

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 22

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

First Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

Tuesday, October 5, 1993

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

# ROUTINE

## **Presenting Petitions**

Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, presented a petition from 186 Bethany Care Centre residents regarding an increase in monthly room rate imposed by Alberta Health Care.

## **Notices of Motions**

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 Returns to be dealt with Wednesday, October 6, 1993:

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Written Questions:	Q149, Q152, Q153, Q199, Q206, Q207.
Motions for Returns:	M175, M176, M177, M180, M183, M188, M189, M190, M191, M193, M198, M202, M210.

#### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Transportation and Utilities, pursuant to the Rural Gas Act, cR-19, s30(7):

Gas Alberta Operating Fund Report of Fund Operations for the year ending March 31, 1993

Sessional Paper 137/93

## **Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Community Development, announced that October is Women's History Month.

Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Deputy Leader of the Official Opposition, commented on the statement.

#### **Members' Statements**

Mr. Wickman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, made a statement regarding handicap access to the Legislature Building and Annex.

Mr. Dunford, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, made a statement regarding the completion of the export highway to Coutts, Alberta.

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Redwater, made a statement regarding hunting rights for aboriginals and non-aboriginals.

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

# 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 204 Stray Animals Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Brassard

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

Bill 205 Agricultural Resources Conservation Board Act – Dr. Nicol

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(2)(b), debate adjourned with Mr. Stelmach speaking.

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

204. Moved by Mr. Jacques:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to change casino regulations to permit chartered non-profit organizations to fund-raise anywhere in Alberta.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(4), the question being put, the motion was defeated.

205. Moved by Mrs. Hewes on behalf of Mr. Decore:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to demonstrate its commitment to funding for the "human services" departments of Health, Family and Social Services and Education by developing a comprehensive, long-term plan for funding priorities in these departments, including three-year funding frameworks for organizations involved in these sectors, extensive consultation with affected parties and a public process for informing Albertans what the Government's plans and priorities will be.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(2)(c), debate adjourned with Mrs. Laing speaking.

#### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### Second Reading

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

Bill 9 Municipal Government Amendment Act, 1993 – Mr. Friedel

#### **Committee of the Whole**

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

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein the Acting Speaker resumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 8 School Amendment Act, 1993 – Hon. Mr. Jonson

Mr. Tannas, Chairman of Committees, tabled copies of all amendments considered by the Committee of the Whole this date.

Amendment to Bill 8 (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre)

Sessional Paper 627/93

## 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, OCTOBER 5, 1993 - 8:00 P.M.

#### **Committee of Supply**

(Day 14 of Main Estimates Consideration)

(Assembly in Committee)

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

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions, reports as follows, and requests leave to sit again.

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

#### **Transportation and Utilities**

\$ 315,960,400Operating Expenditure329,905,600Capital Investments

#### 645,866,000

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, the Assembly adjourned at 10:36 p.m. until Wednesday, October 6, 1993, at 1:30 p.m.

Title: Tuesday, October 5, 1993