



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, November 29, 2016

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

Government Bills and Orders

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 21 Modernized Municipal Government Act — Hon. Ms Larivee

Mr. Schneider, Hon. Member for Little Bow, moved that Amendment A1 to the Bill be amended as follows:

- (a) in Part T, in clause (b)(i), by striking out “2 years” and substituting “3 years”;
- (b) by striking out Part U;
- (c) in clause (b) of Part EE as follows:
 - (i) by renumbering subclause (i) as (i.1) and by adding the following before subclause (i.1):

- (i) in subsection (1) by striking out “2 years” and substituting “3 years”;
- (ii) in subsection (ii) by striking out “2 years” wherever it occurs and substituting “3 years”.

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

For the subamendment: 10

Drysdale	Loewen	Panda
Fraser	McIver	Schneider
Gotfried	Nixon	Stier
Hanson		

Against the subamendment: 34

Carson	Larivee	Payne
Ceci	Loyola	Renaud
Connolly	Luff	Rosendahl
Coolahan	Malkinson	Sabir
Dang	Mason	Schreiner
Drever	McCuaig-Boyd	Shepherd
Feehan	McKitrick	Sigurdson
Ganley	McLean	Sucha
Goehring	McPherson	Turner
Hoffman	Miranda	Westhead
Horne	Nielsen	Woollard
Jansen		

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills, on behalf of Mr. Cooper, Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills, moved that Amendment A1 to the Bill be amended in Part X by striking out the proposed subsection (2.2) and substituting the following:

- (2.2) Subject to an appeal under section 648.1, an off-site levy may be imposed and collected for a purpose referred to in subsection (2.1) only if, in respect of the land on which the off-site levy is being imposed,
- (a) no off-site levy has been previously imposed under subsection (1) for the same purpose with respect to the land on which the off-site levy is being imposed, and
 - (b) at least 15% of the benefit of the purpose, as determined under the regulations, is anticipated to benefit the future occupants of the land on which the off-site levy is being imposed.

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

For the subamendment: 12

Cooper	Hanson	Schneider
Cyr	Loewen	Starke
Drysdale	McIver	Stier
Gotfried	Nixon	Yao

Against the subamendment: 39

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Horne	Nielsen
Babcock	Jansen	Payne
Bilous	Larivee	Piquette
Carson	Littlewood	Renaud
Ceci	Loyola	Rosendahl
Connolly	Luff	Sabir
Coolahan	Malkinson	Schreiner
Dach	Mason	Shepherd
Dang	McCuaig-Boyd	Sigurdson
Drever	McKitrick	Sucha
Feehan	McLean	Turner
Ganley	McPherson	Westhead
Goehring	Miranda	Woollard

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

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 21 Modernized Municipal Government Act — Hon. Ms Larivee

Mr. Sucha, Acting 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 21 (A1-SA3) (introduced by the Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek on November 24, 2016) — Defeated
Sessional Paper 414/2016

Subamendment to Bill 21 (A1-SA4) (Hon. Member for Little Bow) — Defeated on division
Sessional Paper 431/2016

Subamendment to Bill 21 (A1-SA5) (Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills on behalf of the Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills) — Defeated on division
Sessional Paper 432/2016

Amendment to Bill 21 (A1) (introduced by the Hon. Minister of Municipal Affairs on November 22, 2016) — Adjourned
Sessional Paper 399/2016

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Westhead, Hon. Member for Banff-Cochrane, the Assembly adjourned at 11:56 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2016 — 1:30 PM

ROUTINE

Members' Statements

Ms Kazim, Hon. Member for Calgary-Glenmore, made a statement recognizing Rabi' al-Awwal, which is the third month of the Islamic calendar and begins on December 1, 2016, and celebrates the birth of the Prophet Mohammed, known as Eid Milad ul-Nabi, and the festival of Fatima's family, known as Eid-e-Zehra.

Mrs. Aheer, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View, made a statement regarding comments made by Hon. Mr. Schmidt, Minister of Advanced Education, in the Assembly on November, 28, 2016.

Mr. Fraser, Hon. Member for Calgary-South East, made a statement regarding the positive changes for Alberta paramedics and emergency medical technicians and opportunities for better health care due to the addition of paramedicine and the College of Paramedics under the Health Professions Act.

Ms Goehring, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs, made a statement regarding the Edmonton Salutes Committee, which promotes and recognizes military community contributions both locally and abroad.

Dr. Turner, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, made a statement recognizing Albertans who donate organs, blood, bone marrow, stem cells, and cord blood, and the success of the Unrelated Bone Marrow Donor Registry, including the experience of donor Maurice Brunelle.

Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock, made a statement regarding Government decisions surrounding the phase-out of coal fired power generation in Alberta.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Upon recommendation of Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill 34 Electric Utilities Amendment Act, 2016 (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Tabling Returns and Reports

Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster:

Email message dated November 22, 2016, from Les Ellis, DVM, to Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster, expressing opposition to Bill 207, Veterinary Profession (Clear and Timely Price Disclosure) Amendment Act, 2016
Sessional Paper 433/2016

Email message dated November 22, 2016, from Tim Goodbrand, DVM, to Dr. Starke, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster, expressing concern regarding Bill 207, Veterinary Profession (Clear and Timely Price Disclosure) Amendment Act, 2016
Sessional Paper 434/2016

Mr. Westhead, Hon. Member for Banff-Cochrane:

Globe and Mail website article dated January 20, 2014, entitled “Help Fort McMurray by slowing down oil-sands development, ex-MP says,” relating to comments made by Mr. Westhead during debate on Motion Other Than a Government Motion 509 on November 28, 2016
Sessional Paper 435/2016

Report dated June 2015, entitled “Causes and Consequences of Income Inequality: A Global Perspective,” prepared by the International Monetary Fund, relating to Mr. Westhead’s Member’s Statement on November 28, 2016
Sessional Paper 436/2016

Press release dated October 1, 2015, entitled “Governments Should Focus on Shared Prosperity to Address Inequality – World Bank Group President,” prepared by The World Bank, relating to Mr. Westhead’s Member’s Statement on November 28, 2016
Sessional Paper 437/2016

Mr. Clark, Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow:

Report dated November 7, 2016, entitled “Multi-Client Study of Potential Impacts on the AB Electricity Market of Policy Implementation Choices for the Climate Leadership Plan,” prepared by EDC Associates Ltd.
Sessional Paper 438/2016

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Bilous, Minister of Economic Development and Trade:

Response to Written Question WQ13, asked for by Mr. Clark on May 16, 2016:

What are the deliverables from the Minister of Economic Development and Trade’s recent trip to Washington, D.C., from February 3 to 5, 2016
Sessional Paper 439/2016

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General:

Alberta Law Enforcement Review Board, 2015 Annual Report
Sessional Paper 440/2016

Alberta Human Rights Commission, Annual Report 2015-16
Sessional Paper 441/2016

Pursuant to the Legal Profession Act, cL-8, s5(4), Law Society of Alberta, 2015
Annual Report
Sessional Paper 442/2016

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Minister Miranda, Minister of Culture and Tourism:

Pursuant to the Wild Rose Foundation Act, cW-8, s7(3), Wild Rose Foundation,
Annual Report 2015-16
Sessional Paper 443/2016

Pursuant to the Historical Resources Act, cH-9, s47, Alberta Historical Resources
Foundation, 2015-16 Annual Report
Sessional Paper 444/2016

Pursuant to the Alberta Foundation for the Arts Act, Alberta Foundation for the
Arts, 2015-16 Annual Report
Sessional Paper 445/2016

Pursuant to the Alberta Sport Connection Act, cA-34, s13(3), Alberta Sport
Connection, Annual Report 2015-16
Sessional Paper 446/2016

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)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 25 Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act — Hon. Ms Phillips

Mr. Fraser, Hon. Member for Calgary-South East, moved that the Bill be amended by adding the following after section 2:

Annual Report

2.1 Commencing one year after the coming into force of this Act, the Minister shall, as soon as practicable after December 31 each year, prepare and make publicly available an annual report, which contains:

- (a) the reduction, expressed in megatonnes, from the previous calendar year in upgrading emissions and greenhouse gas emissions;
- (b) the estimated amount of greenhouse gas emissions, expressed in megatonnes, that will be produced in the first year of commercial operation by oil sands sites approved under the Oil Sands Conservation Act in the year for which the annual report is made;
- (c) the amount of funding provided by the Government of Alberta for research or developments to reduce upgrading emissions and greenhouse gas emissions for the year for which the annual report is made; and
- (d) the amount, expressed in megatonnes, of greenhouse gas emissions for each type of greenhouse gas emission excluded under section 2(2) for the year for which the annual report is made.

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	Gotfried	Nixon
Ellis	Hanson	Panda
Fildebrandt	Loewen	Strankman
Fraser	MacIntyre	Yao

Against the amendment: 40

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Horne	Phillips
Babcock	Kazim	Piquette
Carlier	Kleinsteuber	Renaud
Carson	Larivee	Rosendahl
Connolly	Littlewood	Sabir
Coolahan	Luff	Schmidt
Cortes-Vargas	Malkinson	Schreiner
Dach	Mason	Shepherd
Dang	McCuaig-Boyd	Sigurdson
Feehan	Miller	Sucha
Ganley	Miranda	Turner
Gray	Nielsen	Westhead
Hinkley	Payne	Woollard
Hoffman		

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

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 25 Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act — Hon. Ms Phillips

Mr. Sucha, 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 25 (A1) (Hon. Member for Calgary-South East) —
Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 447/2016

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2016 — 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 Acting Speaker left the Chair.

(Assembly in Committee)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 27 Renewable Electricity Act (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Debate continued on the amendment introduced by Mr. MacIntyre, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, on November 28, 2016, that the Bill be amended in section 20 by striking out clause (b).

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: 13

Aheer	Hanson	Panda
Clark	Loewen	Rodney
Cooper	MacIntyre	Strankman
Fildebrandt	Nixon	Taylor
Gotfried		

Against the amendment: 37

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Hinkley	Miranda
Babcock	Hoffman	Nielsen
Carlier	Horne	Renaud
Carson	Jansen	Rosendahl
Ceci	Kazim	Schmidt
Connolly	Kleinsteuber	Schreiner
Dach	Loyola	Shepherd
Dang	Malkinson	Sigurdson
Drever	McCuaig-Boyd	Sucha
Feehan	McKitrick	Turner
Fitzpatrick	McPherson	Westhead
Goehring	Miller	Woollard
Gray		

Mr. Clark, Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow, moved that the Bill be amended by striking out sections 10, 11(2) and 12.

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

For the amendment: 11

Aheer	Hanson	Panda
Clark	Loewen	Rodney
Fildebrandt	MacIntyre	Taylor
Gotfried	Nixon	

Against the amendment: 35

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Gray	Miller
Babcock	Hinkley	Nielsen
Carlier	Horne	Renaud
Carson	Jansen	Rosendahl
Ceci	Kazim	Schmidt
Connolly	Kleinsteuber	Schreiner
Dach	Loyola	Shepherd
Dang	Malkinson	Sigurdson
Drever	Mason	Turner
Feehan	McCuaig-Boyd	Westhead
Fitzpatrick	McKitrick	Woollard
Goehring	McPherson	

Mr. Rodney, Hon. Member for Calgary-Lougheed, on behalf of Mr. Fraser, Hon. Member for Calgary-South East, moved that the Bill be amended in section 13(1) by adding the following after clause (c):

- (d) the estimated number of jobs created under renewable electricity programs during the fiscal year, and
- (e) the total dollar amount of investments, other than funds provided pursuant to section 10, made under renewable electricity programs for the fiscal year.

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: 10

Aheer	Hanson	Nixon
Clark	Loewen	Rodney
Fildebrandt	MacIntyre	Taylor
Gotfried		

Against the amendment: 36

Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Gray	Miller
Babcock	Hinkley	Nielsen
Carlier	Horne	Renaud
Carson	Jansen	Rosendahl
Ceci	Kazim	Schmidt
Connolly	Kleinsteuber	Schreiner
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Drever	Mason	Sucha
Feehan	McCuaig-Boyd	Turner
Fitzpatrick	McKitrick	Westhead
Goehring	McPherson	Woollard

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

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 27 Renewable Electricity Act (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Mr. S. Anderson, Acting 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 27 (A2) (introduced by the Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake on November 28, 2016) — Defeated on division
Sessional Paper 430/2016

Amendment to Bill 27 (A3) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow) — Defeated on division
Sessional Paper 448/2016

Amendment to Bill 27 (A4) (Hon. Member for Calgary-Lougheed on behalf of the Hon. Member for Calgary-South East) — Defeated on division
Sessional Paper 449/2016

Amendment to Bill 27 (A5) (Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake) —
Adjourned

Sessional Paper 450/2016

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 10:58 p.m. until Wednesday, November 30, 2016, at 9:00 a.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker

Title: Tuesday, November 29, 2016