



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 8

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Thirty-First Legislature

Wednesday, November 5, 2025

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

Members' Statements

Mrs. Sawyer, Hon. Member for Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills, made a statement regarding the recent election of the Yukon Party and its leader, Currie Dixon.

Hon. Ms Lori Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview, made a statement regarding the Back to School Act.

Mr. Lundy, Hon. Member for Leduc-Beaumont, made a statement regarding comments and actions of the Leader of the Official Opposition.

Ms Sweet, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Manning, made a statement regarding comments and actions of the Premier.

Hon. Mr. Guthrie, Hon. Member for Airdrie-Cochrane, made a statement regarding allegations of political interference in public sector procurement practices.

MLA Gurinder Brar, Hon. Member for Calgary-North East, made a statement regarding the 556th birthday of Guru Nanak Dev Ji.

Notices of Motions

Pursuant to Government Motion 4, agreed to on October 27, 2025, Hon. Mr. Williams, Deputy Government House Leader, on behalf of Hon. Mr. Schow, Government House Leader, advised the Assembly that there would be no evening sitting today.

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

Bill 8 Utilities Statutes Amendment Act, 2025 — Hon. Mr. Neudorf

Bill 9 Protecting Alberta's Children Status Amendment Act, 2025* — Hon. Mr. Amery

**Unanimous consent to revert to Notices of Motions to correct the title of Bill 9 was not granted.*

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Sigurdson, Minister of Agriculture and Irrigation:

Pursuant to the Agriculture Financial Services Act, cA-12, s15(2), Agriculture Financial Services Corporation 2024-2025 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 82/2025

Pursuant to the Livestock Identification and Commerce Act, sL-16.2, s90(3), Livestock Identification Services Ltd., Report to the Minister and Summary of Activities, April 1, 2024, to March 31, 2025

Sessional Paper 83/2025

Pursuant to the Farm Implement and Dealership Act, cF-7, s42(2), Farmers' Advocate Office Annual Report 2024-2025

Sessional Paper 84/2025

Pursuant to the Marketing of Agricultural Products Act, cM-4, s14(2), Alberta Agricultural Products Marketing Council Annual Report 2024-2025

Sessional Paper 85/2025

MLA Calahoo Stonehouse, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Rutherford:

Samson Cree Nation news release dated October 29, 2025, entitled "Samson Cree Nation's Intervenor Status and Treaty Position Regarding Alberta Separation"

Sessional Paper 86/2025

Hon. Mr. Yaseen, Associate Minister of Multiculturalism, pursuant to the Foreign Credential Advisory Committee Act, cF-16.5, 7(2):

Foreign Credential Advisory Committee Final Report, June 27, 2025

Sessional Paper 87/2025

Hon. Mr. Guthrie, Hon. Member for Airdrie-Cochrane:

Document, undated, entitled "Breach of Privilege by the Government House Leader, Member for Cardston-Siksika, Joseph Schow," prepared by Hon. Mr. Guthrie, relating to the purported point of privilege raised by Hon. Mr. Guthrie on October 30, 2025

Sessional Paper 88/2025

MLA Arcand-Paul, Hon. Member for Edmonton-West Henday:

Letter dated October 6, 2025, from Maureen Nyce, Elected Chief Councillor, Haisla Nation, to Hon. Ms Smith, Premier, President of Executive Council, and Minister of Intergovernmental Relations, expressing concern regarding a recently announced proposal for an oil pipeline to Canada's west coast

Sessional Paper 89/2025

Mr. Wright, Hon. Member for Cypress-Medicine Hat:

The Bureau website article, undated, entitled "Largest Meth Seizure in New Zealand History Arrived in Maple Syrup Bottles from Vancouver"

Sessional Paper 90/2025

Hon. Ms Lori Sigurdson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Riverview:

Copies of 4 postcards from teachers to Hon. Ms Lori Sigurdson, expressing concern regarding Government policies affecting public education

Sessional Paper 91/2025

Ms Hayter, Hon. Member for Calgary-Edgemont:

E-mail message dated October 9, 2025, from Lisa Armstrong to Hon. Mr. Nicolaides, Minister of Education and Childcare, expressing concern regarding Government policies affecting the public education system

Sessional Paper 92/2025

Excerpt from a book entitled "The Pink Tax," relating to comments made by Ms Hayter during Second Reading debate on Bill 201, Employment Standards (Protecting Workers' Pay) Amendment Act, 2025, on November 3, 2025

Sessional Paper 93/2025

MLA Eremenko, Hon. Member for Calgary-Currie:

E-mail message dated October 21, 2025, sender's name redacted, to MLA Eremenko, expressing concern regarding the Back to School Act

Sessional Paper 94/2025

MLA Kayande, Hon. Member for Calgary-Elbow:

Alberta Economic Dashboard chart, undated, entitled "Consumer price index," prepared by the Government of Alberta

Sessional Paper 95/2025

5 letters expressing concern regarding Government policies affecting transgender youth

Sessional Paper 96/2025

MLA Irwin, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Highlands-Norwood:

E-mail message dated September 8, 2025, from Natalie to Mr. Nenshi, Hon. Leader of the Official Opposition, and MLA Irwin, expressing support for caps on rent increases

Sessional Paper 97/2025

Hon. Ms Hoffman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora:

Letter, undated, from Shelley to Hon. Ms Hoffman, expressing concern regarding long wait times for prostate cancer treatment

Sessional Paper 98/2025

MLA Miyashiro, Hon. Member for Lethbridge-West:

Report, undated, entitled "Report to the Community 2024," prepared by the Green Acres Foundation

Sessional Paper 99/2025

4 e-mail messages expressing concern regarding the Back to School Act

Sessional Paper 100/2025

E-mail message dated September 19, 2025, from Taryn to MLA Miyashiro, expressing concern regarding the Government's policies affecting transgender youth and its effect on girls in sports

Sessional Paper 101/2025

Mr. Ellingson, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills:

E-mail message dated October 20, 2025, from Lisa to Mr. Ellingson, expressing concern regarding the Back to School Act

Sessional Paper 102/2025

Ms Renaud, Hon. Member for St. Albert:

E-mail message dated October 14, 2025, sender's name redacted, to Ms Renaud, expressing concern regarding a lack of Government funding for the Family Support for Children with Disabilities program

Sessional Paper 103/2025

MLA Tejada, Hon. Member for Calgary-Klein:

Letter dated April 16, 2025, unaddressed, from a teacher in Rocky View Schools, expressing concern regarding Government policies affecting public education

Sessional Paper 104/2025

Mr. Dach, Hon. Member for Edmonton-McClung:

E-mail message dated October 10, 2025, from Nathan Woodward to Mr. Dach, expressing concern regarding the need for more funding to support children requiring aid at school and daycare

Sessional Paper 105/2025

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 3 Private Vocational Training Amendment Act, 2025 — Hon. Mr. McDougall

A debate followed.

The question being put, the motion was agreed to.

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

Bill 4 Public Safety and Emergency Services Statutes Amendment Act, 2025
(No. 2) — Hon. Mr. Ellis

A debate followed.

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

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

Bill 7 Water Amendment Act, 2025 — Hon. Ms Schulz

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned, Hon. Mr. Schmidt speaking.

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

Bill 3 Private Vocational Training Amendment Act, 2025 — Hon. Mr. McDougall

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until Thursday, November 6, 2025, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ric McIver,
Speaker

Title: Wednesday, November 5, 2025