



No. 12

# VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

SECOND SESSION – TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

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**Thursday, November 13, 2008**

10:00 a.m.

*PRAYERS*

## PRESENTING PETITIONS

Petitions of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following Members: Higgins and Iwanchuk.

## READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to Order, the Law Clerk and Parliamentary Counsel having favourably examined the same pursuant to Rule 16(7), the following Petitions were read and received:

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to immediately add at least 1000 new child care spaces in Saskatchewan.

(Sessional Paper No. 33)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to commit to indexing Saskatchewan minimum wage.

(Sessional Paper No. 34)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to significantly increase the provincial portion of education funding.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 12)

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The Minister, in each case, having acquainted the Assembly that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the Bills, recommends them to the consideration of the Assembly, the following Bills were received, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Bill No. 57 – The Land Titles Amendment Act, 2008

(Hon. Mr. Cheveldayoff)

Bill No. 58 – The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2008 (No. 2)

(Hon. Mr. Gantefer)

### RECOGNITION OF OLYMPIANS AND PARALYMPIANS

By leave, the Assembly recognized the achievements of Saskatchewan Olympians and Paralympians from the 2008 Olympic and Paralympic Summer Games in Beijing, China.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

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The Assembly adjourned at 10:59 a.m. until Monday at 1:30 p.m.

*Hon. Don Toth*  
*Speaker*

## NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS

On Tuesday:

Hon. Mr. Gantefer to move First Reading of Bill No. 62 – The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act, 2008

Hon. Mr. Gantefer to move First Reading of Bill No. 63 – The Saskatchewan Housing Corporation Amendment Act, 2008

Hon. Mr. Hutchinson to move First Reading of Bill No. 64 – The Northern Municipalities Amendment Act, 2008 (No. 2)

Hon. Mr. Norris to move First Reading of Bill No. 73 – The University of Saskatchewan Amendment Act, 2008

## NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

**The following Questions were given notice on day no. 9 and are to be answered by day no. 14:**

Mr. Taylor, to ask the Government the following Question No. 107:

To the Minister of Agriculture: In regard to the sale of land under the Agriculture Crown Lands Sale Program, are mineral rights included in the sale or are those rights being auctioned separately?

Mr. Taylor, to ask the Government the following Question No. 108:

To the Minister of Energy and Resources: In regard to the sale of land under the Agriculture Crown Lands Sale Program, are mineral rights included in the sale or are those rights being auctioned separately?

**The following Questions were given notice on day no. 11 and are to be answered by day no. 16:**

Mr. Calvert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 109:

To the Premier: (1) Has Graham Construction been contracted by the government (including Executive Council, ministries, or Crown corporations) since November 7, 2007? (2) If so, what were the terms of that contract? (3) How much were they paid?

Mr. Calvert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 110:

To the Premier: (1) Has Graham Construction been contracted by the government (including Executive Council, ministries, or Crown corporations) since November 7, 2007? (2) If so, was any contract they were given sent out for tender or was it awarded directly to the company?

Mr. Calvert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 111:

To the Minister of Health: (1) For patients that were send out of province for PET scans in 2007 and 2008, what was the cost per patient? (2) What was the total cost in 2007? (3) What is the total cost to date in 2008?

Mr. Calvert, to ask the Government the following Question No. 112:

To the Minister of Health: (1) How many patients were sent out of province for PET scans in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) To date in 2008?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 113:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Has Bob Chartier received any remuneration for his work on the CBO Summit? (2) If so, what remuneration was given?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 114:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Has Ted Merriman received any remuneration for his work on the task force on Affordable Housing? (2) If so, what remuneration was given?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 115:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Has Bob Pringle received any remuneration for his work on the task force on Affordable Housing? (2) If so, what remuneration was given?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 116:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many children came into foster care under the authority of *The Child and Family Services Act* and were placed into overflow facilities during each month of 2007? (2) 2008?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 117:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many families were on the waiting list for the Saskatchewan Rental Housing Supplement (SRHS) in each month of 2007? (2) 2008?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the Government the following Question No. 118:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many families qualified for Saskatchewan Rental Housing Supplement (SRHS) in each month of 2007? (2) 2008?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 119:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: On October 29, 2008, the Minister made the following statement in the Assembly: “as minister, I identified the policy that I felt needed to be followed - namely, inform the public immediately when an offender is unlawfully at large. The ministry has responsibility for implementing the policy. This includes communicating the policy and developing the appropriate procedures for use throughout the system.” What “appropriate procedures” were developed?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 120:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: On October 29, 2008, the Minister made the following statement in the Assembly: “as minister, I identified the policy that I felt needed to be followed - namely, inform the public immediately when an offender is unlawfully at large. The ministry has responsibility for implementing the policy. This includes communicating the policy and developing the appropriate procedures for use throughout the system.” (1) When was this policy communicated to front line staff? (2) How was this policy communicated to front line staff?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 121:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: On October 29, 2008, the Minister made the following statement in the Assembly: “as minister, I identified the policy that I felt needed to be followed - namely, inform the public immediately when an offender is unlawfully at large. The ministry has responsibility for implementing the policy. This includes communicating the policy and developing the appropriate procedures for use throughout the system.” (1) When was this policy communicated to the Deputy Minister? (2) How was this policy communicated to the Deputy Minister - by email or by some other method?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 122:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: On October 29, 2008, the Minister made the following statement in the Assembly: “as minister, I identified the policy that I felt needed to be followed - namely, inform the public immediately when an offender is unlawfully at large. The ministry has responsibility for implementing the policy. This includes communicating the policy and developing the appropriate procedures for use throughout the system.” When was this policy enacted?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 123:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: On October 29, 2008, the Minister made the following statement in the Assembly: “as minister, I identified the policy that I felt needed to be followed - namely, inform the public immediately when an offender is unlawfully at large. The ministry has responsibility for implementing the policy. This includes communicating the policy and developing the appropriate procedures for use throughout the system.” (1) How were the “appropriate procedures” communicated to staff (including the Deputy Minister)? (2) When did this communication take place?

Mr. Yates, to ask the Government the following Question No. 124:

To the Minister of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing: (1) Have there been any changes to the policy manual in the Ministry of Corrections, Public Safety and Policing since November 7, 2007? (2) If so, what were those changes?



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*	The Air, Army, Sea and Navy League Cadets Recognition Day Act	Nov 06, 2008; Nov 06, 2008	<a href="#">601</a>
*	The Ambulance Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 29, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">49</a>
*	The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 28, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">45</a>
*	The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 29, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">48</a>
*	The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2008	Nov 13, 2008	<a href="#">58</a>
*	The Labour Market Commission Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 28, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">46</a>
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*	The Pipelines Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 28, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">47</a>
*	The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 29, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">51</a>
*	The Securities Amendment Act, 2008	Oct 28, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">42</a>
*	The Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2008 (Reinstated)	Mar 12, 2008; Nov 12, 2008; Oct 28, 2008	<a href="#">9</a>
*	The Trespass to Property Act	Oct 28, 2008; Nov 05, 2008; Nov 12, 2008	<a href="#">43</a>
*	The Trustee Act, 2008	Oct 30, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">52</a>
*	The Trustee Consequential Amendment Act, 2008 / Loi de 2008 portant modifications correlatives a la loi intitulee The Trustee Act, 2008	Oct 30, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">56</a>
*	The Vital Statistics Act, 2008 / Loi de 2008 sur les services de l'etat civil	Oct 30, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">54</a>
*	The Vital Statistics Consequential Amendments Act, 2008	Oct 30, 2008; Nov 05, 2008	<a href="#">55</a>

\* **Specified Bills:** must be voted on before Completion Day



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No.	*	Title	Member	1st Reading	Crown Recom	Comm.	2nd Reading	Comm.	Amend Date	3rd Reading	Royal Assent	In Effect
<a href="#">9</a>	*	The Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2008 (Reinstated)	Gantefoer	2008-03-12								
<a href="#">42</a>	*	The Securities Amendment Act, 2008	Morgan	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">43</a>	*	The Trespass to Property Act	Morgan	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">44</a>	*	The Agreements of Sale Cancellation Amendment Act, 2008	Morgan	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">45</a>	*	The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2008	Morgan	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">46</a>	*	The Labour Market Commission Amendment Act, 2008	Stewart	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">47</a>	*	The Pipelines Amendment Act, 2008	Boyd	2008-10-28								
<a href="#">48</a>	*	The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 2008	Gantefoer	2008-10-29	2008-11-05							
<a href="#">49</a>	*	The Ambulance Amendment Act, 2008	McMorris	2008-10-29								
<a href="#">50</a>	*	The Missing Persons and Presumption of Death Act	Morgan	2008-10-29								
<a href="#">51</a>	*	The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2008	Morgan	2008-10-29	2008-11-05							
<a href="#">52</a>	*	The Trustee Act, 2008	Morgan	2008-10-30								
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<a href="#">57</a>	*	The Land Titles Amendment Act	Cheveldayoff	2008-11-13	2008-11-13							
<a href="#">58</a>	*	The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2008	Gantefoer	2008-11-13	2008-11-13							
<a href="#">601</a>	*	The Air, Army, Sea and Navy League Cadets Recognition Day Act	Huyghebaert	2008-11-06			2008-11-06	CoW		2008-11-06	2008-11-06	A