



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 6

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Eighth Legislature

Tuesday, March 11, 2014

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

Speaker's Statement – Members' Anniversaries

The Speaker made a statement in recognition of the 17th anniversary of the election of the Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, the Hon. Member for Calgary-Fort, and the Hon. Deputy Premier and Minister of Innovation and Advanced Education, who were elected to the Legislative Assembly of Alberta on March 11, 1997.

Members' Statements

Mr. Dorward, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, made a statement regarding his Kids Cancer Care fundraising and his hair donation at l'école Gabrielle-Roy on March 12, 2014.

Mr. McAllister, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View, made a statement expressing concern regarding the new education curriculum and recognizing the efforts of Dr. Tran-Davies, who has started a petition to return to classroom basics.

Ms DeLong, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bow, made a statement regarding the increases for several programs and services for seniors in Budget 2014.

Mr. Casey, Hon. Member for Banff-Cochrane, made a statement recognizing March 10 to 16, 2014, as Canadian Agricultural Safety Week.

Mr. Goudreau, Hon. Member for Dunvegan-Central Peace-Notley, made a statement thanking the ATCO Electric crews who restored power to customers in north and east central Alberta following an extreme storm in January 2014.

Mr. Stier, Hon. Member for Livingstone-Macleod, made a statement regarding the difficulties in getting a diagnosis and treatment in Alberta for Lyme Disease.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Oberle, Minister of Aboriginal Relations:

Letter dated February 6, 2014, from Marie Martens of Fort Vermilion to Hon. Mr. Oberle, Minister of Aboriginal Relations, expressing concern regarding staffing budget cuts to La Crete Long Term Care Centre and attaching a list of signatures of concerned citizens

Sessional Paper 34/2014

Mr. Eggen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder:

Copies of postcards from Albertans to Hon. Mr. Lukaszuk, former Deputy Premier, regarding post-secondary education cuts

Sessional Paper 35/2014

Document dated February 19, 2014, entitled "Curriculum Redesign, Alberta Education's Curriculum Development Prototyping Partners," prepared by the Alberta Government

Sessional Paper 36/2014

Mr. Hehr, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo:

Document dated December 2013 entitled "Alberta's Electricity Market" prepared by the Alberta Electric System Operator, relating to comments made by Mr. Hehr during Oral Question Period on March 11, 2014

Sessional Paper 37/2014

Mr. Strankman, Hon. Member for Drumheller-Stettler:

Copies of receipts and photographs relating to comments made by Mr. Strankman during Oral Question Period on March 11, 2014

Sessional Paper 38/2014

Ms Kubinec, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock:

Letter dated March 6, 2014, from Lorne Hickey, Reeve, Lethbridge County, to Ms Kubinec, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock, expressing Lethbridge County's support for Bill 201, Agricultural Pests (Fusarium Head Blight) Amendment Act, 2014

Sessional Paper 39/2014

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

Letter dated December 9, 2013, from the Innisfail Middle School Grade 6 Team to the elected representatives of the people of Alberta expressing their dismay in the behaviour and lack of respect shown by Members of the Legislative Assembly in the Legislature and advising that they will no longer allow their students to observe Members in the Chamber

Sessional Paper 40/2014

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Procedural letter 2014, Second Session, 28th Legislature, dated February 11, 2014, from Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, to all Members of the Legislative Assembly, referenced by the Speaker in the Assembly on March 10, 2014

Sessional Paper 41/2014

Notice of Motion – Privilege

Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood, gave oral notice of his intention to raise a purported question of privilege under Standing Order 15 regarding comments made by Hon. Ms Kennedy-Glans, Associate Minister – Electricity and Renewable Energy, which could constitute a threat to opposition Members.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 5 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

A debate followed.

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

Government Motions

11. Moved by Hon. Mr. Horner:

Be it resolved that the Assembly approve in general the business plans and fiscal policies of the Government.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Denis 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 4 Estate Administration Act — Ms Kubinec

A debate followed.

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

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 Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bills were reported:

Bill 1 Savings Management Act (\$) — Hon. Ms Redford

Bill 2 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

Bill 3 Securities Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Horner

Second Reading

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

Bill 5 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Denis, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:16 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 2014 — 7:30 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 4 Estate Administration Act — Ms Kubinec

Consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech

(Day 4)

Moved by Ms Kubinec and seconded by Mr. McDonald:

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. Denis moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Olson, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 8:31 p.m. until Wednesday, March 12, 2014, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Gene Zwozdesky,
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, March 11, 2014