



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 52

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Seventh Legislature

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Thursday, October 29, 2009

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

### **Members' Statements**

Mr. Johnson, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Redwater, made a statement regarding a visit by the Government Caucus to Canadian Forces Base Edmonton on October 22, 2009.

Mr. Denis, Hon. Member for Calgary-Egmont, made a statement regarding the Energy Efficiency Rebate program.

Mr. Kang, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, made a statement regarding doda, an addictive opiate substance.

Mr. Berger, Hon. Member for Livingstone-Macleod, made a statement regarding the Pincher Creek Community Health Centre.

Mr. Quest, Hon. Member for Strathcona, made a statement regarding the Adult Guardianship and Trusteeship Act.

Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood, made a statement regarding the nursing shortage in Alberta.

## **Presenting Petitions**

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie, presented a petition from over 1,200 Albertans petitioning the Legislative Assembly to vote against Bill 50 (Electric Statutes Amendment Act, 2009).

Mr. Amery, Hon. Member for Calgary-East, presented a petition from 105 Albertans petitioning the Legislative Assembly to pass legislation to de-insure abortion in Alberta.

## **Introduction of Bills (First Reading)**

Notice having been given:

Bill 56 Alberta Investment Management Corporation Amendment Act, 2009 —  
Hon. Mr. Hancock on behalf of Hon. Ms Evans

Bill 57 Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Weadick

Bill 58 Corrections Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Griffiths

Bill 60 Health Professions Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Quest

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the following Bills were placed on the Order Paper under Government Bills and Orders:

Bill 57 Court of Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Weadick

Bill 58 Corrections Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Griffiths

Bill 60 Health Professions Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Quest

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Blackett, Minister of Culture and Community Spirit:

Pursuant to the Alberta Foundation for the Arts Act, cA-19, s14(2), Alberta  
Foundation for the Arts, Annual Report 2008-09

Sessional Paper 537/2009

Pursuant to the Historical Resources Act, cH-9, s47, Alberta Historical Resources  
Foundation, 2008-09 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 538/2009

Pursuant to the Historical Resources Act, cH-9, s15(2), Historical Resources  
Fund, 2008-09 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 539/2009

Pursuant to the Wild Rose Foundation Act, cW-8, s7(3), Wild Rose Foundation,  
Annual Report 2008-09

Sessional Paper 540/2009

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

9 recent e-mail messages from Calgary residents to Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, Hon. Mr. Hancock, Minister of Education, and Hon. Mr. Stelmach, Premier, expressing opposition to funding cuts for schools

Sessional Paper 542/2009

E-mail message dated August 30, 2009, from Leslie Zydek of Edmonton to Mr. Lukaszuk, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs, attaching the text of a letter sent to Hon. Mr. Hancock, Minister of Education, requesting the government honour the agreement to increase teachers' salaries by 5.99%

Sessional Paper 543/2009

E-mail message dated September 10, 2009, from Joan Farkas of Calgary to Hon. Mr. Stelmach, Premier, expressing opposition to rising school fees and to funding cuts to education, and health and social services

Sessional Paper 544/2009

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre:

Report, undated, entitled "Dashed Dreams, New Realities, Calgarians Talk Frankly About the Impact of the Economic Downturn" prepared by Alberta Global Forum, University of Calgary, Calgary Counselling Centre, Calgary Foundation, Canada West Foundation, and Sheldon Chumir Foundation for Ethics in Leadership

Sessional Paper 545/2009

Pamphlet, undated, entitled "65th Anniversary, Ukrainian Museum of Canada of the Ukrainian Women's Association of Canada, Alberta Branch, 1944-2009"

Sessional Paper 546/2009

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

Letter dated August 25, 2009, from Dr. Clark Mills, President, Alberta College and Association of Chiropractors, to Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, expressing opposition to the de-listing of chiropractic services

Sessional Paper 547/2009

Letter dated August 20, 2009, from Chris Sheard, Interim Chair, Capital Region Board, to Hon. Mr. Ouellette, Minister of Transportation, and Hon. Mr. Hayden, Minister of Infrastructure, expressing support for the GreenTRIP program and requesting the government make the program a priority

Sessional Paper 548/2009

Dr. Taft, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

Report dated July 31, 2007, entitled "EDM - Adult Critical Care Triage and Resource Allocation Protocol for Pandemic Influenza" prepared by Hamilton Health Sciences

Sessional Paper 549/2009

## **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Goudreau, Minister of Employment and Immigration, pursuant to the Government Organization Act, cG-10, sch10, s10(3):

Alberta College and Association of Chiropractors, Radiation Health Administrative Organization, Annual Report for the Year End June 30, 2009, with attached Financial Statements of the Alberta College and Association of Chiropractors dated June 30, 2009

Sessional Paper 550/2009

Alberta Dental Association and College, 2006 Radiation Health and Safety Program, Annual Report, January 1, 2008 - December 31, 2008, with attached Financial Statements of the Alberta Dental Association and College Radiation Administration Program dated December 31, 2008

Sessional Paper 551/2009

Alberta Veterinary Medical Association Radiation Protection Program, 2008 Annual Report, with attached Auditor's Report on Radiation Protection Program - Schedule of Funds Received and Disbursed and Cash Balance

Sessional Paper 552/2009

College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta, Radiation Health Administrative Organization, Annual Report for the period of April 1, 2008 - December 31, 2008

Sessional Paper 553/2009

University of Alberta, Authorized Radiation Health Administrative Organization, Annual Report 2008-2009

Sessional Paper 554/2009

University of Calgary, Radiation Health Administration Organization, Annual Report for the period April 1, 2008, to March 31, 2009, with attached Financial Statements for the Year Ended March 31, 2009

Sessional Paper 555/2009

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Goudreau, Minister of Employment and Immigration, pursuant to the Regulated Forestry Profession Act, cR-13, s4(2):

College of Alberta Professional Forest Technologists, Annual Report 2008

Sessional Paper 556/2009

## **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 following week.

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

Tuesday, November 3

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Second Reading**

Bill 46, 48, 49, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60

#### **Committee of the Whole**

Bill 31, 46, 48, 49

And as per the Order Paper

Wednesday, November 4

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Second Reading**

Bill 53, 54

#### **Committee of the Whole**

Bill 55

#### **Third Reading**

Bill 46, 48, 49

And as per the Order Paper

Thursday, November 5

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Second Reading**

Bill 56

#### **Committee of the Whole**

Bill 53, 54, 56

#### **Third Reading**

Bill 31, 53, 54, 55

And as per the Order Paper

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Government Motions**

**16.** Moved by Hon. Ms Evans:

Be it resolved that the Assembly approve in general the issue of Alberta Capital Bonds by the Government in support of the development of public infrastructure projects and facilities.

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Dr. Brown speaking.

### **Adjournment**

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 4:30 p.m. until Monday, November 2, 2009, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Ken Kowalski,  
Speaker

Title: Thursday, October 29, 2009