

No. 9

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Monday, October 26, 2015

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

The Speaker offered a prayer and a moment of silence was observed in recognition of the death of former Members Mr. Elmer E. Borstad, Member for Grande Prairie, 1979 to 1982, who passed away on July 18, 2015; Mr. H. Keith Everitt, Member for St. Albert, 1959 to 1971, who passed away on August 26, 2015; and Mr. Stewart A. McCrae, Member for Calgary-Foothills, 1973 to 1982, who passed away on September 2, 2015.

Introduction of a New Member

The Speaker announced that he had received from the Chief Electoral Officer of Alberta the report of the Returning Officer for the constituency of Calgary-Foothills containing the results of the by-election conducted on September 3, 2015, in the constituency and the said report further showed that Prasad Panda was duly elected as the Member for Calgary-Foothills.

Mr. Panda joined Mr. Jean, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, at the Bar and was then escorted to the Mace. Mr. Jean presented Mr. Panda to the Speaker and the Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills took his seat in the Assembly.

Members' Statements

Mrs. Schreiner, Hon. Member for Red Deer-North, made a statement regarding Habitat for Humanity, the many homes that it has built in Red Deer and Edmonton, and its role in ending the cycle of poverty.

Mr. Yao, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo, made a statement regarding the new Government's fiscal policies.

Mr. McIver, Hon. Member for Calgary-Hays, made a statement regarding the new Government's policies.

Mr. Sucha, Hon. Member for Calgary-Shaw, made a statement recognizing Phil Bobawsky, an advocate for those suffering from vision loss and the recipient of the first annual Don Biberdorf Award for his advocacy, and regarding the work of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Ms Payne, Hon. Member for Calgary-Acadia, made a statement recognizing the 30th anniversary of the Fish Creek Library in Calgary.

Mr. Nixon, Hon. Member for Rimbey-Rocky Mountain House-Sundre, made a statement regarding Catie, Dara, and Jana Bott, three sisters who were killed in a farm accident on October 13, 2015.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, cE-2, s44(1):

Letter dated October 5, 2015, from Glen Resler, Chief Electoral Officer, to Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, attaching a report entitled "Failure to File the Candidate's Campaign Period Financial Statement for the 2015 Provincial General Election"

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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.

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

For the motion: 7

Drysdale Gotfried Rodney
Ellis Jansen Starke

Fraser

Against the motion: 71

Hoffman Payne Aheer Horne **Phillips** Anderson (Highwood) Hunter Piquette Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) Pitt Babcock Jabbour Renaud Barnes Jean **Bilous** Rosendahl Kazim Sabir Carlier Kleinsteuber Carson Larivee Schmidt Ceci Littlewood Schneider Coolahan Loewen Schreiner Cooper Loyola Shepherd Cortes-Vargas Luff Sigurdson Smith MacIntvre Cvr Dach Malkinson Stier Dang Mason Strankman Eggen McKitrick Sucha Feehan McLean Sweet Fildebrandt McPherson **Taylor** Fitzpatrick Miller Turner Ganley Miranda van Dijken Nielsen Westhead Goehring Woollard Gray Nixon Hanson Orr Yao Hinkley Panda

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

Bill 202 Alberta Local Food Act — MLA Cortes-Vargas

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Mr. Barnes speaking.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

502. Moved by MLA Cortes-Vargas:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to consider the feasibility of including child care facilities in new Government buildings where these facilities are in short supply, and urge the federal government to do the same.

A debate followed.

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: 56

Gotfried Miranda Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) Babcock Gray Nielsen Bilous Hinkley Payne Hoffman Carlier **Phillips Piquette** Carson Horne Ceci Jabbour Renaud Connolly Jansen Rodney Rosendahl Coolahan Kazim Cortes-Vargas Kleinsteuber Sabir Dach Littlewood Schmidt Schreiner Dang Loyola Luff Drever Shepherd Drysdale Starke Malkinson Eggen Sucha Mason Ellis McIver Sweet Feehan McKitrick Turner **Fitzpatrick** McLean Westhead Ganley McPherson Woollard Goehring Miller

Against the motion: 9

Aheer Fildebrandt Panda Cooper Hunter Pitt Cyr Loewen van Dijken

Intersessional Deposits

Pursuant to Standing Order 38.1(3), the following documents were deposited with the Clerk of the Assembly and are deemed to have been laid before the Assembly:

Ms Miller, Chair, Standing Committee on the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund:

Pursuant to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act, cA-23, s16(2) and Standing Order 55, Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

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Pursuant to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act, cA-23, s15(2) and Standing Order 55, Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, Third Quarter 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 48/2015

Hon. Ms Phillips, Minister of Environment and Parks and Minister Responsible for the Status of Women, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Environment and Sustainable Resource Development, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 49/2015

Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd, Minister of Energy, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Energy, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 50/2015

Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General and Minister of Aboriginal Relations, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Aboriginal Relations, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 51/2015

Hon. Mr. Bilous, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Minister of Service Alberta, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Service Alberta, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 52/2015

Hon. Ms Sigurdson, Minister of Innovation and Advanced Education and Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 53/2015

Hon. Mr. Eggen, Minister of Education and Minister of Culture and Tourism, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Education, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 54/2015

Hon. Mr. Sabir, Minister of Human Services, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, Ch. L-9, sec. 45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Human Services, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 55/2015 Hon. Ms Sigurdson, Minister of Innovation and Advanced Education and Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, Ch. L-9, sec. 45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Innovation and Advanced Education, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 56/2015

Hon. Mr. Mason, Minister of Infrastructure and Minister of Transportation, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Infrastructure, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 57/2015

Hon. Mr. Bilous, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Minister of Service Alberta, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Municipal Affairs, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 58/2015

Hon. Mr. Ceci, President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13

Treasury Board and Finance, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 59/2015

Hon. Mr. Eggen, Minister of Education and Minister of Culture and Tourism, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Culture and Tourism, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 60/2015

Hon. Ms Hoffman, Minister of Health and Minister of Seniors, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Alberta Seniors, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 61/2015

Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General and Minister of Aboriginal Relations, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, : cF-14.5, s13

Justice and Solicitor General, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 62/2015

Hon. Ms Notley, Premier and Minister of International and Intergovernmental Relations, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

International and Intergovernmental Relations, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 63/2015

Hon. Mr. Carlier, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Agriculture and Rural Development, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015

Sessional Paper 64/2015

Hon. Ms Notley, Premier and Minister of International and Intergovernmental Relations, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Executive Council, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 65/2015

Hon. Mr. Mason, Minister of Infrastructure and Minister of Transportation, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Transportation, Annual Report 2014-2015, deposited on June 30, 2015 Sessional Paper 66/2015

Hon. Ms Hoffman, Minister of Health and Minister of Seniors, pursuant to the Legislative Assembly Act, cL-9, s45, and the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s13:

Health, Annual Report 2014-15, deposited on July 6, 2015

Sessional Paper 67/2015

Ms Woollard, Chair, Standing Committee on Legislative Offices, pursuant to the Auditor General Act, cA-46, s20(2):

Report of the Auditor General of Alberta, July 2015, deposited on July 6, 2015 Sessional Paper 68/2015

Hon. Mr. Ceci, President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance:

Pursuant to the Fiscal Management Act, cF-14.5, s1(2), s12(1), Government of Alberta, 2014-15 Annual Report, deposited on July 7, 2015

Sessional Paper 69/2015

Pursuant to the Horse Racing Alberta Act, cH-11.3, s10(2), Horse Racing Alberta, 2014 Annual Report, deposited on July 14, 2015

Sessional Paper 70/2015

Hon. Mr. Sabir, Minister of Human Services:

Pursuant to the Social Care Facilities Review Committee Act, cS-11, s16(2), Social Care Facilities Review Committee, 2012-2013 Annual Report, deposited on July 17, 2015

Sessional Paper 71/2015

Pursuant to the Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act, cC-12, s105.792(2), Child and Family Services Council for Quality Assurance, Annual Report 2012-2013 and 2013-2014, deposited on July 17, 2015

Sessional Paper 72/2015

Hon. Mr. Sabir, Minister of Human Services, on behalf of Hon. Ms Notley, Premier and Minister of International and Intergovernmental Relations, pursuant to the Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities Act, cP-21, s7(2):

Premier's Council on the Status of Persons with Disabilities, Annual Report 2013-2014, deposited on July 17, 2015

Sessional Paper 73/2015

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Pursuant to the Ombudsman Act, cO-8, s28, Alberta Ombudsman, 2014-15Annual Report, deposited on July 24, 2015

Sessional Paper 74/2015

Pursuant to the Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Act, cP-39.5, s33(2):

Public Interest Commissioner, 2014-15 Annual Report, deposited on July 24, 2015

Sessional Paper 75/2015

Erratum to the Public Interest Commissioner, 2014-15 Annual Report, deposited on July 29, 2015

Sessional Paper 76/2015

Hon. Ms Notley, Premier and Minister of International and Intergovernmental Relations, pursuant to the Premier's Council on Alberta's Promise Act, cP-20.5, s7(2):

Alberta's Promise, 2014/15 Annual Report, deposited on August 13, 2015 Sessional Paper 77/2015

Ms Miller, Chair, Standing Committee on the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, pursuant to the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act, cA-23, s15(2), and Standing Order 55:

Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund, First Quarter 2015-2016, deposited on September 2, 2015

Sessional Paper 78/2015

Hon. Mr. Sabir, Minister of Human Services, pursuant to the Protection Against Family Violence Act, cP-27, s19(2):

Family Violence Death Review Committee, 2014/2015 Annual Report, deposited on September 17, 2015

Sessional Paper 79/2015

Hon. Ms Sigurdson, Minister of Innovation and Advanced Education and Minister of Jobs, Skills, Training and Labour, pursuant to the Apprenticeship and Industry Training Act, cA-42, s6(2):

Alberta Apprenticeship and Industry Training Board, 2014-2015 Annual Report, deposited on October 1, 2015

Sessional Paper 80/2015

Ms Woollard, Chair, Standing Committee on Legislative Offices, pursuant to the Auditor General Act, cA-46, s19(5):

Report of the Auditor General, October 2015, deposited on October 6, 2015 Sessional Paper 81/2015

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Health Quality Council of Alberta Act, cH-7.2, s24(2):

Health Quality Council of Alberta, 2014-2015 Annual Report, deposited on October 8, 2015

Sessional Paper 82/2015

Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd, Minister of Energy, pursuant to the Electric Utilities Act, cE-5.1, s149.1(3):

Alberta Utilities Commission, Billing Transparency Report dated August 17, 2015, deposited on October 23, 2015

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Adjournment

The Assembly adjourned at 6:01 p.m. until Tuesday, October 27, 2015, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Monday, October 26, 2015