



**Legislative Assembly  
Province of Alberta**

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## **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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Thursday, December 2, 2021

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

### **Government Bills and Orders**

#### **Third Reading**

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

Bill 87 Electoral Divisions (Calgary-Bhullar-McCall) Amendment Act, 2021 —  
Hon. Mr. McIver on behalf of Hon. Mr. Nixon

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

Upon three Members rising to request a division, Hon. Mr. Ellis, Associate Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, provided notice to the Assembly that the division on the motion would be deferred to this afternoon during the Daily Routine, pursuant to Standing Order 32.1.

#### **Committee of the Whole**

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

(Assembly in Committee)

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

The following Bill was reported:

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

### **Third Reading**

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

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Progress was reported on the following Bill:

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

Mr. Hunter, Acting Chair of Committees, tabled copies of an amendment considered by Committee of the Whole on this date for the official records of the Assembly.

Amendment to Bill 78 (A1) (Official Opposition House Leader on behalf of the Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview) — Adjourned  
Sessional Paper 926/2020-21

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Hon. Ms Issik, Associate Minister of Status of Women, the Assembly adjourned at 11:56 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2021 — 1:30 P.M.

## **ROUTINE**

### **Ministerial Statements**

Hon. Mr. Kenney, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations, made a statement regarding Manmeet Bhullar, Member for Calgary-Montrose, 2008 to 2012, and Calgary-Greenway, 2012 to 2015, who tragically passed away on November 23, 2015.

Mr. Sabir, Hon. Member for Calgary-McCall, commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Standing Order 7(8), Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, provided notice to the Assembly that the Daily Routine shall continue beyond 3:00 p.m.

## **Members' Statements**

Ms Ganley, Hon. Member for Calgary-Mountain View, made a statement regarding the work of female Official Opposition Members to stand up for Albertans.

Mr. Singh, Hon. Member for Calgary-East, made a statement recognizing the life and legacy of Manmeet Bhullar, former Member of the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Gotfried, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fish Creek, made a statement regarding Hanukkah.

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert, made a statement regarding the International Day of Persons with Disabilities.

Mr. Williams, Hon. Member for Peace River, made a statement regarding Alberta Health Services vaccination policies for healthcare workers.

Mr. Shepherd, Hon. Member for Edmonton-City Centre, made a statement regarding Government policies and actions concerning health care.

Mr. Nixon, Hon. Member for Calgary-Klein, made a statement regarding the Government's economic recovery plan.

Mr. Barnes, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat, made a statement regarding federal and provincial economic policies.

Ms Rosin, Hon. Member for Banff-Kananaskis, made a statement regarding the Kananaskis Conservation Pass and Bill 79, Trails Act.

## **Notices of Motions**

Hon. Mr. Nixon, Government House Leader, gave oral notice of the following motions:

**109.** Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 78, Alberta Housing Amendment Act, 2021, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Committee of the Whole, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

**110.** Be it resolved that when further consideration of Bill 78, Alberta Housing Amendment Act, 2021, is resumed, not more than one hour shall be allotted to any further consideration of the Bill in Third Reading, at which time every question necessary for the disposal of the Bill at this stage shall be put forthwith.

## **Tabling Returns and Reports**

Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora:

FOIP request for calendar entries dated August 3 to 29, 2021, from the calendar of Hon. Min. LaGrange, Minister of Education, as Acting Minister of Health  
Sessional Paper 927/2020-21

Copy of a petition containing over 100 signatures urging the Legislative Assembly to cancel Diploma Exams and Provincial Achievement Tests for the remainder of the pandemic

Sessional Paper 928/2020-21

Hon. Mr. Madu, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General:

Edmonton Journal website article dated December 1, 2021, entitled “Former ASIRT executive director contradicts justice minister’s claim that she did not resign,” relating to comments made by Hon. Mr. Madu during Oral Question Period on December 1, 2021

Sessional Paper 929/2020-21

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie:

Report dated February 21, 2019, entitled “The Importance of Well-Crafted Corporate Opportunity Waivers in Private Equity and Venture Capital Investments,” prepared by Troutman Pepper Hamilton Sanders LLP, relating to comments made by MLA Loyola during Committee of the Whole consideration of Bill 84, Business Corporations Amendment Act, 2021, on December 2, 2021

Sessional Paper 930/2020-21

Report dated June 29, 2021, entitled “The Waiver Fiduciary Duties in Delaware,” prepared by Romano Law, relating to comments made by MLA Loyola during Committee of the Whole consideration of Bill 84, Business Corporations Amendment Act, 2021, on December 2, 2021

Sessional Paper 931/2020-21

## **Deferred Divisions**

Pursuant to Standing Order 32.1, the division deferred during the morning sitting on December 2, 2021, was held on the motion for Third reading of the following Bill:

Bill 87 Electoral Divisions (Calgary-Bhullar-McCall) Amendment Act, 2021 —  
Hon. Mr. Nixon

The motion was agreed to. With Mrs. Pitt in the Chair, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion: 68

Amery	Hunter	Rosin
Armstrong-Homeniuk	Irwin	Rowswell
Barnes	Jones	Savage
Carson	Kenney	Schmidt
Ceci	LaGrange	Schow
Copping	Loewen	Schulz
Dach	Long	Schweitzer
Dang	Lovely	Shandro
Deol	Loyola	Shepherd
Dreeshen	Luan	Sigurdson (Edmonton-Riverview)
Eggen	Madu	Singh
Ellis	Milliken	Smith
Feehan	Nally	Stephan
Fir	Nicolaides	Toews
Frey	Nielsen	Toor
Getson	Nixon (Calgary-Klein)	Turton
Glubish	Nixon (Rimbey-Rocky Mtn. House-Sundre)	van Dijken
Goehring	Orr	Walker
Gotfried	Pancholi	Williams
Gray	Pon	Wilson
Hanson	Rehn	Yao
Hoffman	Reid	Yaseen
Horner	Renaud	

Against the motion: 0

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 87 Electoral Divisions (Calgary-Bhullar-McCall) Amendment Act, 2021 —  
Hon. Mr. Nixon

## **Royal Assent**

Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

The Deputy Speaker addressed Her Honour in the following words:

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly has, at its present sitting, passed certain Bills to which, and in the name of the Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the title of the Bills that had been passed as follows:

- 49 Labour Mobility Act
- 74 Advanced Education Statutes Amendment Act, 2021
- 75 Arts Professions Recognition Act
- 76 Captive Insurance Companies Act
- 77 Municipal Government (Restoring Tax Accountability) Amendment Act, 2021
- 82 Mineral Resource Development Act
- 83 Environmental Protection and Enhancement Amendment Act, 2021
- 84 Business Corporations Amendment Act, 2021
- 85 Education Statutes (Students First) Amendment Act, 2021
- 87 Electoral Divisions (Calgary-Bhullar-McCall) Amendment Act, 2021
- 207 Reservists' Recognition Act

To these Bills, Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Assembly in the following words:

In Her Majesty's name, Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills.

Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then provided some festive remarks to the Assembly.

Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Assembly.

## **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

### **Government Motions**

**104.** Oral notice having been given November 29, 2021, moved by Hon. Mr. Nixon:

Be it resolved that the Legislative Assembly

1. condemn David Suzuki's comments on pipelines as reported by the National Post,
2. condemn any comments made calling for the intentional destruction of energy infrastructure, and
3. unequivocally condemn incitements of violent eco-terrorism.

Debate continued on the amendment introduced by Mr. Turton, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Stony Plain, on November 30, 2021, that the motion be amended by

- (a) striking out “and” at the end of section 2, and
- (b) adding the following immediately after section 3:
  - 4. express solidarity with the 20 First Nations Band Councils and their communities situated along the approved route of the Coastal GasLink pipeline project, including those representing Wet’suwet’en people, in their negotiations for project agreements that would support those communities,
  - 5. express its support for the Coastal GasLink pipeline project and the LNG Canada project, and
  - 6. express its opposition to illegal activities that seek to disrupt the construction of the Coastal GasLink pipeline project.

Sessional Paper 912/2020-21

Mrs. Frey moved adjournment of the debate on the amendment, which was agreed to.

### **Adjournment**

On motion by Mrs. Frey, Hon. Member for Brooks-Medicine Hat, the Assembly adjourned at 3:52 p.m. until Monday, December 6, 2021, at 1:30 p.m.

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Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,  
Speaker