



No. 17

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FOURTH SESSION – TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Thursday, November 25, 2010

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, Broten, Morin 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 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.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 6)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to exempt the Hamlet of Furdale from any water service cut-offs.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 18)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to increase funding for hospice and palliative care services.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 25)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to enact some form of rent control to protect Saskatchewan renters from unreasonable increases in rent.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 29)

Of citizens of the Province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your Honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the Government to enact a Saskatchewan Seniors' Bill of Rights.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 37)

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

The following Bill was reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, it was read the third time and passed:

Bill No. 151 – The Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technologies Amendment Act, 2010

TABLING OF SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

The Hon. Mr. Krawetz delivered a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which was read by the Speaker as follows:

November 25, 2010

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates – November of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending March 31, 2011 and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

GORDON L. BARNHART
Lieutenant Governor

(Sessional Paper No. 44)

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 Mr. Brkich:

That this Assembly recognize the Saskatchewan Government's efforts to rebuild the infrastructure and roads of rural Saskatchewan and acknowledges that there is a new sense in rural Saskatchewan that their government is listening and responding to the needs of our agricultural producers.

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

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

The Order of the Day being called for **Motion No. 2**, it was moved by Mr. Forbes:

That this Assembly calls on the government to recognize the urgent nature of the housing and affordability crisis across the province, as evidenced by the fact that the Salvation Army is having to turn people away from its emergency shelters in Saskatoon due to over capacity for the first time;

And further, that in making this call, the Assembly urges the government to do the following:

- (1) To immediately assist emergency shelters to increase their capacity to provide desperately needed services during cold winter months;
- (2) To immediately begin the process of developing a comprehensive affordable housing strategy and a comprehensive poverty reduction strategy to address the underlying causes of this crisis.

The Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Rule 6(6).

The Assembly adjourned at 1:00 p.m. until Monday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Don Toth
Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS AND PAPERS TABLED

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Krawetz:

2010/11 Saskatchewan Mid-Year Report

(Sessional Paper No. 43)

By the Hon. Mr. Reiter:

Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Saskatchewan Grain Car Corporation for the year ended July 31, 2010.

(Sessional Paper No. 45)

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS

On Tuesday:

Hon. Mr. Morgan to move First Reading of Bill No. 161 – The Election Amendment Act, 2010

Hon. Mr. Hickie to move First Reading of Bill No. 162 – The Local Government Election Amendment Act, 2010

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following Questions were given notice on day no. 14 and are to be answered by day no. 19:

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 450:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2009/10?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 451:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2009/10?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 452:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2008/09?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 453:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2008/09?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 454:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2007/08?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 455:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2007/08?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 456:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2006/07?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 457:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2006/07?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 458:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2005/06?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 459:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2005/06?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 460:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2004/05?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 461:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2004/05?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 462:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2003/04?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 463:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2003/04?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 464:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2002/03?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 465:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2002/03?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 466:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2001/02?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 467:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2001/02?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 468:

To the Minister of Health: What was the per diem rate paid by the Saskatoon Health Region to the Parkridge Nursing Home in 2000/01?

Ms. Atkinson, to ask the Government the following Question No. 469:

To the Minister of Health: What was the facility fee, or other fees, paid to Parkridge for the purposes of enabling Parkridge to recover the capital cost of the project in 2000/01?

PROGRESS OF ESTIMATES
Fourth Session of the Twenty-Sixth Legislature
SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES – NOVEMBER
2010/11 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 Immigration	HUS	November 25, 2010	
Agriculture	ECO	November 25, 2010	
Chief Electoral Officer	HOS	November 25, 2010	
Children's Advocate	HOS	November 25, 2010	
Conflict of Interest Commissioner	HOS	November 25, 2010	
Corrections, Public Safety and Policing	IAJ	November 25, 2010	
Education	HUS	November 25, 2010	
Energy and Resources	ECO	November 25, 2010	
Enterprise and Innovation Programs	ECO	November 25, 2010	
Environment	ECO	November 25, 2010	
Growth and Financial Security Fund	CCA	November 25, 2010	
Health	HUS	November 25, 2010	
Information and Privacy Commissioner	HOS	November 25, 2010	
Information Technology Office	CCA	November 25, 2010	
Justice and Attorney General	IAJ	November 25, 2010	
Ombudsman	HOS	November 25, 2010	
Saskatchewan Water Corporation	CCA	November 25, 2010	
SaskEnergy Incorporated	CCA	November 25, 2010	
Sinking Fund Payments – Government Share	CCA	November 25, 2010	
Social Services	HUS	November 25, 2010	



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*	Title	Date Considered	Bill Number
*	The Animal Protection Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 08, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010	148
	The Autism Spectrum Disorder Strategy Act	Nov 09, 2010	614
	The Bed Bugs – Right to Know Act	Nov 10, 2010	616
*	The Commissioners for Oaths Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	152
*	The Correctional Services Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 16, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010; Nov 24, 2010	158
*	The Freehold Oil and Gas Production Tax Act, 2010	Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	156
*	The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	149
*	The Litter Control Amendment Act, 2010 (Reinstated: Nov. 3/10)	May 06, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010; Nov 24, 2010	144
*	The Natural Resources Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 22, 2010	155
*	The Oil and Gas Conservation Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010; Nov 24, 2010	157
	The Protection of Service Animals Act	Nov 22, 2010	617
*	The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	153
*	The Provincial Court Consequential Amendment Act, 2010 / Loi de 2010 portant modification corrélatrice à la loi intitulée The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 22, 2010	154
*	The Public Interest Disclosure Act	Nov 09, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	147

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	The Sisters of the Presentation Act, 2010	Nov 17, 2010; Nov 18, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	905
*	The Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 10, 2010; Nov 15, 2010; Nov 16, 2010; Nov 17, 2010; Nov 22, 2010; Nov 23, 2010	150
*	The University of Regina Amendment Act, 2010	Nov 24, 2010	159

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Bill comes into force on:

A - Assent

SD - Specific Date

P - Proclamation

SE - Specific Event

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No.	*	Title	Member	1st Reading	Crown Recomm	Comm.	2nd Reading	Comm.	Amend Date	3rd Reading	Royal Assent	In Effect
144	*	The Litter Control Amendment Act, 2010 (Reinstated: Nov. 3/10)	Duncan	2010-05-06	2010-11-08							
147	*	The Public Interest Disclosure Act	Draude	2010-11-09	2010-11-09							
148	*	The Animal Protection Amendment Act, 2010	Bjornerud	2010-11-08			2010-11-16	ECO				
149	*	The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2010	Krawetz	2010-11-10	2010-11-10							
150	*	The Superannuation (Supplementary Provisions) Amendment Act, 2010	Krawetz	2010-11-10	2010-11-10							
151	*	The Saskatchewan Indian Institute of Technologies Amendment Act, 2010	Norris	2010-11-10			2010-11-15	HUS 2010-11-25		2010-11-25		
152	*	The Commissioners for Oaths Amendment Act, 2010	Morgan	2010-11-10			2010-11-15	IAJ 2010-11-23		2010-11-23		
153	*	The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2010	Morgan	2010-11-10	2010-11-10							



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155	*	The Natural Resources Amendment Act, 2010	Duncan	2010-11-10	2010-11-10							
156	*	The Freehold Oil and Gas Production Tax Act, 2010	Boyd	2010-11-17	2010-11-17		2010-11-23	ECO				
157	*	The Oil and Gas Conservation Amendment Act, 2010	Boyd	2010-11-17	2010-11-17							
158	*	The Correctional Services Amendment Act, 2010	Huyghebaert	2010-11-16								
159	*	The University of Regina Amendment Act, 2010	Norris	2010-11-24								



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614		The Autism Spectrum Disorder Strategy Act	Junor	2010-11-09								
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617		The Protection of Service Animals Act	Forbes	2010-11-22								

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905		The Sisters of the Presentation Act, 2010	Gantefoer	2010-11-17			2010-11-18	PB 2010-11-23		2010-11-23		