

No. 27

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

SECOND SESSION – TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Tuesday, March 5, 2013

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: Forbes and Belanger.

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 not pass Bill No. 85 – The Saskatchewan Employment Act in this current session.

(Sessional Paper No. 46)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to undertake to ensure SaskTel delivers cellular service to the Canoe Lake First Nation.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 7)

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TRAFFIC SAFETY

On motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer, by leave of the Assembly:

Ordered, That a Special Committee on Traffic Safety be appointed in accordance with Rule 150(1) of the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan* to conduct an inquiry on matters related to:

Improving traffic safety and reducing fatalities by examining the dominant factors that cause traffic collisions in the province: impaired driving, distracted driving, excessive speed, intersection safety, and wildlife collisions as well as education and public awareness issues related to traffic safety; and,

That the said committee shall hold public hearings to receive representations from interested individuals and groups and report its recommendations to the Assembly by August 30, 2013; and further,

That Members Hickie, Wilson, Cox, Parent, Steinley, Chartier, and Vermette be appointed to the said committee.

ADJOURNED DEBATES

Bill No. 85 – The Saskatchewan Employment Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 85 – The Saskatchewan Employment Act – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 76 – The Municipal Board Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Reiter: That Bill No. 76 – The Municipal Board Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 77 – The Horse Racing Regulation Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 77 – The Horse Racing Regulation Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 78 – The Social Workers Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Draude: That Bill No. 78 – The Social Workers Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 79 – The Representation Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 79 – The Representation Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 80 – The Power Corporation Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Boyd: That Bill No. 80 – The Power Corporation Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

The Assembly recessed from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

Bill No. 81 – The Global Transportation Hub Authority Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Boyd: That Bill No. 81 – The Global Transportation Hub Authority Act – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 82 - The Saskatchewan Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Krawetz: That Bill No. 82 – The Saskatchewan Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 83 – The Foreign Worker Recruitment and Immigration Services Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Boyd: That Bill No. 83 – The Foreign Worker Recruitment and Immigration Services Act – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 84 – The Common Business Identifiers Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 84 – The Common Business Identifiers Act – be now read a second time.

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

Bill No. 45 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. McMorris: That Bill No. 45 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

The debate continuing and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time.

By designation of the Hon. Mr. Harrison, in accordance with Rule 81, Bill No. 45 – The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012 – was committed to the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies.

Bill No. 46 – The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Krawetz: That Bill No. 46 – The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

The debate continuing and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time.

By designation of the Hon. Mr. Harrison, in accordance with Rule 81, Bill No. 46 – The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2012 – was committed to the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies.

Bill No. 47 – The Saskatchewan Watershed Authority Amendment Act, 2012

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Cheveldayoff: That Bill No. 47 – The Saskatchewan Watershed Authority Amendment Act, 2012 – be now read a second time.

The debate continuing and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time.

By designation of the Hon. Mr. Harrison, in accordance with Rule 81, Bill No. 47 – The Saskatchewan Watershed Authority Amendment Act, 2012 – was committed to the Standing Committee on the Economy.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison:	
Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.	

The Assembly adjourned at 8:56 p.m. until Wednesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Dan D'Autremont Speaker

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR A SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

On Thursday:

Mr. Forbes to move the following motion:

That this Assembly expresses its disagreement with the government over the pace, scope, and necessity of rewriting the workplace laws of the province, and calls on the government to delay the passage of Bill No. 85 until the fall sitting.

NOTICE OF PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Government)

ADJOURNED DEBATES

Adjourned debate on the proposed **Motion No. 1** moved by Mr. Hickie:

That this Assembly expresses its disagreement with NDP Leader Thomas Mulcair's contention that the western Canadian energy and resource sector is responsible for the decline in central Canada's manufacturing sector which Mr. Mulcair has referred to as Dutch disease.

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

To be voted

No. 2 (Opposition)

ADJOURNED DEBATES

Adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Broten:

That *Bill No. 604 – The Public Health (Asbestos right-to-know) Amendment Act* – be now read a second time.

(Ms. Sproule)

To be voted

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 27 and are to be answered by day no. 32:

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 206:

To the Minister Responsible for Energy and Resources: What is the government's position on storing nuclear waste in Saskatchewan?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 207:

To the Minister Responsible for Energy and Resources: What is the Government of Saskatchewan's position regarding transporting nuclear waste to a reserve within Saskatchewan?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 208:

To the Minister Responsible for Energy and Resources: Has the Government of Saskatchewan provided any financial, economic or business incentives or advice to the Nuclear Waste Management Organization regarding storing nuclear waste in Saskatchewan?