



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 7

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

Twenty-Seventh Legislature

Thursday, March 3, 2011

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

Speaker's Statement - Members' Anniversaries

The Speaker made a statement in recognition of the third anniversary of two Members of the Legislative Assembly being re-elected and 31 Members being elected to the Legislative Assembly of Alberta on March 3, 2008, and the 19th anniversary of Mr. McFarland, Hon. Member for Little Bow, being elected on March 5, 1992.

Members' Statements

Mr. Jacobs, Hon. Member for Cardston-Taber-Warner, made a statement congratulating the University of Lethbridge on winning a gold medal at the 2010 International Genetically Engineered Machine competition.

Mr. Hehr, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, made a statement regarding the Picture This International Disability Film Festival held in Calgary in February 2011.

Mrs. Leskiw, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake, made a statement regarding Alberta's Prevention of Bullying Youth Committee.

Mr. VanderBurg, Hon. Member for Whitecourt-Ste. Anne, made a statement regarding the Fallen Four Memorial community candle lighting ceremony being held in Mayerthorpe on March 3, 2011.

Mr. Bhullar, Hon. Member for Calgary-Montrose, made a statement regarding charter schools.

Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood, made a statement regarding oil sands royalties and the government's 2011 budget.

Mrs. Sarich, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, made a statement regarding the Alberta Mentoring Partnership.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Allred, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

40 postcards from St. Albert residents requesting that the constitutional guarantee of Catholic education be preserved in the new education act and that the government provide adequate, predictable, and sustainable funding for education without dependency on fundraising by parents or children

Sessional Paper 41/2011

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

3 e-mail messages from Laurie Chandler, Canadian Strategy Group, and Kim Shula, Alberta Health Services, to Dr. Taft, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, and Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, regarding invitations to meet with Alberta Health Services officials

Sessional Paper 42/2011

Canadian Strategy Group web site article providing background information on Hal Danchilla, Principal and founder, Canadian Strategy Group

Sessional Paper 43/2011

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

25 recent e-mail messages from North Americans to Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, expressing opposition to proposed logging and off-road vehicle use in the Castle Special Management Area

Sessional Paper 44/2011

Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Minister of Health and Wellness:

Series of recent e-mail messages between Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Minister of Health and Wellness, and Dr. Robert Burns, Vancouver Island Health Authority, regarding recent allegations made by Dr. Sherman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark

Sessional Paper 45/2011

Projected Government Business

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(6), Dr. Taft, Acting 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 March 7 to March 10, 2011:

Tuesday, March 8

Address in Reply to the Speech From the Throne (Day 7 of 10)

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

Bill 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10

Committee of the Whole

Bill 9

And as per the Order Paper

Wednesday, March 9

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

Government Bills and Orders

Committee of Supply

Energy

And as per the Order Paper

Thursday, March 10

Address in Reply to the Speech From the Throne (Day 9 of 10)

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

Bill 1, 10

Committee of the Whole

Bill 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

Third Reading

Bill 9

And as per the Order Paper

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

The following Bill was read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 9 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2011 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Snelgrove

Consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech (Day 5)

Moved by Mr. Drysdale and seconded by Mr. Bhullar:

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

To His Honour Colonel (Retired) the Honourable Donald S. Ethell, OC, OMM, AOE, MSC, CD, LLD, 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.

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

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 1 Asia Advisory Council Act — Hon. Mr. Stelmach

A debate followed.

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, that it be called 4:30 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 4:29 p.m. until Monday, March 7, 2011, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, March 3, 2011