

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 18

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

Tuesday, March 15, 1994

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

# ROUTINE

# **Presenting Petitions**

Mr. White, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mayfield, presented a petition from Edmontonians regarding the Catholic school system.

Mr. Yankowsky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Belmont, presented a petition from 1,104 Albertans regarding funding arrangements for Alberta's seniors lodges and subsidized apartments.

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. Doerksen, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, presented a petition from 560 Albertans regarding the censorship of literature.

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

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

We call on the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government of Alberta to abandon the proposal to privatize student loans, and make the entire student aid system more responsive to student needs.

On request by Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, 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 Mrs. Soetaert, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain the Misericordia Hospital as a full-service, active hospital and continue to serve the West-end of Edmonton and surrounding area.

On request by Mrs. Soetaert, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to maintain the Misericordia Hospital as a full-service, active hospital and continue to serve the West-end of Edmonton and surrounding area.

#### **Notices of Motions**

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Pursuant to Standing Order 34(2)(a), Hon. Mrs. Black, Deputy Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following Written Questions and Motions for Returns to be dealt with March 16, 1994:

| Written Questions:   | Stand and retain their places.            |  |  |
|----------------------|---|--|--|
| Motions for Returns: | M154, M169, M170, M171, M172, M173, M177. |  |  |

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

Notice having been given:

Bill 14 Agriculture Statutes Repeal Act, 1994 - Hon. Mr. Paszkowski

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

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister responsible for Public Safety Services, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52:

Alberta Public Safety Services, Annual Report 1992-93

Sessional Paper 128/94

Hon. Mr. Trynchy, Minister of Transportation and Utilities:

Agreement, dated January 4, 1994, between Alberta Resources Railway Corporation and Canadian National Railway Company

Sessional Paper 869/94

Mr. Henry, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre:

Letters, dated January 1994, from members of the Canadian Polish Youth Friendship Society of Edmonton, to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, regarding support for community education

Sessional Paper 870/94

Mrs. Forsyth, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek:

Postcards to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, requesting a stop to education cutbacks Sessional Paper 871/94

## **Oral Question Period**

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

Business plan, Aspen Biotechnology Inc. - Chembiomed and the Alberta Research Council

Sessional Paper 872/94

# **Members' Statements**

Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, made a statement regarding kindergartens.

Mr. Doerksen, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, made a statement regarding a tribute to Red Deer and surrounding communities for their hosting of the 1994 Canadian Brier.

Ms Hanson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Beverly, made a statement regarding preventive health care and access to public parks.

During a purported Point of Order, Hon. Mr. Dinning, Provincial Treasurer, filed the following:

Copies of the Legislative Assembly Statement of Expenditure and Revenue By Element; Public Accounts 1992-93, Statement No. 2.1.3; 1991-92, Statement 3.1.3; and 1990-91, Statement No. 3.1.3

Sessional Paper 873/94

# **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 and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 205 Information on Privatization Act – Dr. Percy

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(5)(b), the question being put, the motion was defeated. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 25

| Beniuk   | Henry     | Sapers            |
|----------|-----------|-------------------|
| Bracko   | Hewes     | Sekulic           |
| Bruseker | Kirkland  | Taylor (Redwater) |
| Carlson  | Leibovici | Vasseur           |
| Chadi    | Massey    | White             |
| Decore   | Mitchell  | Yankowsky         |
| Dickson  | Nicol     | Zariwny           |
| Germain  | Percy     | Zwozdesky         |
| Hanson   | -         | -                 |

Against the motion: 41

| Amery     | Day      | Friedel  |
|-----------|----------|----------|
| Black     | Dinning  | Fritz    |
| Brassard  | Doerksen | Gordon   |
| Calahasen | Dunford  | Haley    |
| Cardinal  | Evans    | Havelock |
| Clegg     | Fischer  | Herard   |
| Coutts    | Forsyth  | Hlady    |

| Laing     | Paszkowski | Tannas                        |
|-----------|------------|-------------------------------|
| Magnus    | Pham       | Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat) |
| Mar       | Renner     | Thurber                       |
| McClellan | Rostad     | Trynchy                       |
| McFarland | Severtson  | West                          |
| Mirosh    | Sohal      | Woloshyn                      |
| Oberg     | Stelmach   |                               |

# **Motions Other Than Government Motions**

**506.** Moved by Mr. Chadi on behalf of Mr. Dickson:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to review its role in the strategies developed by the cities of Edmonton and Calgary to reduce violence in families and the community at large and determine what further steps can be taken by the provincial Government to implement such strategies.

#### A debate followed.

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

For the motion: 61

| Amery     | Germain    | Percy                         |
|-----------|------------|-------------------------------|
| Beniuk    | Gordon     | Pham                          |
| Black     | Haley      | Renner                        |
| Bracko    | Hanson     | Rostad                        |
| Brassard  | Havelock   | Sapers                        |
| Calahasen | Henry      | Sekulic                       |
| Cardinal  | Herard     | Severtson                     |
| Carlson   | Hewes      | Sohal                         |
| Chadi     | Hlady      | Stelmach                      |
| Clegg     | Jonson     | Tannas                        |
| Coutts    | Kirkland   | Taylor (Redwater)             |
| Day       | Laing      | Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat) |
| Dickson   | Leibovici  | Thurber                       |
| Dinning   | Magnus     | Trynchy                       |
| Doerksen  | Mar        | Vasseur                       |
| Dunford   | Massey     | White                         |
| Evans     | McClellan  | Woloshyn                      |
| Fischer   | Mirosh     | Yankowsky                     |
| Forsyth   | Mitchell   | Zariwny                       |
| Friedel   | Paszkowski | Zwozdesky                     |
| Fritz     |            |                               |

Against the motion: 0

# **Government Bills and Orders**

#### Second Reading

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

Bill 8 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1994 – Hon. Mr. Dinning

A debate followed.

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

## Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mrs. Black, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., it was agreed at 5:28 p.m. that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. they would be in Committee of Supply, and the Speaker left the Chair.

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 1994 – 8:00 P.M.

# **Committee of Supply**

(Day 10 of Main Estimates Consideration)

#### (Assembly in Committee)

And after sometime spent therein, the 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, 1995, for the Department and purposes indicated:

#### Public Works, Supply and Services

| \$<br>368,399,000 | <b>Operating Expenditure</b> |
|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 203,395,000       | Capital Investment           |

#### 571,794,000

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

# **Government Bills and Orders**

#### Second Reading

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of Whole:

|  | Bill | 8 | Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 1994 – Hon. Mr. Dinning |
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- Bill 9 Appropriation (Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Capital Projects Division) Interim Supply Act, 1994 Hon. Mr. Dinning
- Bill 10 Appropriation (Lottery Fund) Interim Supply Act, 1994 Hon. Mr. Dinning

# Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:15 p.m. until Wednesday, March 16, 1994 at 1:30 p.m.

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