



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

No. 20

## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

First Session

Thirtieth Legislature

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Wednesday, June 26, 2019

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

### **Members' Statements**

Ms Goehring, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs, made a statement regarding Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Day.

Mr. Amery, Hon. Member for Calgary-Cross, made a statement regarding Imamat Day.

Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, made a statement regarding Lethbridge Pride.

Mr. Guthrie, Hon. Member for Airdrie-Cochrane, made a statement regarding the Trans Mountain Pipeline Expansion project.

Mr. Rutherford, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement recognizing the dedication of law enforcement officers across Canada.

Mrs. Pitt, Hon. Member for Airdrie-East, made a statement regarding the Airdrie Pro Rodeo.

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

Notice having been given:

Bill 13 Alberta Senate Election Act — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

## Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South:

Email message dated June 21, 2019, to Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South, Hon. Mr. Kenney, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations, and Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, expressing opposition to Hon. Mr. Kenney handing out earplugs in the Assembly Chamber

Sessional Paper 134/2019

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake-St. Paul:

Document, undated, entitled “the leap manifesto, A Call for Canada Based on Caring for the Earth and One Another,” relating to comments made by Mr. Hanson in the Assembly on June 25, 2019

Sessional Paper 135/2019

Mr. Schmidt, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar:

Zurich Insurance Group news release dated June 25, 2019, entitled “Zurich signs up to UN business pledge to limit global temperature rise and announces it will use only renewable energy by 2022”

Sessional Paper 136/2019

Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

Email message, undated, to Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, expressing opposition to Hon. Mr. Kenney, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations, handing out earplugs in the Assembly Chamber

Sessional Paper 137/2019

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre:

CBC news website article dated June 21, 2019, entitled “Killing Edmonton superlab ‘doesn’t change the evidence’ it’s needed, health council says,” relating to comments made by Mr. Shepherd during Oral Question Period on June 25, 2019

Sessional Paper 138/2019

Edmonton Journal website article dated June 26, 2019, entitled “Opinion: Cancelling superlab won’t help patient care”

Sessional Paper 139/2019

HSAA website article dated May 10, 2019, entitled “Retired Medical Laboratory Technologist pens letter to Kenney about the future of lab services”

Sessional Paper 140/2019

Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West:

Email message dated June 20, 2019, from Michelle Bailey to Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, expressing concerns about Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act

Sessional Paper 141/2019

Letter, undated, from Davidson Falade, expressing concerns about Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act

Sessional Paper 142/2019

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

3 recent email messages expressing opposition to Hon. Mr. Kenney, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations, handing out earplugs in the Assembly Chamber and to Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act

Sessional Paper 143/2019

Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora:

Letter, undated, from Curtis Clarke, Deputy Minister of Alberta Education, regarding the Government's commitment to reinstate Grade 3 Provincial Achievement Tests

Sessional Paper 144/2019

Letter, undated, from Karin Brusse-Paterson, Local President, Battle River Local #32, to "Superintendent and Board Chair," expressing concern and opposition to Alberta Education's decision to reinstate Grade 3 Provincial Achievement Tests

Sessional Paper 145/2019

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

Email message dated June 25, 2019, from D and B Potter expressing concern about Bill 9, Public Sector Wage Arbitration Deferral Act

Sessional Paper 146/2019

Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Health Quality Council of Alberta Act, cH-7.2, s24(2):

Health Quality Council of Alberta, 2018-19 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 147/2019

## **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Copping, Minister of Labour and Immigration:

Pursuant to the Agrology Profession Act, cA-13.5, s4(2), Alberta Institute of Agrologists, 73rd Annual General Meeting Report

Sessional Paper 148/2019

Pursuant to the Architects Act, cA-44, s6(4), Alberta Association of Architects, 2018 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 149/2019

Pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act, cW-15, s93(5), Workers' Compensation Board – Alberta, 2018 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 150/2019

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **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 Deputy 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 (A2) (introduced by the Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West on June 25, 2019) — Adjourned

Sessional Paper 133/2019

#### **Second Reading**

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

Bill 12 Royalty Guarantee Act — Hon. Mrs. Savage

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Mr. Nielsen speaking.

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

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

## **Adjournment**

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26 — 7:30 P.M.

## **Government Bills and Orders**

### **Second Reading**

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

Bill 8 Education Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

Debate continued on the amendment introduced by Mr. Nielsen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, on behalf of Mr. Eggen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-North West, on June 24, 2019, that the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after “that” and substituting the following:

Bill 8, Education Amendment Act, 2019, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Families and Communities in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, requested the unanimous consent of the Assembly to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute for the remainder of the evening, including the duration of Committee of the Whole consideration.

Unanimous consent was not granted.

Debate continued on the amendment.

Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 32(2) and (3) in order to shorten the interval between division bells to one minute for the remainder of the evening, including the duration of Committee of the Whole consideration.

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

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

Bill 12 Royalty Guarantee Act — Hon. Mrs. Savage

Bill 8 Education Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

### **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 Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

The following Bill was reported:

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

Progress was reported on the following Bills:

Bill 8 Education Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

Bill 12 Royalty Guarantee Act — Hon. Mrs. Savage

Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to waive Standing Order 77(1) in order to proceed immediately to Third Reading of Bill 11, Fair Registration Practices Act.

### **Third Reading**

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

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

### **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 8 Education Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

Ms Pancholi, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud, moved that the Bill be amended by striking out section 10 and substituting the following:

10 Section 33 in amended

- (a) in subsection (1)(e) by striking out “specialized”;
- (b) by adding the following after subsection (2):

(2.1) A policy established under subsection (2) must contain a distinct portion that addresses the board’s responsibilities under section 35.1, and the distinct portion of the policy

- (a) must provide that a principal is responsible for ensuring that notification, if any, respecting a voluntary student organization or an activity referred to in section 35.1(1)
  - (i) is limited to the fact of the establishment of the organization or the holding of the activity, and
  - (ii) is otherwise consistent with the usual practices relating to notifications of other student organizations and activities,

and

- (b) must provide that a principal is required to
  - (i) immediately grant permission to establish a voluntary student organization or hold an activity at the school under section 35.1(1)(a), and
  - (ii) designate a staff member to serve as a staff liaison under section 35.1(1)(b) within a reasonable amount of time after receiving a request to establish a voluntary student organization or to assist in the organizing of an activity, subject to section 35.1(4).

The question being put, the amendment was defeated. With Mrs. Pitt at the Table, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment: 12

Dach	Goehring	Renaud
Dang	Loyola	Schmidt
Eggen	Nielsen	Sigurdson (Edmonton-Riverview)
Feehan	Pancholi	Sweet

Against the amendment: 32

Allard	LaGrange	Reid
Armstrong-Homeniuk	Loewen	Rutherford
Copping	Long	Schow
Ellis	Milliken	Schulz
Fir	Nally	Schweitzer
Getson	Neudorf	Shandro
Glubish	Nicolaides	Toews
Goodridge	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Toor
Gotfried	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	van Dijken
Guthrie	Panda	Williams
Issik	Pon	

And after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker resumed the Chair.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill 8 Education Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

Mr. Milliken, Deputy 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 8 (A1) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Whitemud) —  
Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 151/2019

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(1.2), Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, advised the Assembly that there would be no morning sittings on Thursday, June 27, 2019, and Tuesday, July 2, 2019.

## Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(1.2) and on motion by Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 11:07 p.m. until Thursday, June 27, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,  
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, June 26, 2019