



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 45

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Wednesday, July 15, 2020

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

Members' Statements

Ms Issik, Hon. Member for Calgary-Glenmore, made a statement regarding comments made by Gil McGowan, president, Alberta Federation of Labour.

Ms Goehring, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs, made a statement regarding racist graffiti targeting the Al Rashid Mosque.

Ms Lovely, Hon. Member for Camrose, made a statement regarding recent grants awarded by the Strategic Transportation Infrastructure Program.

MLA Ceci, Hon. Member for Calgary-Bufferalo, made a statement regarding Bill 29, Local Authorities Election Amendment Act, 2020.

Mr. Schow, Hon. Member for Cardston-Siksika, made a statement regarding the Government's economic recovery plan.

Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung, made a statement regarding the Government's response to COVID-19 outbreaks in meat packing plants.

Ms Goodridge, Hon. Member for Fort McMurray-Lac La Biche, made a statement regarding the Government's recovery plan and supporting small businesses.

Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, made a statement regarding the need for Government disaster relief following a hailstorm in Calgary on June 13, 2020.

Mr. Hanson, Hon. Member for Bonnyville-Cold Lake-St. Paul, made a statement regarding Bill 32, Restoring Balance in Alberta's Workplaces Act, 2020.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Third Reading

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

Bill 22 Red Tape Reduction Implementation Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Hunter

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

Second Reading

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

Bill 32 Restoring Balance in Alberta's Workplaces Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Copping

A debate followed.

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

Third Reading

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 22 Red Tape Reduction Implementation Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Hunter

Second Reading

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

Bill 32 Restoring Balance in Alberta's Workplaces Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Copping

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Mr. Nielsen speaking.

Adjournment

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

Government Bills and Orders

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)

The following Bill was taken under consideration:

Bill 21 Provincial Administrative Penalties Act — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

Mr. Feehan, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford, on behalf of Ms Ganley, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, moved that the Bill be amended in section 44(29) by adding the following immediately after the proposed section 88.1:

88.101(1) A peace officer who issues a notice of administrative penalty to a driver under section 88, 88.01, 88.02, 88.03 or 88.1 must, immediately after issuing the notice, record, in accordance with the regulations, if any, the prescribed class of race or ethnicity of the driver.

(2) On or before March 31 of each year, the Minister must publish, in a non-identifiable form, all information recorded under subsection (1) during the calendar year that immediately preceded that year.

(3) For the purpose of subsection (1), the Minister may make regulations

- (a) prescribing classes of race or ethnicity, or
- (b) respecting the manner in which a peace officer records a driver's prescribed class of race or ethnicity.

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

For the amendment: 7

Carson	Feehan	Hoffman
Dach	Gray	Renaud
Dang		

Against the amendment: 22

Allard	LaGrange	Pon
Armstrong-Homeniuk	Loewen	Rowswell
Copping	Long	Toews
Ellis	Madu	Turton
Glubish	Nicolaidis	van Dijken
Gotfried	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Wilson
Issik	Panda	Yao
Jones		

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

The following Bill was reported:

Bill 27 Alberta Senate Election Amendment Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

The following Bill was reported with some amendments:

Bill 21 Provincial Administrative Penalties Act — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

Mr. van Dijken, 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 21 (A6) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford on behalf of the Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View) — Defeated on division

Sessional Paper 273/2020

Amendment to Bill 27 (A1) (Hon. Member for Edmonton-Mill Woods) — Defeated

Sessional Paper 274/2020

Third Reading

The following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

Bill 26 Constitutional Referendum Amendment Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

Bill 27 Alberta Senate Election Amendment Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Schweitzer

Second Reading

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

Bill 30 Health Statutes Amendment Act, 2020 — Hon. Mr. Shandro

A debate followed.

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

Bill 30, Health Statutes Amendment Act, 2020, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Select Special Public Health Act Review Committee in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

Sessional Paper 275/2020

A debate followed on the amendment.

Ms Gray moved adjournment of the debate on the amendment, which was agreed to.

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(1.2), Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, advised the Assembly that there would be no morning sitting on July 16, 2020.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 3(1.2) and on motion by Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 12:32 a.m. Thursday, July 16, 2020, until 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker