



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 24

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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Monday, March 27, 1995

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

**Reading and Receiving Petitions**

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

We, the undersigned residents of Alberta, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government of Alberta to ensure all Alberta school boards provide the opportunity for each eligible child to receive a minimum of 400 hours of Early Childhood Services instruction per year.

We also request the Assembly urge the Government of Alberta to allow Alberta school boards to use money from the Alberta School Foundation Fund to fund 400 hours or more of Early Childhood Services (ECS) determined by the local community, so that there are no ECS user fees for 400 hour programs and so that all Alberta children have an equal opportunity or "level playing field" to succeed and compete in life by having equal access to basic educational resources.

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

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We also request the Assembly urge the Government of Alberta to allow Alberta school boards to use money from the Alberta School Foundation Fund to fund 400 hours or more of Early Childhood Services (ECS) determined by the local community, so that there are no ECS user fees for 400 hour programs and so that all Alberta children have an equal opportunity or "level playing field" to succeed and compete in life by having equal access to basic educational resources.

## **Oral Question Period**

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

Resolution regarding the Banff Bow Valley Study, passed in open Council February 28, 1995, by the Town Canmore, certified by the Municipal Secretary of Town of Canmore, Martin Buckley

Sessional Paper 781/95

## **Privilege**

Mr. Havelock, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, indicated he did not wish to pursue the purported point of privilege he had given notice of on Thursday, March 23, 1995, and filed the following letters:

Letter, dated March 24, 1995, from Jim Bolokoski, V.P. Finance and Controller, GWE Group Inc., to Mr. Havelock, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, regarding the terms of Mr. Havelock's employment for the period of April 1, 1992 to July 3, 1993

Sessional Paper 782/95

Letter, dated March 24, 1995, from Ms Abdurahman, Hon. Member for Clover Bar-Fort Saskatchewan, to Mr. Havelock, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, regarding statements made during Oral Question Period, Thursday, March 23, 1995

Sessional Paper 783/95

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Royal Assent**

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

The Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

May it please your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sitting, passed certain Bills to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed as follows:

- 2 Advanced Education Statutes Amendment Act
- 4 Medical Profession Amendment Act, 1995
- 12 Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1995
- 13 Bee Act
- 14 Irrigation District Rehabilitation Endowment Fund Amendment Act, 1995

To these Bills, Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills.

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Assembly.

## **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 15 Charitable Fund-Raising Act — Mr. Coutts

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 16 Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1995 — Hon. Mr. Day

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned.

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

Bill 11 Students Finance Amendment Act, 1995 — Mrs. Forsyth

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Evans, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., at 5:25 p.m. it was agreed that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. they would be in Committee of Supply, and the Acting Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, MARCH 27, 1995 — 8:00 P.M.

## **Committee of Supply**

(Day 16 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, 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, 1996, for the Department and purposes indicated:

### **Community Development**

\$	197,687,000	Operating Expenditure
	353,000	Capital Investment

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

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mrs. Black, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:57 p.m. until Tuesday, March 28, 1995, at 1:30 p.m.

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