

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 18

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Eighth Legislature

Tuesday, April 15, 2014

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Sandhu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement regarding the Vaisakhi Day celebration held in the Legislature Rotunda on April 15, 2014.

Mr. McAllister, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View, made a statement regarding the new education curriculum and requesting that the Government provide teachers with the resources necessary to teach children fundamental math skills.

Dr. Brown, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay-Nose Hill, made a statement recognizing Family and Community Support Services and acknowledging the need for additional funding.

Ms DeLong, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bow, made a statement regarding Budget 2014, Alberta's international offices, and their role in attracting international investment and building new markets.

Mrs. Fritz, Hon. Member for Calgary-Cross, made a statement regarding the 2014 Alberta Schools Athletic Association Provincial Championship for wrestling held in Calgary on March 7 and 8, 2014.

Ms Smith, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, made a statement regarding Government bureaucracy affecting the rebuilding of High River following the June 2013 flood.

Speaker's Statement – House Rules

The Speaker made a statement regarding Oral Question Period rules, questions to Chairs of Standing Committees, and rules and protocols regarding the use of electronic devices in the House.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Bilous, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview, on behalf of Mr. Eggen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Calder:

Copies of 50 postcards from Albertans to Hon. Mr. Lukaszuk, former Deputy Premier, regarding post-secondary education funding cuts

Sessional Paper 132/2014

Mrs. Towle, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, on behalf of Mr. Donovan, Hon. Member for Little Bow:

Copy of a petition signed by residents of the Town of Coalhurst requesting the Government of Alberta make improvements to the Highway No. 3 intersection to Coalhurst

Sessional Paper 133/2014

Letter, undated, from Taylor Hewlett and Jake vanschothorst to Dennis Cassie, Major Town of Coalhurst administration office, Ken Benson, Division 4 Council, Lethbridge County, and Mr. Donovan, Hon. Member for Little Bow, attaching a petition signed by residents of the Town of Coalhurst requesting the Government of Alberta make improvements to the Highway No. 3 intersection to Coalhurst

Sessional Paper 134/2014

Tablings to the Clerk

Acting Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Horner, President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance, pursuant to the Provincial Judges and Masters in Chambers Registered and Unregistered Pension Plans Regulation, AR 196/2001, sch1, s5(1) and sch2, s5(1):

2012-2013 Provincial Judges and Masters in Chambers Registered and Unregistered Pension Plans: Annual Report

Sessional Paper 135/2014

Acting Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Griffiths, Minister of Service Alberta:

Responses to Written Questions WQ16, WQ17, WQ18, and WQ29 asked for by Mr. Kang on April 14, 2014:

WQ16. How many home inspection businesses or individual inspectors for resale properties were operating in Alberta when the Home Inspection Business Regulation came into force on September 1, 2011, and how many are operating in Alberta as of January 1, 2014?

WQ17. Since the Home Inspection Business Regulation came into force on September 1, 2011, how many complaints has Service Alberta received about home inspection businesses or individual inspectors for resale properties as of January 1, 2014?

WQ18. Since the Home Inspection Business Regulation came into force on September 1, 2011, how many home inspection businesses or individual inspectors for resale properties have had their licences revoked by Service Alberta as of January 1, 2014?

WQ29. How many people have visited the Alberta Open Data Portal since it was launched in May 2013, and what was the most searched item?

Sessional Paper 136/2014

Speaker's Statement - Famous Five Exhibit

The Speaker made a statement announcing the installation of an enhanced exhibit in the Legislature Building as a tribute to the accomplishments of the Famous Five.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 59.01(5)(b), the Assembly adjourned at 2:58 p.m. until Wednesday, April 16, 2014, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Gene Zwozdesky, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, April 14, 2014