

No. 27

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FOURTH SESSION—TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, March 3, 2020

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: Cox, Wotherspoon, Sarauer, Forbes, Beck, and Mowat.

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 reinstate PST exemption on construction.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 4)

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

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 5)

To raise the minimum wage to \$15 an hour for all workers.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 6)

To immediately fix the crisis in our classrooms

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 25)

To fund and execute a plan to reduce and end emergency wait times.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 30)

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE RAPPORT DU COMITÉ PERMANENT DES AFFAIRES INTERGOUVERNEMENTALES ET DE LA JUSTICE

The following bills were reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole on Bills having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, they were read the third time and passed:

Les projets de loi suivants sont rapportés sans amendement et avec la permission de l'Assemblée de passer outre au renvoi au Comité plénier sur les projets de loi, sont lus une troisième fois et adoptés:

Bill No. 174 — The Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 2019 Projet de loi nº 174 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur l'exécution des ordonnances alimentaires

Bill No. 176 — The Fiduciaries Access to Digital Information Act Projet de loi nº 176 — Loi sur l'accès des fiduciaux à l'information numérique

Bill No. 177 — The Miscellaneous Statutes (Electronic Register) Amendment Act, 2019

Bill No. 175 — The Marriage Amendment Act, 2019 Projet de loi nº 175 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur le mariage

Bill No. 188 — The Public Guardian and Trustee Amendment Act, 2019

ADJOURNED DEBATES / DÉBATS AJOURNÉS

Bill No. 189 — The Coroners Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 189 — The Coroners Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 194 — The Miscellaneous Municipal Statutes Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Carr: That Bill No. 194 — The Miscellaneous Municipal Statutes Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 195 — The Lobbyists Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 195 — The Lobbyists Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 196 — The Members' Conflict of Interest Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 196 — The Members' Conflict of Interest Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Beck, adjourned.

Bill No. 197 — The Automobile Accident Insurance Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Hargrave: That Bill No. 197 — The Automobile Accident Insurance Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Sproule, adjourned.

Bill No. 198 — The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2019

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Hargrave: That Bill No. 198 — The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 199 — The Opioid Damages and Health Care Costs Recovery Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Reiter: That Bill No. 199 — The Opioid Damages and Health Care Costs Recovery Act be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 201 — The Alcohol and Gaming Regulation Amendment Act, 2019 Projet de loi nº 201 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur la réglementation des boissons alcoolisées et des jeux de hasard

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Makowsky: That Bill No. 201 — The Alcohol and Gaming Regulation Amendment Act, 2019 be now read a second time.

L'Assemblée reprend le débat ajourné sur la motion de l'hon. M. Makowsky: Que le projet de loi n° 201 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur la réglementation des boissons alcoolisées et des jeux de hasard soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Rancourt, adjourned.

Le débat se poursuit et sur motion de Mme Rancourt, il est ajourné.

Bill No. 203 — The Financial Planners and Financial Advisors Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 203 — The Financial Planners and Financial Advisors Act be now read a second time.

The debate continuing, it was on motion of Ms. Mowat, adjourned.

Bill No. 204 — The Jury Amendment Act, 2019 Projet de loi nº 204 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur le jury

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 204 — The Jury Amendment Act, 2019 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 n° 204 — Loi modificative de 2019 sur le jury soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

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

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

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Merriman:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 3:52 p.m. until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Mark Docherty Speaker

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR A SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

On Thursday:

Ms. Sproule to move the following motion:

That this Assembly supports public healthcare and condemns government statements supporting Americanstyle private healthcare where patients pay to access care.

NOTICE OF PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Government)

ADJOURNED DEBATES

On the proposed **motion no. 1** moved by Ms. Young:

That this Assembly condemns federal NDP leader, Jagmeet Singh, and other federal leaders for their antipipeline positions.

(Mr. Steele) Adjourned twice

No. 2 (Opposition)

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

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 24 and are to be answered by day no. 29:

Ouestion no. 99 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Government, (a) what expenses were incurred for the Premier's 2019 agribition reception held in the rotunda of the Legislature, and (b) where are these expenses accounted in the budget or public accounts?

Question no. 100 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Government, what were the criteria for selecting invitees to the Premier's 2019 agribition reception?

Question no. 101 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Government, for each of the past 10 fiscal years including current to date, (a) what expenses were incurred for Premier's dinners, and (b) where are the expenses for these accounted for in the budget or public accounts?

Ouestion no. 102 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Government, for each of the past 10 fiscal years including current to date, (a) what expenses were incurred for receptions and other government-hosted events, and (b) where are the expenses for these accounted for in the budget or public accounts?

The following questions were given notice on day no. 26 and are to be answered by day no. 31:

Question no. 103 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, how many people have been tested for COVID-19?

Question no. 104 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, in terms of Saskatchewan Health cards, (a) where are they printed/fabricated, (b) where was the last location they were printed/fabricated, and (c) when did the location of printing/fabrication change?

Ouestion no. 105 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, how many acute care beds were there in each tertiary hospital in each year since 2007?

Question no. 106 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, for each month since January 2018, how many code burgundy statuses/state of overcapacity was there in each tertiary hospital?

Question no. 107 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, what is the patient current occupancy at the Saskatchewan Hospital North Battleford?

Question no. 108 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, (a) how many pediatricians are currently practicing in the Jim Pattison Children's Hospital, and (b) how many have been recruited but have not started?

Question no. 109 (Ms. Sproule):

To the Government, schedule 15-2 (section 200.6.4 Earthworks p. 56 of 124) of the Regina bypass agreement (signed July 2015) says "Project Co may also obtain for sole incorporation into the Works, earth materials royalty free from the Additional Resources borrow pits identified in Appendix C to Schedule 15-2 – Technical Requirements – Design." Appendix C includes sand and gravel pits 62L-373 and 62L-376 at land locations SW-07-17-13-2 and NW-06-17-13-2, (a) what is the total amount of foregone revenues for the materials provided to Project Co "royalty free" pursuant to schedule 15-2 of the Regina bypass agreement, and (b) what is the total volume of earth materials provided "royalty free" pursuant to the Regina bypass agreement?