

No. 46

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

THIRD SESSION — TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Monday, April 8, 2019

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: Steele, Wotherspoon, Sproule, Forbes, Sarauer, and Pedersen.

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 federal government from imposing a carbon tax on the province.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 16)

To immediately call for a judicial inquiry and forensic audit into the GTH (Global Transportation Hub) land deal.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 25)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The minister, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, the following bill was introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 171 — The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2019

(Hon. Ms. Harpauer)

REFERRAL OF BILL NO. 139 TO THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Brkich, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That Bill No. 139 — The Foreign Worker Recruitment and Immigration Services Amendment Act, 2018, be withdrawn from the Standing Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice and committed to the Standing Committee on Human Services.

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The order of the day being called for question nos. 73 to 74, pursuant to rule 21(6), the questions were converted and orders for return were issued. (see appendix)

SECOND READINGS / DEUXIÈME LECTURE

Bill No. 168 — The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2019 Projet de loi nº 168 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur les juges de paix

The Hon. Mr. Morgan, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 168 — The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

L'hon. M. Morgan, membre du Conseil exécutif, fait savoir à l'Assemblée que Son Honneur le Lieutenant gouverneur, ayant été informé de l'objet du projet de loi, le recommande à la considération de l'Assemblée et propose: Que le projet de loi nº 168 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur les juges de paix soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

Il s'élève un débat et sur motion de M. Belanger, le débat est ajourné.

Bill No. 169 — The Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency Act

The Hon. Mr. Kaeding, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 169 — The Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency Act be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

Bill No. 170 — The Mineral Taxation Amendment Act, 2019

The Hon. Ms. Eyre, a member of the Executive Council, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the bill, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly, moved: That Bill No. 170 — The Mineral Taxation Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Belanger, adjourned.

ADJOURNED DEBATES / DÉBATS AJOURNÉS

Bill No. 165 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 2018

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 165 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 2018 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time.

By designation of the Hon. Mr. Brkich, in accordance with rule 85, Bill No. 165 — The Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 2018 was committed to the Standing Committee on Human Services.

Bill No. 160 — The Trespass to Property Amendment Act, 2018

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 160 — The Trespass to Property Amendment Act, 2018 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette, adjourned.

Bill No. 161 — The Trespass to Property Consequential Amendments Act, 2018 Projet de loi no 161 — Loi de 2018 corrélative de la loi intitulée The Trespass to Property Amendment Act, 2018

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 161 — The Trespass to Property Consequential Amendments Act, 2018 be now read a second time.

L'Assemblée reprend le débat ajourné sur la motion de l'hon. M. Morgan: Que le projet de loi no 161 — Loi de 2018 corrélative de la loi intitulée The Trespass to Property Amendment Act, 2018 sur l'éducation soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette, adjourned.

Le débat se poursuit et sur motion de M. Vermette, il est ajourné.

On motion of the Hon, Mr. Brkich:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 3:18 p.m. until Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Mark Docherty Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS, AND PAPERS TABLED

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

Bylaws, rules, and regulations of the following professional associations and amendments thereto under provisions of the respective Acts:

College of Physicians and Surgeons of the province of Saskatchewan

Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants of Saskatchewan

Law Society of Saskatchewan

Saskatchewan Association of Architects

Saskatchewan Association of Medical Radiation Technologists

Saskatchewan College of Pharmacy Professionals

Saskatchewan College of Physical Therapists

Saskatchewan College of Podiatrists

Saskatchewan College of Respiratory Therapists

Saskatchewan Institute of Agrologists

Saskatchewan Veterinary Medical Association

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 52)

QUESTIONS ORDERED FOR RETURN

The following written questions were converted and orders for return were issued:

Return no. 40 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, in terms of public health inspections, for each fiscal year since 2006–07, (a) the number of plumbing permits that were issued, (b) the number of plumbing inspections that took place, (c) the changes that have been made to the Saskatchewan plumbing regulations and the rationale for each, (d) the number of times certificates of approval for plumbing were issued to the owner or permit holder without having inspections take place, (e) the number of health inspections that took place (by category), (f) the staffing complement for health inspectors, (g) the number of facilities that were inspected, (h) the fee structure for individuals/business owners requiring inspections, (i) the number of public education courses that have been run, including total number of students, through public health inspectors, and (j) the number of education courses that have been run through private companies, including total number of students, by public health inspectors.

Return no. 41 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, in terms of public health inspections, (a) for restaurant inspections, the process followed when a restaurant fails an inspection or has repeated violations, and (b) if services formerly delivered by public health inspectors have been contracted out, if so, when, where, and to whom.

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following question was given notice on day no. 44 and is to be answered by day no. 49:

Question no. 75 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, for each type of medical transportation covered by the Ministry of Health, (a) how many trips were covered for each in each fiscal year 2015–16, and (b) what was the total cost in each category in each fiscal year since 2015–16?

The following question was given notice on day no. 46 and is to be answered by day no. 51:

Question no. 76 (Ms. Chartier):

To the Minister of Health, in terms of the \$11.4M allocated in 2018–19 for new targeted investments in mental health services that was not spent because programs and services were not functioning for the full fiscal year, (a) how much, if any, was carried forward to the current fiscal year, (b) where was this funding allocated, (c) which organizations received year-end funding, (d) how much did each organization receive, and (e) what programs, projects, goods, services, and capital upgrades received previously unplanned funding?