



No. 11

VOTES and PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

FIRST SESSION – TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Monday, June 6, 2016

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: Chartier and Sproule.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

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

Residents of the province of Saskatchewan request that the Legislative Assembly cause the government to improve cellular coverage in northern communities.

(Sessional Paper No. 50)

Residents of the province of Saskatchewan request that the Legislative Assembly cause the government to introduce legislation that would modernize *The Surface Rights Acquisition and Compensation Act*.

(Sessional Paper No. 51)

Residents of the province of Saskatchewan request that the Legislative Assembly cause the government to make changes so that work related PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder) is covered under workers compensation and these workers receive the same benefits as others with work-related injuries.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 39)

Residents of the province of Saskatchewan request that the Legislative Assembly cause the government to restore funding for heritage language education in Saskatchewan heritage language schools.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 40)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS / DÉPÔT DE PROJETS DE LOI

The following bills were introduced, read the first time, and ordered to be read a second time at the next sitting:

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés, lus une première fois, et la deuxième lecture en est fixée à la prochaine séance:

Bill No. 21 – The Growth and Financial Security Repeal Act

(Hon. Mr. Doherty)

Bill No. 22 – The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2016

(Hon. Mr. Doherty)

Bill No. 23 – The Liquor Retail Modernization Act

Projet de loi n° 23 – Loi de modernisation du commerce des boissons alcoolisées

(Hon. Mr. / L'hon. M. McMorris)

Bill No. 24 – The Liquor Retail Modernization Consequential Amendments Act, 2016

(Hon. Mr. McMorris)

Bill No. 25 – The Wakamow Valley Authority Amendment Act, 2016

(Hon. Mr. Docherty)

WITHDRAWAL OF ITEM OF BUSINESS RETRAIT DES AFFAIRES INSCRITES

By leave of the Assembly, the Order for Second Reading of Bill No. 20 – The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2016 was discharged and the bill withdrawn, pursuant to Rule 15(3).

Avec la permission de l'Assemblée, il est résolu que la deuxième lecture du projet de loi n° 20 – Loi modificative de 2016 sur les juges de paix soit retirée et le projet de loi est retiré de l'Assemblée, conformément à l'article 15(3).

BUDGET DEBATE

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Doherty, seconded by Ms. Beaudry-Mellor:

That the Assembly approves in general the budgetary policy of the government,
and the proposed amendment thereto moved by Ms. Sproule, seconded by Mr. Belanger:

That all the words after “That the Assembly” be deleted and the following be added:

disagrees with the government for tabling a budget months late, failing to be transparent to Saskatchewan people, and for failing to deliver opportunities to create jobs, diversify the economy, and support kids in the classroom.

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, the Deputy Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put, pursuant to Rule 6(7).

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. until Tuesday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Corey Tochor
Speaker

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

On Wednesday / mercredi:

Hon. Mr. Duncan to move First Reading of Bill No. 26 – The Patient Choice Medical Imaging Act

Hon. Mr. Wyant to move First Reading of Bill No. 27 – The Vital Statistics Amendment Act, 2016

L'hon. M. Wyant proposera la première lecture du projet de loi no 27 – Loi modificative de 2016 sur les services de l'état civil

NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 8 and are to be answered by day no. 13:

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 65:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: For each fiscal year, what were SaskPower's expenditures associated with the retrofit of the Queen Elizabeth power station?

Ms. Sproule, to ask the government the following Question No. 66:

To the Minister Responsible for Saskatchewan Power Corporation: What was the total cost for the retrofit of the Queen Elizabeth power station?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 67:

To the Minister of Health: (1) For each health region, how many cesarean sections were completed in 2013/14? (2) 2014/15? (3) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 68:

To the Minister of Health: (1) For each health region, how many elective surgeries were completed in 2013/14? (2) 2014/15? (3) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 69:

To the Minister of Health: (1) For each health region, how many emergency surgeries were completed in 2013/14? (2) 2014/15? (3) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 70:

To the Minister of Health: (1) For each health region, how many surgeries, excluding cesarean sections, were completed in 2013/14? (2) 2014/15? (3) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 71:

To the Minister of Education: For each school division, what is the most recent estimate of infrastructure funding needs?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 72:

To the Minister of Health: (1) What is the total number of participants in the Connecting to Care program for 2014/15 (2) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 73:

To the Minister of Health: For each health region, what is the total number of employees for each profession, and for each bargaining unit (i.e. SUN, CUPE, SEIU West, HSAS, etc.)?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 74:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many Aboriginal kids were in care in 2013/14? (2) 2014/15? (3) 2015/16?

Ms. Rancourt, to ask the government the following Question No. 75:

To the Minister of Health: How many health region employees have been trained in the gentle persuasion technique to date?

The following question was given notice on day no. 10 and is to be answered by day no. 15:

Mr. Vermette, to ask the government the following Question No. 76:

To the Minister of Highways and Infrastructure: (1) Does the government have any plans for improvements other than the regular maintenance to Highway 115? (2) Highway 102? (3) Highway 135? (4) Highway 123? (5) Highway 106? (6) Highway 911? (7) What are the planned improvements for each highway? (8) When will the improvements for each highway be completed?