

No. 31

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Tuesday, October 22, 2019

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

Members' Statements

Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, made a statement regarding Doug O'Halloran, who recently passed away.

Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka, made a statement regarding health care in central Alberta.

Mr. Nixon, Hon. Member for Calgary-Klein, made a statement regarding the upcoming provincial budget.

Mr. Deol, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadows, made a statement regarding Diwali, Bandi Chhor Divas, Dipavali, and Ashok Vijaydashami.

Ms Lovely, Hon. Member for Camrose, made a statement regarding the \$25-a-day childcare pilot program.

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre, made a statement regarding the A100 investors group.

Mrs. Allard, Hon. Member for Grande Prairie, made a statement regarding Foster and Kinship Caregiver Week.

Mr. Rutherford, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement regarding Elevate Aviation.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Central Peace-Notley, made a statement regarding national and international support for the oil and gas industry.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Neudorf, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East:

Letter dated June 24, 2019, from Alison M. Clarke, MD, CCFP, FCFP, President, Alberta Medical Association, to Mr. Ellis, Chair, Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills, commenting on Bill 203, An Act to Protect Public Health Care

Sessional Paper 292/2019

Letter dated June 24, 2019, from Scott A. McLeod, MD, CCFP, FCFP, Registrar, College of Physicians and Surgeons of Alberta, to whom it may concern, offering information in support of the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills deliberations on Bill 203, An Act to Protect Public Health Care

Sessional Paper 293/2019

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

Smithsonian.com website article dated January 30, 2017, entitled "Canadian Scientists Explain Exactly How Their Government Silenced Science"

Sessional Paper 294/2019

Apology by Member

Mr. Feehan, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, made a statement apologizing for comments he made in the Assembly on October 21, 2019.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Motions

34. Moved by Hon. Mrs. Savage on behalf of Hon. Mr. Nixon:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly denounce all federal political parties that would enable a provincial government to unilaterally prevent the construction of inter-provincial infrastructure projects of national importance, including natural resource pipelines.

Debate continued on the amendment introduced by Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora, on behalf of Mr. Bilous, Official Opposition House Leader, on October 17, 2019, that the motion be amended by adding "and that would roll back progress on efforts to reach Canada's current greenhouse gas emissions targets, including the abysmal federal TIER plan" after "prevent the construction of interprovincial infrastructure projects of national importance, including natural resource pipelines".

Hon. Mr. Kenney moved adjournment of the debate on the amendment, which was agreed to.

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 16 Public Lands Modernization (Grazing Leases and Obsolete Provisions)
Amendment Act, 2019 — Hon. Mr. Nixon

Committee of the Whole

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

(Assembly in Committee)

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

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 17 Disclosure to Protect Against Domestic Violence (Clare's Law) Act — Hon. Mrs. Sawhney

Second Reading

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

Bill 18 Electricity Statutes (Capacity Market Termination) Amendment Act, 2019

— Hon. Mrs. Savage

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Ms Issik speaking.

Adjournment

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

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— Hon. Mrs. Savage

A debate followed.

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

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Ellis, Hon. Member for Calgary-West, the Assembly adjourned at 9:48 p.m. until Wednesday, October 23, 2019, at 9:00 a.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper, Speaker

Title: Tuesday, October 22, 2019