

Legislative Assembly Province of Alberta

No. 91

# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

Second Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, March 25, 2021

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

### **Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Nicolaides, Minister of Advanced Education, made a statement commemorating the 200th anniversary of Greek independence.

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre, commented on the statement.

## Members' Statements

Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora, made a statement regarding Budget 2021 and schools.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Central Peace-Notley, made a statement regarding the need for investment in rural Alberta communities.

Mr. Milliken, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie, made a statement regarding the Imagine Sunalta project.

Mr. Deol, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadows, made a statement regarding Budget 2021 and rising acts of racism.

Mr. Neudorf, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East, made a statement regarding the Métis Nation of Alberta and Bill 57, Metis Settlements Amendment Act, 2021.

Ms Fir, Hon. Member for Calgary-Peigan, made a statement regarding Passover.

Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, made a statement regarding the need for the Government to address systemic poverty.

Mr. Amery, Hon. Member for Calgary-Cross, made a statement recognizing small family-run businesses affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr. Barnes, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat, made a statement regarding HALO air ambulance.

#### **Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees**

Mr. Ellis, Chair, Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills, presented the following report:

In accordance with Standing Order 99, the Standing Committee on Private Bills and Private Members' Public Bills has reviewed the petition that was presented on Tuesday, March 23, 2021, and I can advise the Assembly that the petition complies with Standing Orders 90 to 94.

#### **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Ms Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

The Canadian Journal of Psychiatry article, undated, entitled "The Impact of Supervised Consumption Services on Fentanyl-related Deaths: Lessons Learned from Alberta's Provincial Data"

Sessional Paper 608/2020-21

Ms Gray, Official Opposition House Leader:

Letter dated February 23, 2021, from Alberta Co-op Taxiline Ltd. to whom it may concern regarding its drivers not being eligible for the Critical Worker Benefit Sessional Paper 609/2020-21

Letter dated February 26, 2021, from Barry Sharkey, General Manager, BPS Protective Services K-9 Inc. Edmonton, to Ms Gray, Official Opposition House Leader, regarding BPS workers not being eligible for the Critical Worker Benefit Sessional Paper 610/2020-21

Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Child and Youth Advocate Act, cC-11.5, s9.1(5):

Office of the Child and Youth Advocate Alberta Mandatory Reviews into Child Deaths, April 1, 2020, to September 30, 2020

Sessional Paper 611/2020-21

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#### **Tablings to the Clerk**

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Mr. Kenney, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations:

Supplemental response to a question raised by Ms Notley, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, March 10, 2021, Ministry of Executive Council 2021-22 Main Estimates debate

Sessional Paper 612/2020-21

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Third Reading**

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

Bill 60 Appropriation Act, 2021 (\$) - Hon. Mr. Toews

A debate followed.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(5), at 4:15 p.m. the Acting Speaker interrupted the proceedings and immediately put the question on the Appropriation Bill standing on the Order Paper for Third Reading, which was agreed to. With Mr. Milliken in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 33

Aheer	Issik	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)
Allard	Jones	Panda
Amery	Kenney	Savage
Armstrong-Homeniuk	Loewen	Schow
Barnes	Long	Sigurdson (Highwood)
Copping	Lovely	Smith
Dreeshen	Madu	Toews
Ellis	Nally	Toor
Fir	Neudorf	van Dijken
Goodridge	Nicolaides	Williams
Horner	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Yaseen
Against the motion: 8		
Bilous	Eggen	Shepherd
Carson	Goehring	Sweet
Deol	Sabir	

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 60 Appropriation Act, 2021 (\$) — Hon. Mr. Toews

# Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Orders 3(6) and 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 4:33 p.m. until Tuesday, April 6, 2021, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper, Speaker

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