



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 5

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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Tuesday, March 5, 2002

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Maskell, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark, made a statement regarding Sid Hansen on his retirement from the Edmonton Airports board of directors on December 31, 2001.

Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, made a statement regarding the education system.

Mrs. Jablonski, Hon. Member for Red Deer-North, made a statement regarding adoption records.

Mr. Cao, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fort, made a statement regarding Native Awareness Week.

Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Mrs. Tarchuk, Chair, Select Standing Committee on Legislative Offices, presented the following report:

Report of the Standing Committee on Legislative Offices recommending the reappointment of the Ethics Commissioner and the Chief Electoral Officer
Sessional Paper 47/2002

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

- Bill 204 Traffic Safety (Cellular Phone) Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. Herard on behalf of Mrs. Gordon
- Bill 205 School Trustee Statutes Amendment Act, 2002 — Mrs. O'Neill
- Bill 206 Fisheries (Alberta) Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. Danyluk
- Bill 207 Alberta Wheat and Barley Test Market Act — Mr. McFarland on behalf of Mr. Hlady
- Bill 208 Fiscal Stability Fund Calculation Act — Dr. Massey on behalf of Dr. Nicol
- Bill 209 Electoral Fairness Commission Act — Dr. Pannu
- Bill 210 Matrimonial Property (Division of Property on Death) Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. Snelgrove on behalf of Ms Graham

Tabling Returns and Reports

Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 37.1(2) and the Occupational Therapy Profession Act, cO-3, s4(4):

Alberta Association of Registered Occupational Therapists, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness
Sessional Paper 48/2002

Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 37.1(2) and the Health Facilities Review Committee Act, cH-3, s16(2):

Alberta Health Facilities Review Committee, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness
Sessional Paper 49/2002

Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 37.1(2), the Regional Health Authorities Act, cR-10, s14(3) and Alberta Regulation 286/94:

Alberta Mental Health Board, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness
Sessional Paper 50/2002

Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 37.1(2) and the Regional Health Authorities Act, cR-10, s14(3):

Chinook Health Region, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness
Sessional Paper 51/2002

Palliser Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

Sessional Paper 52/2002

Headwaters Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Calgary Health Region, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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David Thompson Health Region, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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East Central Health, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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WestView Regional Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

Sessional Paper 57/2002

Crossroads Regional Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Capital Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Lakeland Regional Health Authority, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Peace Health Region, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Northern Lights Regional Health Services, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

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Northwestern Health Services Region, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

Sessional Paper 63/2002

Clerk of the Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 37.1(2):

Alberta Cancer Board, Annual Report 2000-2001, Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness

Sessional Paper 64/2002

Mr. Strang, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead:

Petition signed by 154 Albertans requesting the Government provide necessary financial resources to school boards to allow boards to conduct meaningful negotiations with their employees

Sessional Paper 65/2002

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre:

Letter dated February 15, 2002, from Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, expressing concern regarding childcare funding and early childhood educator salaries and requesting additional funding in these areas

Sessional Paper 66/2002

Report dated September 2001, entitled "The Shame of Canada's Nursing Homes, A Testimony of the Experiences of Older Persons in Care Facilities in Canada" prepared by Families Allied to Influence Responsible Eldercare

Sessional Paper 67/2002

Dr. Taft, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

Copy of a petition signed by 256 Albertans requesting that positions and programs cancelled at the Canmore Hospital be reinstated and various letters in support of the petition

Sessional Paper 68/2002

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona:

Letter dated February 19, 2002, from Mary Ann Sanderson, Executive Director, Calgary Women's Emergency Shelter Association, to Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona, commenting on, and expressing concern regarding, the Alberta Children Services Survey

Sessional Paper 69/2002

Hon. Ms Evans, Minister of Children's Services:

Responses to questions asked during Oral Question Period on March 4, 2002, by Members of the Official Opposition regarding a child in the care of Children's Services

Sessional Paper 70/2002

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 1 Queen Elizabeth II Golden Jubilee Recognition Act (\$) — Hon.
Mr. Zwozdesky on behalf of Hon. Mr. Klein

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 9 Child Welfare Amendment Act, 2002 — Hon. Ms Evans

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 5 Interjurisdictional Support Orders Act — Mr. Rathgeber

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 2 Child and Family Services Authorities Amendment Act, 2002 — Hon.
Ms Evans

Bill 3 Irrigation Districts Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. McFarland

Bill 4 Public Health Amendment Act, 2002 — Hon. Mr. Mar

Bill 8 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2002 (\$) — Hon.
Mr. Zwozdesky on behalf of Hon. Mrs. Nelson

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:03 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 2002 — 8:00 P.M.

Consideration of Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech
(Day 3)

Moved by Mr. Horner and seconded by Mr. Cenaiko:

That an humble address be presented to Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

To Her Honour Mrs. Lois E. Hole, C.M., the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session.

A debate followed.

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

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

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Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until Wednesday, March 6, 2002, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, March 5, 2002