

No. 19

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, May 7, 2020

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

Hon. Mr. Schweitzer, Deputy Government House Leader, requested and received the unanimous consent of the Assembly to allow Members to sit, speak, and vote from any seat in the Chamber.

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill 3 Mobile Home Sites Tenancies Amendment Act, 2020 Hon. Mr. Glubish
- Bill 8 Protecting Survivors of Human Trafficking Act Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Ellis, Hon. Member for Calgary-West, the Assembly adjourned at 10:24 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

ROUTINE

Speaker's Statement – Members' Anniversaries

The Speaker made a statement in recognition of the fifth anniversary of Hon. Mr. Hunter, Associate Minister of Red Tape Reduction; Mrs. Pitt, Hon. Member for Airdrie-East; Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Barrhead-Westlock; Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake-St. Paul; MLA Ceci, Hon. Member for Calgary-Buffalo; Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek; Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall; Ms Ganley, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View; Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Central Peace-Notley; Mr. Smith, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Devon; Ms Goehring, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs; Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre; Mr. Nielsen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore; MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie; Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora; Mr. Schmidt, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar; Ms Sweet, Official Opposition House Leader; Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung; Ms Gray, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods; Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview; Mr. Feehan, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford; Mr. Dang, Hon. Member for Edmonton-South; Mr. Carson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-West Henday; Mr. Yao, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray-Wood Buffalo; Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka; Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West; Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert; Hon. Mrs. Aheer, Minister of Culture, Multiculturalism and Status of Women; and Hon. Mr. Nixon, Minister of Environment and Parks, who were elected on May 5, 2015. The Speaker presented each Member with a 5-year Mace pin.

Members' Statements

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement regarding Alberta's economic relaunch during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr. Orr, Hon. Member for Lacombe-Ponoka, made a statement regarding a shooting in the Blackfalds area on May 6, 2020.

Mr. Rutherford, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement regarding a shooting and subsequent RCMP actions in the Blackfalds area on May 6, 2020.

Mr. Feehan, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, made a statement regarding the Premier's visit to High Level and Fort Vermillion following recent floods there.

Ms Glasgo, Hon. Member for Brooks-Medicine Hat, made a statement recognizing Sexual Violence Awareness Month.

Ms Ganley, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, made a statement regarding the need to balance protecting Albertans' health with reopening Alberta during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr. Long, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead, made a statement regarding the recent mass shooting in Nova Scotia.

Mr. Smith, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Devon, made a statement regarding the importance of community spirit during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Ms Armstrong-Homeniuk, Hon. Member for Fort Saskatchewan-Vegreville, made a statement recognizing Food Allergy Awareness Month.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora:

CBC News website article dated May 6, 2020, entitled "Father of Cargill worker becomes 2nd person to die in massive outbreak linked to slaughterhouse," relating to comments made by Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung, in the Assembly on May 6, 2020

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Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Memorandum dated May 7, 2020, from Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, to all Members of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, regarding extended sitting times, with attached abbreviated projected sitting days calendar

Sessional Paper 138/2020

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 14 Utility Payment Deferral Program Act — Hon. Mr. Nally

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mrs. Savage, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 5:53 p.m. until Friday, May 8,2020, at 10:00 a.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper, Speaker