

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 26

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Third Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, May 2, 2017

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

# **Government Bills and Orders**

### **Third Reading**

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill 6 Northland School Division Act Hon. Mr. Eggen
- Bill 9 Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Mr. Carlier

#### 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)

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

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 10 Appropriation Act, 2017 (\$) — Hon. Min. Ceci

# Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, that it be called 12:00 p.m., the Assembly adjourned at 11:56 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2017 — 1:30 PM

# ROUTINE

#### **Members' Statements**

Ms Babcock, Hon. Member for Stony Plain, made a statement recognizing May 5, 2017, as the International Day of the Midwife, and regarding Noreen Walker, who practiced midwifery for more than 40 years and was a founder of the Alberta Association of Midwives.

Mrs. Aheer, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View, made a statement recognizing May 1 to 5, 2017, as Education Week, and regarding the choices for education in Alberta and the current curriculum review.

Mr. Clark, Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow, made a statement regarding the tone of the Assembly and the hope that the Government is listening to all Private Members as they represent the interests of their constituents.

Mr. Kleinsteuber, Hon. Member for Calgary-Northern Hills, made a statement regarding the Brown Bagging for Calgary's Kids lunch program and the contribution to the program from volunteers from Harbours of Newport Retirement Residence in the Calgary-Northern Hills constituency.

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert, made a statement regarding the March for Science, held in 500 cities on seven continents on April 22, 2017, and how climate change will result in damages to property, infrastructure, productivity, and migration.

Mr. W. Anderson, Hon. Member for Highwood, made a statement regarding Haley Chisolm, who suffers from a rare kidney disease and requires the drug Soliris, which is unavailable to her because of its high cost, and requesting the assistance of both the provincial and federal health ministers to ensure she can receive the drug.

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

Oral notice having been given May 1, 2017:

- Bill 11 Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Amendment Act, 2017 Hon. Ms Gray
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#### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Barrhead-Morinville-Westlock:

Email message dated May 1, 2017, from Nelson Martin, CET, Operations Manager, McSween Custom Fabricating, to Hon. Ms Notley, Premier, expressing concern regarding the Government's review of the Alberta Labour Relations Code Sessional Paper 218/2017

Letter dated April 28, 2017, from Jeremy Kinch, P.Eng., President and COO, Willbros Canada, to Hon. Ms Gray, Minister of Labour and Minister Responsible for Democratic Renewal, requesting that the Government allow six months for consultation between introduction and passage of legislation following its review of the Alberta Labour Relations Code

Sessional Paper 219/2017

Mr. McIver, Hon. Leader of the Progressive Conservative Opposition:

Letter dated April 26, 2017, from Aaron Silver of Calgary to the Editor, Calgary Herald, regarding remarks made in a Calgary synagogue by Ms Kazim, Hon. Member for Calgary-Glenmore, concerning Holocaust Remembrance Day, that purportedly did not make mention of the Jewish victims and survivors

Sessional Paper 220/2017

Edmonton Journal website article dated April 27, 2017, entitled "No new raises for Alberta teachers, but cap on 'assigned time' in tentative deal," relating to comments made by Mr. McIver during Oral Question Period on May 2, 2017 Sessional Paper 221/2017

Mr. Fildebrandt, Hon. Member for Strathmore-Brooks:

Letter dated March 9, 2017, unsigned, from Mr. Fildebrandt, Hon. Member for Strathmore-Brooks, to Hon. Mr. Mason, Minister of Infrastructure and Minister of Transportation, providing the text of an excerpt from Alberta Hansard dated April 15, 2003

Sessional Paper 222/2017

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

Report, undated, entitled "Post-Secondary That Works for Students," prepared by the Alberta Students' Executive Council

Sessional Paper 223/2017

Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka:

Letter dated March 24, 2017, unsigned, from Deb Martin, Executive Director, Lacombe Action Group, to David Morhart, Deputy Minister, Community and Social Services, expressing concern regarding the impact of the increases to Alberta's minimum wage, with attached chart entitled "Children's Services Compression and Minimum Wage Impact for Lacombe Action Group"

Sessional Paper 224/2017

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Mr. Ellis, Hon. Member for Calgary-West:

13 recent form letters from Calgary residents to Mr. Ellis, Hon. Member for Calgary-West, expressing concern regarding the Government's review of the Alberta Labour Relations Code

Sessional Paper 225/2017

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

Letter from Nancy Bach-Hansen of Cochrane and email message from Rob Wierenga, Neeralta Manufacturing Inc., both dated April 28, 2017, both to Hon. Ms Notley, Premier, expressing concern regarding the Government's review of the Alberta Labour Relations Code

Sessional Paper 226/2017

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### Second Reading

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

Bill 8 An Act to Strengthen Municipal Government — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

A debate followed.

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

For the motion: 45

Anderson (Highwood)	Hanson	Nielsen
Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont)	Hinkley	Payne
Babcock	Hoffman	Phillips
Carson	Horne	Piquette
Connolly	Hunter	Renaud
Coolahan	Jansen	Rosendahl
Cyr	Kleinsteuber	Sabir
Dach	Larivee	Schreiner
Dang	Littlewood	Shepherd
Drever	Loewen	Sigurdson
Eggen	Malkinson	Starke
Feehan	Mason	Sucha
Fitzpatrick	McKitrick	Turner
Fraser	McPherson	Westhead
Ganley	Miranda	Woollard

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Against the motion: 0

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

Bill 8 An Act to Strengthen Municipal Government — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

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# Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Ms Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General, the Assembly adjourned at 5:43 p.m. until Wednesday, May 3, 2017, at 9:00 a.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, May 2, 2017