



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 124

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, November 4, 2021

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

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 78 Alberta Housing Amendment Act, 2021 — Hon. Ms Pon

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 77 Municipal Government (Restoring Tax Accountability) Amendment Act,
2021 — Hon. Mr. McIver

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Ms Phillips speaking.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2.1), the Assembly adjourned at 12:00 p.m. until
1:30 p.m.

ROUTINE

Ministerial Statements

Hon. Mr. Nally, Associate Minister of Natural Gas and Electricity, made a statement regarding hydrogen and its potential as a driver of economic growth in Alberta.

Mr. Bilous, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Beverly-Clareview, commented on the statement.

Members' Statements

Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West, made a statement regarding Government actions during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr. Toor, Hon. Member for Calgary-Falconridge, made a statement regarding Bandi Chhor Divas.

Ms Lovely, Hon. Member for Camrose, made a statement regarding the oil and gas industry in the Camrose constituency.

Ms Sweet, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement regarding the need for Government leadership in the agricultural sector.

Mr. Rutherford, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement regarding Remembrance Day.

Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, made a statement regarding the 37th anniversary of the Sikh genocide.

Mr. Rowswell, Hon. Member for Vermilion-Lloydminster-Wainwright, made a statement regarding COVID-19 related masking policies for school buses.

Mrs. Aheer, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Strathmore, made a statement regarding the need to support those who make disclosures with respect to sexual harassment.

Mr. Barnes, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat, made a statement regarding recent Government actions.

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(8), Hon. Ms Issik, Associate Minister of Status of Women, provided notice to the Assembly that the Daily Routine shall continue beyond 3:00 p.m.

Notices of Motions

Mr. Schow, Deputy Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the intention to introduce the following Bills:

Bill 83 Environmental Protection and Enhancement Amendment Act, 2021 — Hon. Mr. Nixon

Bill 84 Business Corporations Amendment Act, 2021 — Hon. Mr. Glubish

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 80 Red Tape Reduction Implementation Act, 2021 (No. 2) — Hon. Ms Fir

Bill 81 Election Statutes Amendment Act, 2021 (No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Madu

Bill 82 Mineral Resource Development Act — Hon. Mrs. Savage

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Ms Fir, Associate Minister of Red Tape Reduction, pursuant to the Red Tape Reduction Act, cR-8.2, s2(2):

Red Tape Reduction Annual Report 2020-2021

Sessional Paper 857/2020-21

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie:

American Bar Association website article dated February 22, 2014, entitled “Observations on Captive Insurance Companies: 10 Worst and 10 Best Things,” relating to comments made by MLA Loyola during Second Reading debate on Bill 76, Captive Insurance Companies Act, on November 3, 2021

Sessional Paper 858/2020-21

Hon. Mr. Cooper, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, pursuant to the Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Act, cP-39.5, s33(2):

Public Interest Commissioner of Alberta 2020-21 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 859/2020-21

Tablings to the Clerk

Clerk of the Assembly on behalf of Hon. Min. LaGrange, Minister of Education, pursuant to the Teaching Profession Act, cT-2, s15(2):

Alberta Teachers’ Association 2020 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 860/2020-21

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 75 Arts Professions Recognition Act — Hon. Mr. Orr

Debate continued on the amendment introduced by Ms Gray, Official Opposition House Leader, on October 27, 2021, that the Bill be amended by deleting all of the words after “that” and substituting the following:

Bill 75, Arts Professions Recognition Act, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Alberta’s Economic Future in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

Sessional Paper 843/2020-21

The question being put, the amendment was defeated.

Debate continued on the main motion.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

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

Bill 75 Arts Professions Recognition Act — Hon. Mr. Orr

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Schow, Deputy Government House Leader, and pursuant to Standing Orders 3(6) and 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 4:28 p.m. until Monday, November 15, 2021, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker