



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 6

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, May 30, 2019

The Speaker took the Chair at 9:00 a.m.

Government Bills and Orders

Committee of the Whole

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole and the Speaker left the Chair.

(Assembly in Committee)

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

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 1 An Act to Repeal the Carbon Tax (\$) — Hon. Mr. Kenney

Mr. Orr, 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 1 (A2) (introduced by the Hon. Member for Edmonton-North West on May 29, 2019) — Defeated

Sessional Paper 36/2019

Amendment to Bill 1 (A3) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar) — Defeated

Sessional Paper 37/2019

Third Reading

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

Bill 1 An Act to Repeal the Carbon Tax (\$) — Hon. Mr. Kenney

A debate followed.

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

Government Motions

11. Moved by Hon. Mr. Nixon (amended):

A. Be it resolved that the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta effective December 4, 2018, be amended as follows:

1. Standing Order 3 is amended
 - (a) in suborder (1) by striking out “Subject to suborder (1.1)” and substituting “Subject to suborder (1.1) and (1.2),”;
 - (b) by adding the following after suborder (1.1):

(1.2) The Assembly shall not meet in the morning from 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, or 9:00 a.m. to noon on Wednesday or Thursday, if the Government House Leader, or a member of the Executive Council acting on the Government House Leader’s behalf, notifies the Assembly that there shall be no morning sitting, notice having been given no later than the time of adjournment on the sitting day preceding the day on which the morning sitting will be cancelled.
 - (c) by adding the following after suborder (5):

(5.1) In the period prior to, or following the commencement of, the first session of a Legislature, the Government House Leader may file a revised calendar with the Clerk, notwithstanding the deadline in suborder (5), following consultation with the Opposition House Leaders.
 - (d) in suborder (6) by adding “or (5.1)” after “unless varied by the calendar provided for under suborder (5)”;
 - (e) by striking out suborder (7) and substituting the following:

(7) As soon as possible after January 15 each year, and following receipt of a calendar submitted under suborder (5.1), the Clerk shall publish the calendar provided for under suborder (5) or (5.1).

2. Standing Order 7 is amended
- (b) *by striking out suborder (3) and substituting the following:*
 - (3) *When Introduction of Guests is called, brief introductions may be made by the Speaker of groups of schoolchildren and, at the discretion of the Speaker, of other visitors in the galleries.*
 - (c) by adding the following after suborder (5):
 - (5.1) If any Member other than the mover rises to speak to a debatable motion to concur in a report of a committee on a Bill under Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees, debate on that motion shall be called under Orders of the Day
 - (a) when the Government thinks fit, in the case of a report on a Government Bill,
 - (b) on the next sitting day other than a Monday, in the case of a report on a private Bill, or
 - (c) on Monday afternoon under Motions for Concurrence in Committee Reports on Public Bills other than Government Bills, in the case of a report on a public Bill other than a Government Bill.
3. Standing Order 8 is amended
- (a) by striking out suborder (1) and substituting the following:
 - 8(1) On Monday afternoon, after the daily routine, the order of business for consideration of the Assembly shall be as follows:
 - Motions for Concurrence in Committee Reports on Public Bills Other than Government Bills
 - Written Questions
 - Motions for Return
 - Public Bills and Orders other than Government Bills and Orders
 - At 5 p.m.: Motions other than Government Motions
 - (1.1) Notwithstanding suborder (1), if on a Monday afternoon prior to 5 p.m. no items of business other than Motions other than Government Motions remain on the Order Paper for consideration by the Assembly, Motions other than Government Motions shall be called and after the Assembly has decided all questions necessary to conclude debate on the motion, the Assembly shall proceed to consideration of any items of Government business provided for in suborder (2) unless unanimous consent is given to proceed to an additional Motion other than a Government Motion.

- (b) by adding the following after suborder (7)(a):
 - (a.1) Debate on a motion to concur in a report of a committee on a public Bill other than a Government Bill will conclude after 55 minutes of debate on the motion and 5 minutes for the mover to close debate, unless the motion is voted on sooner.
- 4. Standing Order 13 is amended by adding the following after suborder (5):
 - (5.1) No Member shall disrupt the orderly conduct of the proceedings of the Assembly by loudly or repeatedly banging on a desk.
- 5. Standing Order 19(1) is amended
 - (a) in clause (a) and (b) by striking out “at 5:15 p.m., the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings” and substituting “the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings 15 minutes prior to the time of adjournment for the afternoon sitting”, and
 - (b) in clause (c) by striking out “at 5:15 p.m., unless the debate is previously concluded, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the motion” and substituting “unless the debate is previously concluded, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings 15 minutes prior to the time of adjournment for the afternoon sitting and immediately put every question necessary to dispose of the motion”.
- 6. Standing Order 29(3) is amended by striking out “and motions for returns” and substituting “, motions for returns and motions for concurrence in committee reports on public Bills other than Government Bills”.
- 7. The following is added after Standing Order 31:
 - Confidence of the Assembly in the Government**
 - 31.1 The confidence of the Assembly in the Government may be raised by means of a vote on
 - (a) a motion explicitly worded to declare that the Assembly has, or has not, confidence in the Government,
 - (b) a motion by the President of Treasury Board and Minister of Finance, “That the Assembly approve in general the business plans and fiscal policies of the Government”,
 - (c) a motion for the passage of an Appropriation Bill as defined in Standing Order 64,
 - (d) a motion for an address in reply to the Lieutenant Governor’s speech, or

- (e) any other motion that the Government has expressly declared a question of confidence.

8. Standing Order 32 is struck out and the following is substituted:

Division

32(1) A division may be called for by 3 Members rising.

(2) When a division is called, the division bells shall be sounded at the beginning and for the last minute of a 15-minute interval.

(3) After the first division is called during any meeting of the Committee of the Whole or Committee of Supply, the interval between division bells on all subsequent divisions during that meeting shall be reduced to one minute, except in the case of the first division called during an evening sitting that commences in Committee of the Whole or Committee of Supply pursuant to Standing Order 4(4).

(4) When Members have been called in for a division, there shall be no further debate.

(5) Members are not compelled to vote and those who wish to abstain should remain in their seats when asked to rise and record their vote.

(6) The Clerk shall record the ayes and the noes and announce to the Speaker the number of votes cast for and against the motion.

(7) The ayes and noes shall be entered in the Votes and Proceedings.

(8) Abstentions shall not be entered in the Votes and Proceedings.

9. Standing Order 37 is amended

- (a) by striking out suborders (1) and (2) and substituting the following:

(1) Five copies, and any additional copies required by suborder (2), must be tabled of a document presented by a Member to the Assembly for

- (a) placement of one copy in the records of the Assembly, and
- (b) distribution of
 - (i) 2 copies to the Legislature Library,
 - (ii) one copy to *Hansard*,

(iii) one copy to the Government, in the case of a document tabled by the Speaker, the Official Opposition, any other party or group in opposition or an independent Member, and

(iv) one copy to the Official Opposition, in the case of a document tabled by the Speaker, a Member of the Government caucus, any other party or group in opposition or an independent Member.

(2) In addition to the copies required under suborder (1), one additional copy must be tabled of

(a) responses to written questions and returns ordered by the Assembly for distribution to the Member who asked the question or moved the motion for return, and

(b) any document presented by a Member who is neither a Member of the Government caucus nor the Official Opposition, to allow for distribution to both the Government and the Official Opposition under suborder (1).

(b) by striking out suborder (3).

10. The following is added after Standing Order 46:

Debate interrupted by adjournment of the Assembly

46.1 When a motion to adjourn the Assembly is carried or the Assembly is adjourned for want of quorum, the matter under consideration prior to the adjournment shall be deemed to be adjourned to a future sitting day.

11. Standing Order 52(1)(c) is struck out and the following is substituted:

(c) Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills, consisting of 11 Members,

12. Standing Order 52.01(1) is amended by striking out clauses (a), (b) and (c) and substituting the following:

(a) Standing Committee on Families and Communities – mandate related to the areas of Children's Services, Community and Social Services, Education, Health, Justice and Solicitor General, Seniors and Housing and Service Alberta;

(b) Standing Committee on Alberta's Economic Future – mandate related to the areas of Advanced Education, Culture, Multiculturalism and Status of Women, Economic Development, Trade and Tourism, Labour and Immigration and Infrastructure;

(c) Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship – mandate related to the areas of Agriculture and Forestry, Energy, Environment and Parks, Indigenous Relations, Municipal Affairs, Transportation and Treasury Board and Finance.

13. The following is added after Standing Order 52.01:

Subcommittees

52.011(1) Unless otherwise ordered, a standing or special committee shall have the power to appoint one or more subcommittees, which shall report from time to time to the committee.

(2) Every subcommittee shall be appointed by motion of the committee specifying the terms of reference and the membership of the subcommittee.

(3) At its first meeting of a new Legislature, every Legislative Policy Committee and the Standing Committee on Public Accounts shall appoint a Subcommittee on Committee Business to meet from time to time at the call of the Chair and to report to the committee on the business of the committee.

14. Standing Order 52.04 is amended by renumbering Standing Order 52.04 as Standing Order 52.04(1) and by adding the following after suborder (1):

(2) Subject to Standing Order 59.01(11), suborder (1) does not prevent a Legislative Policy Committee from undertaking a hearing or inquiry during the same period of time that a matter stands referred to the committee by the Assembly if the hearing or inquiry does not interfere with the work of the committee on the matter referred to it.

15. Standing Order 59.01 is amended by adding the following after suborder (11):

(12) Suborder (11) does not apply to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills.

16. Standing Order 59.02(3) is struck out and the following is substituted:

(3) During consideration of interim, supplementary or main estimates, the following individuals may be seated at a committee or in the Assembly:

(a) officials of the Government, to assist the Minister whose estimates are under consideration;

(b) staff of the opposition, to assist Members who are participating in estimates consideration.

(4) During main estimates consideration, officials of the Government may respond to questions from a committee at the request of the Minister.

17. Standing Order 64(1)(a) is amended by striking out subclause (ii).
18. Standing Order 74.1 is amended
 - (a) by striking out the heading and substituting “Referral of Government Bill to a committee after first reading”, and
 - (b) by striking out suborder (1)(b).
19. The following is added after Standing Order 74.1:

Referral of public Bill other than Government Bill after first reading
74.11(1) After a public Bill other than a Government Bill has been read a first time, the Bill stands referred to the Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills Committee.

(2) The Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills Committee shall report back to the Assembly within 8 sitting days of the day on which the Bill was referred to the Committee.
20. Standing Order 74.2(2) is struck out and the following is substituted:

(2) Upon the concurrence of a committee report that a Bill be proceeded with, the Bill shall be placed on the Order Paper for second reading and, in the case of a public Bill other than a Government Bill, the Bill shall, subject to the precedence assigned to Bills standing on the Order Paper, be taken up on the next available Monday following the day on which the Assembly concurred in the report.
21. Standing Order 89 is amended by striking out “Standing Order 3” and substituting “Standing Order 3(5)”.
22. The following Standing Orders are amended by striking out “Private Bills Committee” and substituting “Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills Committee” wherever it occurs:

Standing Order 91(4)
Standing Order 96(2)
Standing Order 98(1) and (3)
Standing Order 100(1)
Standing Order 101
Standing Order 102
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Standing Order 105(1)
Standing Order 106

23. The headings preceding Standing Orders 98, 100 and 105 are amended by striking out “Private Bills Committee” and substituting “Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills Committee”.

B. And be it further resolved that upon passage of this motion any public Bills other than Government Bills that stand on the Order Paper for second reading are deemed referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills in accordance with Standing Order 74.11(1) and notwithstanding Standing Order 74.11(2) the Committee shall report back to the Assembly on these Bills within 12 sitting days of the day this motion is passed.”

C. And be it further resolved that the amendments in this motion shall come into force on passage.

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, MLA Ceci speaking.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2.1), the Speaker adjourned the Assembly at 12:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2019 — 1:30 PM

ROUTINE

Speaker’s Statement – 80th Anniversary of the 1939 Royal Visit

The Speaker made a statement commemorating the 80th anniversary of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth’s Royal Visit to Alberta in 1939, part of the first visit to Canada by a reigning monarch.

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Ms Pon, Minister of Seniors and Housing, made a statement recognizing June 1, 2019, as National Intergenerational Day and June 2 to 8, 2019, as Seniors’ Week.

Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, commented on the statement.

Members’ Statements

Mr. Jones, Hon. Member for Calgary-South East, made a statement regarding his constituents’ concerns.

Ms Ganley, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, made a statement regarding rural crime in Alberta.

Mr. Reid, Hon. Member for Livingstone-Macleod, made a statement regarding the Rowan House Society.

Ms Rosin, Hon. Member for Banff-Kananaskis, made a statement regarding National Tourism Week.

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre, made a statement regarding timelines for enacting Government policies.

Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, made a statement regarding his engagement with several Alberta communities and organizations.

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

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 201 Protection of Students with Life-threatening Allergies Act —
Ms Armstrong-Homeniuk

Bill 202 Child, Youth and Family Enhancement (Protecting Alberta's Children)
Amendment Act, 2019 — Mr. Ellis

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 4 Red Tape Reduction Act — Hon. Mr. Hunter

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

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B. And be it further resolved that upon passage of this motion any public Bills other than Government Bills that stand on the Order Paper for second reading are deemed referred to the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members’ Public Bills in accordance with Standing Order 74.11(1) and notwithstanding Standing Order 74.11(2) the Committee shall report back to the Assembly on these Bills within 12 sitting days of the day this motion is passed.”

C. And be it further resolved that the amendments in this motion shall come into force on passage.

A debate followed.

Hon. Mr. Nixon, 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 afternoon.

The question being put on Part A, sections 2 (as amended), 4, 8, and 10, the motion was agreed to. With Hon. Mr. Cooper in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 31

Armstrong-Homeniuk	Loewen	Reid
Ellis	Long	Schow
Fir	Lovely	Schweitzer
Getson	Luan	Stephan
Glubish	Milliken	Toews
Goodridge	Nally	Toor
Gotfried	Nicolaides	Turton
Guthrie	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	van Dijken
Hunter	Panda	Yao
Issik	Pon	Yaseen
LaGrange		

Against the motion: 12

Bilous	Eggen	Irwin
Dach	Feehan	Loyola
Dang	Goehring	Renaud
Deol	Gray	Shepherd

The question being put on Part A, sections 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23; Part B; and Part C, the motion was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Ellis, Hon. Member for Calgary-West, the Assembly adjourned at 4:19 p.m. until Monday, June 3, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker