



FIRST SESSION — TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 8

Thursday, December 10, 2020

10:00 a.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

A petition of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan was presented and laid upon the Table by the following member: Meyers.

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. 32)

To stop clawing back money from Saskatchewan Income Assistance recipients who received CERB.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 47)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

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

Bill No. 20 — The Publicly-funded Health Entity Public Interest Disclosure Act
(Hon. Mr. Merriman)

Bill No. 21 — The Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Amendment Act, 2020
(Hon. Ms. Tell)

Bill No. 22 — The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2020
(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

Bill No. 23 — The Emergency Planning Amendment Act, 2020
(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

Bill No. 24 — The Vehicles for Hire Amendment Act, 2020
(Hon. Mr. Morgan)

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

Mr. Steele, Chair of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the first report of the said committee, which is as follows:

The committee has duly examined the undermentioned petitions for private bills and finds that the provisions of rules 95, 96, and 99 have been fully complied with:

Petition for Private Bill No. 901 by The Saskatoon Community Foundation in the province of Saskatchewan, praying for an Act to amend *The Saskatoon Foundation Act, 1994*.
(Sessional paper no. 51)

On motion of Mr. Steele:

Ordered, That the first report of the Standing Committee on Private Bills be now concurred in.

The following bill was deemed to have been read the first time and, pursuant to rule 102, ordered for second reading at the next sitting:

Bill No. 901 — The Saskatoon Foundation Amendment Act, 2020
(Mr. Cheveldayoff)

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

The Assembly resolved itself into the Committee of Finance.

Summary of resolutions adopted:

GENERAL REVENUE FUND**SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES NO. 1****EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT**

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ended March 31, 2021, the following sums:

BUDGETARY EXPENSES

1. For Education	\$10,000,000
2. For Finance.....	117,000,000
3. For Government Relations	70,800,000
4. For Health	174,800,000
5. For Parks, Culture and Sport	1,700,000
6. For Saskatchewan Research Council.....	15,500,000
7. For Tourism Saskatchewan	5, 000,000
8. For Trade and Export Development	87,200,000

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty on account of certain charges and expenses of the public service for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2021, the sum of four hundred eighty-two million dollars be granted out of the General Revenue Fund.

The said resolution was reported, read twice and agreed to, and the committee given leave to sit again.

The Appropriation Act, 2020 (No. 2)

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 25 — The Appropriation Act, 2020 (No. 2) be introduced and read the first time.

The question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read the first time.

Pursuant to rule 32(1)(e), the said bill was then read a second and third time and passed under its title.

SECOND READINGS

**Bill No. 1 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Home Renovation Tax Credit) Amendment Act,
2020**

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 1 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Home Renovation Tax Credit) Amendment Act, 2020 be now read a second time.

A debate arising and the question being put it, was agreed to, and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time and, pursuant to rule 75(1), referred to a Committee of the Whole on Bills.

Bill No. 2 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Small Business Tax Reduction) Amendment Act, 2020

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 2 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Small Business Tax Reduction) Amendment Act, 2020 be now read a second time.

The question being put it, was agreed to, and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time and, pursuant to rule 75(1), referred to a Committee of the Whole on Bills.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON BILLS

The Assembly, according to order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bills.

The following bills were reported without amendment and, by leave of the Assembly, read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 1 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Home Renovation Tax Credit) Amendment Act, 2020

Bill No. 2 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Small Business Tax Reduction) Amendment Act, 2020

The committee was given leave to sit again.

ROYAL ASSENT

11:35 a.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

The Speaker addressed His Honour:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly at its present session has passed several bills which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour and to which bills I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill No. 1 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Home Renovation Tax Credit) Amendment Act, 2020

Bill No. 2 — The Income Tax (Strong Recovery Small Business Tax Reduction) Amendment Act, 2020

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: “In Her Majesty's name, I assent to this bill.”

The Speaker addressed His Honour:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly has voted the supplies required to enable the Government to defray the expenses of the public service. In the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour the following bill, to which bill I respectfully request Your Honour's assent:

Bill No. 25 — The Appropriation Act, 2020 (No. 2)

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: “In Her Majesty's name, I thank the Legislative Assembly, accept its benevolence, and assent to this bill.”

His Honour then retired from the Chamber.

11:38 a.m.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake):

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 11:39 a.m. to the call of the Chair.

Hon. Randy Weekes
Speaker
