

No. 29

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Fourth Session

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Monday, May 14, 2018

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, made a statement regarding policies and ideologies expressed at a recent United Conservative Party convention.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie-Smoky, made a statement regarding the Government's electricity policies and the associated costs to energy companies and consumers.

Ms Woollard, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Creek, made a statement regarding Stanley Knowles, an esteemed Member of Parliament who won 13 federal elections beginning in 1942 and whose integrity is an inspiration to all legislators.

Mr. Hunter, Hon. Member for Cardston-Taber-Warner, made a statement regarding recent, devastating flooding in southeastern Alberta and how quick, proactive responses from local organizations have prevented tens of millions of dollars of further damage.

Mr. Malkinson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie, made a statement regarding the economic and social benefits of the Government-funded renovations on Killarney 1, an affordable housing complex in the Calgary-Currie constituency.

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills, made a statement regarding the response from Alberta Health Services (AHS) to a seniors' lodge in St. Paul concerning changes to AHS's mobile laboratory collection services policy.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre, on behalf of Hon. Ms Phillips, Minister of Environment and Parks and Minister Responsible for the Climate Change Office:

Calgary Herald website article dated May 7, 2018, entitled "Klepacki: Kenney doesn't get to label me a 'special interest,' " relating to comments made in the Assembly by Hon. Ms Phillips on May 10, 2018

Sessional Paper 155/2018

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills:

Memorandum dated May 8, 2018, from Megan Boire, East Area Laboratory Manager, Alberta Health Services, to Sunnyside Lodge residents regarding changes to Alberta Health Services' mobile laboratory collection process, relating to comments made by Mr. Hanson during his Member's Statement on May 14, 2018

Sessional Paper 156/2018

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Ms Phillips, Minister of Environment and Parks and Minister Responsible for the Climate Change Office, pursuant to the Alberta Land Stewardship Act, cA-26.8, s5:

Proposed amendments to the South Saskatchewan Regional Plan Sessional Paper 157/2018

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Public Bills and Orders Other Than Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 204 Land Statutes (Abolition of Adverse Possession) Amendment Act, 2018 — Mr. Gotfried Dr. Turner, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, moved that the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after "that" and substituting the following:

Bill 204, Land Statutes (Abolition of Adverse Possession) Amendment Act, 2018, be not now read a Second time because a review of adverse possession is currently underway by the Alberta Law Reform Institute and any recommendations and advice coming from that review must be taken into account prior to the Government developing legislation and policies to give effect to the abolition of adverse possession.

A debate followed on the amendment.

The question being put, the amendment was agreed to. With Hon. Mr. Wanner in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment: 42

Hoffman Nielsen Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) Carlier Horne Payne Jabbour Carson **Phillips** Ceci Jansen Piquette Connolly Kleinsteuber Renaud Coolahan Larivee Rosendahl Dach Littlewood Sabir Dang Loyola Schmidt Drever Luff Schreiner Feehan Malkinson Shepherd Fitzpatrick Sucha Mason Sweet Ganley McCuaig-Boyd McLean Turner Goehring Woollard Gray Miller

Against the amendment: 12

Clark Gotfried Smith
Cooper Hanson Strankman
Cyr Loewen Swann
Gill Nixon Yao

Ms Jabbour, Hon. Member for Peace River, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to defer Second Reading consideration of Bill 205, Supporting Accessible Mental Health Services Act, until the first available Monday of the 2018 Fall Sitting.

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

Bill 206 Societies (Preventing the Promotion of Hate) Amendment Act, 2018 — Mr. Coolahan

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Mr. Shepherd speaking.

Motions Other Than Government Motions

504. Moved by Mr. Cyr:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly urge the Government to introduce legislation that would prohibit distribution fees and levies to be charged on residential customers' electricity and natural gas bills unless there is an actual, measurable use of electricity or natural gas and which also caps administration fees on such bills at \$10.

A debate followed.

Mr. Nixon, Official Opposition House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute.

The question being put, the motion was defeated. With Hon. Mr. Wanner in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 6

Cyr Hanson Strankman Gill Smith Yao

Against the motion: 38

Carlier Hoffman Payne Horne Piquette Carson Kleinsteuber Renaud Ceci Connolly Larivee Rosendahl Coolahan Littlewood Sabir Schmidt Dach Lovola Luff Schreiner Dang Shepherd Drever Malkinson Eggen Mason Sucha McCuaig-Boyd Feehan Sweet Fitzpatrick McLean Turner Ganley Miller Woollard Goehring Nielsen

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:37 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018 — 7:30 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 10 An Act to Enable Clean Energy Improvements — Hon. Mr. S. Anderson

Debate continued on the amendment moved by Mr. Nixon, Official Opposition House Leader, on May 9, 2018, that the motion be amended by deleting all the words after "that" and substituting the following:

Bill 10, An Act to Enable Clean Energy Improvements, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute for the remainder of the evening.

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

For the amendment: 8

Gill Loewen Strankman
Gotfried Nixon Yao
Hanson Smith

Against the amendment: 38

Phillips Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) Horne Carlier Jansen Piquette Ceci Kleinsteuber Rosendahl Connolly Larivee Sabir Schmidt Dach Loyola Luff Schreiner Dang Drever Malkinson Shepherd Eggen Mason Starke McCuaig-Boyd Feehan Sucha McKitrick Swann Fitzpatrick Goehring Miller Turner Woollard Hinkley Nielsen

Hoffman Payne

Hon. Mr. Mason moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

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

Bill 1 Energy Diversification Act — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

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: 36

Hoffman Nielsen Anderson (Leduc-Beaumont) Carlier Horne Payne Ceci Jansen **Phillips** Kleinsteuber Connolly **Piquette** Dach Larivee Rosendahl Loyola Sabir Dang Luff Drever Schmidt Eggen Malkinson Schreiner Feehan Shepherd Mason Fitzpatrick McCuaig-Boyd Sucha Goehring McKitrick Turner Hinkley Miller Woollard

Against the motion: 9

Gill Loewen Starke
Gotfried Nixon Strankman
Hanson Smith Yao

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill 1 Energy Diversification Act Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd
- Bill 17 Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2018 Hon. Min. Ceci

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Mason, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 9:01 p.m. until Tuesday, May 15, 2018, at 10:00 a.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner, Speaker

Title: Monday, May 14, 2018