

No 3

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FOURTH SESSION – TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Monday, October 27, 2014

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, Wotherspoon, and Bradshaw.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

According to Order, the following petitions were favourably examined and pursuant to Rule 16(7) read and received:

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to reverse its policy of allowing private developers to default on fixed-price contracts for affordable housing projects.

(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 take action to repair the damage caused by heavy haul traffic on Dewdney Avenue in the city of Regina.

(Sessional Paper No. 7)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to guarantee that a second bridge that serves central and northern Saskatchewan and Prince Albert will be built.

(Sessional Paper No. 8)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to cancel its contracts with out-of-country lean consultants and instead listen to health care workers.

(Sessional Paper No. 9)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to enact legislation requiring parental consent for abortion.

(Sessional Paper No. 10)

MOTION FOR ADDRESS IN REPLY

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Tochor, seconded by Mr. Lawrence, moved:

That an Humble Address be presented to Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

TO HER HONOUR THE HONOURABLE VAUGHN SOLOMON SCHOFIELD Lieutenant Governor of the province of Saskatchewan

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the province of Saskatchewan, in Session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session,

and the proposed amendment thereto moved by Mr. Wotherspoon, seconded by Mr. Belanger:

That the motion be amended by adding the following:

And, That this Assembly condemns this government for primarily working to benefit a select few while dismissing the most important things Saskatchewan families want and need, especially in the areas of health care, education, and the rising cost of living.

The debate continuing on the motion and the amendment, the Assembly recessed from 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m.

The debate being resumed on the motion and the amendment, it was on motion of Mr. Marchuk, adjourned.

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Cheveldayoff:
Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.
The Assembly adjourned at 8:42 p.m. until Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Dan D'Autremont Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS, AND PAPERS TABLED

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

Annual Report and Financial Statements under *The Teachers' Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act* for the year ended June 30, 2014 and *The Teachers' Dental Plan Act* for the year ended December 31, 2013

(Sessional Paper No. 11)

By the Hon. Mr. Doherty:

Financial Statements for Southeast Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 12)

Financial Statements for Parkland Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 13)

Financial Statements for North West Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 14)

Financial Statements for Carlton Trail Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 15)

Financial Statements for Cumberland Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 16)

Consolidated Financial Statements for Northlands College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 17)

Financial Statements for Great Plains Regional College for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 18)

Annual Report and Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology (SIAST) for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 19)

Payee Disclosure Report and Report of Payments for Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology (SIAST) for the year ended June 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 20)

Annual Report and Financial Statements for the University of Regina for the year ended April 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 21)

Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the University of Saskatchewan for the year ended April 30, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 22)

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR FIRST READING OF BILLS AVIS DE MOTIONS PORTANT PREMIÈRE LECTURE DE PROJETS DE LOI

APPENDIX

On Wednesday / mercredi:

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 144 – The Victims of Domestic Violence Amendment Act, 2014

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 145 – The Fee Waiver Act

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 146 – The Fee Waiver Consequential Amendments Act, 2014

L'hon. M. Wyant proposera la première lecture du projet de loi nº 146 – Loi de 2014 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Fee Waiver Act

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 147 – The Class Actions Amendment Act, 2014 L'hon. M. Wyant proposera la première lecture du projet de loi nº 147 – Loi de 2014 modifiant la Loi sur les recours collectifs

Hon. Mr. Duncan to move First Reading of Bill No. 148 - The Vital Statistics Amendment Act, 2014 L'hon. M. Duncan proposera la première lecture du projet de loi nº 148 – Loi de 2014 modifiant la Loi de 2009 sur les services de l'état civil

Hon. Mr. Duncan to move First Reading of Bill No. 149 - The Health Administration Amendment Act, 2014

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 150 - The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act, 2014

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 152 - The Victims of Domestic Violence Consequential Amendment Act, 2014

L'hon. M. Wyant proposera la première lecture du projet de loi nº 152 – Loi de 2014 portant modification corrélative à la loi intitulée The Victims of Domestic Violence Consequential Amendment Act, 2014

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 2 and are to be answered by day no. 7:

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 1:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many individuals were receiving Saskatchewan Assistance Program (SAP) in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 2:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many children in families were receiving SAP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 3:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many SAP cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 4:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many Transitional Employment Allowance (TEA) cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 5:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many Saskatchewan Assured Income for Disability (SAID) cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 6:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many new SAP cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 7:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many new TEA cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 8:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many new SAID cases were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 9:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many SAP cases involved families with children were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 10:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many SAP cases involved people living with disabilities were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 11:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many SAP cases involved people who were employable were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 12:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many single individuals received the Seniors Income Plan (SIP) in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 13:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many single individuals were cut off from SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 14:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many single individuals had their SIP benefits reduced in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 15:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many new single individuals received SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 16:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many couples received SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 17:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many new couples received SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 18:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many couples were cut off from SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 19:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many couples had their SIP benefits reduced in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 20:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many people in total were receiving SIP in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 21:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many families qualified for the Saskatchewan employment supplement in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 22:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many recipients for rental housing supplements were open in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 23:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many heads of families personally qualified for SAID benefits in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 24:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many heads of single parent families personally qualified for SAID benefits in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Mr. Forbes, to ask the government the following Question No. 25:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many people qualified for SAID benefits are living independently in 2014 in March? (2) April? (3) May? (4) June? (5) July? (6) August? (7) September?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 26:

To the Minister of Health: (1) What is the total number of seniors assessed and denied long-term care placement in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 27:

To the Minister of Health: (1) What is the total number of seniors assessed for long-term care placement in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 28:

To the Minister of Health: (1) What was the average wait time for seniors between qualification and placement in long-term care in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 29:

To the Minister of Health: (1) What is the total number of seniors that qualified for long-term care placement and were placed on the waiting list in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 30:

To the Minister of Health: (1) How many out-of-scope full-time equivalents were there in each health region in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 31:

To the Minister of Health: (1) How many in-scope full-time equivalents were there in each health region in 2006? (2) 2007? (3) 2008? (4) 2009? (5) 2010? (6) 2011? (7) 2012? (8) 2013? (9) 2014?

The following questions were given notice on day no. 3 and are to be answered by day no. 8:

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 32:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Estevan-Cambria community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 33:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Excel community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 34:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Fairview community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 35:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Ituna-Bon Accord community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 36:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Keywest community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 37:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Lone Tree community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 38:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the McCraney community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 39:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Newcombe community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 40:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Park community pasture in 2014?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 41:

To the Minister of Agriculture: What is the total number of pasture patrons who used the Wolverine community pasture in 2014?