

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 30

Third Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

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

Members' Statements

MLA Cortes-Vargas, Hon. Member for Strathcona-Sherwood Park, made a statement regarding examples of collaboration among volunteer organizations in the Strathcona-Sherwood Park constituency.

Mr. Stier, Hon. Member for Livingstone-Macleod, made a statement regarding examples of the delays and unacceptable consequences of centralized Emergency Medical Services dispatch in southern Alberta.

Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, made a statement regarding key priorities for the future of seniors' care and the need to take care of today's seniors by working collaboratively with private, non-profit, and faith-based sectors.

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement recognizing May 9, 2017, as the 25th anniversary of the Westray mine explosion, which eventually led to changes in federal labour legislation.

MLA Connolly, Hon. Member for Calgary-Hawkwood, made a statement celebrating the life of constituent Mariano Ezeta, who passed away from leukemia on April 30, 2017, at the age of 23, and encouraging Members of the Legislative Assembly to contribute toward the Mariano Ezeta Track and Field Scholarship.

Mr. Schneider, Hon. Member for Little Bow, made a statement recognizing May 7 to 13, 2017, as Alberta Forest Week, and regarding the observance's history and meaning.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. MacIntyre, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake:

Note to Participants and Stakeholders dated May 9, 2017, prepared by the Market Surveillance Administrator (MSA), regarding the MSA issuing a formal notice of investigation to the Balancing Pool related to power purchasing agreements terminations

Sessional Paper 246/2017

Balancing Pool news release dated May 9, 2017, entitled "MSA's Investigation of the Balancing Pool"

Sessional Paper 247/2017

Letter dated April 8, 2017, from Jill Clayton, Alberta Information and Privacy Commissioner, to Mr. MacIntyre, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake, regarding the initiation of an investigation into the destruction of Balancing Pool records

Sessional Paper 248/2017

JWN Energy website article, undated, entitled "Canada one of the most geopolitically unstable places for oil and gas: Ensign exec"

Sessional Paper 249/2017

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 a quote dated November 19, 2001

Sessional Paper 250/2017

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

CBC News website article dated May 9, 2017, entitled "'God only knows': Serenity's mother concerned about children living in former foster home," relating to comments made by Mr. McIver during Oral Question Period on May 9, 2017

Sessional Paper 251/2017

Hon. Ms Hoffman, Deputy Premier, Minister of Health:

630 CHED website article dated May 9, 2017, entitled "Wildrose party AHS employee satisfaction numbers found to be misleading"

Sessional Paper 252/2017

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 12 New Home Buyer Protection Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned.

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

Bill 11 Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Amendment Act, 2017 — Hon. Ms Gray

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until Wednesday, May 10, 2017, at 9:00 a.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, May 9, 2017