



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 16

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Wednesday, June 19, 2019

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

Members' Statements

Ms Gray, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods, made a statement regarding the pre-emptive shutdown of debate on Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act.

Ms Glasgo, Hon. Member for Brooks-Medicine Hat, made a statement regarding the International Day for the Elimination of Sexual Violence in Conflict.

Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South, made a statement expressing his opposition to proposed Government legislation.

Ms Rosin, Hon. Member for Banff-Kananaskis, made a statement regarding the Kiwanis Club of Calgary.

Mr. Horner, Hon. Member for Drumheller-Stettler, made a statement regarding the Sheerness and Battle River generating stations.

Mrs. Allard, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie, made a statement regarding the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 11 Fair Registration Practices Act — Hon. Mr. Copping

Tabling Returns and Reports

Ms Sweet, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning:

Document, undated, regarding Hon. Mr. Hunter, Associate Minister of Red Tape Reduction, attending a Sherwood Park United Conservative Party constituency meeting on June 10, 2019

Sessional Paper 88/2019

Drug and Alcohol Dependence article dated May 18, 2014, entitled “Supervised injection services: What has been demonstrated? A systematic literature review”

Sessional Paper 89/2019

Global News website article dated January 31, 2019, entitled “Reports of needles have dropped since opening of Edmonton’s supervised consumption sites”

Sessional Paper 90/2019

Hon. Mr. Panda, Minister of Infrastructure:

Canadian Press website article dated June 19, 2019, entitled “Business leaders welcome TMX approval but fear it may not be completed”

Sessional Paper 91/2019

Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung:

Financial Post website article dated November 13, 2014, entitled “Supreme Court of Canada imposes general duty of good faith in contract performance,” relating to comments made by Mr. Dach during Second Reading debate on Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, on June 18, 2019

Sessional Paper 92/2019

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

CBC News website article dated June 19, 2019, entitled “How climate change is thawing the ‘glue that holds the northern landscape together’ ”

Sessional Paper 93/2019

Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

Smithsonian Magazine website article dated January 23, 2014, entitled “Simply Having a Gay Straight Alliance Reduces Suicide Risk for All Students”

Sessional Paper 94/2019

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 5 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2019 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Toews

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 5 Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2019 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Toews

Bill 6 Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, 2019 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Toews

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 Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 2 An Act to Make Alberta Open for Business — Hon. Mr. Copping

Mr. Hanson, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of an amendment considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 2 (A1) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning) —
Adjourned

Sessional Paper 95/2019

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(1.2), Hon. Mr. McIver, Deputy Government House Leader, advised the Assembly that there would be no morning sitting on Tuesday, June 25, 2019.

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. McIver, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:57 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

Government Motions

23. Oral notice having been given June 18, 2019, moved by Hon. Mr. Nixon:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, is resumed, not more than six hours shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

Pursuant to Standing Order 21(3), Hon. Mr. Nixon and Ms Sweet commented on the time allocation motion.

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

For the motion: 34

Allard	LaGrange	Pon
Armstrong-Homeniuk	Loewen	Rutherford
Copping	Long	Schow
Ellis	Lovely	Schweitzer
Getson	McIver	Shandro
Glubish	Milliken	Smith
Goodridge	Nally	Toews
Guthrie	Nicolaides	Toor
Horner	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Turton
Issik	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	van Dijken
Jones	Panda	Yaseen
Kenney		

Against the motion: 10

Eggen	Loyola	Renaud
Ganley	Nielsen	Schmidt
Gray	Pancholi	Sweet
Hoffman		

Government Bills and Orders

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)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 9 Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act — Hon. Mr. Toews

Pursuant to Government Motion 23, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 1:57 a.m. the question was immediately put on the amendment to Bill 9 (A2), introduced by the Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning on June 19, 2019, which was defeated.

Pursuant to Government Motion 23, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 1:57 a.m. the question was immediately put on the title and preamble to Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, which was agreed to.

Pursuant to Government Motion 23, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 1:57 a.m. the question was immediately put that Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, be reported, which was agreed to.

Pursuant to Government Motion 23, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 1:58 a.m. the question was immediately put on the clauses of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, which was agreed to. With Mrs. Pitt at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 33

Allard	Issik	Rowswell
Dreeshen	Jones	Sawhney
Ellis	Kenney	Schow
Fir	Loewen	Sigurdson (Highwood)
Getson	Long	Singh
Glasgo	Madu	Stephan
Glubish	McIver	Toews
Goodridge	Milliken	Turton
Hanson	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Walker
Horner	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	Wilson
Hunter	Orr	Yao

Against the motion: 11

Bilous	Dang	Sabir
Carson	Deol	Shepherd
Ceci	Irwin	Sigurdson (Edmonton-Riverview)
Dach	Phillips	

The Speaker assumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 9 Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act — Hon. Mr. Toews

Mr. Milliken, Deputy 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 9 (A1) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods on behalf of Official Opposition House Leader) — Defeated

Sessional Paper 96/2019

Amendment to Bill 9 (A2) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning) — Defeated

Sessional Paper 97/2019

Third Reading

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

Bill 9 Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act — Hon. Mr. Toews

A debate followed.

Privilege – Recording a Member in the Assembly

Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South, raised a purported question of privilege under Standing Order 15 regarding recording a Member in the Assembly.

The Speaker ruled that the device was used to measure the sound level and not to record a Member, and therefore was not a question of privilege. He declared the matter concluded.

Debate resumed on the main motion.

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

Government Motions

24. Oral notice having been given June 18, 2019, moved by Hon. Mr. Nixon:

Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, is resumed, not more than two hours shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Third Reading, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

Pursuant to Standing Order 21(3), Hon. Mr. Nixon and Mr. Bilous commented on the time allocation motion.

The question being put, 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

Allard	Issik	Pitt
Dreeshen	Jones	Rowswell
Ellis	Kenney	Sawhney
Fir	Loewen	Sigurdson (Highwood)
Getson	Long	Singh
Glasgo	Madu	Stephan
Glubish	McIver	Toews
Goodridge	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Walker
Hanson	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	Wilson
Horner	Orr	Yao
Hunter		

Against the motion: 10

Bilous	Dang	Phillips
Carson	Deol	Shepherd
Ceci	Irwin	Sigurdson (Edmonton-Riverview)
Dach		

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

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

Bill 9 Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act — Hon. Mr. Toews

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 June 19, 2019, sitting.

A debate followed.

Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung, moved that the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after “that” and substituting the following:

Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, be not now read a Third time, but that it be recommitted to Committee of the Whole for the purpose of reconsidering sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5(a) and (c).

A debate followed on the amendment.

Pursuant to Government Motion 24, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 6:53 a.m. the question was immediately put on the amendment to the motion for Third Reading of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, which was defeated. With Hon. Mr. Cooper in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment: 9

Bilous	Dach	Loyola
Carson	Deol	Phillips
Ceci	Goehring	Shepherd

Against the amendment: 29

Allard	Hunter	Reid
Dreeshen	Issik	Rowswell
Ellis	Jones	Sawhney
Fir	Kenney	Sigurdson (Highwood)
Getson	Loewen	Singh
Glasgo	Long	Stephan
Glubish	McIver	Walker
Goodridge	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Wilson
Hanson	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	Yao
Horner	Orr	

Pursuant to Government Motion 24, agreed to on June 19, 2019, and Standing Order 21(1), at 6:55 a.m., the question was immediately put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act, which was agreed to. With Hon. Mr. Cooper in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 29

Allard	Hunter	Reid
Dreeshen	Issik	Rowswell
Ellis	Jones	Sawhney
Fir	Kenney	Sigurdson (Highwood)
Getson	Loewen	Singh
Glasgo	Long	Stephan
Glubish	McIver	Walker
Goodridge	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Wilson
Hanson	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	Yao
Horner	Orr	

Against the motion: 9

Bilous	Dach	Loyola
Carson	Deol	Phillips
Ceci	Goehring	Shepherd

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 9 Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act — Hon. Mr. Toews

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned Thursday, June 20, 2019, at 7:03 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, June 19, 2019