

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 25

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Fourth Session

Twenty-Seventh Legislature

Tuesday, April 19, 2011

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

### **Members' Statements**

Mr. Elniski, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder, made a statement recognizing Don Hamilton, Chair, Air Spray Ltd., who will be inducted into the Canadian Aviation Hall of Fame on May 26, 2011.

Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Airdrie-Chestermere, made a statement regarding the government's refusal to call for a judicial public inquiry into allegations of physician intimidation.

Ms Woo-Paw, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay, made a statement regarding the Alberta School Councils' Association.

Mr. Dallas, Hon. Member for Red Deer-South, made a statement regarding the Energy Efficiency Rebate Program sponsored by the government in partnership with Climate Change Central.

Mrs. McQueen, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Calmar, made a statement regarding support for Bill 10, Alberta Land Stewardship Amendment Act, 2011.

Mr. Hehr, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo, made a statement regarding education funding shortfalls.

#### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

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

Responses to questions raised by Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, on March 23, 2011, department of Culture and Community Spirit, Main Estimates debate

Sessional Paper 266/2011

Mr. Mitzel, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat:

Letter dated April 11, 2011, from Beverly F. Downie of Medicine Hat to Mr. Mitzel, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat, regarding chronic cerebrospinal venous insufficiency treatment for multiple sclerosis, with attached petition signed by 24 Medicine Hat residents urging the government to expedite approval of the liberation treatment

Sessional Paper 267/2011

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

25 recent e-mail messages from North Americans to Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, urging the protection of the Castle Special Management Area Sessional Paper 268/2011

Mr. Chase, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, on behalf of Dr. Swann, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

Court of Queen's Bench Amended Statement of Claim dated January 29, 2010, between Dr. Michel D. Sauvé and Michel D. Sauvé Professional Corporation and Northern Lights Health Region, Northern Lights Regional Health Services, Northern Lights Regional Health Centre, Alberta Health Services, Dr. Cheri Nijssen-Jordan, C. Nijssen-Jordan Professional Corporation, Dr. Kevin Worry, Kevin Worry Professional Corporation, Dr. Brent Friesen, Brent Friesen Professional Corporation, Dr. Surinder Khinda, Surinder Khinda Professional Corporation, Dr. Reeda Buni, John Doe, Jane Doe, ABC #1 Corporation, and ABC #2 Corporation

#### Sessional Paper 269/2011

Series of 11 letters dated from August 22, 2003, to April 19, 2004, between Dr. I. Chohan of Edmonton and Dr. K. Gardener, Vice President, Medical Affairs, Capital Health Authority, Sheila Weatherill, President and CEO, Capital Health Authority, and Neil Wilkinson, Chair, Capital Health Authority Board, regarding several workplace concerns and suggesting the need for a full independent investigation according to governing rules and regulations

Sessional Paper 270/2011

Calgary Herald article reprint dated April 15, 2011, entitled "Alberta Health has growing track record of ignoring auditor general"

Sessional Paper 271/2011

Hon. Mr. Liepert, Minister of Energy:

News release dated April 6, 2011, entitled "Royalty Redux: Land Use Plan Already an Economic Disaster" prepared by the Wildrose Alliance

Sessional Paper 272/2011

E-mail message dated April 7, 2011, from Jay O'Neill to Hon. Mr. Liepert, Minister of Energy, attaching the text of an online web blog by Dan Healing dated April 6, 2011, entitled "Wildrose numbers add up to trouble"

Sessional Paper 273/2011

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Letter dated March 24, 2011, from Ken Hughes, Chair, Alberta Health Services Board, to Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, responding to comments made in the Assembly by Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Airdrie-Chestermere, on March 23, 2011, and by Dr. Swann, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, on March 22 and 23, 2011, concerning Alberta Health Services staff Sessional Paper 274/2011

#### **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Dr. Sherman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark:

Association of American Physicians and Surgeons web site article dated March 24, 2011, entitled "Sham Peer Review: A National Epidemic" Sessional Paper 275/2011

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mrs. Klimchuk, Minister of Service Alberta:

Letter dated March 30, 2011, from Hon. Mrs. Klimchuk, Minister of Service Alberta, to Mr. McFarland, Chair, Standing Committee on Health, responding to the Review of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, dated November 2010

Sessional Paper 276/2011

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Knight, Minister of Sustainable Resource Development:

Response to Written Question WQ11, asked for by Ms Blakeman on March 21, 2011:

How many times and under what circumstances has the Lieutenant Governor in Council authorized expropriation of land under section 9(2)(h) of the Alberta Land Stewardship Act?

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## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### Committee of Supply (Main Estimates)

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

(Assembly in Committee)

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

Mr. Speaker:

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

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

#### Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Hancock, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until Wednesday, April 20, 2011, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Ken Kowalski, Speaker

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