



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 61

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Fourth Legislature

Thursday, December 3, 1998

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

Reading and Receiving Petitions

On request by Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, 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 pass Bill 37, Health Statutes Amendment Act, 1998.

Notices of Motions

Hon. Mr. Havelock, Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following motion to be moved Monday, December 7, 1998:

Be it resolved that further consideration of any or all of the resolutions, clauses, sections or titles of Bill 2, Conflicts of Interest Amendment Act, 1998, shall, when called, be the first business of the Committee and shall not be further postponed.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo:

Letter dated December 3, 1998, from Mr. Dickson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, to Dr. Sein Wein, Prime Minister, National Coalition Government of the Union of Burma, expressing support for the campaign to create a democratic regime in Burma

Sessional Paper 1002/98

Ms O'Neill, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

Letter dated November 30, 1998, from Henry Chung to Ms O'Neill, Hon. Member for St. Albert, regarding human rights issues in relation to refusal of a license renewal by the Real Estate Council of Alberta (RECA), with attached four letters relating to the license denial

Sessional Paper 1003/98

Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier:

Letter dated December 3, 1998, from Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, to Lynne Duncan, Deputy Minister, Advanced Education and Career Development, offering congratulations to the Public Service United Way Committee and Robert Westbury for achieving a record setting 1998 Capital Region campaign

Sessional Paper 1004/98

Mr. Doerksen, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South:

Fact sheet entitled "Declaration on the Canadian Family", produced by the Ottawa Conference on the Family, October 1-3, 1998, as endorsed by Mr. Doerksen

Sessional Paper 1005/98

Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar:

Letter dated November 25, 1998, from Hon. Ms Evans, Minister of Municipal Affairs, expressing thanks for attendance at the pine shakes meeting held at the Franklins Inn, Sherwood Park, September 23, 1998

Sessional Paper 1006/98

Mr. Gibbons, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning:

Letter dated December 3, 1998, from Mr. Gibbons, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, to Dr. Robert Westbury, United Way Campaign Chair, offering congratulations for achieving the \$10 million dollar goal for the 1998 United Way campaign

Sessional Paper 1007/98

Letter dated December 3, 1998, from Mrs. MacBeth, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, to Dr. Robert Westbury, United Way Campaign Chair, offering congratulations for achieving the \$10 million dollar goal for the 1998 United Way campaign

Sessional Paper 1008/98

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Mr. Paszkowski, Minister of Transportation and Utilities, made a statement regarding the 1998-99 Smart Choices Impaired Driving program beginning December 1, 1998, to coincide with National Safe Driving Week, December 1-7, 1998, and outlined additional traffic safety programs created which include the Alberta Traffic Safety Initiative, a partnering effort by the Edmonton Oilers and Calgary Flames Hockey Clubs, and the establishment of a Provincial Impaired Driving Committee.

Mrs. Soetaert, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Sturgeon-St. Albert, commented on the statement and expressed support for efforts to combat impaired driving.

Members' Statements

Mr. Severtson, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, made a statement recognizing the Pine Lake Restoration Society for environmental efforts to restore Pine Lake following the 1991 Alberta Environment report, and in particular the voluntary efforts of Danny Fischer and Bill Wearmouth.

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement regarding the lack of environmental commitment and habitat protection actions by the Government following the 1992 Special Places Program creation.

Mr. Doerksen, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, read the "Declaration on the Canadian Family", produced by the Ottawa Conference on the Family, October 1-3, 1998, and expressed support for the Canadian family.

Projected Government Business

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(5), Mr. Sapers, Official Opposition House Leader, asked a question pertaining to the order of Government Business to be brought before the Assembly for the following week.

Hon. Mr. Havelock, Government House Leader, gave notice of projected Government Business for the week of December 7 to December 10, 1998:

Monday, December 7	Aft.	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading Bills 48, 38, 21
	Eve.	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading Bills 48, 38, 21 Committee of the Whole Bill 2 Third Reading Bill 2
Tuesday, December 8	(4:30)	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading Bills 48, 38, 21, 2
	Eve.	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading Bills 48, 38, 21, 2
Wednesday, December 9	Eve.	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading As per Order Paper
Thursday, December 10	Aft.	- Government Bills and Orders Third Reading As per Order Paper

Adjournment

Pursuant to notice given in Projected Government Business, Thursday, November 26, 1998, and on motion by Hon. Mr. Havelock, Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 2:48 p.m. until Monday, December 7, 1998, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, December 3, 1998