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**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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Tuesday, May 6, 2014

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

**Members' Statements**

Mrs. Leskiw, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake, made a statement regarding the Alberta Education Task Force for Teaching Excellence report, released on May 5, 2014.

Mr. Anglin, Hon. Member for Rimbey-Rocky Mountain House-Sundre, made a statement regarding the sale of AltaLink by SNC-Lavalin to Berkshire Hathaway Energy.

Mr. Sandhu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement expressing concern regarding the mental health system in Alberta.

Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood, made a statement regarding the Government's attack on public sector employees, including pensions and freedom of speech.

Mr. Luan, Hon. Member for Calgary-Hawkwood, made a statement regarding labour shortages in Alberta and asking all Members of the Legislative Assembly to urge the Government to develop a comprehensive provincial solution.

Mr. Barnes, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat, made a statement recognizing May 4 to 11, 2014, as Family Caregiver Week.

## **Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees**

Mr. Xiao, Chair, Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills has had certain Bills under consideration and reports as follows:

The Committee recommends that the following Private Bills proceed:

Bill Pr1 Rosebud School of the Arts Amendment Act, 2014 — Mr. Hale

Bill Pr2 Maskwachees Cultural College Amendment Act, 2014 —  
Ms Calahasen

Concurrence of the Assembly was requested with respect to the report.

The question being put, concurrence in the report was granted.

## **Introduction of Bills (First Reading)**

Notice having been given:

Bill 13 Condominium Property Amendment Act, 2014 — Ms Olesen

On motion by Hon. Mr. Olson, Deputy Government House Leader, the following Bill was placed on the Order Paper under Government Bills and Orders:

Bill 13 Condominium Property Amendment Act, 2014 — Ms Olesen

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Hon. Mr. Rodney, Associate Minister – Wellness, on behalf of Hon. Mr. Horne, Minister of Health, pursuant to the Health Professions Act, cH-7, s4(2):

College of Dental Technologists of Alberta, 2012 Annual Report  
Sessional Paper 191/2014

College of Registered Psychiatric Nurses of Alberta, Annual Report 2013  
Sessional Paper 192/2014

Mr. Bilous, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview, on behalf of Mr. Mason, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood:

Copy of a petition signed by 1,514 Albertans urging the Government to pass legislation that will ensure that any changes to the Local Authorities Pension Plan or the Public Service Pension Plan are the result of negotiations between Government and affected employees

Sessional Paper 193/2014

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

Sessional Paper 194/2014

Dr. Swann, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View:

Letter dated April 29, 2014, from Barb Joyner, Acting Director, Information and Privacy Office, Human Services, to Dr. Sherman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark, attaching records with respect to Dr. Sherman's Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act request for a copy of all contracts between Human Services and Navigator Ltd., relating to comments made by Dr. Sherman during Oral Question Period on May 6, 2014

Sessional Paper 195/2014

Document dated April 2012 entitled "Alberta Public Affairs Bureau communications job descriptions"

Sessional Paper 196/2014

Letter dated April 29, 2014, from John McDonald, Executive Director and Regional Vice-President, CNIB Alberta and Northwest Territories, to Dr. Swann, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, regarding May being Vision Health Month and containing facts about vision health and vision loss

Sessional Paper 197/2014

Letter dated May 1, 2014, from Paul Douglas, President and Chief Executive Officer, PCL Constructors Inc., David Claggett, President, Kiewit Energy Canada Co., Wayne Shaw, President, Flint Infrastructure Services Ltd., Bill Elkington, CEO, JV Driver Group, Stephen Kushner, President, Merit Contractors Association, and Don Breen, President, Ledcor Industrial Limited, to Hon. Mr. Lukaszuk, Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, expressing concern regarding the Government's intention to move forward with recommendations provided in the report entitled "Alberta Construction Labour Legislation," prepared by Andrew Sims

Sessional Paper 198/2014

Letter dated May 1, 2014, from Walter Wise, General President, International Association of Bridge, Structural, Ornamental and Reinforcing Iron Workers, to Hon. Mr. Lukaszuk, Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, expressing concern regarding the Government's intention to move forward with recommendations provided in the report entitled "Alberta Construction Labour Legislation," prepared by Andrew Sims

Sessional Paper 199/2014

Letter dated May 1, 2014, from Stephen Kushner, President, Merit Contractors Association, to Hon. Mr. Lukaszuk, Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, expressing concern regarding the Government's intention to move forward with recommendations provided in the report entitled "Alberta Construction Labour Legislation," prepared by Andrew Sims

Sessional Paper 200/2014

Document, undated, entitled "Joint Response to the Report on the Alberta Construction Labour Legislation Review," prepared by the Construction Competitiveness Alliance (Boilermaker Contractors Association, Building Trades of Alberta, Construction Labour Relations Alberta, and Electrical Contractors Association of Alberta)

Sessional Paper 201/2014

Mr. Allen, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray-Wood-Buffalo:

Fertility and Sterility article dated September 2011 entitled "Funding in vitro fertilization treatment for persistent subfertility: the pain and the politics," prepared by Edward Hughes and Mita Giacomini

Sessional Paper 202/2014

Hon. Mr. Campbell, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 7(7) in order to complete the Daily Routine.

Mr. Casey, Hon. Member for Banff-Cochrane:

East Central Alberta Review website article dated March 6, 2014, entitled "County of Stettler focuses on transparency"

Sessional Paper 203/2014

Stettler Independent website article dated September 18, 2013, entitled "County Faces Elections Alberta Inquiry"

Sessional Paper 204/2014

Stettler Independent website article dated January 22, 2014, entitled "County: 'We do feel vindicated' "

Sessional Paper 205/2014

Ms Smith, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition:

Letter, undated, from Dawn Bleackley, Grade 6 teacher at Ecole Senator Riley Middle School, to Ms Smith, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, attaching correspondence from students expressing concern regarding a variety of issues

Sessional Paper 206/2014

Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Airdrie:

Email message dated December 9, 2013, to Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Airdrie, regarding the Alberta Securities Commission and FOREX trading in Alberta

Sessional Paper 207/2014

Letter dated March 19, 2014, from Trudy Pool to Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Airdrie, expressing concern regarding proposed changes to the Life License Qualification Program which would result in fewer life insurance agents and less life insurance coverage for Albertans

Sessional Paper 208/2014

Mrs. Towle, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake:

Copy of a petition signed by 66 Albertans urging the Minister of Human Services to ensure justice and fairness for a Somali-Canadian child who is currently under an adoption order to a non-Somali family

Sessional Paper 209/2014

Mr. McAllister, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View:

Copy of an online petition from 14,179 people urging the Minister of Education to return the education curriculum back to the basics so that children can be empowered by mastering the fundamentals of mathematics

Sessional Paper 210/2014

Document containing several hundred comments supporting a petition urging the Minister of Education to return the education curriculum back to the basics so that children can be empowered by mastering the fundamentals of mathematics

Sessional Paper 211/2014

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre:

Document, undated, entitled "Proposed Alberta Liberal Amendments to Bill 9, Public Sector Pension Plans Amendment Act, 2014," prepared by the Alberta Liberal Opposition

Sessional Paper 212/2014

Document, undated, entitled "Proposed Alberta Liberal Amendments to Bill 10, Employment Pension (Private Sector) Plans Amendment Act, 2014," prepared by the Alberta Liberal Opposition

Sessional Paper 213/2014

Letter dated May 5, 2014, from Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, to the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly and all Members of the Legislative Assembly on behalf of citizens concerned with proposed changes to ban rewards and incentives earned for pharmaceutical purchases

Sessional Paper 214/2014

Email message dated May 5, 2014, from Sheena Neilson, B.Sc. Pharm., to Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, regarding the proposed changes to ban incentives on prescription pharmacy purchases

Sessional Paper 215/2014

## **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. McIver, Minister of Infrastructure:

Memorandum dated May 5, 2014, from Marcia Nelson, Deputy Minister, Infrastructure, to Hon. Mr. McIver, Minister of Infrastructure, regarding construction on the 11th floor of the Edmonton Federal Building

Sessional Paper 216/2014

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Government Bills and Orders / Private Bills**

#### **Second Reading**

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill 11 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Bhullar
- Bill 12 Statutes Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Campbell
- Bill Pr1 Rosebud School of the Arts Amendment Act, 2014 — Mr. Hale
- Bill Pr2 Maskawchees Cultural College Amendment Act, 2014 — Ms Calahasen

#### **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)

#### **Adjournment**

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(4), the Committee recessed at 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2014 — 7:30 P.M.

### **Government Bills and Orders / Private Bills**

#### **Committee of the Whole**

(Assembly in Committee)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

- Bill 11 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Bhullar

Mrs. Towle, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, moved that the Bill be amended in section 16 in the proposed section 126.3(3) by striking out “and” at the end of clause (a), by adding “and” at the end of clause (b) and by adding the following after clause (b):

- (c) the public interest in the administration of justice.

A debate followed on the amendment.

The question being put, the amendment was agreed to. With Mr. Rogers at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment: 41

Amery	Eggen	Kang
Anderson	Fawcett	Kubinec
Barnes	Fenske	Lemke
Bhardwaj	Fox	Leskiw
Bhullar	Fraser	Oberle
Bikman	Fritz	Redford
Brown	Goudreau	Rodney
Calahasen	Griffiths	Rowe
Campbell	Hale	Sandhu
Casey	Horne	Scott
Cusanelli	Hughes	Towle
Dallas	Jansen	Weadick
Dorward	Jeneroux	Woo-Paw
Drysdale	Johnson (Calgary-Glenmore)	

Against the amendment: 0

And after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bills were reported:

Bill 12 Statutes Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Campbell

Bill Pr1 Rosebud School of the Arts Amendment Act, 2014 — Mr. Hale

Bill Pr2 Maskwachees Cultural College Amendment Act, 2014 — Ms Calahasen

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 11 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Bhullar

Mr. Jeneroux, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of all amendments considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 11 (A1) (Hon. Minister of Human Services) — Agreed to

Sessional Paper 217/2014

Amendment to Bill 11 (A2) (Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake) — Defeated

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Amendment to Bill 11 (A3) (Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake) — Defeated

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Amendment to Bill 11 (A4) (Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 220/2014

Amendment to Bill 11 (A5) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 221/2014

Amendment to Bill 11 (A6) (Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake) —  
Agreed to on division

Sessional Paper 222/2014

Hon. Mr. Campbell, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 77(1) to allow for Third Reading consideration of Bill Pr1, Rosebud School of the Arts Amendment Act, 2014, and Bill Pr2, Maskwachees Cultural College Amendment Act, 2014.

### **Third Reading**

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

Bill Pr1 Rosebud School of the Arts Amendment Act, 2014 — Mr. Hale

Bill Pr2 Maskwachees Cultural College Amendment Act, 2014 — Ms Calahasen

Hon. Mr. Campbell, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 77(1) to allow for Third Reading consideration of Bill 12, Statutes Amendment Act, 2014.

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

Bill 12 Statutes Amendment Act, 2014 — Hon. Mr. Campbell

A debate followed.

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

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Campbell, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 8:05 p.m. until Wednesday, May 7, 2014, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Gene Zwozdesky,  
Speaker