



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 24

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Seventh Legislature

Wednesday, April 15, 2009

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Sandhu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement regarding axle weight restrictions for vehicles.

Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, made a statement regarding the 2009 budget.

Mr. Elniski, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder, made a statement regarding Angel Flights Alberta and its founder, Dr. Kerry Pawluski.

Ms Woo-Paw, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay, made a statement regarding Barbara Bannon, principal, Olympic Heights Elementary School, on being recognized as a Woman of Vision by Global TV and congratulating the Calgary Board of Education on receiving the EcoLogo Environmental Stewardship Award.

Mrs. Sarich, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, made a statement congratulating the Royal Tyrrell Museum's Distance Learning Program on winning a national award from the Canadian Museums Association.

Mrs. Leskiw, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake, made a statement regarding funding provided by the government for several Affordable Supportive Living Initiative projects in Cold Lake.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 205 Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure (Third Party Advertising)
Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Anderson

Tabling Returns and Reports

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

Copies of invoices dated October 17, November 12, and December 5, 2008, issued by J.L. Saunders and Associates Inc. to Alberta Health Services for consulting fees

Sessional Paper 197/2009

Copy of an agreement, undated, between East Central Health and J.L. Saunders and Associates Inc. regarding the provision of management services

Sessional Paper 198/2009

Letter dated July 22, 2008, from Charlotte Robb, Interim Chief Executive Officer, Alberta Health Services, to Hon. Mr. Liepert, Minister of Health and Wellness, with attached letter dated June 25, 2008, from Charlotte Robb to Ms Paddy Meade, Deputy Minister, Alberta Health and Wellness, regarding an offer of employment

Sessional Paper 199/2009

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

physiotherapy.ca web site article, undated, entitled “National Physiotherapy Month” listing four areas of physiotherapy practice

Sessional Paper 200/2009

2 e-mail messages, the first dated April 10, 2009, from Marcus Peterson of Edmonton to several Members of the Legislative Assembly, and the second from Nicole Hankel dated April 13, 2009, to undisclosed recipients expressing opposition to the delisting of gender reassignment surgery

Sessional Paper 201/2009

Tablings to the Clerk

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

Response to Written Question WQ5, asked for by Mr. Mason on April 6, 2009:

What was the number of physicians working in Alberta towns for each of the fiscal years 2005/2006 to 2007/2008?

Sessional Paper 202/2009

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Committee of Supply (Main Estimates)

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

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker assumed the Chair and Mrs. Leskiw reported as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

The Committee of Supply has had under consideration certain resolutions of Executive Council, reports progress thereon, and requests leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to table copies of all amendments proposed during Committee of Supply consideration of the Estimates of Executive Council:

Amendment to the Estimates of Executive Council (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview on behalf of the Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition) — Debate adjourned

Sessional Paper 203/2009

Amendment to the Estimates of Executive Council (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview on behalf of the Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition) — Debate adjourned

Sessional Paper 204/2009

The question being put, the report and the request for leave to sit again were agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until Thursday, April 16, 2009, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, April 15, 2009