



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 22

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Third Session

Thirtieth Legislature

Thursday, April 21, 2022

The Acting 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 18 Utility Commodity Rebate Act — Hon. Mr. Nally

A debate followed.

Hon. Ms Issik moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Third Reading

The following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

Bill 9 Public's Right to Know Act — Hon. Mr. Shandro

Second Reading

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

Bill 12 Trustee Act — Hon. Mr. Shandro

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Neudorf, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-East, the Assembly adjourned at 11:58 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 2022 — 1:30 PM

ROUTINE

Speaker's Statement – 96th Birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

The Speaker made a statement in recognition of the 96th birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Members' Statements

Mr. Eggen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-North West, made a statement recognizing the efforts of Albertans to support Ukrainian refugees.

Mr. Turton, Hon. Member for Spruce Grove-Stony Plain, made a statement regarding the Balancing Pool.

Mr. van Dijken, Hon. Member for Athabasca-Barrhead-Westlock, made a statement regarding the federal carbon tax.

Mr. Nielsen, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Decore, made a statement regarding the lack of Government action to address high utility costs.

Mr. Schow, Hon. Member for Cardston-Siksika, made a statement regarding recent actions and comments by the New Democratic Party opposition.

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, made a statement regarding the Ramadan Basket fundraising initiative.

Mr. Milliken, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie, made a statement regarding the Umoja Community Mosaic.

Mr. Smith, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Devon, made a statement regarding the recent invasion of Ukraine by Russia and recognizing the efforts of Albertans to aid the people of Ukraine.

Mr. Loewen, Hon. Member for Central Peace-Notley, made a statement regarding recent actions of the Premier.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Notice having been given:

Bill 17 Labour Statutes Amendment Act, 2022 — Hon. Mr. Madu

Bill 19 Condominium Property Amendment Act, 2022 — Hon. Mr. Glubish

Bill 20 Justice Statutes Amendment Act, 2022 — Hon. Mr. Shandro

Tabling Returns and Reports

Mr. Schmidt, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar:

2 e-mail messages, one dated February 11, 2022, from Deb Kardash to Mr. Schmidt, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, and one dated February 15, 2022, from Lindsay Matheson to Mr. Schmidt, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar, expressing concern regarding high utility costs

Sessional Paper 64/2022

MLA Loyola, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie:

Document, undated, entitled “Sentencing circles,” relating to comments made by MLA Loyola during Second Reading debate on Bill 18, Utility Commodity Rebate Act, on April 21, 2022

Sessional Paper 65/2022

Ms Phillips, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West:

CBC News website article dated November 26, 2009, entitled “Bill 50 passes final reading”

Sessional Paper 66/2022

CBC News website article dated April 21, 2011, entitled “NDP warns power bills to nearly double”

Sessional Paper 67/2022

CBC News website article dated May 9, 2011, entitled “Alta. ignored consumer group warnings, NDP charges”

Sessional Paper 68/2022

Document dated April 2022, entitled “Energy & Environmental Policy Trends,” prepared by the School of Public Policy, University of Calgary

Sessional Paper 69/2022

Temporary Recess

The Speaker recessed the Assembly at 2:51 p.m. until 3:05 p.m.

Royal Assent

Her Honour the Administrator, having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

The 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:

- 2 Financial Statutes Amendment Act, 2022 (\$)
- 4 Municipal Government (Face Mask and Proof of COVID-19 Vaccination Bylaws) Amendment Act, 2022
- 5 Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2022
- 6 Emblems of Alberta Amendment Act, 2022
- 9 Public's Right to Know 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 Administrator doth assent to these Bills.

Her Honour the Administrator then retired from the Assembly.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 15 Education (Reforming Teacher Profession Discipline) Amendment Act, 2022 — Hon. Min. LaGrange

A debate followed.

Mrs. Allard moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Adjournment

On motion by Mr. Schow, Deputy Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 4:28 p.m. until Monday, April 25, 2022, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Nathan M. Cooper,
Speaker