

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 6

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, June 23, 2015

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, made a statement recognizing June 2015 as Bike Month.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie-Smoky, made a statement regarding the need to improve rural health care by redirecting funding to hiring front-line staff and doctors.

Mr. Fraser, Hon. Member for Calgary-South East, made a statement regarding the Government's proposals to review oil and gas royalty rates and to increase corporate tax rates and the effects of these proposals on businesses and jobs in Alberta.

Ms Babcock, Hon. Member for Stony Plain, made a statement regarding the annual Dragonfly Festival in the Village of Wabumun held from June 19 to 21, 2015.

Ms McLean, Hon. Member for Calgary-Varsity, made a statement recognizing Sheldon Kennedy for his work as a child advocate for victims of child abuse and regarding the Sheldon Kennedy Child Advocacy Centre in Calgary.

Mr. Fildebrandt, Hon. Member for Strathmore-Brooks, made a statement regarding the history and heritage of the Strathmore-Brooks constituency and highlighting several events taking place this summer in the constituency.

Tabling Returns and Reports

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

The Canadian Press website article dated June 20, 2012, entitled "Punt patronage: Alberta NDP wants end to 'pork-barrel politics' "

Sessional Paper 17/2015

Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek:

Calgary Herald website article dated June 23, 2015, entitled "Pipeline builder TransCanada Corp. has confirmed it laid off 185 people from its major projects department on Tuesday morning"

Sessional Paper 18/2015

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Consideration of Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech (Day 4)

Moved by Mr. Connolly and seconded by Ms Kazim:

That an humble address be presented to Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

To Her Honour Lois Mitchell, CM, AOE, 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.

Ms Gray moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

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

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

A debate followed.

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

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Dr. Starke speaking.

Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 23, 2015 — 7:30 P.M.

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A debate followed.

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

Debate adjourned, Mr. Strankman speaking.

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Third Reading

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(5), at 10:15 p.m. the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and immediately put the question on the Appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper for Third Reading.

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

For the motion: 47

| Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) | Goehring | Payne |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| Babcock | Gray | Piquette |
| Bilous | Hinkley | Renaud |
| Carlier | Jabbour | Rosendahl |
| Carson | Kleinsteuber | Sabir |
| Ceci | Littlewood | Schmidt |
| Connolly | Loyola | Schreiner |
| Coolahan | Luff | Shepherd |
| Cortes-Vargas | Malkinson | Sigurdson |
| Dach | Mason | Sucha |
| Dang | McCuaig-Boyd | Swann |
| Drever | McKitrick | Sweet |
| Eggen | McLean | Turner |
| Feehan | Miller | Westhead |
| Fitzpatrick | Miranda | Woollard |
| Ganley | Nielsen | |
| Against the motion: 25 | | |
| Aheer | Gotfried | Pitt |
| Anderson (Highwood) | Hanson | Schneider |
| Bhullar | Hunter | Smith |
| Cooper | Jean | Starke |
| Cyr | Loewen | Strankman |
| Drysdale | MacIntyre | Taylor |
| Ellis | Nixon | van Dijken |
| Fildebrandt | Orr | Yao |
| Fraser | | |

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

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

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Second Reading

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

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Bilous, Deputy Government House Leader, requested the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute.

Unanimous consent was not granted.

Mr. Cooper, Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills, moved that the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after "that" and substituting the following:

Bill 2, An Act to Restore Fairness to Public Revenue, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

A debate followed on the amendment.

Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, requested the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute.

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Unanimous consent was not granted.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

The question for Second Reading of Bill 2 being put, the motion was agreed to. With Hon. Mr. Wanner in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 46

| Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) | Goehring | Nielsen |
|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| Babcock | Gray | Payne |
| Bilous | Hinkley | Piquette |
| Carlier | Jabbour | Renaud |
| Carson | Kleinsteuber | Rosendahl |
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| Connolly | Loyola | Schmidt |
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| Cortes-Vargas | Malkinson | Shepherd |
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| Dang | McCuaig-Boyd | Sucha |
| Drever | McKitrick | Sweet |
| Eggen | McLean | Turner |
| Feehan | Miller | Westhead |
| Fitzpatrick | Miranda | Woollard |
| Ganley | | |
| Against the motion: 24 | | |
| Aheer | Gotfried | Pitt |
| Bhullar | Hanson | Schneider |
| Cooper | Hunter | Smith |
| Cyr | Jean | Starke |
| Drysdale | Loewen | Strankman |
| Ellis | MacIntyre | Taylor |
| Fildebrandt | Nixon | van Dijken |
| Fraser | Orr | Yao |

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

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

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 1:05 a.m. Wednesday, June 24, 2015, until 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, June 23, 2015

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