

FIRST SESSION — TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

# Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

# VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 21

Wednesday, April 21, 2021

PRAYERS

1:30 p.m.

#### **PRESENTING PETITIONS**

Petitions of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following members: Mowat and Love.

#### **READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS**

According to order and pursuant to rule 16(7), petitions from residents of the province of Saskatchewan, requesting the following action, were read and received:

To introduce pay equity legislation.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 98)

To provide core funding to the Lighthouse Serving the Battlefords and emergency homelessness shelters across Saskatchewan.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 102)

To work with the federal government to seek rapid approval of Hemlibra.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 113)

#### SECOND READINGS

### Bill No. 32 — The Vapour Products Tax Act

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 32 — The Vapour Products Tax Act be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Mowat, adjourned.

#### Bill No. 33 — The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act, 2021

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 33 — The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Mowat, adjourned.

#### Bill No. 34 — The Fuel Tax Amendment Act, 2021

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 34 — The Fuel Tax Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Mr. Vermette, adjourned.

#### Bill No. 35 — The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2021

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 35 — The Income Tax Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Beck, adjourned.

#### Bill No. 36 — The Provincial Sales Tax Amendment Act, 2021

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Harpauer: That Bill No. 36 — The Provincial Sales Tax Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

A debate arising, it was on motion of Ms. Beck, adjourned.

#### **ADJOURNED DEBATES**

#### Bill No. 3 — The Massage Therapy Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Merriman: That Bill No. 3 - The Massage Therapy Act 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 (Meadow Lake), in accordance with rule 85, Bill No. 3 - The Massage Therapy Act was committed to the Standing Committee on Human Services.

#### **Bill No. 14** — The Protection From Human Trafficking Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 14 — The Protection From Human Trafficking Act be now read a second time.

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

#### Bill No. 15 — The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act, 2020

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 15 — The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act, 2020 be now read a second time.

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

#### Bill No. 19 — The Human Resources Profession Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan: That Bill No. 19 - The Human Resources Profession Act 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 (Meadow Lake), in accordance with rule 85, Bill No. 19 - The Human Resources Profession Act was committed to the Standing Committee on Human Services.

#### Bill No. 20 — The Publicly-funded Health Entity Public Interest Disclosure Act

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Merriman: That Bill No. 20 — The Publicly-funded Health Entity Public Interest Disclosure Act 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 (Meadow Lake), in accordance with rule 85, Bill No. 20 – The Publicly-funded Health Entity Public Interest Disclosure Act was committed to the Standing Committee on Human Services.

#### Bill No. 21 — The Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Amendment Act, 2020

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Tell: That Bill No. 21 — The Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Amendment Act, 2020 be now read a second time.

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

#### Bill No. 26 — The Police (Serious Incident Response Team) Amendment Act, 2021

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 26 — The Police (Serious Incident Response Team) Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

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

# Bill No. 27 — The Summary Offences Procedure Amendment Act, 2021

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That Bill No. 27 — The Summary Offences Procedure Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

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

# Bill No. 28 — The Active Families Benefit Act, 2021

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Ross (Regina Rochdale): That Bill No. 28 — The Active Families Benefit Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

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

# Bill No. 30 — The Saskatchewan Technology Start-up Incentive Amendment Act, 2021

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake): That Bill No. 30 — The Saskatchewan Technology Start-up Incentive Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

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

# Bill No. 31 — The Innovation Saskatchewan Amendment Act, 2021

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake): That Bill No. 31 - The Innovation Saskatchewan Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

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

On motion of the Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake):

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:00 p.m. until Thursday at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Randy Weekes Speaker

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

The following papers were laid upon the Table:

By the Hon. Ms. Carr:

Saskatchewan Housing Corporation: 2020 annual report 2020 payee information 2020 Consolidation Schedule – Corporate and Housing Authority financial statements (Sessional paper no. 114)

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By the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

Public Employees Dental Fund: 2020 annual report

(Sessional paper no. 115)

SaskEnergy Retiring Allowance Plan: 2020 annual report

(Sessional paper no. 116)