



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 13

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

The Speaker took the Chair at 10:00 a.m.

Introduction of New Member

The Speaker invited Mr. McIver, Leader of the Third Party, to proceed to the main doors of the Chamber and escort Mr. Gill into the Chamber.

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-Greenway containing the results of the by-election conducted on March 22, 2016, which states that a by-election was held in the constituency of Calgary-Greenway and that Mr. Prab Gill was duly elected as the Member for Calgary-Greenway.

Mr. Gill joined Mr. McIver and was escorted to the Mace. Mr. McIver presented Mr. Gill to the Speaker and the Hon. Member for Calgary-Greenway took his seat in the Assembly.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 5 Seniors' Home Adaptation and Repair Act — Hon. Ms Sigurdson

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, that it be called 12:00 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 11:59 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 2016 — 1:30 PM

ROUTINE

Members' Statements

Ms Fitzpatrick, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East, made a statement regarding the Nord-Bridge Senior Centre in Lethbridge and the range of events it hosts to keep seniors active, and recognizing April 10 to 16, 2016, as National Volunteer Week.

Mr. Taylor, Hon. Member for Battle River-Wainwright, made a statement regarding the Government's upcoming 2016-2017 budget and a number of economic issues affecting communities in the Battle River-Wainwright constituency.

Ms Jansen, Hon. Member for Calgary-North West, made a statement regarding the positive progress of the 10-year plan to end homelessness in Calgary and asking for greater cooperation from local officials and Government to find solutions to homelessness.

Mr. Piquette, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Sturgeon-Redwater, made a statement regarding Portage College's Pipeline Training Centre near the village of Boyle, the benefits of its plan to expand hands-on training, and the college's record of Aboriginal engagement.

Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South West, made a statement recognizing April 10 to 16, 2016, as National Volunteer Week, highlighting the work of parent volunteers to build playgrounds in the Edmonton-South West constituency, and commenting on the Government's Community Facility Enhancement Program grants.

Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock, made a statement regarding a lack of railway cars for transporting grain and asking the Government to address the eventual retirement of Government-owned grain cars.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 7 Electoral Boundaries Commission Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon.
Ms Ganley

Tabling Returns and Reports

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

Report of the Auditor General of Alberta, April 2016, Education and Infrastructure – Systems to Manage the School-Building Program
Sessional Paper 73/2016

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 6 Securities Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Ceci

A debate followed.

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

Bill 6, Securities Amendment Act, 2016, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship in accordance with Standing Order 74.2 and that the Committee report back to the Assembly no later than October 31, 2016, if the Assembly is then sitting or, if it is not then sitting, within 15 days after the commencement of the next sitting.

A debate followed on the amendment.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

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

Bill 6 Securities Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Committee of the Whole

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole and the Speaker left the Chair.

(Assembly in Committee)

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

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 6 Securities Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Ceci

Second Reading

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

Bill 5 Seniors' Home Adaptation and Repair Act — Hon. Ms Sigurdson

A debate followed.

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

Bill 5, Seniors' Home Adaptation and Repair Act, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Families and Communities in accordance with Standing Order 74.2 and that the Committee report back to the Assembly no later than May 31, 2016, if the Assembly is then sitting or, if it is not then sitting, within 15 days after the commencement of the next sitting.

A debate followed on the amendment.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

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

Bill 5 Seniors' Home Adaptation and Repair Act — Hon. Ms Sigurdson

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Carlier, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until Wednesday, April 13, 2016, at 9:00 a.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker