

No. 5

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Monday, June 22, 2015

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

Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 7(1.1) in order to complete Ministerial Statements, and to allow the Leader of the Progressive Conservative Opposition, the Member for Calgary-Bow, the Member for Calgary-Mountain View, and the Member for Calgary-Elbow to comment on the Ministerial Statement.

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Ms Notley, Premier and Minister of International and Intergovernmental Relations, made a statement announcing the Government's commitment to acts of reconciliation following an event of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada on June 2, 2015, and on behalf of the Government expressed deep regret and apologized for not taking a stand to stop First Nation, Metis and Inuit children from being taken from their homes as part of the federal residential school system, joined the call for a national inquiry into missing and murdered indigenous women, and committed to continue to work with Aboriginal communities and organizations to ensure safe and fulfilling futures for Aboriginal women.

Mr. Jean, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, commented on the statement.

Mr. McIver, Hon. Leader of the Progressive Conservative Opposition, Dr. Swann, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, Mr. Clark, Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow, and Ms Drever, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bow, then commented on the statement.

Hon. Mr. Mason, 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.

Members' Statements

Mrs. Schreiner, Hon. Member for Red Deer-North, made a statement regarding the Red Deer Walking With Our Sisters commemorative art installation honouring missing and murdered Aboriginal women from across Canada.

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills, made a statement regarding the need for the long-promised dialysis centre in Lac La Biche.

Ms Jansen, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West, made a statement regarding the need for sexual health programs in Alberta's education system.

Ms Sweet, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement regarding the 50th anniversary of the Slovenian Canadian Association of Edmonton.

Ms McPherson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay-Nose Hill, made a statement recognizing June 20, 2015, as Neighbour Day in Calgary, and the opening of the Little Free Library in the community of Beddington Heights.

Mr. Hunter, Hon. Member for Cardston-Taber-Warner, made a statement regarding the concerns of constituent and restaurant owner Dan Brown with respect to the proposed increase in Alberta's minimum wage and the impact of increased wages on youth employment and labour costs.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Property Rights Advocate Act, cP-26.5, s5(3):

Alberta Property Rights Advocate Office, 2014 Annual Report Sessional Paper 12/2015

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General and Minister of Aboriginal Relations, pursuant to the Metis Settlements Act, cM-14, s211(2):

Metis Settlements Appeal Tribunal, Annual Report 2014

Sessional Paper 13/2015

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 201 Assuring Alberta's Fiscal Future Act — Mr. Fraser

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Ms Babcock speaking.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

501. Moved by Mr. Hinkley:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to conduct a review of existing legislation related to surface rights and work to ensure landowners' rights to fair compensation and due process are respected.

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:40 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 22, 2015 — 7:30 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

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)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 1 An Act to Renew Democracy in Alberta — Hon. Ms Ganley

Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General and Minister of Aboriginal Relations, moved that amendment A3 to the Bill be further amended:

- (a) in part A by striking out clauses (a), (b) and (c);
- (b) by striking out part B.

The question being put, the subamendment was agreed to. With Ms Jabbour at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the subamendment: 63

Aheer Hunter Piquette Pitt Bilous Jansen Ceci Kazim Renaud Clark Kleinsteuber Rosendahl Cooper Larivee Sabir Cortes-Vargas Schmidt Littlewood Schneider Cyr Loewen Dach Schreiner Loyola Shepherd Dang Luff Sigurdson Drever Malkinson Smith Ellis Mason Feehan McCuaig-Boyd Starke Fildebrandt McIver Sucha **Fitzpatrick** McKitrick Swann Ganley McLean Sweet Goehring McPherson **Taylor** Gray Miller Turner Hanson Miranda van Dijken Hinkley Nielsen Westhead Hoffman Nixon Woollard Horne Yao Orr

Against the subamendment: 0

Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute for the balance of the evening.

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

The following Bill was reported with some amendments:

Bill 1 An Act to Renew Democracy in Alberta — Hon. Ms Ganley

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 3 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 2015 (No. 2) (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

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

Subamendment to Bill 1 (A3-SA1) (Hon. Minister of Justice and Solicitor General and Minister of Aboriginal Relations) — Agreed to on division

Sessional Paper 14/2015

Amendment to Bill 1 (A3) (Hon. Member for Rimbey-Rocky Mountain House-Sundre) — Agreed to

Sessional Paper 15/2015

Amendment to Bill 1 (A4) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow) — Defeated Sessional Paper 16/2015

Third Reading

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

Bill 1 An Act to Renew Democracy in Alberta — Hon. Ms Ganley

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to. With Ms Jabbour in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 64

Aheer Hunter Notley Bhullar Jansen Orr Piquette Bilous Jean Ceci Kazim Pitt Clark Kleinsteuber Renaud Cooper Larivee Rosendahl Cortes-Vargas Littlewood Sabir Cyr Loewen Schmidt Dach Loyola Schreiner Luff Shepherd Dang Drever Malkinson Sigurdson Ellis Smith Mason Feehan McCuaig-Boyd Starke Fildebrandt McIver Sucha Fitzpatrick McKitrick Sweet Ganley McLean **Taylor** Turner Goehring McPherson Gray Miller van Diiken Westhead Hanson Miranda Woollard Hinkley Nielsen Hoffman Nixon Yao Horne

Against the motion: 0

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 1 An Act to Renew Democracy in Alberta — Hon. Ms Ganley

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, pursuant to Standing Order 64(4), at 10:15 p.m. the Chair interrupted the proceedings and immediately put the question on the Appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper referred to Committee of the Whole.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to. With Ms Jabbour at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 44

Bilous Kazim Notley Kleinsteuber Piquette Ceci Clark Larivee Renaud Cortes-Vargas Littlewood Rosendahl Dach Loyola Sabir Dang Luff Schmidt Drever Malkinson Schreiner Shepherd Feehan Mason Fitzpatrick McCuaig-Boyd Sigurdson Ganley McKitrick Sucha Goehring McLean Sweet Gray McPherson Turner Hinkley Westhead Miller Hoffman Miranda Woollard Horne Nielsen

Against the motion: 19

Aheer Hunter Pitt Smith Bhullar Jansen Starke Cooper Jean **Taylor** Cyr Loewen Ellis van Dijken McIver Fildebrandt Nixon Yao

Hanson

The Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 3 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 2015 (No. 2) (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Second Reading

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

Bill 2 An Act to Restore Fairness to Public Revenue — Hon. Mr. Ceci

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:29 p.m. until Tuesday, June 23, 2015, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Monday, June 22, 2015