

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 20

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Eighth Legislature

Thursday, April 17, 2014

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

# **Members' Statements**

Mrs. Sarich, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, made a statement recognizing the 100th anniversary of Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry.

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, made a statement regarding Law Day, which commemorates the signing of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms on April 17, 1982, and recognizing April 19, 2014, as the 98th anniversary of women's suffrage in Alberta.

Mr. Young, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, made a statement regarding the Alzheimer's Face Off hockey tournament, a fundraiser that took place in Leduc from April 11 to 13, 2014.

Mr. VanderBurg, Hon. Member for Whitecourt-Ste. Anne, made a statement recognizing April 2014 as the Canadian Cancer Society's Daffodil Month.

Mrs. Towle, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, made a statement regarding the use of the Supports Intensity Scale to determine support needs of persons with developmental disabilities.

Mr. Khan, Hon. Member for St. Albert, made a statement regarding chronic fatigue syndrome and the need for Alberta Health Services to expand its support for those suffering from chronic fatigue syndrome.

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

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

Copy of a petition signed by 156 Edmonton residents from the Heritage Senior Stop-In Centre requesting that the Government not change seniors' pharmacy benefits under the Alberta Health Care system

Sessional Paper 154/2014

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

Sessional Paper 155/2014

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre:

Copy of a petition signed by 231 Albertans requesting that the Government pass legislation that will ensure any changes to the Local Authorities Pension Plan or the Public Service Pension Plan are the result of negotiations between the Government and affected employees

Sessional Paper 156/2014

Municipal Connection newsletter dated April 17, 2014, prepared by the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association

Sessional Paper 157/2014

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

## **Government Bills and Orders**

#### Second Reading

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

Bill 8 Appropriation Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

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

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

Bill 9 Public Sector Pension Plans Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Horner

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

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

Bill 10 Employment Pension (Private Sector) Plans Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Horner

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

#### **Third Reading**

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

Bill 6 New Home Buyer Protection Amendment Act, 2014 — Minister of Municipal Affairs

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

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

Bill 7 Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

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

#### Second Reading

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

Bill 8 Appropriation Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(3), at 4:15 p.m. the Deputy Speaker interrupted the proceedings and immediately put the question on the Appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper for Second Reading.

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

Bill 8 Appropriation Act, 2014 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Horner

## Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Orders 3(3) and 4(2), and on motion by Hon. Mr. Olson, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 4:16 p.m. until Tuesday, April 22, 2014, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Gene Zwozdesky, Speaker

Title: Thursday, April 17, 2014