



No. 25

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

THIRD SESSION – TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Thursday, December 3, 2009

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: Harper, Higgins, Junor, Forbes, Vermette, Broten, Morin, Yates, Iwanchuk, Taylor and Wotherspoon.

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 invest in the planning and construction of new long-term care beds in La Ronge.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 3)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to immediately expand the Graduate Retention Program to include Masters and Ph.D. graduates.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 4)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to financially assist Duck Lake residents with exorbitant water rates.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 5)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to invest in an affordable housing program throughout the Battlefords.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 6)

Of the citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to manage the provincial finances more responsibly and prudently.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 7)

Of the citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to withdraw Bill No. 80 – The Construction Industrial Labour Relations Amendment Act, 2009.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 14)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to commit to providing repairs to Highway 310.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 44)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to expand affordable housing options for Saskatchewan's senior citizens.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 58)

Of the citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to provide a comprehensive provincial Autism Spectrum Strategy.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 68)

SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

The Order of the Day being called for the following Motion for a Seventy-five Minute Debate, it was moved by Ms. Eagles:

That this Assembly recognizes the actions taken by our government to provide increased financial support for those less advantaged and maintaining these supports in the face of the current global recession.

A debate arising and the period of seventy-five minutes having expired, pursuant to Rule 24(4) the Speaker interrupted proceedings.

SPEAKER TABLES REPORT

The Speaker laid before the Assembly the Annual Report of the Children's Advocate Office for the year 2008.

(Sessional Paper No. 81)

SECOND READINGS

Bill No. 609 – The Whistleblower Protection Act

Moved by Mr. Iwanchuk : That Bill No. 609 – The Whistleblower Protection Act – be now read a second time.

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

ROYAL ASSENT

12:45 p.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. 116 – The Traffic Safety (Drivers' Licences and Hand-held Electronic Communications Equipment) Amendment Act, 2009

Bill No. 99 – The Emergency 911 System Amendment Act, 2009

Bill No. 606 – The Protection of the Wild Ponies of the Bronson Forest Act

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: "In Her Majesty's name, I assent to these Bills."

His Honour then retired from the Chamber.

12:47 p.m.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Gantefer:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 12:52 p.m. until Monday, March 8, 2010 at 1:30 p.m. pursuant to Rule 3(1).

Hon. Don Toth
Speaker

DEADLINE FOR RESPONSES TO AN ORDER FOR RETURN

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RETURN NOS.	DATE ORDERED	DATE TO BE BROUGHT DOWN
1-2	October 29, 2009	April 27, 2010
3-11	November 2, 2009	April 30, 2010
23-28	November 3, 2009	May 1, 2010
35-40	November 16, 2009	May 15, 2010
47	November 25, 2009	May 23, 2010

PROGRESS OF ESTIMATES
Third Session of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES – NOVEMBER
2009/10 Fiscal Year

Committees:

CF: Committee of Finance

ECO: Economy

HUS: Human Services

CCA: Crown and Central Agencies

HOS: House Services

IAJ: Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice

ESTIMATES	CMT.	DATES CONSIDERED	ADOPTED
Advanced Education, Employment and Labour	HUS	Nov. 23, 30, 2009	
Chief Electoral Officer	HOS	Dec. 1, 2009	Dec. 2, 2009
First Nation and Métis Relations	IAJ	Nov. 23, Dec. 1, 2009	
Innovation Saskatchewan	ECO	Nov. 24, Dec. 1, 2009	
Legislative Assembly	HOS	Dec. 1, 2009	Dec. 2, 2009
Municipal Affairs	IAJ	Nov. 23, 2009	
Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan	CCA	Nov. 24, 2009	
Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation	CCA	Nov. 30, 2009	
Saskatchewan Power Corporation	CCA	Dec. 1, 2009	
Sinking Funds Payments – Government Share	CCA	Nov. 30, 2009	
Social Services	HUS	Nov. 23, 30, 2009	



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*	The Agri-Food Amendment Act, 2009	Oct 27, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 09, 2009	97
*	The Assessment Management Agency Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 01, 2009	127
	The Cadet Instructors Cadre Recognition Day Act	Nov 09, 2009	608
*	The Cities Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 16, 2009; Nov 30, 2009	108
*	The Conservation Easements Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 02, 2009	131
*	The Construction Industry Labour Relations Amendment Act, 2009 (Reinstated: Oct. 28/09)	Mar 10, 2009; May 13, 2009	80
*	The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2009 (No. 2)	Nov 02, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 10, 2009	101
*	The Crown Minerals Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 30, 2009	125
*	The Doukhobors of Canada C.C.U.B. Trust Fund Amendment Act, 2009	Oct 27, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 09, 2009	100
*	The Emergency 911 System Amendment Act, 2009	Oct 27, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 09, 2009; Nov 24, 2009; Nov 25, 2009; Dec 03, 2009	99
*	The Enforcement of Money Judgments Act	Dec 02, 2009	129
*	The Enforcement of Money Judgments Consequential Amendments Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Enforcement of Money Judgments Act	Dec 02, 2009	130
*	The Environmental Assessment Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 30, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	122
*	The Environmental Management and Protection Act, 2009	Nov 30, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	121
*	The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 24, 2009; Nov 25, 2009	120

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*	The Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Heritage Act	Nov 18, 2009; Nov 24, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	117
*	The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1988 sur les juges de paix	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 23, 2009; Dec 01, 2009	112
*	The Justices of the Peace Consequential Amendments Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 23, 2009; Dec 01, 2009	113
*	The Labour Market Commission Repeal Act	Nov 04, 2009; Nov 16, 2009	106
*	The Legal Profession Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 30, 2009	124
*	The Management and Reduction of Greenhouse Gases Act	Dec 01, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	126
*	The Milk Control Repeal Act	Nov 18, 2009; Nov 25, 2009	118
*	The Miscellaneous Statutes (Labour Mobility) Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 01, 2009	128
*	The Miscellaneous Statutes (Professional Discipline) Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 02, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 10, 2009	103
*	The Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 2009	Oct 27, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 09, 2009	98
*	The Municipalities Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 16, 2009; Nov 30, 2009	109
*	The Northern Municipalities Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 16, 2009; Nov 30, 2009	110
*	The Northern Municipalities Consequential Amendments Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Northern Municipalities Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 16, 2009; Dec 01, 2009	111
*	The Opticians Act	Dec 02, 2009	134

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*	The Prescription Drugs Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 02, 2009	135
*	The Protection of the Wild Ponies of the Bronson Forest Act	Nov 05, 2009; Nov 12, 2009; Nov 26, 2009; Dec 03, 2009	606
*	The Public Safety, Security and Protection Act	Nov 04, 2009; Nov 19, 2009	607
*	The Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2009 (No. 2) / Loi no 2 de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1998 sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 23, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	115
*	The SaskEnergy Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 04, 2009; Nov 16, 2009	105
	The Seniors' Bill of Rights Act	Nov 30, 2009	610
*	The Small Claims Amendment Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1997 sur les petites créances	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 23, 2009; Dec 02, 2009	114
*	The Summary Offences Procedure Amendment Act, 2009 (No. 2)	Nov 02, 2009; Nov 04, 2009; Nov 16, 2009	104
*	The Ticket Sales Act	Nov 24, 2009; Nov 25, 2009	119
*	The Tobacco Control Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 02, 2009	133
*	The Traffic Safety (Drivers' Licences and Hand-held Electronic Communications Equipment) Amendment Act, 2009	Nov 12, 2009; Nov 16, 2009; Nov 23, 2009; Nov 24, 2009; Nov 25, 2009; Dec 03, 2009	116
*	The Weed Control Act	Nov 05, 2009; Nov 09, 2009; Nov 16, 2009	107
*	The Whistleblower Protection Act	Nov 12, 2009; Dec 03, 2009	609
*	The Wildlife Habitat Protection (Land Designation) Amendment Act, 2009	Dec 02, 2009	132

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Bill comes into force on:

A - Assent

SD - Specific Date

P - Proclamation

SE - Specific Event

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80	*	The Construction Industry Labour Relations Amendment Act, 2009 (Reinstated: Oct. 28/09)	Norris	2009-03-10			2009-05-13	HUS				
97	*	The Agri-Food Amendment Act, 2009	Bjornerud	2009-10-27	2009-10-27							
98	*	The Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 2009	Gantefer	2009-10-27	2009-10-27							
99	*	The Emergency 911 System Amendment Act, 2009	Huyghebaert	2009-10-27	2009-10-27		2009-11-24	IAJ		2009-11-25	2009-12-03	A
100	*	The Doukhobors of Canada C.C.U.B. Trust Fund Amendment Act, 2009	Duncan	2009-10-27	2009-10-27							
101	*	The Credit Union Amendment Act, 2009 (No. 2)	Morgan	2009-11-02								
102	*	The Personal Property Security Amendment Act, 2009	Morgan	2009-11-02								
103	*	The Miscellaneous Statutes (Professional Discipline) Amendment Act, 2009	Morgan	2009-11-02								



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105	*	The SaskEnergy Amendment Act, 2009	Cheveldayoff	2009-11-04	2009-11-16							
106	*	The Labour Market Commission Repeal Act	Cheveldayoff	2009-11-04								
107	*	The Weed Control Act	Bjornerud	2009-11-05								
108	*	The Cities Amendment Act, 2009	Harrison	2009-11-12	2009-11-12							
109	*	The Municipalities Amendment Act, 2009	Harrison	2009-11-12	2009-11-12							
110	*	The Northern Municipalities Act, 2009	Harrison	2009-11-12	2009-11-12							
111	*	The Northern Municipalities Consequential Amendments Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Northern Municipalities Act, 2009	Harrison	2009-11-12								
112	*	The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1988 sur les juges de paix	Morgan	2009-11-12	2009-11-12							



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114	*	The Small Claims Amendment Act, 2009 / Loi de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1997 sur les petites créances	Morgan	2009-11-12								
115	*	The Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2009 (No. 2) / Loi no 2 de 2009 modifiant la Loi de 1998 sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine	Morgan	2009-11-12								
116	*	The Traffic Safety (Drivers' Licences and Hand-held Electronic Communications Equipment) Amendment Act, 2009	Draude	2009-11-12			2009-11-24	CCA		2009-11-25	2009-12-03	SD
117	*	The Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Heritage Act	Heppner	2009-11-18								
118	*	The Milk Control Repeal Act	Bjornerud	2009-11-18								
119	*	The Ticket Sales Act	Morgan	2009-11-24								
120	*	The Financial Administration Amendment Act, 2009	Gantefoer	2009-11-24								
121	*	The Environmental Management and Protection Act, 2009	Heppner	2009-11-30								
122	*	The Environmental Assessment Amendment Act, 2009	Heppner	2009-11-30								



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124	*	The Legal Profession Amendment Act, 2009	Morgan	2009-11-30								
125	*	The Crown Minerals Amendment Act, 2009	Boyd	2009-11-30								
126	*	The Management and Reduction of Greenhouse Gases Act	Heppner	2009-12-01	2009-12-01							
127	*	The Assessment Management Agency Amendment Act, 2009	Harrison	2009-12-01	2009-12-01							
128	*	The Miscellaneous Statutes (Labour Mobility) Amendment Act, 2009	Norris	2009-12-01								
129	*	The Enforcement of Money Judgments Act	Morgan	2009-12-02	2009-12-02							
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131	*	The Conservation Easements Amendment Act, 2009	Heppner	2009-12-02	2009-12-02							



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132	*	The Wildlife Habitat Protection (Land Designation) Amendment Act, 2009	Heppner	2009-12-02	2009-12-02							
133	*	The Tobacco Control Amendment Act, 2009	McMorris	2009-12-02								
134	*	The Opticians Act	McMorris	2009-12-02	2009-12-02							
135	*	The Prescription Drugs Amendment Act, 2009	McMorris	2009-12-02	2009-12-02							



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Private Members' Public Bills

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606	*	The Protection of the Wild Ponies of the Bronson Forest Act	McMillan	2009-11-05			2009-11-26	CW 2009-11-26	2009-11-26	2009-11-26	2009-12-03	A
607	*	The Public Safety, Security and Protection Act	Yates	2009-11-04								
608		The Cadet Instructors Cadre Recognition Day Act	Michelson	2009-11-09								
609	*	The Whistleblower Protection Act	Iwanchuk	2009-11-12								
610		The Seniors' Bill of Rights Act	Junor	2009-11-30								