



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

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Twenty-Seventh Legislature

Thursday, February 19, 2009

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Elniski, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder, made a statement recognizing St. John's Ambulance volunteers, and in particular, Melanie Peters and Dean Smith.

Mr. Weadick, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, made a statement regarding the inaugural Alberta 55 Plus Winter Games to be held in Lethbridge from February 19-22, 2009.

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, made a statement regarding the Greater Edmonton Foundation.

Mr. Prins, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka, made a statement recognizing February 2009 as National Psychology Month.

Mr. Webber, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, made a statement recognizing Alberta winter athletes Jan Hudec, Mike Robertson, Jennifer Heil, Kallie Humphries, Melissa Hollingsworth, and John Kucera.

Ms Notley, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona, made a statement regarding climate change policies.

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Denis, Hon. Member for Calgary-Egmont, presented a petition from 80 Albertans urging the Government to introduce amendments to the Health Professions Act that would recognize marriage and family therapists as a regulated profession under that Act.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

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

Bill 14 Carbon Capture and Storage Funding Act (\$) — Hon. Mr. Knight

Notice having been given:

Bill 202 Municipal Government (Municipal Auditor General) Amendment Act, 2009
— Mr. Johnston

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mrs. Klimchuk, Minister of Service Alberta:

Consumer tip sheet dated February 2009 entitled “Utility Sub-meters for Rental Units” prepared by Service Alberta

Sessional Paper 41/2009

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, on behalf of Dr. Swann, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

FPIInfomart.ca web site reprint of a Cochrane Times letter to the Editor article dated February 18, 2009, from Truper McBride, Mayor of Cochrane, to Hon. Mr. Liepert, Minister of Health and Wellness, expressing opposition to the removal of radiology services from Cochrane

Sessional Paper 42/2009

Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar on behalf of Dr. Swann, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

Letter, undated, from “Albertan students and their families” to Members of the Legislative Assembly regarding the rising costs of post-secondary education

Sessional Paper 43/2009

Ms Notley, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona:

5 photographs from a National Geographic article dated March 2009 entitled “The Canadian Oil Boom”

Sessional Paper 44/2009

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 week the Assembly next sits.

Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, gave notice of projected Government Business for the week of March 2 to March 5, 2009:

Monday, March 2	Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne (Day 5 of 10) And as per the Order Paper
Tuesday, March 3	Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne (Day 6 of 10) Government Bills and Orders Second Reading Bill 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 Committee of the Whole Bill 2, 5 Third Reading Bill 1 And as per the Order Paper
Wednesday, March 4	Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne (Day 7 of 10) Government Bills and Orders Committee of Supply Supplementary Supply Estimates (Day 1 of 1) And as per the Order Paper

Thursday, March 5

**Address in Reply to the Speech from the
Throne (Day 8 of 10)**

Government Bills and Orders

Committee of Supply

Interim Supply Estimates
(Day 1 of 2)

And as per the Order Paper

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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

Moved by Mr. Johnston and seconded by Mrs. McQueen:

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

To His Honour the Honourable Norman L. Kwong, CM, AOE, 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.

Debate adjourned.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(6) and on motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 4:29 p.m. until Monday, March 2, 2009, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, February 19, 2009