



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 15

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

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Wednesday, March 9, 1994

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

**ROUTINE**

**Presenting Petitions**

Mr. Henry, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, presented a petition from 102 residents of Calgary-North West, regarding Government plans to restructure the educational system.

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, presented a petition from 1,567 Albertans regarding the maintenance of the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital.

Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung, presented a petition from Albertans regarding the maintenance of the Misericordia Hospital as a full-service, active hospital.

Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, presented a petition from 30 Calgarians regarding benefits for Alberta's seniors.

Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, presented a petition from 5,598 Albertans regarding the maintenance of the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital.

Mr. Renner, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the following petitions for Private Bills:

- of Leonard Anderson and Mandy Anderson for the Mandy Anderson Adoption Act,
- of the Lethbridge Foundation for the Lethbridge Foundation Amendment Act, 1994,
- of Sister Jean Elder for the Companions of Angela and Francis (Koinonia Association) Act,
- of Concordia College for the Concordia College Amendment Act, 1994,
- of Kien Lee and Joyce Lee for the Suk Yin Poon Adoption Act,
- of Howard V. Gimbel, M.D., for the Gimbel Foundation Act,
- of Kenneth K. Bosma for the Scott Lavery Adoption Act,
- of Shaw Communications Inc. for the Shaw Communications Inc. Act,
- of Herta Barnes for the Tammy Lee Barnes Adoption Act,
- of Phillip Ralph Brookson for the Janna Adella Marie Kinnee Adoption Act,
- of Mr. Kim Hung for the Edmonton Chinatown Multi-Cultural Centre Foundation Association Tax Exemption Act,
- of Anna-May Woodley for the Travis Trevor Purdy Adoption Act,
- of TD Trust Company and Central Guaranty Trust Company by its liquidator, Deloitte & Touche Inc., for the TD Trust Company and Central Guaranty Trust Act,
- of Frank Arnoud van Overmeeren for the Jody Anne van Overmeeren Adoption Act, and
- of Douglas Charles Miles and Sarah Kathleen Miles for the Silvia Kathleen Miles Adoption Act.

## **Reading and Receiving Petitions**

On request by Mr. Zwozdesky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Avonmore, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital and continue to serve the South-east end of Edmonton and surrounding area.

On request by Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital and continue to serve the South-east end of Edmonton and surrounding area.

On request by Mr. Collingwood, Hon. Member for Sherwood Park, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital and continue to serve the South-east end of Edmonton and surrounding area.

### **Introduction of Bills (First Reading)**

Notice having been given:

Bill 13 Livestock Identification and Brand Inspection Amendment Act, 1994  
– Mr. McFarland

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

Bill 13 Livestock Identification and Brand Inspection Amendment Act, 1994  
– Mr. McFarland

### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Jonson, Minister of Education, pursuant to the Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities Act, cP-14.5, s7(2):

The Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, 1992-93  
Annual Report

Sessional Paper 107/94

Hon. Mr. Jonson, Minister of Education:

Education is Everybody's Business, Amalgamation/Regionalization of School  
Jurisdictions and Regionalization Options

Sessional Paper 859/94

Mrs. Fritz, Hon. Member for Calgary-Cross:

Calgary Board of Education motion, February 22, 1994, regarding support for  
Bill 206, School Amendment Act, 1994, sponsored by Mrs. Fritz, Hon. Member  
for Calgary-Cross

Sessional Paper 860/94

Ms Leibovici, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark:

Undated letters to Ms Leibovici, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark,  
regarding the future of the Misericordia Hospital

Sessional Paper 861/94

## **Oral Question Period**

During Oral Question Period, Mr. Sapers, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora, filed the following:

Photocopy of a Memorandum of Understanding, dated December 2, 1993, from the Alberta Medical Association regarding a voluntary compensation rollback

Sessional Paper 862/94

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Written Questions**

The following Written Question was agreed to as amended:

**Q146.** (Mrs. Soetaert):

In Maintenance Enforcement, how many files have had garnishees issued and what was the average duration of the garnishee demands for the periods April 1, 1990 to March 31, 1991; April 1, 1991 to March 31, 1992; April 1, 1992 to March 31, 1993; and April 1, 1993 to February 10, 1994?

Hon. Mr. Rostad, Hon. Minister of Justice and Attorney General, moved that the Written Question be amended as follows:

In Maintenance Enforcement, what were the total number of files being enforced by the Maintenance Enforcement Program and the total number of continuing attachments placed on these files as at March 31, 1991; March 31, 1992; March 31, 1993; and January 31, 1994.

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

Q174, Q178, Q179, Q180, Q185.

### **Motions for Returns**

The following Motion for Returns was agreed to:

**M155.** Moved by Mr. Henry:

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

Copies of any studies used by the Department of Education when calculating the B minus rating of the Alberta Education system discussed in "EDUCATION IN ALBERTA: Early Childhood Services to Grade 12."

The following Motions for Returns were defeated:

**M152.** Moved by Mr. Henry:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of any legal briefs obtained by the Department of Education relating to section 11 of the School Amendment Act, 1993 (also known as Bill 8)

**M153.** Moved by Mr. Henry:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:  
Copies of all comprehensive audits of school jurisdictions prepared by the Department of Education between October 31, 1991 and October 31, 1993.

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 28

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

Against the motion: 41

Ady	Havelock	Paszkowski
Black	Herard	Pham
Brassard	Hierath	Renner
Burgener	Hlady	Rostad
Cardinal	Jacques	Smith
Coutts	Jonson	Sohal
Day	Laing	Stelmach
Dunford	Lund	Tannas
Evans	Magnus	Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat)
Fischer	Mar	Thurber
Forsyth	McClellan	Trynchy
Friedel	McFarland	West
Fritz	Mirosh	Woloshyn
Haley	Oberg	

The following Motions for Returns were ordered to stand:

M154, M169, M170, M171, M172, M173, M175, M176, M177, M181, M182, M183, M184, M186.

## **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 and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 204 Retirement Savings Plan Act – Mr. Hlady

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 6

Havelock	Pham	Sohal
Hlady	Smith	Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat)

Against the motion: 59

Ady	Fritz	Oberg
Beniuk	Germain	Paszkowski
Black	Haley	Percy
Bracko	Henry	Renner
Brassard	Herard	Rostad
Bruseker	Hewes	Sapers
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Dickson	Magnus	White
Dunford	Mar	Woloshyn
Evans	McClellan	Yankowsky
Fischer	McFarland	Zariwny
Forsyth	Mitchell	Zwozdesky
Friedel	Nicol	

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 205 Information on Privatization Act – Dr. Percy

A debate followed.

During debate, Dr. Percy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, filed the following:

Methodology to Evaluate Privatization Opportunities, with attached privatization report on Meadow Mountain Substance Abuse Treatment Program, Maryland Department of Juvenile Services, December 1, 1993

Sessional Paper 863/94

Designing a Comprehensive State-Level Privatization Program, William D. Eggers, Privatization Centre, Reason Foundation, January 1993

Sessional Paper 864/94

Debate continued.

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

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Day, 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.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1994 – 8:00 P.M.

## **Committee of Supply**

(Day 7 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 of the Department of Transportation and Utilities, 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. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:09 p.m. until Thursday, March 10, 1994 at 1:30 p.m.

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