

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 5

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Third Legislature

Wednesday, February 21, 1996

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

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Bracko, Hon. Member for St. Albert, presented a petition from 163 St. Albert residents regarding 400 hours of kindergarten programming.

Reading and Receiving Petitions

On request by Dr. Nicol, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East, the following petition was read and received:

We, the undersigned residents of Alberta, petition the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to prohibit Regional Health Authorities from moving elderly people against their will to long term care facilities in communities far from their families, churches and other community supports, thereby greatly lessening their quality of life.

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Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Lund, Minister of Environmental Protection:

Response to Written Question No. Q236 asked for by Mr. N. Taylor on October 18, 1995:

For the period January 1, 1994 to December 31, 1994, how many timber transport permits were issued to truckers for hauling timber from private land to mills in Alberta and how many were issued for exporting timber out of the province, and, in each case, what was the volume of coniferous and deciduous timber involved?

Sessional Paper 236A/96

Return to Order of the Assembly No. M238 asked for by Mr. Collingwood on October 18, 1995:

A list showing the names of sites that are currently under protective reservation or notation and sites that have been identified through a government planning process (such as integrated resource plans), that are awaiting decisions concerning their designation under some form of protected area legislation, indicating the current status of the site and the recommended protected status, where known.

Sessional Paper 238A/96

Return to Order of the Assembly No. M240 asked for by Mr. Collingwood on October 18, 1995:

A list of complaints concerning flooding around the shore of Lake Wabamun, giving the date of each complaint and the location flooded, from January 1, 1980, until December 31, 1994.

Sessional Paper 240A/96

Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Minister of Health, pursuant to the Health Facilities Review Committee Act, cH-4, s16(2):

Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee, Annual Report 1994-95 Sessional Paper 76/96

Mr. Zwozdesky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Avonmore:

Partial list of Alberta Motion Picture Development Corporation (AMPDC) film and television projects in rural Alberta

Sessional Paper 620/96

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Mr. Bruseker, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West:

Letter, dated February 15, 1996, from Hon. Mr. Day, Government House Leader, to Mr. Bruseker, Hon. Opposition House Leader, regarding the debate of Main Estimates during the spring of 1996 and the introduction of a motion to create subcommittees of the Committee of Supply

Mr. Sapers, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora:

Letter, fax dated February 8, 1996, from Dr. A. A. Wilke, A. A. Wilke Professional Corporation, Willow Park Medical Clinic, Calgary, regarding the future of family medicine

Sessional Paper 622/96

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Mrs. Mirosh, Minister of Science and Research, made a statement recognizing the 75th anniversary of the Alberta Research Council.

Mr. Sekulic, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, responded to the statement.

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period, Mr. Bracko, Hon. Member for St. Albert, filed the following:

Letter, dated December 7, 1994, from Hon. Dr. West, Minister responsible for Housing, to Mr. Wickman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, listing outstanding mortgage guarantees by financial institution, as of March 31, 1994 Sessional Paper 623/96

During Oral Question Period, Ms Hanson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Beverly, filed the following:

Report to Premiers, Ministerial Council on Social Policy Reform and Renewal, December 1995

Sessional Paper 624/96

During Oral Question Period, Mr. N. Taylor, Hon. Member for Redwater, filed the following:

Letter, dated January 11, 1996, from Mr. Jacques, Chairman, Northern Alberta Development Council, to Mr. N. Taylor, Hon. Member for Redwater, declining Mr. Taylor's request for a draft copy of the recommendations regarding Alberta's forest management agreements

Sessional Paper 625/96

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Written Questions

The following Written Questions were Ordered to stand: Q157, Q158, Q159, Q160, Q161, Q162, Q163, Q164, Q165, Q176, Q177.

Motions for Returns

The following Motions for Returns were Ordered to stand: M166, M167, M168, M169, M170, M171, M172, M173, M174, M175.

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:

Bill202Lotteries (Video Lottery Schemes Elimination) Amendment Act,
1996 — Mr. Mitchell

A debate followed.

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

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For the motion: 18

Abdurahman	Henry
Ady	Hewes
Bracko	Leibovici
Bruseker	Mitchell
Collingwood	Nicol
Hanson	Sekulic

Taylor (Redwater) Van Binsbergen White Wickman Zariwny Zwozdesky Against the motion: 40

Beniuk	Haley	McFarland
Black	Havelock	Mirosh
Brassard	Herard	Oberg
Burgener	Hierath	Pham
Calahasen	Hlady	Renner
Cardinal	Jacques	Severtson
Clegg	Jonson	Shariff
Day	Kowalski	Smith
Doerksen	Laing	Stelmach
Dunford	Langevin	Thurber
Forsyth	Magnus	Trynchy
Friedel	Mar	Woloshyn
Fritz	McClellan	Yankowsky
Gordon		

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

Bill 203 Family Dispute Resolution Act — Mr. Yankowsky

A debate followed.

During debate, Hon. Mr. Evans, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, filed the following:

"A divorce how-to," editorial, Vancouver Sun, February 15, 1996, p. A14 Sessional Paper 626/96

Debate continued.

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. M, Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1996 — 8:00 P.M.

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 6 Gaming and Liquor Act — Hon. Dr. West

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned.

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

Bill 4 Glenbow-Alberta Institute Amendment Act, 1996 — Hon. Mr. Mar

Bill 5 Racing Corporation Act — Hon. Dr. West

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Day, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:55 p.m. until Thursday, February 22, 1996 at 1:30 p.m.

Title: Wednesday, February 21, 1996