



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 39

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Third Session

Twenty-Fifth Legislature

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Monday, May 5, 2003

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

**Recognitions**

Ms DeLong, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bow: Frank Janett for his contributions to Canadian motorsport

Mr. Lord, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie: Paul Jeffries, owner of the Smilin' Buddha Tattoo Shop in Calgary

Mrs. O'Neill, Hon. Member for St. Albert: 2nd annual Bell Walk for Kids held on May 4, 2003 in many Alberta communities in support of the Kids Help Phone

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie: National Forest Week, May 4-10, 2003

Mr. Marz, Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills: Danielle Schnurer, recipient of the 4-H Premier's Award during the 4-H Selections Program held May 2-5, 2003 at Olds College

Ms Kryczka, Hon. Member for Calgary-West: Gwen Klint who expressed her appreciation in a letter to Ms Kryczka for the Government's decision to pay for the cost of Enbrel and Remicade, two prescription drugs used by people affected with rheumatoid arthritis

Dr. Taft, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview: Hard work and dedication of the nurses and other support staff at the Foothills Medical Centre in Calgary

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

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

Report dated January 10, 2003, entitled "Magnetic Resonance Imaging-Volumes and Wait List, 2002/2003 Quarter 2: July 1 to September 30, 2002" prepared by Standards and Measures Branch, Alberta Health and Wellness  
Sessional Paper 450/2003

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

Letter dated January 3, 2003, from John Kolkman, Research Director, New Democrat Opposition, to Roger Mariner, Alberta Finance and Francine Harvey, Alberta Treasury Branches, requesting documentation relating to the resolution of litigation between Alberta Treasury Branches and West Edmonton Mall, pursuant to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act  
Sessional Paper 451/2003

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

Copy of a petition signed by 192 Lethbridge and Calgary and area residents urging the Government to immediately reinstate natural gas rebates  
Sessional Paper 452/2003

Copy of a petition signed by 322 Redwater and Elk Point residents urging the Government to immediately reinstate natural gas rebates  
Sessional Paper 453/2003

Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods:

Letter dated March 24, 2003, from Allison Jackson and Shannan Vig, Aldergrove Parent Advocates, to Mr. Maskell, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark, urging Mr. Maskell to voice Aldergrove Elementary School's education funding concerns in the Legislative Assembly, and attaching the Aldergrove Elementary School presentation to the Ward C and E Council Meeting on March 13, 2003  
Sessional Paper 454/2003

Letter dated March 20, 2003, from Darlene Boyer of Edmonton to Dr. Massey, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, expressing concern regarding a lack of education funding and its effect on class sizes  
Sessional Paper 455/2003

Letter dated March 11, 2003, from Tammy Rachynski of Edmonton to all Members of the Legislative Assembly expressing concern regarding a lack of education funding and requesting that education budgets be allocated based on need as opposed to a predefined per pupil grant  
Sessional Paper 456/2003

Letter dated March 26, 2003, from Shandell Switzer of Edmonton to Mr. Hancock, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud (Minister of Justice and Attorney General), requesting the Government increase education funding  
Sessional Paper 457/2003

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie:

Letter dated April 4, 2003, from Linda Wilson of Edmonton to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, expressing concern regarding the Government's handling of public education funding issues

Sessional Paper 458/2003

## **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Mar, Minister of Health and Wellness:

Response to questions raised during Oral Question Period on April 22, 2003, by Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona

Sessional Paper 459/2003

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Written Questions**

The following Written Questions were ordered to stand:

None appearing on the Order Paper.

### **Motions for Returns**

The following Motions for Returns were ordered to stand:

None appearing on the Order Paper.

### **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 206 Traffic Safety (Seizure of Vehicles in Prostitution Related Offences)  
Amendment Act, 2003 — Mr. Cenaiko

A debate followed.

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

For the motion: 42

Ady	Griffiths	Mason
Amery	Hancock	Massey
Calahasen	Hlady	Masyk
Carlson	Jablonski	Nelson
Cenaiko	Jonson	Oberg
Coutts	Klapstein	Ouellette
Danyluk	Kryczka	Shariff
Doerksen	Lord	Snelgrove
Dunford	Lukaszuk	Stelmach
Evans	MacDonald	Stevens
Fritz	Magnus	Tarchuk
Gordon	Mar	Taylor
Goudreau	Marz	Vandermeer
Graydon	Maskell	Zwozdesky

Against the motion: 4

DeLong	Pham	Rathgeber
Haley		

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

Bill 207 Municipal Government (Councillor Disclosure and Protection) Amendment Act, 2003 – Mr. Lord

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was defeated.

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 5:24 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 5, 2003 — 8:00 P.M.

## **Motions Other Than Government Motions**

**508.** Moved by Mr. Cenaiko:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to work with Criminal Intelligence Service Alberta to enhance collaborative partnerships and coordinated programs with various levels of government, policing agencies, and the public to effectively combat organized crime and terrorism.

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

**510.** Moved by Mr. Masyk:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation requiring every gasoline service station in Alberta to have at least one full service bay to improve accessibility for the disabled and the elderly.

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 8(3), debate adjourned, Mr. Maskell speaking.

## **Government Bills and Orders**

### **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)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 18 Energy Statutes Amendment Act, 2003 — Ms DeLong

A debate followed.

The question was put that Bill 18, Energy Statutes Amendment Act, 2003, be reported, which was agreed to. With Mr. Shariff in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 35

Ady	Goudreau	Maskell
Amery	Graydon	Nelson
Boutilier	Griffiths	Oberg
Calahasen	Hancock	O'Neill
Cao	Hlady	Pham
Coutts	Jablonski	Rathgeber
Danyluk	Klapstein	Smith
DeLong	Kryczka	Stevens
Doerksen	Lord	Tarchuk
Ducharme	Magnus	Woloshyn
Dunford	Mar	Yankowsky
Fritz	Marz	

Against the motion: 4

Blakeman  
MacDonald

Mason

Massey

The Acting Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 18 Energy Statutes Amendment Act, 2003 — Ms DeLong

The following Bill was reported with some amendments:

Bill 32 Income and Employment Supports Act — Hon. Mr. Dunford

Mr. Marz, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of all amendments considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 32 (Hon. Minister of Human Resources and  
Employment) — Agreed to

Sessional Paper 460/2003

Amendment to Bill 32 (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 461/2003

Amendment to Bill 32 (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 462/2003

Amendment to Bill 32 (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 463/2003

Amendment to Bill 32 (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 464/2003

### **Third Reading**

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

Bill 4 Alberta Personal Income Tax Amendment Act, 2003 — Hon. Mr. Hancock  
on behalf of Mr. Renner

Bill 5 Line Fence Amendment Act, 2003 — Mr. Goudreau

Bill 7 Real Estate Amendment Act, 2003 — Mr. Graydon

Bill 8 Health Foundations Act Repeal Act — Hon. Mr. Mar

Bill 9 Mines and Minerals Amendment Act, 2003 — Hon. Mr. Hancock on behalf  
of Hon. Mr. Cardinal

Bill 11 Auditor General Amendment Act, 2003 — Mr. Yankowsky

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned  
at 11:25 p.m. until Tuesday, May 6, 2003, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Ken Kowalski,  
Speaker

Title: Monday, May 5, 2003