victims, including children.

A debate followed.

Mrs. Black moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

## **Adjournment**

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

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1991 — 8:00 P.M.

## **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 of the Department of the Solicitor General, reports progress thereon, and requests leave to sit again.

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

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Gogo, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:23 p.m. until Wednesday, May 8, 1991, at 2:30 p.m.

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## **NOTICES**

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

- Bill 9 Arbitration Act — Hon. Mr. Rostad
- Bill 35 Family Life and Substance Abuse Foundation Act — Hon. Mrs. Betkowski
- Bill 36 Safety Codes Act — Mr. Lund
- 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 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 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  
 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 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 275 An Act to Amend the Assured Income for the Severely Handicapped Act — Ms Mjolsness  
 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 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 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 Act — 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

David J. Carter,  
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, May 7, 1991