



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 74

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Thursday, February 4, 1993

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

A moment of silence was observed in recognition of the death, February 2, 1993, of former Member, Mr. Andrew Little.

ROUTINE

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Gesell, Hon. Member for Clover Bar, presented a petition from 50 Clover Bar residents concerning the Human Rights Commission and Government spending.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 347 Hail and Crop Insurance Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Fox

Speaker's Ruling- Parliamentary Language

The Speaker ruled that while the Member for Edmonton-Belmont may attend upon the House, he will not be recognized by the Chair or any occupant of the Chair until such time as he rises in the House with prior notice to the Speaker, withdraws the offending phrase, and apologizes to the House.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

170, 172, 175, 176, 177, 178, 290, 291, 315, 383, 384, 387.

Motions for Returns

The following motion was agreed to:

375. Moved by Mr. Gibeault:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:
All mine inspection reports carried out by the Department of Occupational Health and Safety from the 1988 to 1991 calendar years inclusive, respecting the Grande Cache, Cardinal River and Star-Key coal mines.

The following motions were moved and agreed to as amended:

380. Moved by Mr. Doyle:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:
A map and list of addresses detailing the location of every single-cell wastewater stabilization pond which is drained into Alberta waterways and licenced to operate in Alberta pursuant to section 4 of the Clean Water Act, as of January 25, 1993.

Hon. Mr. Evans, Minister of Environmental Protection, moved that the motion be amended by striking out the words, "a map and list of addresses" and substituting "the most recent list of communities served and legal land description"; striking out the word "every"; striking out the words "pond which is drained into Alberta waterways and licenced to operate in Alberta pursuant to section 4 of the Clean Water Act, as of January 25, 1993." and substituting "ponds which are drained into Alberta waterways and licenced to operate in Alberta."

381. Moved by Mr. Doyle:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a return showing:
A breakdown of the number of litres discharged into Alberta waterways from single-cell wastewater stabilization ponds licenced to operate in Alberta pursuant to section 4 of the Clean Water Act, for the calendar years 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992.

Hon. Mr. Evans, Minister of Environmental Protection, moved that the motion be amended by striking out the words, "number of litres" and substituting "approximate volume in cubic metres"; striking out the words "calendar years 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992" and substituting "calendar year 1991 only."

382. Moved by Mr. Doyle:

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

A breakdown of the number of litres estimated to be discharged into Alberta waterways from single-cell wastewater stabilization ponds licenced to operate in Alberta pursuant to section 4 of the Clean Water Act for the calendar years 1993 and 1994.

Hon. Mr. Evans, Minister of Environmental Protection, moved that the motion be amended by striking out the words, "the number of litres" and substituting "the approximate volume in cubic metres."

The following motions were ordered to stand:

184, 185, 190, 191, 195, 196, 199, 200, 201, 227, 231, 233, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 245, 246, 247, 249, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 269, 270, 275, 276, 277, 278, 292, 294, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 329, 330, 340, 341, 343, 345, 346, 357, 363, 364, 365, 367, 370, 371, 372, 374, 376, 377, 378, 385, 386.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

225. Moved by Mr. Moore to propose the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a province-wide enhanced 911 telephone service.

A debate followed.

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

228. Moved by Mr. McEachern:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to establish a more fair and predictable climate for research and development activities in Alberta by: eliminating the practice of Cabinet providing millions of taxpayer dollars to fund specific companies on an ad hoc basis; conducting a thorough public review of existing provincially-funded research programs to ensure their effectiveness; improving the public accountability of provincially-funded agencies, e.g. Alberta Research Council, Laser Institute, Microelectronics Test Centre, and Alberta Oil Sands Technology and Research Authority; making research and development efforts less susceptible to changing Government fiscal priorities through the provision of multi-year funding; and working hard to ensure that this province receives a more equitable share of Federal government research and development activities and improving coordination between provincial and federal research and development efforts.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(3) debate adjourned, Mr. McEachern speaking.

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 216 Children's Access Rights Enforcement Act – Mr. Gogo

Adjournment

On motion by Hon Mr. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1993 – 8:00 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 55 Electoral Divisions Statutes Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Fowler

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Day, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:31 p.m. until Friday, February 5, 1993, at 10:00 a.m.

NOTICES

Leave to Introduce a Bill

Bill	3	Vencap Equities Alberta Amendment Act, 1992 – Hon. Mr. Elzinga
Bill	44	Employment Standards Code Amendment Act, 1992 – Hon. Ms McCoy
Bill	49	Industrial Wages Security Amendment Act, 1992 – Hon. Ms McCoy
Bill	230	Employment Standards Act – Mr. Bruseker
Bill	239	Alberta Economic Diversification Board Act – Mr. Bruseker
Bill	241	Below Cost Timber Sales Act – Mr. McInnis
Bill	244	Child Welfare Amendment Act – Ms Mjolsness
Bill	246	Decommissioning of Industrial Sites Act – Mr. Mitchell
Bill	247	Alberta Retirement Savings Plan Act – Mr. Jonson
Bill	248	Financial Administration Amendment Act – Mr. Decore
Bill	251	Alberta Youth Conservation Act – Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	253	Child Welfare Amendment Act – Ms Mjolsness
Bill	255	Amusements Amendment Act – Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	257	Alberta Local Development Bonds Act – Mr. Jonson
Bill	263	Labour Relations Code Amendment Act – Mr. Bruseker
Bill	265	Interprovincial Lottery Amendment Act – Mr. Decore
Bill	270	Small Business Support Act – Ms Calahasen
Bill	272	An Act to Establish the Alberta Innovation Foundation – Mr. Bradley
Bill	275	Off-Highway Vehicle Amendment Act – Mr. Bradley
Bill	283	Arts Council Act – Mrs. Gagnon
Bill	285	Public Service Employee Relations Amendment Act – Mr. Bruseker
Bill	286	Highway Traffic Amendment Act – Mrs. Mirosh
Bill	287	An Act to Establish a Committee to Promote a Split Peak Rate Assessment for Industrial Energy Consumers – Mr. Paszkowski

- Bill 293 Public Accounts Committee Act – Mr. Pashak
- Bill 295 Auditor General Amendment Act – Mr. Decore
- Bill 296 Entrepreneurial Education Commission Act – Mr. Paszkowski
- Bill 301 An Act to Phase Out the Use of Chlorofluorocarbons – Mr. Mitchell
- Bill 309 School Amendment Act – Mrs. Gagnon
- Bill 312 Crown Property Municipal Grants Amendment Act – Mr. Wickman
- Bill 313 Auditor General Amendment Act – Mr. Pashak
- Bill 314 Income Tax Amendment Act – Mr. Wickman
- Bill 315 An Act to Commit Government to a Five-Year Funding Planning Framework – Mr. Wickman
- Bill 317 Miscellaneous Statutes on Marital Status Amendment Act – Ms Laing
- Bill 320 An Act to Provide for Elected Representation on Post-Secondary Education Institute Boards – Mr. Pashak
- Bill 328 Liquor Control Amendment Act, 1992 – Mr. Taylor
- Bill 331 Teaching Profession Amendment Act, 1992 – Mr. Severtson
- Bill 341 Limitations of Actions Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Dickson

David J. Carter,
Speaker

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