



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 82

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

Thursday, April 22, 1993

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

ROUTINE

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Brassard, Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury, presented a petition from 40 constituents concerning the sale of liquor in grocery stores.

Ms M. Laing, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Avonmore, presented a petition from 293 Albertans regarding the Advisory Council on Women's Issues.

Notices of Motions

Mr. Rostad, Hon. Member for Camrose, gave oral notice of his intention to raise a purported point of privilege following Oral Question Period.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 60 Alberta School Boards Association Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Jonson

Bill 57 Electoral Divisions Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Fowler

Bill 59 Pacific Western Airlines Amendment Act, 1993 – Mrs. B. Laing

On motion by Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under "Government Bills and Orders":

Bill 59 Pacific Western Airlines Amendment Act, 1993 – Mrs. B. Laing

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health, pursuant to the Nursing Profession Act, cN-14.5, s11(2), 1983 Statutes:

Alberta Association of Registered Nurses, Annual Report 1991-92
Sessional Paper 72A/92-93

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health:

Mental Health Patient Advocate Office, Annual Report 1992
Sessional Paper 692/92-93

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health, pursuant to the Public Health Act, cP-27.1, s6(2), 1984 Statutes:

Public Health Advisory and Appeal Board, 1991-92
Sessional Paper 75B/92-93

Ms M. Laing, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Avonmore:

Petition regarding the Human Rights Commission
Sessional Paper 1089/92-93

Petition regarding a cut in pay for Hon. Mrs. Mirosch, Minister of Community Development
Sessional Paper 1090/92-93

Hon. Mr. Isley, Minister of Agriculture, Food and Rural Development:

Information Kit, National Soil Conservation Week, April 19-25, 1993
Sessional Paper 693/92-93

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Minister of Public Works, Supply and Services, pursuant to the Architects Act, cA-44.1, s6(4), RSA 1980:

Alberta Association of Architects, Annual Report 1992
Sessional Paper 112A/92-93

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Minister of Public Works, Supply and Services, pursuant to the Alberta Educational Communications Corporation Act, cA-18, s12, RSA 1980:

Alberta Educational Communications Corporation, Annual Report 1991-92
Sessional Paper 130A/92-93

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Minister of Public Works, Supply and Services, pursuant to the Engineering, Geological and Geophysical Professions Act, cE-11.1, s12(4), 1981 Statutes:

Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of Alberta, Annual Report 1992-93
Sessional Paper 113A/92-93

Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Three Hills:

Letter, dated December 31, 1991, from Hon. Mr. Dinning, Minister of Education, to Mrs. Savage, President, Alberta Teachers' Association regarding the teachers' pension plan
Sessional Paper 1091/92-93

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Mr. Evans, Minister of Environmental Protection, announced that April 22, 1993, is National Soil Conservation Week.

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

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period, Mr. Martin, Hon. Leader of the Opposition, filed the following:

Alberta Attorney General Memorandum dated March 26, 1993, from Mr. Schlotter, Civil Law Branch, to Mr. Morrison, Assistant Deputy Provincial Treasurer, regarding The Local Authorities Pension Plan
Sessional Paper 1092/92-93

During Oral Question Period, Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, filed the following:

Alberta Legislative Assembly Memorandum dated March 17, 1993, from Mr. Ritter, Chief Parliamentary Counsel, to Dr. McNeil, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, regarding Retroactivity in Pension Plan
Sessional Paper 1093/92-93

Privilege

Mr. Rostad, Hon. Member for Camrose, raised a purported point of privilege regarding comments made April 21, 1993, by Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo.

The Speaker informed the Assembly he would defer consideration of the matter to the next sitting day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were accepted:

291. (Mr. Bruseker)

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

384. (Mr. Mitchell)

How much money has the Government of Alberta spent on:

- (1) the construction of the spur railway line from Peace River to the pulp mill operated by Daishowa Canada Co. Ltd.; and
- (2) the maintenance of that line, from the time of its completion until March 31, 1992?

The following Written Question was not accepted:

383. (Mr. Taylor)

What would be the estimated total cost to the Government of Alberta and the Municipal District of Sturgeon of realigning secondary highway 651 through Lily Lake, or on a new route around Lily Lake?

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

170, 290, 315, 387.

Motions for Returns

The following motions were ordered to stand:

184, 185, 190, 191, 195, 196, 199, 200, 227, 231, 233, 235, 236, 237, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 245, 246, 247, 249, 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, 341, 343, 345, 346, 357, 363, 364, 365, 367, 370, 371, 372, 374, 376, 377, 378, 385, 386, 388.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

231. Moved by Mr. Zarusky:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce amendments to the Surface Rights Act to ensure that compensation payments run with ownership of the land.

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

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 218 Vulnerable Persons' Protection Act – Mr. Tannas

A debate followed.

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

Adjournment

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1993 – 8:00 P.M.

Government Motions

38. Moved by Hon. Mr. Klein:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly approve in principle the Government's program of fiscal restraint, governmental and administrative reform.

A debate followed.

During debate, Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, filed the following:

Seizing Opportunity, Alberta's New Economic Development Strategy
Sessional Paper 694/92-93

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:48 p.m. until Friday, April 23, 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	58	Students Loan Guarantee Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Ady
Bill	61	Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act – Hon. Mr. Klein
Bill	62	Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Kowalski
Bill	63	Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Dinning
Bill	64	Safety Codes Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Day
Bill	65	Government Organization Act – Hon. Mr. Elzinga
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	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 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 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 350 Alberta Economic Council Act – Mr. McEachern
- Bill 354 Members of the Legislative Assembly Pension Plan Act – Mr. Dickson
- Bill 358 Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Woloshyn
- Bill 364 Members of the Legislative Assembly Independent Remuneration Panel Act – Mr. Chivers

David J. Carter,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, April 22, 1993