



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 99

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Fourth Session

Twenty-Second Legislature

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Monday, May 17, 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 84 Albertans urging the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain existing senior citizen rental grants and senior home-owner tax grants.

#### **Reading and Receiving Petitions**

On request by Mr. Hawkesworth, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, the following petition was read and received:

Petition of the undersigned members of the Royal Canadian Legion humbly herewith pray that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government of the province of Alberta to maintain the existing senior citizen rental grants and senior home-owner tax grants as they are currently in effect.

## **Notices of Motions**

Mrs. B. Laing, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, gave oral notice of the following Bills:

Bill Pr16 Adrienne Heather Cupido Adoption Act – Mr. Tannas

Bill Pr24 Kings College Amendment Act – Mrs. Hewes

Bill Pr28 First Canadian Insurance Corporation Amendment Act – Mr. Hyland

Bill Pr30 Youth Emergency Services Foundation Amendment Act – Mr. Chivers

Mr. Doyle, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead, gave oral notice of his intention to move the following motion under Standing Order 40:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly congratulate the organizers of Vista '93, the first international symposium on sport for athletes with disabilities, which is being held in Jasper. Organizers, including Dr. Robert Steadward and Dr. Garry Wheeler, both of the Rick Hansen Centre at the University of Alberta, and Mr. Gary McPherson, chairperson of the Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, attracted professionals from twenty-seven countries around the world.

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mrs. Black, Minister of Energy:

Alberta Oil Sands Equity, Annual Report 1991-92

Sessional Paper 721/92-93

Hon. Mr. Sparrow, Minister of Economic Development and Tourism, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52, 1983 Statutes:

Alberta Tourism, Parks and Recreation, Tourism Component, Annual Report 1991-92

Sessional Paper 135A/92-93

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health, pursuant to the Financial Administration Act, Provincial General Hospitals Act, cF-9, s2(6), RSA 1980:

Charles Camsell Provincial General Hospital, Financial Statements, December 31, 1992

Sessional Paper 67P/92-93

Hon. Mr. Cardinal, Minister of Family and Social Services:

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 318 asked by Mrs. Hewes on May 13, 1993:

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 Harrison Evans Administrative Design Consultants Ltd. by the Department of Family and Social Services.

Sessional Paper 318/92-93

Hon. Mr. Ady, Minister of Advanced Education and Career Development:

Ministerial Consultative Committee on Labour Market Development and Training, Report to the Minister

Sessional Paper 1140/92-93

Hon. Mr. Ady, Minister of Advanced Education and Career Development, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52, 1983 Statutes:

Alberta Advanced Education, Annual Report 1991-92

Sessional Paper 13A/92-93

Hon. Mr. Ady, Minister of Advanced Education and Career Development, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52, 1983 Statutes:

Alberta Career Development and Employment, Annual Report, Fiscal Year 1991-92

Sessional Paper 28A/92-93

Hon. Mr. Sparrow, Minister of Economic Development and Tourism:

Answer to Written Question No. 291 asked by Mr. Bruseker on April 22, 1993:

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?

Sessional Paper 291/92-93

Answer to Written Question No. 384 asked by Mr. Mitchell on April 22, 1993:

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?

Sessional Paper 384/92-93

Return to Order of the Assembly No. 270 asked by Mr. Decore on May 11, 1993:

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).

Sessional Paper 270/92-93

## **Motions Under Standing Order 40**

Mr. Doyle, Hon. Member for West-Yellowhead, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly for consideration of the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly congratulate the organizers of Vista '93, the first international symposium on sport for athletes with disabilities, which is being held in Jasper. Organizers, including Dr. Robert Steadward and Dr. Garry Wheeler, both of the Rick Hansen Centre at the University of Alberta, and Mr. Gary McPherson, chairperson of the Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, attracted professionals from twenty-seven countries around the world.

A debate followed.

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

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Committee of Supply**

(Day 1 of Capital Fund (1994) Estimates Consideration)

(Assembly in Committee)

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

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

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions of the Alberta Capital Fund and reports as follows thereon:

Resolved that there be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1994, a sum from the Alberta Capital Fund not exceeding the following for the Department and purposes indicated:

## **Advanced Education and Career Development**

\$ 67,860,970 Capital Investment

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain other resolutions of the Alberta Capital Fund, 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. Day, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until Tuesday, May 18, 1993, until 2:30 p.m.

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## **NOTICES**

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

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| 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 | 65   | Government Organization Act – Hon. Mr. Elzinga                  |
| Bill | Pr16 | Adrienne Heather Cupido Adoption Act – Mr. Tannas               |
| Bill | Pr24 | Kings College Amendment Act – Mrs. Hewes                        |
| Bill | Pr28 | First Canadian Insurance Corporation Amendment Act – Mr. Hyland |
| Bill | Pr30 | Youth Emergency Services Foundation Amendment Act – Mr. Chivers |
| 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 358 Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Woloshyn

David J. Carter,  
Speaker

Title: Monday, May 17, 1993