



No. 46

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FOURTH SESSION – TWENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

Monday, April 13, 2015

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, Vermette, Chartier, Sproule, and Draude.

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

(Addendum to 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 increase staffing levels to match the level of needs of residents in long-term care facilities.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 37)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to enact a plan and allocate funding to tackle climate change.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 49)

Of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan humbly praying that your honourable Assembly may be pleased to cause the government to immediately prioritize education.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 106)

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Cheveldayoff:

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 2:17 p.m. until Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Dan D'Autremont
Speaker

RETURNS, REPORTS, AND PAPERS TABLED

The following Returns which were Ordered by the Assembly on November 3, 2014, were laid upon the Table:

Return Nos. 1-25 by Mr. Forbes

(Sessional Paper Nos. 118-142)

The following Returns which were Ordered by the Assembly on November 24, 2014, were laid upon the Table:

Return Nos. 245-254 by Mr. Forbes

(Sessional Paper Nos. 143-152)

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Moe:

Annual Report and Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Water Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2014, including the *2014 Water Quality Report*

(Sessional Paper No. 154)

By the Hon. Mr. Doherty:

Annual Report for Saskatchewan Telecommunications for the year ended December 31, 2014, and Consolidated Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 155)

Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Telecommunications for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 156)

Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Telecommunications International, Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 157)

Financial Statements for DirectWest Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 158)

Financial Statements for SecurTek Monitoring Solutions Inc. for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 159)

Annual Report and Financial Statements for Saskatchewan Telecommunications Pension Plan for the year ended December 31, 2014

(Sessional Paper No. 160)

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 46 and are to be answered by day no. 51:

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 907:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What type of power meter was installed to replace the smart meters that cabinet ordered to be removed?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 908:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: (1) How many of the removed smart meters had experienced a failure that was not overheating? (2) What was the nature of those other failures?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 909:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How many of the removed smart meters had experienced an overheating failure?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 910:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Specifically, how did technical issues combine to result in the failure and/or fires of smart meters removed by order of cabinet?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 911:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What were the technical issues that contributed to the failures and/or fires of the smart meters removed by order of cabinet?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 912:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What was the nature of the failures that occurred in the meters that were installed to replace the smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 913:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How many failures occurred in the meters that were installed to replace the smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 914:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On which date did the first failure in the meters used to replace smart meters occur?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 915:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On which date did the most recent failure in the meters used to replace smart meters occur?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 916:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Were there overheating failures and/or fires in any of the meters that were installed to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 917:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: In how many of the meters that were used to replace smart meters did overheating failures and/or fires occur?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 918:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What technical issues contributed to the failures of the meters that replaced the smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 919:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How are the failures in the meters used to replace smart meters being addressed?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 920:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What have been the costs incurred to replace any failed meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 921:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: Has SaskPower, to this point, advised the public of the failure of the meters used to replace the smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 922:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On what date was the Minister Responsible for SaskPower advised of overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 923:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On what date was the Minister Responsible for SaskPower advised of the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 924:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How did the Minister Responsible for SaskPower advise SaskPower to proceed after learning about the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 925:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On what date was the Premier's office advised of the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 926:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How did the Premier's office advise SaskPower to proceed after learning about the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 927:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: On what date was cabinet advised of the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 928:

To the Minister Responsible for the Saskatchewan Power Corporation: How did cabinet advise the Saskatchewan Power Corporation to proceed after learning about the overheating failures and/or fires of the meters used to replace smart meters?