



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 56

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Seventh Legislature

Thursday, November 5, 2009

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Hehr, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, made a statement recognizing Remembrance Day, November 11, 2009.

Mr. Elniski, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder, made a statement recognizing November 1-7, 2009, as National Down Syndrome Awareness Week, and regarding Tanya Ponich for her support and advocacy for individuals with Down Syndrome.

Mr. Drysdale, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie-Wapiti, made a statement regarding the Vancouver 2010 Olympic Torch Relay which will pass through Alberta on November 6, 2009, and again from January 13-21, 2010.

Ms Woo-Paw, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay, made a statement regarding civic participation and Canadian citizenship.

Ms Calahasen, Hon. Member for Lesser Slave Lake, made a statement regarding the centennial of the community of Grouard.

Ms Notley, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona, made a statement regarding education funding.

Presenting Petitions

Mr. Amery, Hon. Member for Calgary-East, presented a petition from 74 Calgary residents urging the Government to grandfather the rights and status of all currently-practising Registered Massage Therapists in Alberta in a manner that they may continue their practice undisturbed and, when necessary, gradually upgrade to newly-proclaimed standards of training, so as not to force current therapists to lose their ongoing income whilst upgrading and so to ensure that clients of said therapists will be able to use their insurance coverage in order to pay for massage services from current therapists.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie:

Research paper dated November 2, 2009, entitled “Transmission Policy in Alberta and Bill 50” prepared by the University of Calgary School of Public Policy
Sessional Paper 576/2009

Hon. Mrs. Ady, Minister of Tourism, Parks and Recreation:

Travel Alberta Stay magazine for the period from October 29, 2009, to April 30, 2010
Sessional Paper 577/2009

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

Letter dated July 27, 2009, from Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, to Bev Esslinger, Board Chair, Edmonton Public School Board of Trustees, regarding Edmonton Public School’s Ten-Year Facilities Plan, 2009-2018
Sessional Paper 578/2009

Mrs. Sarich, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore:

Report entitled “Speak Out, Alberta Student Engagement Initiative, Year in Review 2008-09” prepared by Alberta Education
Sessional Paper 579/2009

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Lindsay, Solicitor General and Minister of Public Security:

Responses to questions raised by Mr. Hehr, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, Dr. Brown, Hon. Member for Calgary-Nose Hill, Ms Woo-Paw, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay, Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood, and Mr. Kang, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, on May 6, 2009, Department of Solicitor General and Public Security Main Estimates debate
Sessional Paper 580/2009

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Stelmach, Premier:

Return to Order of the Assembly MR4, asked for by Ms Notley on behalf of Mr. Mason on April 20, 2009:

Copies of the current job descriptions for *the following* positions in the Public Affairs Bureau: *Directors, Directors of Communications, Executive Directors, and the Managing Director.*

Sessional Paper 581/2009

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 November 16 to November 19, 2009:

Monday, November 16	Eve.	- Government Bills and Orders Second Reading Bill 51, 53 Committee of the Whole Bill 48, 54, 55, 56 Third Reading Bill 46 And as per the Order Paper
Tuesday, November 17	Aft.	- Government Bills and Orders Second Reading Bill 50 And as per the Order Paper
	Eve.	- Government Bills and Orders Second Reading Bill 57, 58 Committee of the Whole Bill 51, 53 Third Reading Bill 48, 54, 55, 56 And as per the Order Paper

Wednesday, November 18	Aft.	- Government Bills and Orders Second Reading Bill 50 And as per the Order Paper
	Eve.	- Government Bills and Order Second Reading Bill 59, 60, 61 Committee of the Whole Bill 57, 58 Third Reading Bill 51, 53 As per the Order Paper
Thursday, November 19	Aft.	- Government Bills and Orders Committee of the Whole Bill 50 And as per the Order Paper

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 56 Alberta Investment Management Corporation Amendment Act, 2009 —
Hon. Ms Evans

A debate followed.

Mr. MacDonald moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

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

Bill 51 Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 2009 — Hon. Mr. Hancock on
behalf of Hon. Ms Redford

Bill 54 Personal Information Protection Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Denis

Bill 55 Senatorial Selection Amendment Act, 2009 — Hon. Mr. Webber

Committee of the Whole

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

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 46 Gunshot and Stab Wound Mandatory Disclosure Act — Mr. Quest

Third Reading

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 31 Rules of Court Statutes Amendment Act, 2009 — Mr. Denis

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(6), and on motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 4:28 p.m. until Monday, November 16, 2009, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, November 5, 2009