



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 22

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Third Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

Wednesday, March 22, 1995

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

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Langevin, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul, presented a petition from Albertans regarding sexual orientation and the Individual Rights Protection Act (IRPA).

Ms Abdurahman, Hon. Member for Clover Bar-Fort Saskatchewan, presented a petition from Grande Prairie and area residents regarding hours of kindergarten instruction.

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, presented a petition from 60 Medicine Hat and area residents regarding hours of kindergarten instruction.

Mr. Wickman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, presented a petition from Edmonton and area residents regarding hours of kindergarten instruction.

Reading and Receiving Petitions

On request by Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned, petition the Legislative Assembly of Alberta to urge the Government to ensure that no hospital beds are closed in south-western Alberta by an unelected Regional Health Authority without adequate consultation with residents.

On request by Mr. Yankowsky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Belmont, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned residents of Alberta, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government of Alberta not to make sexual orientation a part of the Individual Rights Protection Act (IRPA).

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health:

Return to Order of the Assembly No. M166 asked by Mr. Sapers on March 1, 1995:

Copies of all *public* information submitted to the Minister of Health by all seventeen Regional Health Authorities from July 1, 1994 until February 13, 1995.

Sessional Paper 166/95

Facing Cancer, Alberta Cancer Board's care and research magazine, issue 4, volume 1, winter/spring 1995

Sessional Paper 765/95

Dr. Percy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud:

Advertisement, March 10, 1995, Edmonton Examiner, regarding support for the Family Day holiday

Sessional Paper 766/95

Letter, dated March 22, 1995, from Dr. Percy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, regarding results of responses to Edmonton Examiner advertisement regarding support for the Family Day holiday

Sessional Paper 767/95

Mr. Mitchell, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

Special Places 2000, Prepared for Caucus, March 8, 1995

Sessional Paper 768/95

Ms Leibovici, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark:

List, by constituency, of Edmonton and area opposition to Bill 203, Family Day Amendment Act, 1995

Sessional Paper 769/95

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period, Mr. Collingwood, Hon. Member for Sherwood Park, filed the following:

Letter, dated December 8, 1994, from David Graham, Environmental Control Manager, Water Quality, Weyerhaeuser Canada, to D. Spink, Director, Air and Water Approvals, regarding an application for an amendment to Table 3 of Water Licence to Operate No. 92-WL-234A

Sessional Paper 770/95

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

Q185, Q186, Q187, Q188, Q189, Q190.

Motions for Returns

The following Motions for Returns were ordered to stand:

M191, M192, M193, M194, M195, M196, M197.

Public Bills and Orders

Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Committee of the Whole

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

(Assembly in Committee)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 203 Family Day Amendment Act, 1995 — Mrs. Forsyth

A debate followed.

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

For the Bill: 29

Ady	Fritz	Mirosh
Brassard	Gordon	Paszkowski
Burgener	Havelock	Renner
Chadi	Herard	Rostad
Coutts	Hierath	Severtson
Day	Hlady	Stelmach
Dunford	Langevin	Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat)
Fischer	Lund	Thurber
Forsyth	McClellan	Trynchy
Friedel	McFarland	

Against the Bill: 40

Abdurahman	Haley	Pham
Amery	Hanson	Sapers
Beniuk	Henry	Sekulic
Bruseker	Hewes	Soetaert
Calahasen	Jonson	Taylor (Redwater)
Cardinal	Kirkland	Van Binsbergen
Carlson	Laing	Vasseur
Clegg	Leibovici	White
Collingwood	Magnus	Wickman
Dalla-Longa	Massey	Woloshyn
Decore	Mitchell	Yankowsky
Dickson	Nicol	Zariwny
Doerksen	Percy	Zwozdesky
Evans		

After some further time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

Mr. Clegg, Deputy Chairman of Committees, reported that the Committee of the Whole did not agree to the body of Bill 203, Family Day Amendment Act, 1995.

The Assembly concurred in the report.

Second Reading

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

Bill 204 Liquor Control Amendment Act, 1995 — Mr. McFarland

A debate followed.

During debate, Mr. Yankowsky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Belmont, filed the following:

Press release, dated March 20, 1995, from the Alcohol-Drug Education Association of Alberta, to Members of the Legislative Assembly, regarding the raising of the drinking age

Sessional Paper 771/95

Debate continued.

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

For the motion: 24

Ady	Gordon	Lund
Burgener	Hanson	Magnus
Day	Havelock	McFarland
Doerksen	Hewes	Pham
Fischer	Hierath	Taylor (Redwater)
Forsyth	Hlady	Taylor (Cypress-Medicine Hat)
Friedel	Jonson	Woloshyn
Fritz	Langevin	Yankowsky

Against the motion: 35

Abdurahman	Kirkland	Soetaert
Calahasen	Laing	Stelmach
Cardinal	Leibovici	Thurber
Carlson	Mitchell	Trynchy
Chadi	Nicol	Van Binsbergen
Clegg	Paszkowski	Vasseur
Collingwood	Percy	West
Dalla-Longa	Renner	White
Decore	Rostad	Wickman
Dunford	Sapers	Zariwny
Haley	Sekulic	Zwozdesky
Herard	Severtson	

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Day, that it be called 5:30 p.m., at 5:25 p.m. the Assembly adjourned until 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1995 — 8:00 P.M.

Government Motions

19. Oral notice having been given March 21, 1995, Hon. Mr. Evans moved the following motion:

Be it resolved that the report of the Select Special Information and Privacy Commissioner Search Committee, appointed by this Assembly on November 9, 1994, be now received and concurred in.

A debate followed.

Mr. Germain, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray, moved adjournment of the debate, which was not agreed to.

Debate continued.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

Committee of Supply

(Day 14 of Main Estimates Consideration)

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time 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 Health, 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 23, 1995, at 1:30 p.m.

Title: Wednesday, March 22, 1995