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## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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Wednesday, December 2, 1998

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

### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Day, Provincial Treasurer:

Return to Order of the Assembly No. MR87 asked for by Mr. Zwozdesky on April 22, 1998:

Copies of all approved three-to-five-year strategic plans *that are publicly available* prepared by, or on behalf of, the Alberta Treasury Branches between January 1, 1993 and January 26, 1998.

Sessional Paper 988/98

Return to Order of the Assembly No. MR89 asked for by Mr. Zwozdesky on April 22, 1998:

*Summaries of* memoranda of understanding (MOUs) and amended schedules of MOUs between the Government and the Al-Pac joint venture and the joint venture partners for the period January 1, 1989 to January 26, 1998, setting out the obligations and commitments of the Government and the joint venture/joint venture partners to construct and operate a kraft pulp mill and paper mill

Sessional Paper 989/98

Return to Order of the Assembly No. MR88 asked for by Mr. Zwozdesky on April 22, 1998:

A breakdown of the *\$1.196 million* in expenditures contained under Vote 3.1.4 Project Management/Transition, Department of Treasury, 1995/96 Public Accounts, Vol. 2, page 113, providing a breakdown of expenditures on consulting services, an identification of each fee-for-service contractor, and the nature of the project engaged in by fee-for-service contractors.

Sessional Paper 990/98

Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Education:

Alberta Education School Grants Manual, appendix excerpt page 8 entitled "Grant Rates 1986, Part 3: School Grants to Private Schools 1986 and 1985", dated June 2, 1986; and appendix excerpt page 11 entitled "Grant Rates September 1, 1988 to August 31, 1989, Part 3: School Grants to Private Schools", dated September 1, 1988

Sessional Paper 991/98

Speech transcript given by Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Education, MLA (Member of the Legislative Assembly)/MP (Member of Parliament) Breakfast, Fall General Meeting, Alberta School Boards Association, 8:00 a.m., December 1, 1988, Westin Hotel, Edmonton

Sessional Paper 992/98

Mr. Zwozdesky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Creek:

Proposal to Meet Immediate Priority Inner-City Shelter Needs for Single Adults in Edmonton, submitted to Hon. Dr. Oberg, Minister of Family and Social Services; Hon. Ms Evans, Minister of Municipal Affairs; and Mayor Bill Smith, City of Edmonton, submitted by the City/Provincial Homelessness Task Force, dated November 30, 1998

Sessional Paper 993/98

Ms Leibovici, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark:

Memorandum dated November 16, 1998, from Free the Children, Thickwood Heights School Chapter, Fort McMurray, to all Government Members of the Legislative Assembly, expressing support for the signing of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of the Child

Sessional Paper 994/98

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

Fact sheet entitled "Calls to the Edmonton-Glenora Constituency Office about Alberta Treasury: September 1, 1998 - November 30, 1998" regarding Alberta Treasury Branch concerns, supplementary estimates, and other matters

Sessional Paper 995/98

Mr. Zwozdesky, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Creek:

6 postcards entitled "Please defeat Bill 219, I am in favour of local bargaining, retaining the right to strike, and retaining principals' right to be represented in collective bargaining"

Sessional Paper 996/98

Hon. Mr. Smith, Minister of Labour:

Alberta Boilers Safety Association (ABSA), Three Year Business Plan 1997/98 - 1999/2000, dated June 1998

Sessional Paper 997/98

Alberta Propane Vehicle Administration Organization (APVAO), Annual Report 1997, produced by the Propane Gas Association of Canada Inc., dated June 30, 1998

Sessional Paper 998/98

Petroleum Tank Management Association of Alberta, Three Year Business Plan 1998/99 - 2000/01

Sessional Paper 999/98

Petroleum Tank Management Association of Alberta, Annual Report 1997

Sessional Paper 1000/98

Ms Barrett, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands:

HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus) in Alberta 1998 - 2001, Alberta Health's Strategy: Draft for Discussion, dated June 1998

Sessional Paper 1001/98

### **Speaker's Statement — House Matters**

The Speaker made a statement in recognition of 1998 as the Year of the Cowboy, and the registration of Alberta's provincial brand, with lapel pins being distributed to Members to commemorate the occasion.

The Speaker also announced the creation of the Alberta Youth Parliament, a joint venture of the Legislative Assembly and the Alberta-Northwest Territories Command of the Royal Canadian Legion. The youth parliament will involve 83 grade 10 students on April 15-16, 1999.

Finally, the Speaker advised the Members that Dr. David McNeil, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, has been invited to take part in the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association's Expert Group on Innovative Training Methods for Parliamentarians encompassing 140 parliamentary system jurisdictions.

## **Recognitions**

Mr. Cao, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fort: provincial/federal joint call combination initiative coordinating call and processing systems regarding employment standards.

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre: National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence Against Women and the ninth anniversary of the École Polytechnique death of 14 women, December 6, 1989.

Ms Forsyth, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek: poem written by a member of Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD) to combat impaired driving.

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona: International Conference on Universal Human Rights and Human Values, co-sponsored by the University of Alberta, held in Edmonton.

Mrs. Laing, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bow: Dr. Lorne Tyrrell, University of Alberta infectious disease specialist and advances in developing a new hepatitis B drug.

Mrs. Soetaert, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert: community contribution of voluntary efforts by coaches, and the Sturgeon Heights School Division Junior High School Volleyball Competition, November 28, 1998, held at Sturgeon Composite High School.

Mr. Klapstein, Hon. Member for Leduc: 1998 Speedo FINA (Fédération internationale de natation amateur) World Cup of Swimming, November 28-29, 1998, held at the Kinsmen Sports Centre in Edmonton.

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Written Questions**

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

WQ99, WQ100.

### **Motions for Returns**

The following Motions for Returns were ordered to stand:

MR101, MR102, MR103, MR104, MR105, MR106.

## 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:

Bill 218 Environmental Bill of Rights — Ms Carlson

The question being put, with Hon. Mr. Kowalski in the Chair, the motion was defeated.  
The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 15

Blakeman	MacDonald	Sapers
Carlson	Massey	Sloan
Gibbons	Nicol	Soetaert
Leibovici	Olsen	White
MacBeth	Pannu	Wickman

Against the motion: 45

Boutilier	Graham	McClellan
Broda	Haley	Melchin
Burgener	Herard	Nelson
Cao	Hierath	O'Neill
Cardinal	Hlady	Pham
Clegg	Jacques	Renner
Coutts	Jonson	Severtson
Doerksen	Klapstein	Smith
Ducharme	Kryczka	Stevens
Dunford	Laing	Strang
Fischer	Langevin	Tannas
Forsyth	Lougheed	Taylor
Friedel	Magnus	Thurber
Fritz	Mar	Woloshyn
Gordon	Marz	Yankowsky

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 219 Education Employment Relations Statutes Amendment Act, 1998 —  
Mrs. Burgener

A debate followed.

The question being put, with Hon. Mr. Kowalski in the Chair, the motion was defeated.  
The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 1

Burgener

Against the motion: 54

Blakeman	Herard	O'Neill
Bonner	Hlady	Oberg
Broda	Jacques	Olsen
Cao	Jonson	Pannu
Cardinal	Klapstein	Pham
Clegg	Kryczka	Renner
Dickson	Laing	Severtson
Doerksen	Langevin	Smith
Ducharme	Leibovici	Soetaert
Dunford	Lougheed	Strang
Fischer	Lund	Tannas
Forsyth	MacDonald	Tarchuk
Friedel	Magnus	Taylor
Fritz	Mar	Thurber
Gibbons	Marz	White
Graham	Massey	Wickman
Haley	Nelson	Woloshyn
Hancock	Nicol	Yankowsky

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mrs. Nelson, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:18 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1998 — 8:00 P.M.

## **Government Bills and Orders**

### **Third Reading**

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Third time:

Bill 49 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1998 (No. 3) — Hon. Mr. Day

A debate followed.

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

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Third time:

Bill 38 Public Health Amendment Act, 1998 — Hon. Mr. Jonson

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 61(5), at 11:45 p.m. the Deputy Speaker immediately put the question of the appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper for Third reading, which was agreed to.

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 49 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 1998 (No. 3) — Hon. Mr. Day

Debate resumed on Bill 38, Public Health Amendment Act, 1998.

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

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mrs. Nelson, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:46 p.m. until Thursday, December 3, 1998, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Ken Kowalski,  
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, December 2, 1998