

No. 25

# **VOTES and PROCEEDINGS**

# OF THE

# LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

# PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN

# FIRST SESSION – TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

Wednesday, June 29, 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, Sproule, Forbes, and Ottenbreit.

# **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 restore funding for heritage language education in Saskatchewan heritage language schools.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 40)

Residents of the province of Saskatchewan request that the Legislative Assembly cause the government to protect wetlands by increasing funding to do proper inventory work, putting Saskatchewan in a better position to manage the resource, speed up the evaluation of high risk watersheds where there is a significant damage annually from flooding, and create a sound and transparent mitigation process.

(Addendum to Sessional Paper No. 47)

# REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES RAPPORT DU COMITÉ PERMANENT DES COMITÉ PERMANENT DES SOCIÉTÉS D'ÉTAT ET DES ORGANISMES CENTRAUX

The following bills were reported without amendment and consideration in Committee of the Whole on Bills having been waived, by leave of the Assembly, they were read the third time and passed: Les projets de loi suivants sont rapportés sans amendement et avec la permission de l'Assemblée de passer outre au renvoi au Comité plénier sur les projets de loi, sont lus une troisième fois et adoptés:

Bill No. 23 – The Liquor Retail Modernization Act Projet de loi nº 23 – Loi de modernisation du commerce des boissons alcoolisées

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

Mr. Bradshaw, Chair of the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies, presented the committee's second report, which is as follows:

The committee considered the estimates for the following ministries and agencies and adopted the following resolutions:

#### **2016-2017 Estimates:**

Resolved, that there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2017, the following sums:

#### **Ministries and Agencies**

For Central Services	\$280,605,000
For Finance	\$207,900,000
For Public Service Commission	\$36,558,000

The committee reviewed the following estimates for which no funds were requested or required to be voted:

#### **Ministries and Agencies**

For Finance — Debt Servicing (Statutory)

#### **Change in Advances to Revolving Funds**

For Change in Advances to Revolving Funds (Statutory)

#### **Debt Redemption, Sinking Fund and Interest Payments**

For Debt Redemption (Statutory)

For Interest on Gross Debt — Crown Enterprise Share (Statutory)

For Sinking Fund Payments — Government Share (Statutory)

#### Lending and Investing Activities

For Municipal Financing Corporation of Saskatchewan (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Opportunities Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Power Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Telecommunications Holding Corporation (Statutory)

For Saskatchewan Water Corporation (Statutory)

For SaskEnergy Incorporated (Statutory)

The committee recommends that upon concurrence of its report by the Assembly, the sums as reported and approved shall be included in the appropriation bill for consideration by the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 62)

On motion of Mr. Bradshaw:

Ordered, That the Second Report of the Standing Committee on Crown and Central Agencies be now concurred in.

## **REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY**

Mr. Makowsky, Chair of the Standing Committee on the Economy, presented the committee's first report, which is as follows:

The committee considered the estimates for the following ministries and agencies and adopted the following resolutions:

## 2016-2017 Estimates

Resolved, that there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2017, the following sums:

#### **Ministries and Agencies**

For Agriculture	\$390,660,000
For Economy	\$259,574,000
For Environment	\$175,152,000
For Highways and Infrastructure	\$1,147,531,000
For Innovation Saskatchewan	\$29,400,000

For Saskatchewan Research Council	\$22,230,000
For SaskBuilds Corporation	\$5,073,000
For Water Security Agency	\$20,255,000

The committee considered the supplementary estimates for the following ministries and agencies and adopted the following resolution:

#### 2015-2016 Supplementary Estimates — March

Resolved, that there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2016, the following sums:

#### **Ministries and Agencies**

The committee recommends that upon concurrence of its report by the Assembly, the sums as reported and approved shall be included in the appropriation bill for consideration by the Legislative Assembly. (Sessional Paper No. 63)

On motion of Mr. Makowsky:

Ordered, That the First Report of the Standing Committee on the Economy be now concurred in.

The Assembly recessed from 2:31 p.m. until 2:45 p.m.

#### **COMMITTEE OF FINANCE**

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Finance to consider estimates for Executive Council.

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty for the twelve months ending March 31, 2017, the sum of \$15,613,000 for Executive Council.

Progress was reported and the committee given leave to sit again.

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

The Assembly adjourned at 6:08 p.m. until Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Hon. Corey Tochor Speaker

# **RETURNS, REPORTS, AND PAPERS TABLED**

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Mr. Harrison:

Tourism Saskatchewan: 2015-2016 Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 2016, including payee details

(Sessional Paper No. 64)

By the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

Bylaws, rules, and regulations of the following professional associations and amendments thereto under provisions of the respective Acts:

Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation Law Society of Saskatchewan Saskatchewan College of Psychologists The Saskatchewan Registered Nurses' Association Saskatchewan Applied Science Technologists and Technicians

(Addendums to Sessional Paper No. 45)