

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 32

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

Thursday, April 14, 1994

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

ROUTINE

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Lund, Hon. Member for Rocky Mountain House, presented a petition from 550 central Alberta residents regarding Special Places 2000.

Dr. Percy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, presented a petition from 34 Albertans regarding the maintenance of the Grey Nuns Hospital in Mill Woods as a full-service, active hospital.

Dr. Percy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, presented a petition from 26 Albertans regarding funding arrangements for Alberta's seniors lodges and subsidized apartments.

Mr. Sapers, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora, presented a petition from 160 Albertans regarding kindergarten instruction.

Ms Leibovici, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark, presented a petition from Albertans regarding the maintenance of the Misericordia Hospital as a full-service, active hospital.

Ms Hanson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Beverly, presented a petition 356 Edmonton residents regarding support for health, education, and social services.

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 Mrs. Hewes, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly of Alberta to urge the Government to resist calls to remove specific books, or types of literature, from the Alberta Education curriculum.

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

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government not to alter the level of support for all benefits for Alberta's seniors until seniors have been consulted and have agreed to any revisions.

On request by Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung, 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.

Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Mr. Renner, Chairman, Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the following report:

Mr. Speaker, the Standing Committee on Private Bills has had certain Bills under consideration and wishes to report as follows:

The Committee recommends that the following Bills be proceeded with:

- Bill Pr2 Lethbridge Foundation Amendment Act, 1994 Mr. Dunford
- Bill Pr3 Companions of Angela and Francis (Koinonia Association) Act Mr. Bracko
- Bill Pr8 Shaw Communications Inc. Act Mr. Dunford
- Bill Pr9 Tammy Lee Barnes Adoption Act Mrs. Gordon
- Bill Pr10 Janna Adella Marie Kinnee Adoption Act Mr. Collingwood
- Bill Pr15 Silvia Kathleen Miles Adoption Act Mr. Zariwny

Mr. Speaker, I request the concurrence of the Assembly in these recommendations.

The question being put, concurrence in the report was granted.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

- Bill 21 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Amendment Act, 1994 Mrs. Laing
- Bill 22 Maintenance Enforcement Amendment Act, 1994 Mr. Amery

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

- Bill 21 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Amendment Act, 1994 Mrs. Laing
- Bill 22 Maintenance Enforcement Amendment Act, 1994 Mr. Amery

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Cardinal, Minister of Family and Social Services, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-10.1, s52:

Alberta Family and Social Services, Annual Report 1991-92

Sessional Paper 67/94

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

"MLA Fast Facts, Bill 19 - A Broken Trust," Alberta Catholic School Trustees' Association

Sessional Paper 927/94

Mr. Van Binsbergen, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead:

"Don't cut education Ralph. Protect it!," 514 signed coupons in opposition to education cuts, Alberta Liberal Party advertisement

Sessional Paper 928/94

"Don't cut education Ralph. Protect it!," 5 signed coupons in support of education cuts, Alberta Liberal Party advertisement

Sessional Paper 929/94

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period, Mrs. Soetaert, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert, filed the following:

Edmonton Women's Shelter, Spring 1994 Newsletter, Issue I, Volume VIII Sessional Paper 930/94

Members' Statements

Mr. Doerksen, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, made a statement regarding "Gasoline Alley" on Highway 2 at Red Deer.

Mr. Germain, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray, made a statement regarding the Law Society of Alberta.

Mr. Renner, Hon. Member for Medicine Hat, made a statement regarding the College of Family Physicians choosing Dr. Philip Winkler as Family Physician of the Year.

Projected Government Business

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(5), Mr. Bruseker, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West, asked a question pertaining to the order of Government Business to be brought before the Assembly for the following week.

Hon. Mr. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, gave notice of projected Government Business for the week of April 18 to April 21, 1994:

Monday, April 18, 1994 Aft. - Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

As per Order Paper

Eve. - Committee of Supply

Department of Transportation and

Utilities

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

As per Order Paper

Committee of the Whole

As per Order Paper

Tuesday, April 19, 1994 (4:30 p.m.) - **Committee of the Whole**

As per Order

Eve. - Committee of Supply

Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

As per Order Paper

Committee of the Whole

As per Order Paper

Wednesday, April 20, 1994 Eve. - Committee of Supply

Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division

Thursday, April 21, 1994 Aft. - Committee of Supply

Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Capital Projects Division

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Committee of Supply

(Day 24 of Main Estimates Consideration - Designated)

(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, 1995, for the Department and purposes indicated:

Environmental Protection

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, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:09 p.m. until Monday, April 18, 1994 at 1:30 p.m.

Stanley S. Schumacher, Q.C., Speaker.

Title: Thursday, April 14, 1994