



No. 4

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

SECOND SESSION—TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, October 31, 2017

1:30 p.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

Petitions of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following members: Belanger, Michelson, Sproule, Forbes, Mowat, and McCall.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to order and pursuant to rule 16(7), petitions from residents of the province of Saskatchewan, requesting the following action, were read and received:

To stop the plan to sell-off Saskatchewan housing units.

(Sessional paper no. 22)

To provide main street access to highway 1 in Balgonie.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 16)

To stop the federal government from imposing a carbon tax on the province.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 17)

To reopen the Buffalo Narrows correctional center.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 19)

To reverse cuts to education.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 20)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS / DÉPÔT DE PROJETS DE LOI

The following bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés, lus une première fois, et la deuxième lecture en est fixée à la prochaine séance:

Bill No. 72—The Privacy Amendment Act, 2017

(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

Bill No. 73—The Insurance Amendment Act, 2017

(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

Bill No. 74—The Evidence Amendment Act, 2017

Projet de loi n° 74—Loi modificative de 2017 sur la preuve

(Hon. Mr. / L'hon. M. Morgan)

Bill No. 75—The Electronic Communications Convention Implementation Act

Projet de loi n° 75—Loi de mise en œuvre de la Convention sur les communications électroniques

(Hon. Mr. / L'hon. M. Morgan)

MOTION FOR ADDRESS IN REPLY

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Ms. Carr, seconded by Mr. Nerlien, moved:

That an Humble Address be presented to Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

TO HER HONOUR THE HONOURABLE VAUGHN SOLOMON SCHOFIELD

Lieutenant Governor of the province of Saskatchewan

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the province of Saskatchewan, in session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session,

and the proposed amendment moved by Ms. Sproule, seconded by Ms. Mowat:

That the motion be amended by adding the following:

And, That this Assembly does not support the Sask Party's unambitious agenda that ignores the realities faced by Saskatchewan families and focuses on backtracking, bravado and revisionist history, instead of creating jobs, strengthening the North and rural Saskatchewan, making life more affordable, or investing in our kids classrooms, health care and supports for seniors and our most vulnerable.

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, the Assembly recessed from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

The debate being resumed on the motion and the amendment, pursuant to rule 6(7), the Speaker adjourned the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Corey Tochor
Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS, AND PAPERS TABLED

The following paper was laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Marit:

Saskatchewan Grain Car Corporation:

2016–17 annual report

2016–17 payee information

(Sessional paper no. 23)

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS

On Thursday:

Hon. Mr. Hargrave to move first reading of Bill No. 81—The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2017

Hon. Mr. Hargrave to move first reading of Bill No. 82—The SaskEnergy Amendment Act, 2017

Hon. Mr. Duncan to move first reading of Bill No. 83—The Environmental Management and Protection Amendment Act, 2017

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR A SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

On Thursday:

Mr. Harrison to move the following motion:

That this Assembly commends the Government of Saskatchewan for saving taxpayers' money by reducing the cost of government travel spending by 68 per cent and reducing the cost of communications spending by 11 per cent since 2006–07.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

On Thursday:

Ms. Beck to move the following motion:

That this Assembly does not support the wind up or sell off of any Crown corporations, listed with *The Crown Corporation Public Ownership Act* without first consulting the true owners of the Crown corporations, the people of Saskatchewan, through a referendum.

NOTICE OF PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Opposition)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

Ms. Beck to move the following motion:

That this Assembly does not support the wind up or sell off of any Crown corporations, listed with *The Crown Corporation Public Ownership Act* without first consulting the true owners of the Crown corporations, the people of Saskatchewan, through a referendum.

No. 2 (Government)

Not submitted—Item of business determined pursuant to Rule 24(4).

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 2 and are to be answered by day no. 7:

Question no. 1 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, for each year since 2007, how many reservists have been able to qualify under *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave?

Question no. 2 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, for each year since 2007, how many inquiries has the ministry received regarding *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave?

Question no. 3 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister Responsible for the Public Service Commission, how many reservists have been able to qualify under *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 4 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister Responsible for the Public Service Commission, how many inquiries has the Commission received regarding *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 5 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Finance, how many reservists have been able to qualify under *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 6 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Finance, how many inquiries has the Commission received regarding *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 7 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Education, how many reservists have been able to qualify under *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 8 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Education, how many inquiries has the Commission received regarding *The Saskatchewan Employment Act*, sub division 11, section 2–5, reserve force service leave since 2007?

Question no. 9 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, how many Workers' Compensation Board (WCB) claims of psychological injury have been reported to date in 2017?

Question no. 10 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, how many WCB claims of psychological injury have been accepted to date in 2017?

Question no. 11 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, what has been the time loss due to WCB claim of psychological injury to date in 2017?

Question no. 12 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, what has been the average duration in days due to WCB claims of psychological injury to date in 2017?

Question no. 13 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, how many WCB claims of psychological injury have been accepted that had no time loss to date in 2017?

Question no. 14 (Mr. Forbes):

To the Minister of Labour Relations and Workplace Safety, how many WCB claims of psychological injury have been disallowed to date in 2017?

Question no. 15 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Minister of Economy, what incentives have been offered or provided to Yancoal Canada for the Yancoal Southey project?

Question no. 16 (Ms. Beck):

To the Minister of Education, for each school division, what is the student enrolment for 2017–18?

Question no. 17 (Ms. Beck):

To the Minister of Education, for each school division, what was the average class size in 2012–13, 2013–14, 2014–15, 2015–16, 2016–17, and 2017–18?

Question no. 18 (Ms. Beck):

To the Minister of Education, for each school division, what was the maximum class size in 2012–13, 2013–14, 2014–15, 2015–16, 2016–17, and 2017–18?

The following question was given notice on day no. 4 and is to be answered by day no. 9

Question no. 19 (Ms. Beck):

To the Minister of Education, for each school division, what was the average student-to-teacher ratio for 2006/07, 2007/08, 2008/09, 2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14, 2014/15, 2015/16, and 2016/17?