



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 31

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Thursday, May 7, 1992

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

ROUTINE

Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Mr. Pashak, Chairman, Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented the 1991 Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Sessional Paper 625/92

Notices of Motions

Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, gave oral notice of her intention to move the following motion under Standing Order 40 on Orders of the Day:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta send its sincere congratulations to the fourteen outstanding women who received honours at the 1992 Young Women's Christian Association dinners in Calgary and Edmonton this week. Those who received the Women of Distinction tribute were the following: Dr. Sheila Malm, Maureen DeSorcy, JoAnne James, Candace Struthers, Vivian Ayoungman, Dr. Nancy Brager, Patricia Allen, Dr. Marie Duggan, Theresa Maxwell, Mary Englemann, Phyllis Giovannetti, Alice Elzinga, Margaret Mooney, and Betty Rawlinson.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Minister of Public Works, Supply and Services, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52, 1983 Statutes:

Public Works Supply and Services, Annual Report 1990-91
Sessional Paper 114/92

Hon. Mr. Gogo, Minister of Advanced Education:

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 284 asked for by Mrs. Gagnon on April 30, 1992:

The average debt load for a graduating student who utilized the Student Finance Board services in years 1987-88 through 1990-91?

Sessional Paper 284/92

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 295 asked for by Mrs. Gagnon on April 7, 1992:

Copies of all documents and correspondence from the Government to 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.

Sessional Paper 295/92

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 296 asked for by Mrs. Gagnon on April 7, 1992:

An inventory of requests from post-secondary institutions for the establishment of study programs which are currently awaiting ministerial approval.

Sessional Paper 296/92

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 297 asked for by Mrs. Gagnon on April 7, 1992:

An inventory of proposals submitted from post-secondary institutions requesting ministerial approval to reduce, delete, or transfer study programs.

Sessional Paper 297/92

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 298 asked for by Mrs. Gagnon on April 7, 1992:

A summary of documents from post-secondary institutions to the Government concerning full-time equivalent enrolment statistics for the 1989-90, 1990-91, and 1991-92 academic years.

Sessional Paper 298/92

Motions Under Standing Order 40

Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly for consideration of the following motion:

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A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to unanimously.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were not accepted:

166. (Mr. Mitchell)

What proportion of paper purchased by the Government in a calendar year is recycled paper, and what is the average content of post-consumer waste in the paper?

169. (Mr. Mitchell)

- (1) How much oil was consumed by the Government for cars, trucks, and machinery for the year 1989, and 1990; and
- (2) how much of this oil could be substituted by recycled oil?

179. (Mr. Decore)

What is the projected per square foot cost on an annual basis of the Federal Building at 98 Avenue and 107 Street, Edmonton, compared to the cost of the space the Government now occupies in the Olympia & York development at 101 Avenue and 102 Street, Edmonton?

180. (Mr. Decore)

Is the Government renting private sector space in downtown Edmonton which costs more than the projected cost of the renovated Federal Building on a per square foot basis?

182. (Mr. Decore)

What is the number of square feet involved in the payment of \$4,117,464 to Petroleum Plaza Investments Ltd. and Canapen Petroleum Plaza Ltd. by the Department of Public Works, Supply and Services during the fiscal year 1989-90?

351. (Mr. Mitchell)

What was the average highway fuel consumption per kilometre rating for the Government fleet of cars as at January 1, 1992, excluding ministerial cars, and what was the average rating for ministerial cars (based on the Transport Canada Fuel Consumption Guide for each model of car)?

352. (Mr. Mitchell)

How much did the Government spend on subsidized parking for its Edmonton-based employees and how many parking spaces were subsidized in the downtown area of Edmonton (ie: the area approximately defined between the north bank of the North Saskatchewan and 104 Avenue and between 97 Street and 114 Street) in the 1991-92 fiscal year?

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

146, 170, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 181, 183, 206, 208, 209, 210, 214, 215, 216, 218, 280, 285, 287, 288, 290, 291, 313, 314, 315, 334, 337, 338, 348, 354, 358, 359, 360, 361.

Motions for Returns

The following motions were ordered to stand:

184, 185, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 204, 219, 221, 224, 225, 226, 227, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 245, 246, 247, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 292, 293, 294, 299, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 329, 330, 335, 336, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 353, 356, 357.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

210. Moved by Ms Calahasen:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to work in a multifaceted way, with small and remote communities and, where applicable, the Federal Government, to develop necessary infrastructure including, but not limited to, the provision of water, sewer, and power services.

A debate followed.

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

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 206 Children's Rights Bill – Mrs. Hewes

A debate followed.

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

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stewart, Government House Leader, it was agreed that when the Members reconvened at 8:00 p.m., they would be in Committee of Supply.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(1), the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 5:30 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. and left the Chair.

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1992 – 8:00 P.M.

Committee of Supply

(Day 11 of Main Estimates Consideration)

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Schumacher reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions of the Department of Family and Social Services, 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. Oldring, Acting Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:16 p.m. until Friday, May 8, 1992, at 10:00 a.m.

Title: Thursday, May 7, 1992