



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 10

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

First Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

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Tuesday, September 14, 1993

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

### **ROUTINE**

#### **Presenting Petitions**

Ms Hanson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Beverly, presented a petition from 790 Albertans regarding the reinstatement of cuts made to social assistance.

#### **Notices of Motions**

Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, gave oral notice of his intention to move the following motion under Standing Order 40:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta congratulate the Honourable Robert Bourassa, Premier of Quebec, on his contribution to Canada and to the principle of maintaining strong provinces within Confederation.

Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Opposition House Leader, gave oral notice of his intention to raise a purported point of privilege following Oral Question Period.

Pursuant to Standing Order 34(2)(a), Hon. Mr. Day, Deputy Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following Written Questions and Motions for Return to be dealt with Wednesday, September 15, 1993:

Written Questions: Q144, Q145, Q147, Q148, Q150, Q151, Q154, Q155, Q156, Q157.

Motions for Return: M178, M179, M182, and M194.

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Cardinal, Minister responsible for the Metis Settlements Commission, Native Programs:

Alberta Metis Settlements Transition Commission, Annual Report 1991-92  
Sessional Paper 811/93

Mr. N. Taylor, Hon. Member for Redwater:

Report on the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association – Canadian Regional Conference held in Ottawa, Ontario, August 8-13, 1993  
Sessional Paper 813/93

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister responsible for the Alberta Advisory Council on Women's Issues, pursuant to the Alberta Advisory Council on Women's Issues Act, cA-13.5, s6(2):

Alberta Advisory Council on Women's Issues, Annual Report 1992-93  
Sessional Paper 24/93

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Community Development:

Alberta Library Board, Annual Report 1991-92  
Sessional Paper 812/93

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Community Development, pursuant to the Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Act, cR-9, s12(3):

Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation of Alberta, Annual Report 1991-92  
Sessional Paper 35/93

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Community Development, pursuant to the Alberta Foundation for the Arts Act, cA-21.5, s14(2):

Alberta Foundation for the Literary Arts, Annual Report 1990-91  
Sessional Paper 27/93

Alberta Foundation for the Performing Arts, Annual Report 1990-91  
Sessional Paper 27A/93

Alberta Art Foundation, Annual Report 1990-91  
Sessional Paper 27B/93

## **Oral Question Period**

During Oral Question Period, Hon. Dr. West, Minister of Municipal Affairs, filed the following:

Job training information for recently released Alberta Liquor Control Board employees

Sessional Paper 814/93

## **Members' Statements**

Mr. Severtson, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, made a statement regarding the Rosefield Centre.

Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, made a statement regarding suspended drivers.

Mr. Bracko, Hon. Member for St. Albert, made a statement regarding gaming regulations.

## **Motions Under Standing Order 40**

Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly for consideration of the following motion:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly of Alberta congratulate the Honourable Robert Bourassa, Premier of Quebec, on his contribution to Canada and to the principle of maintaining strong provinces within Confederation.

A debate followed.

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

## **Privilege**

Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Opposition House Leader, raised a purported point of privilege concerning the availability of a brochure entitled "Our Bill of Health."

Hon. Mrs. Mirosh, Minister responsible for the Alberta Health Planning Secretariat, commented on the purported point of privilege.

The Speaker advised the Assembly he would take the matter under advisement.

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **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 202 Deficit Elimination Amendment Act, 1993 – Dr. Percy

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(2)(b) debate was adjourned, Mr. Mitchell speaking.

#### **Motions Other Than Government Motions**

Mr. Severtson, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to withdraw Motion 201.

**202.** Moved by Mr. Herard:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge Government to ask the Federal Government to make immediate changes to the Young Offenders Act by reducing the minimum age to ten and requiring violent crimes of murder and sexual assault to be referred directly to adult court.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(4), the Speaker put the question and the motion was agreed to. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 43

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| Ady       | Fritz     | Oberg                         |
| Amery     | Gordon    | Paszkowski                    |
| Brassard  | Haley     | Pham                          |
| Burgener  | Havelock  | Renner                        |
| Calahasen | Herard    | Severtson                     |
| Cardinal  | Hierath   | Smith                         |
| Clegg     | Hlady     | Sohal                         |
| Coutts    | Jacques   | Stelmach                      |
| Day       | Kowalski  | Tannas                        |
| Dinning   | Lund      | Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat) |
| Doerksen  | Magnus    | Thurber                       |
| Dunford   | McClellan | Trynchy                       |
| Fischer   | McFarland | West                          |
| Forsyth   | Mirosh    | Woloshyn                      |
| Friedel   |           |                               |

Against the motion: 29

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| Abdurahman  | Hewes     | Sekulic           |
| Beniuk      | Kirkland  | Soetaert          |
| Bracko      | Langevin  | Taylor (Redwater) |
| Carlson     | Leibovici | Van Binsbergen    |
| Chadi       | Mar       | Vasseur           |
| Collingwood | Massey    | White             |
| Decore      | Mitchell  | Yankowsky         |
| Dickson     | Nicol     | Zariwny           |
| Hanson      | Percy     | Zwozdesky         |
| Henry       | Sapers    |                   |

## **Government Bills and Orders**

### **Second Reading**

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

Bill 5 Financial Administration Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Dinning

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

### **Adjournment**

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1993 – 8:00 P.M.

## **Committee of Supply**

(Day 2 of Main Estimates Consideration)

(Assembly in Committee)

And after sometime spent therein, the Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Clegg reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions of the Department of Labour, reports progress thereon, and requests leave to sit again.

Mr. Clegg also tabled a copy of the motion agreed to in Committee of Supply under Standing Order 56(2) and 56(2)(a)(ii) establishing the following Designated Supply Subcommittees:

### **Advanced Education**

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| Mr. Magnus (Chairman) | Mrs. Laing   | Mr. Renner  |
| Mr. Beniuk            | Mr. Langevin | Dr. Sohal   |
| Mr. Doerksen          | Dr. Massey   | Mr. Zariwny |
| Mr. Friedel           |              |             |

### **Treasury**

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| Mr. Magnus (Chairman) | Mr. Hlady    | Dr. Percy  |
| Ms Abdurahman         | Mr. Jacques  | Mr. Renner |
| Ms Burgener           | Mr. Kirkland | Mr. Smith  |
| Mr. Chadi             |              |            |

### **Family and Social Services**

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| Mr. Lund (Chairman) | Mrs. Forsyth | Mrs. Hewes         |
| Mr. Brassard        | Mrs. Hanson  | Mr. Sekulic        |
| Mr. Coutts          | Mr. Herard   | Mr. Van Binsbergen |
| Mr. Dunford         |              |                    |

### **Health**

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| Mr. Lund (Chairman) | Mr. Mitchell | Mr. Sapers    |
| Mr. Coutts          | Dr. Nicol    | Mrs. Soetaert |
| Mrs. Fritz          | Dr. Oberg    | Mr. Stelmach  |
| Mrs. Laing          |              |               |

## **Executive Council**

Mr. Magnus (Chairman)  
Mr. Collingwood  
Mr. Dalla-Longa  
Mr. Decore

Mrs. Gordon  
Mr. Havelock  
Dr. Percy

Mr. Pham  
Mr. Smith  
Mr. Woloshyn

Sessional Paper 815/93

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

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:16 p.m. until Wednesday, September 15, 1993, at 1:30 p.m.

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## **NOTICES**

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

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| Bill | 6   | Appropriation (Lottery Fund) Interim Supply Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Dinning               |
| Bill | 8   | School Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Jonson   |
| Bill | 216 | Motor Vehicle Administration Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Woloshyn                        |
| Bill | 236 | Legal Profession Amendment Act, 1993 – Ms Burgener                                     |
| Bill | 241 | Public Service Pay Equity Act – Mrs. Soetaert  |
| Bill | 246 | Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1993 – Dr. L. Taylor                 |
| Bill | 247 | Police Amendment Act, 1993 – Mrs. Gordon   |
| Bill | 248 | Amusement Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Zwozdesky  |
| Bill | 249 | Employment Standards Code Amendment Act, 1993 – Ms Leibovici                           |
| Bill | 250 | Legislative Assembly (Annual Election of the Speaker) Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Decore |
| Bill | 251 | Water Resources Amendment Act, 1993 – Mrs. Gordon                                      |
| Bill | 252 | Fatal Accidents Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Dickson                                      |
| Bill | 253 | Legal Profession Amendment Act, 1993 (No. 1) – Mr. Dickson                             |
| Bill | 254 | Alberta Youth Conservation Corps Act – Mr. Collingwood                                 |
| Bill | 255 | Establishment and Dissolution of Francophone Education Regions Act – Mr. Henry         |

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| Bill | 256 | Vulnerable Persons Protection Act – Mr. Tannas                                 |
| Bill | 257 | Retirement Savings Plan Act – Mr. Hlady  |
| Bill | 258 | Tobacco Control Act – Mr. Lund   |
| Bill | 259 | Labour Relations Code Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Doerksen                       |
| Bill | 260 | Native Peoples Representation Statutes Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. N. Taylor     |
| Bill | 261 | Mental Health Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Sapers                                 |
| Bill | 262 | Livestock and Livestock Products Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Hierath             |
| Bill | 263 | Government Open Contract Act – Mr. Chadi                                       |
| Bill | 264 | Emblems of Alberta Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Lund                              |
| Bill | 265 | Child Welfare Amendment Act, 1993 (No. 1) – Ms Hanson                          |
| Bill | 266 | Alberta Advisory Council on Women's Issues Amendment Act, 1993 – Mrs. Soetaert |
| Bill | 267 | Telemarketing Act – Mr. Bruseker   |
| Bill | 268 | School Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Henry   |
| Bill | 269 | Environmental Ombudsman Act – Mr. Langevin                                     |
| Bill | 270 | Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Amendment Act, 1993 – Ms Burgener                |
| Bill | 271 | Small Power Research and Development Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Hlady           |
| Bill | 272 | Uniform Building Standards Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Collingwood               |
| Bill | 273 | Surface Rights Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Stelmach                              |
| Bill | 274 | Volunteer Tax Credit Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Havelock                        |

Stanley S. Schumacher,  
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, September 14, 1993