

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 6

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Fifth Legislature

Wednesday, March 6, 2002

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

Recognitions

Mr. Hutton, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora: University of Alberta Golden Bears volleyball team and Pandas hockey team, both winning the 2002 Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) championship

Mr. Strang, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead: Norman Rodseth on being inducted into the Alberta Order of the Bighorn

Mr. Bonner, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glengarry: Bill Bouchard Memorial Hockey Tournament

Mrs. Jablonski, Hon. Member for Red Deer-North: Stan Schalk, Peter Leyen, and George Berry who build affordable transitional housing in Red Deer

Mr. Broda, Hon. Member for Redwater: Dave Powell, Murray Mackay, Norm Rodseth, Bill Turnbull, Edgar T. Jones, Jeanne Jones, and Andy Russell, inductees into the Alberta Order of the Bighorn

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona: Linda Bull, guest speaker at the 2002 International Women's Day program

Ms Kryczka, Hon. Member for Calgary-West: Barbara Jean Fraser, on being appointed a Member of the Order of Canada

Presenting Petitions

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona, presented a petition from 115 Albertans requesting the Government not delist services, raise health care premiums, introduce user fees or further privatize health care.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Upon recommendation of Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

- Bill 6 Student Financial Assistance Act (\$) Hon. Dr. Oberg
- Bill 14 Gaming and Liquor Amendment Act, 2002 (\$) Hon. Mr. Stevens
- Bill 15 Dairy Industry Omnibus Act, 2002 (\$) Hon. Mrs. McClellan

Notice having been given:

- Bill 13 Administrative Penalties and Related Matters Statutes Amendment Act, 2002 Hon. Dr. Taylor
- Bill 16 Racing Corporation Amendment Act, 2002 Hon. Mr. Stevens

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Minister of Community Development:

Letter dated March 6, 2002, from Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Minister of Community Development, to Howie Draper, Coach, University of Alberta Pandas, extending congratulations to the athletes, coaches, and training staff on winning the 2002 Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) Women's Hockey Championship

Sessional Paper 71/2002

Letter dated March 6, 2002, from Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Minister of Community Development, to Richard Schick, Coach, University of Alberta Golden Bears, extending congratulations to the athletes, coaches, and training staff on winning the 2002 Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) Men's Volleyball Championship Sessional Paper 72/2002

Hon. Mr. Boutilier, Minister of Municipal Affairs:

Letter dated February 19, 2002, from His Worship Bill Smith, Mayor, City of Edmonton, to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, expressing concern regarding the Government's intention to allow a commercial development to proceed on municipal reserve land

Sessional Paper 73/2002

Letter dated March 5, 2002, from C.D. Radke, Deputy Minister, Municipal Affairs, to Al Maurer, City Manager, City of Edmonton, expressing concerns regarding a land use dispute between the City of Edmonton and the Catholic School Board

Sessional Paper 74/2002

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

Petition signed by 1 St. Albert resident requesting that the War Amputations of Canada have access to the Alberta Motor Vehicle Operators List for the purposes of the Key Tag Identification Program

Sessional Paper 75/2002

Mr. Tannas, Hon. Member for Highwood:

Letter dated February 11, 2002, from David Cross of Okotoks to Mr. Tannas, Hon. Member for Highwood, requesting that the Bighorn Wildland Recreation Area be designated as a wildland park

Sessional Paper 76/2002

Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands:

Pamphlet entitled "Seniors Action and Liaison Team Submission to the Romanow Commission" approved at a general meeting on November 8, 2001, prepared by SALT (Seniors Action and Liaison Team)

Sessional Paper 77/2002

Pamphlet entitled "The Seniors Action and Liaison Team's Analysis of the Report of the Premier's Advisory Council on Health" prepared by SALT (Seniors Action and Liaison Team)

Sessional Paper 78/2002

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

E-mail message, undated, from Maria David-Evans, Deputy Minister, Learning, to several school board officials, providing information to assist the school boards in answering questions regarding negotiations between the school boards and the Alberta Teachers' Association

Sessional Paper 79/2002

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 7 Agriculture Financial Services Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. Klapstein

Bill 10 Public Works Amendment Act, 2002 - Mr. Snelgrove

Bill 11 Energy Information Statutes Amendment Act, 2002 — Mr. Strang

Committee of the Whole

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, and the Acting Speaker left the Chair.

(Assembly in Committee)

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Committee recessed at 5:25 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 2002 — 8:00 P.M.

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

The following Bills were reported:

- Bill 1 Queen Elizabeth II Golden Jubilee Recognition Act (\$) Hon. Mr. Klein
- Bill 2 Child and Family Services Authorities Amendment Act, 2002 Hon. Ms Evans
- Bill 8 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2002 (\$) Hon. Mrs. Nelson

Consideration of Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech (Day 4)

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.

Hon. Mr. Coutts 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:

Bill 5 Interjurisdictional Support Orders Act — Mr. Rathgeber

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Stevens, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:14 p.m. until Thursday, March 7, 2002, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski, Speaker

Title: Wednesday, March 6, 2002