



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 30

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

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Wednesday, May 18, 2016

The Deputy Speaker took the Chair at 9:00 a.m.

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Second Reading**

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

Bill 14 Health Professions Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Ms Hoffman

#### **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 Promoting Job Creation and Diversification Act — Hon. Mr. Bilous

Mr. Panda, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, moved that the Bill be amended in section 2 by renumbering it as section 2(1) and by adding the following after subsection (1):

(2) Prior to the establishment of any program under subsection (1), the Minister shall ensure that a member of the Executive Council introduces into the Legislative Assembly a motion that would require a committee of the Assembly to review the program and report back to the Assembly.

(3) The Minister shall not take any steps to implement a new program, including the signing of any agreements respecting that program, until the committee has submitted its report to the Assembly under subsection (2).

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

For the amendment: 12

Aheer	Fildebrandt	Loewen
Barnes	Gill	MacIntyre
Cooper	Hanson	Panda
Cyr	Hunter	Pitt

Against the amendment: 42

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Fraser	Payne
Babcock	Goehring	Phillips
Bilous	Hinkley	Piquette
Ceci	Hoffman	Renaud
Connolly	Horne	Rodney
Coolahan	Kazim	Rosendahl
Cortes-Vargas	Kleinsteuber	Shepherd
Dach	Loyola	Sigurdson
Dang	Malkinson	Starke
Drever	McCuaig-Boyd	Sucha
Drysdale	McKitrick	Sweet
Eggen	Miller	Turner
Feehan	Miranda	Westhead
Fitzpatrick	Nielsen	Woollard

Mr. Panda, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, moved that the Bill be amended by striking out section 4 and substituting the following:

#### **Reports**

4(1) The Minister must, at least annually, and more frequently if the Premier directs, prepare a report outlining:

- (a) the Minister's progress in establishing and implementing any programs under section 2, and
  - (b) the number of jobs created by all programs established under section 2.
- (2) When prepared, a report under subsection (1) must
- (a) be laid before the Legislative Assembly by the Minister if the Assembly is then sitting or, if it is not then sitting, within 15 days after the commencement of the next sitting, and
  - (b) be posted on a public website of the ministry of the Minister, regardless of whether it has first been laid before the Assembly under clause (a).

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

For the amendment: 16

Aheer	Fraser	MacIntyre
Barnes	Gill	Panda
Cooper	Hanson	Pitt
Cyr	Hunter	Rodney
Drysdale	Loewen	Starke
Fildebrandt		

Against the amendment: 35

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Fitzpatrick	Piquette
Babcock	Goehring	Renaud
Bilous	Hinkley	Rosendahl
Carson	Horne	Schreiner
Ceci	Kazim	Shepherd
Coolahan	Kleinsteuber	Sigurdson
Cortes-Vargas	Loyola	Sucha
Dach	Malkinson	Sweet
Dang	McCuaig-Boyd	Turner
Drever	McKittrick	Westhead
Eggen	Miller	Woollard
Feehan	Payne	

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

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 12 Aboriginal Consultation Levy Repeal Act — Hon. Mr. Feehan

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 1 Promoting Job Creation and Diversification Act — Hon. Mr. Bilous

Ms Sweet, 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.

Amendment to Bill 1 (A1) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills) —  
Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 151/2016

Amendment to Bill 1 (A2) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills) —  
Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 152/2016

## **Second Reading**

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

Bill 17 Appropriation Act, 2016 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Mr. Cooper speaking.

## **Adjournment**

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2.1), the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 12:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 2016 — 1:30 PM

## **ROUTINE**

### **Members' Statements**

Mr. Cyr, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake, made a statement regarding the support Fort McMurray wildfire evacuees have received from residents, local government, businesses, and community groups in the Bonnyville-Cold Lake constituency, and recognizing the first responders still fighting the fire.

Ms Kazim, Hon. Member for Calgary-Glenmore, made a statement recognizing May as the month of Sha'ban, which is a blessed month observed by Muslims.

Mr. Rodney, Hon. Member for Calgary-Lougheed, made a statement regarding the Buller Mountain summit climb, to be held on June 25, 2016, an effort of the Calgary Health Trust and Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry Foundation to raise awareness and funds for veterans and their families affected by mental health issues.

Mr. Anderson, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement regarding the 2016 Alberta Summer Games, to be held in Leduc from July 14 to 17, 2016, and thanking event organizers for their preparatory work, including efforts to make the games more environmentally sustainable.

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement regarding the Inquiry Into Human Rights event, to be held at the St. Clement school campus on May 18, 2016, and hosted by the school's International Baccalaureate World School program.

Mr. Hunter, Hon. Member for Cardston-Taber-Warner, made a statement regarding Government consultations to be held on the proposed minimum wage increase and critiquing the Government's arguments made in favour of the increase.

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

Notice having been given:

Bill 19 Reform of Agencies, Boards and Commissions Compensation Act — Hon. Mr. Ceci

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Ms Babcock, Hon. Member for Stony Plain:

Calgary Herald website article dated May 17, 2016, entitled “Braid: NDP handling of fire wins praise, even from Danielle Smith”

Sessional Paper 153/2016

MLA Cortes-Vargas, Hon. Member for Strathcona-Sherwood Park:

Alberta’s Industrial Heartland Association statement regarding Alberta Budget 2016

Sessional Paper 154/2016

Mr. Smith, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Devon:

Copy of a petition signed by 75 Albertans petitioning the Legislative Assembly to pass recall legislation so Albertans can hold their Member of the Legislative Assembly accountable for unacceptably poor representation between elections

Sessional Paper 155/2016

## **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Ms Hoffman, Deputy Premier and Minister of Health:

Pursuant to the Public Health Act, cP-37, s7(2), Public Health Appeal Board, 2015 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 156/2016

Pursuant to the Health Professions Act, cH-7, s4(2), Alberta College of Medical Diagnostic and Therapeutic Technologists, Annual Report 2015

Sessional Paper 157/2016

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **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 Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 11 Alberta Research and Innovation Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Bilous

Ms Luff, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of an amendment considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 11 (A1) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View) —  
Defeated

Sessional Paper 158/2016

### **Committee of the Whole**

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

(Assembly in Committee)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 1 Promoting Job Creation and Diversification Act — Hon. Mr. Bilous

Mr. Panda, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, moved that the Bill be amended in section 2 by adding the following after clause (a):

(a.1) measure the current regulatory burden on businesses, set targets for red tape reduction across Government, and report the results in an annual report published on a public website of the ministry of the Minister,

The question being put, the amendment was defeated. With Ms Sweet at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment: 12

Anderson <sup>(Highwood)</sup>  
Cooper  
Cyr  
Ellis

Gotfried  
MacIntyre  
McIver  
Panda

Smith  
Strankman  
van Dijken  
Yao

Against the amendment: 42

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Fitzpatrick	McCuaig-Boyd
Babcock	Ganley	McKittrick
Bilous	Goehring	McLean
Carlier	Gray	Miranda
Carson	Hinkley	Nielsen
Ceci	Horne	Piquette
Clark	Jansen	Renaud
Coolahan	Kazim	Rosendahl
Cortes-Vargas	Kleinsteuber	Sabir
Dach	Littlewood	Schmidt
Dang	Loyola	Schreiner
Drever	Luff	Sigurdson
Eggen	Malkinson	Sucha
Feehan	Mason	Swann

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

The following Bills were reported:

- Bill 1 Promoting Job Creation and Diversification Act — Hon. Mr. Bilous  
Bill 11 Alberta Research and Innovation Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Mr. Bilous  
Bill 13 Veterinary Profession Amendment Act, 2016 — Hon. Ms Gray

Mr. Rosendahl, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of an amendment considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 1 (A3) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills) —  
Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 159/2016

## **Second Reading**

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

- Bill 17 Appropriation Act, 2016 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(3), at 5:45 p.m. the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and immediately put the question on the Appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper for Second Reading.

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

For the motion: 37

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Ganley	McKittrick
Babcock	Goehring	McLean
Bilous	Gray	Miranda
Carson	Hinkley	Nielsen
Ceci	Horne	Piquette
Coolahan	Kazim	Renaud
Cortes-Vargas	Kleinstauber	Rosendahl
Dach	Littlewood	Sabir
Dang	Loyola	Schmidt
Drever	Luff	Schreiner
Eggen	Malkinson	Sigurdson
Feehan	McCuaig-Boyd	Sucha
Fitzpatrick		

Against the motion: 15

Anderson (Highwood)	Fraser	Smith
Clark	Gotfried	Strankman
Cooper	Jansen	Swann
Cyr	MacIntyre	van Dijken
Ellis	McIver	Yao

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

Bill 17 Appropriation Act, 2016 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Ceci

## **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Mr. Bilous, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 6:06 p.m. until Thursday, May 19, 2016, at 9:00 a.m.

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Hon. Robert E. Wanner,  
Speaker