



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

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**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Fourth Session

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Thursday, December 6, 2018

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

**ROUTINE**

**Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Feehan, Minister of Indigenous Relations, made a statement recognizing Grand Chief Arthur Noskey as the first full-time grand chief of Treaty 8, and read a statement from Grand Chief Noskey, prepared for the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, concerning Crown lands.

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Lac La Biche-St. Paul-Two Hills, commented on the statement.

Hon. Min. Mason, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to allow a Member of the Alberta Party caucus to comment on the Ministerial Statement.

MLA McPherson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay, then commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(8), Hon. Min. Mason, Government House Leader, provided notice to the Assembly that the Daily Routine shall continue beyond 3:00 p.m.

## **Members' Statements**

Mr. Coolahan, Hon. Member for Calgary-Klein, made a statement recognizing December 10, 2018, as the 70th anniversary of the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights.

Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka, made a statement regarding the Government's tax policies in contrast to the United Conservative Party's policies.

MLA McPherson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mackay-Nose Hill, made a statement regarding the United Conservative Party taking credit for several Alberta Party proposals.

Mr. Fildebrandt, Hon. Member for Strathmore-Brooks, made a statement reflecting on several events in provincial and federal politics during the past year.

Mr. Gill, Hon. Member for Calgary-Greenway, made a statement reflecting on his time as a Member of the Legislative Assembly.

Ms Fitzpatrick, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East, made a statement recognizing December 6, 2018, as the National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence against Women, and remembering the massacre at the École Polytechnique in Montreal in 1989.

## **Presenting Petitions**

Ms McKitrick, Hon. Member for Sherwood Park, presented a petition from 300 Albertans urging the Government to introduce legislation to amend the Cemeteries Act to explicitly allow for alkaline hydrolysis and other emerging green technologies as approved methods for the disposition of human remains.

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

Notice having been given:

Bill 214 Traffic Safety (Safe Distances for Passing Bicycles) Amendment Act, 2018  
— Ms McKitrick

## Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Min. Mason, Government House Leader:

Letter dated December 3, 2018, from Hon. Min. Ceci, President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance, to Mr. Cyr, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Accounts, and letter dated January 19, 2018, from Merwan Saher, Auditor General, Office of the Auditor General of Alberta, to Hon. Min. Ceci, President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance, regarding changes that will be made to the Government's year-end financing reporting for the 2018-19 fiscal year, relating to comments made by Hon. Min. Ceci in the Assembly on December 5, 2018

Sessional Paper 468/2018

Hon. Mr. Wanner, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to Standing Order 114:

Legislative Assembly Office, 2017-18 Annual Report and 2017-18 Annual Report of the Commonwealth Parliamentary Association, Alberta Branch, and Interparliamentary Relations

Sessional Paper 469/2018

Mr. Hunter, Hon. Member for Cardston-Taber-Warner:

Document, undated, entitled "NDP Labour Board Appointees – Donations," relating to comments made by Mr. Hunter during Oral Question Period on December 6, 2018

Sessional Paper 470/2018

Mr. Piquette, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Sturgeon-Redwater:

Prepared statement for the Alberta Legislature dated December 6, 2018, from Grand Chief Arthur Noskey, Treaty 8 First Nations of Alberta, expressing concern regarding a proposal from Hon. Mr. Kenney, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, concerning the sale of Crown land

Sessional Paper 471/2018

## Adjournment

Pursuant to Government Motion 31, agreed to on October 30, 2018, and on advice from Hon. Min. Mason, Government House Leader, to the Assembly that the business for the Fall Sitting is concluded, the Assembly adjourned at 3:23 p.m. until February 2019.

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Hon. Robert E. Wanner,  
Speaker

Title: Thursday, December 6, 2018