



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 29

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Third Session

Twenty-Sixth Legislature

Thursday, May 10, 2007

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

Members' Statements

Mrs. Ady, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, made a statement regarding Project neuroArm, the world's first MRI-compatible (magnetic resonance imaging) surgical robot for brain surgery, a joint venture between the Calgary Health Region and the University of Calgary led by Dr. Garnette Sutherland.

Mrs. Mather, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, made a statement recognizing Parents Empowering Parents.

Mr. Graydon, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie-Wapiti, made a statement regarding Jeff Toews who was tragically injured while vacationing in Mexico.

Mr. Agnihotri, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement recognizing the Munnky Krunchers, formed by Donna Romanuik, for their efforts in fundraising for multiple sclerosis.

Mr. Ducharme, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake, made a statement regarding the Southesk collection of First Nations and Métis artifacts on display at the Royal Alberta Museum.

Mr. Mason, Hon. Leader of the New Democrat Opposition, made a statement regarding crime prevention strategies.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Martin, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview:

Document dated May 2007 entitled "Speech Given by Mary Ladouceur, Alberta Legislature"

Sessional Paper 410/2007

Mrs. Mather, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods:

Letter, undated, unsigned, from Bruce Magyar of Edmonton to Hon. Ms Tarchuk, Minister of Children's Services, expressing concern regarding the loss of FSCD (Family Supports for Children with Disabilities) funding for his nephew, who suffers from autism

Sessional Paper 411/2007

E-mail message dated May 8, 2007, from Natalie Weller to Mrs. Mather, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, attaching the text of a letter to the Editor of the Daily News, Halifax, undated, regarding untrained individuals seeking positions as early childhood educators

Sessional Paper 412/2007

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

Letter dated May 7, 2007, from Hon. Mr. Knight, Minister of Energy, to Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, responding to Mr. MacDonald's letter of April 30, 2007, seeking information regarding Sessional Paper 250/2007

Sessional Paper 413/2007

Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity:

Report dated December 2004 entitled "Detailed Assessment Audit Manual" prepared by Alberta Municipal Affairs, Assessment Audit Unit, Assessment Services

Sessional Paper 414/2007

Mr. Elsalhy, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung:

Brochure, undated, entitled "Mother Nature is Looking After Me!" prepared by the City of Edmonton

Sessional Paper 415/2007

Information brochure, undated, prepared by the Wildlife Rehabilitation Society of Edmonton

Sessional Paper 416/2007

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

2006 Rental Market Report, Alberta Highlights, prepared by the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Sessional Paper 417/2007

Frontier Centre for Public Policy website article of a speech entitled “How Rent Control Killed Affordable Housing in Winnipeg” given by Dennis Owens on October 9, 2002, in Winnipeg, Manitoba

Sessional Paper 418/2007

Document, undated, entitled “The High Cost of Rent Control”

Sessional Paper 419/2007

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Melchin, Minister of Seniors and Community Supports:

Response to Written Question WQ10, asked for by Dr. Pannu on May 7, 2007:

How many supportive living facilities (including assisted living facilities, lodges, enhanced lodges, seniors complexes, and group homes) and related number of beds were operating in Alberta for each of the fiscal years 2001-02 to 2005-06, and for April 1, 2006, to March 19, 2007, broken down by regional health authority and by whether the facility is owned/operated publicly, privately, or on a voluntary basis?

Sessional Paper 420/2007

Projected Government Business

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(6), Ms Blakeman, 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. Hancock, Government House Leader, gave notice of projected Government Business for the week of May 14 to May 17, 2007:

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| Monday, May 14 | eve. | Government Bills and Orders |
| | | Committee of Supply (Hours 13 to 15) |
| | | Energy; Environment (ND) |
| | | And as per the Order Paper |
| Tuesday, May 15 | aft. | Government Bills and Orders |
| | | Committee of Supply (Hours 16 to 18) |
| | | Municipal Affairs and Housing; Seniors and Community Supports (LIB) |

Government Motions

Motion 20, 21

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading/Committee of the Whole

Bill 31, 32, 33

And as per the Order Paper

eve. **Government Bills and Orders**

Committee of Supply (Hours 19 to 21)

Infrastructure and Transportation;
Employment, Immigration and Industry (LIB)

Government Motions

Motion 20, 21

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading/Committee of the Whole

Bill 31, 32, 33

And as per the Order Paper

Wednesday, May 16 aft. **Government Bills and Orders**

Committee of Supply (Hours 22 to 24)

Children's Services; Seniors and Community
Supports; Education (Cross-ministry: LIB -
1.5 hr., ND - .5 hr., any Member - 1 hr.)

And as per the Order Paper

eve. **Government Bills and Orders**

Committee of Supply (Hours 25 to 27)

Energy, Environment, Health and Wellness
(Cross-ministry: LIB - 1.5 hr., ND - .5 hr., any
Member - 1 hr.)

And as per the Order Paper

Thursday, May 17 aft. **Government Bills and Orders**

Committee of Supply (Hours 28 to 30)

Education; Agriculture and Food (LIB)

Government Motions

Motion 22

Government Bills and Orders

**Second Reading/Committee of the Whole/
Third Reading**

Bill 31, 32, 33

And as per the Order Paper

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 32(2) to shorten the time between division bells from 10 minutes to one minute during Third Reading consideration of Bill 34, Tenancies Statutes Amendment Act, 2007.

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

Bill 34 Tenancies Statutes Amendment Act, 2007 — Hon. Mr. Snelgrove

A debate followed.

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

For the motion: 30

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| Abbott | Ducharme | Lindsay |
| Ady | Evans | Lund |
| Amery | Goudreau | Melchin |
| Calahasen | Hancock | Ouellette |
| Cao | Herard | Pham |
| Cardinal | Horner | Prins |
| Cenaiko | Jablonski | Snelgrove |
| Danyluk | Johnson | Tarchuk |
| DeLong | Johnston | Webber |
| Doerksen | Knight | Zwozdesky |

Against the motion: 6

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| Eggen | Miller (Edmonton-Rutherford) | Pastoor |
| Flaherty | Pannu | Taft |

Second Reading

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

Bill 31 Mental Health Amendment Act, 2007 — Rev. Abbott

Bill 32 Animal Health Act — Hon. Mr. Groeneveld

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, that it be called 6:00 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 4:31 p.m. until Monday, May 14, 2007, at 1:00 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, May 10, 2007