



FIRST SESSION — TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

No. 28

Friday, April 30, 2021

10:00 a.m.

PRAYERS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

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

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 protect the boreal forest and reject the proposed Lambert Peat Moss development.

(Addendum to sessional paper no. 125)

SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

The order of the day being called for the following motion for a seventy-five minute debate, it was moved by Mr. Cockrill:

That this Assembly supports the government's Agriculture Value-Added strategies as highlighted in our provincial growth plan, recognizing that it will support Saskatchewan in both our short-term economic recovery, as well as its role in ensuring the long-term prosperity of the province.

A debate arising and the period of seventy-five minutes having expired, pursuant to rule 25(5) the Deputy Speaker interrupted proceedings.

SECOND READINGS**Bill No. 601 — The Saskatchewan Strategy for Suicide Prevention Act, 2021**

Moved by Mr. Vermette: That Bill No. 601 — The Saskatchewan Strategy for Suicide Prevention Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

A debate arising and the question being put, it was agreed to and the said bill was, accordingly, read a second time and committed to a Committee of the Whole on Bills immediately.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON BILLS

The Assembly, according to order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Bills.

The following bill was reported without amendment, and by leave of the Assembly and pursuant to rule 75(1), read the third time and passed *nemine contradicente*:

Bill No. 601 — The Saskatchewan Strategy for Suicide Prevention Act, 2021

The committee was given leave to sit again.

ROYAL ASSENT

12:34 p.m.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, having entered the Chamber, took his seat upon the Throne.

The Speaker addressed His Honour:

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

This Legislative Assembly at its present session has passed several bills which, in the name of the Assembly, I present to Your Honour and to which bills I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill No. 29 — The Supporting Saskatchewan Restaurants Act

Bill No. 901 — The Saskatoon Foundation Amendment Act, 2020

Bill No. 601 — The Saskatchewan Strategy for Suicide Prevention Act, 2021

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then replied: “In Her Majesty’s name, I assent to these bills.”

His Honour then retired from the Chamber.

12:36 p.m.

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

Ordered, That this Assembly do now adjourn.

The Assembly adjourned at 12:37 p.m. until Monday 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. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake):

Saskatchewan Research Council: 2020 Employees’ Pension Plan annual report
(Sessional paper no. 130)

By the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

Saskatchewan Workers’ Compensation Board: 2020 annual report
(Sessional paper no. 131)

Saskatchewan Government Insurance Superannuation Plan: 2020 annual report
(Sessional paper no. 132)

Pension Plan for the Employees of the Saskatchewan Workers’ Compensation Board: 2020 annual report
(Sessional paper no. 133)

By the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

SaskPower Supplementary Superannuation Plan: 2020 annual report

(Sessional paper no. 134)

SaskPower Designated Employee Benefit Plan: 2020 annual report

(Sessional paper no. 135)

SaskPower Severance Pay Credits Plan: 2020 annual report

(Sessional paper no. 136)

By the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

Ministry of Justice and Attorney General: 2020 Public and Private Rights Board annual report

(Sessional paper no. 137)