



SECOND SESSION — TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

## **Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan**

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# **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

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No. 3

**Monday, November 1, 2021**

1:30 p.m.

### *PRAYERS*

### **INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

The Speaker informed the Assembly that Sydney Sulymka would be a Page for the present session.

### **PRESENTING PETITIONS**

Petitions of citizens of the province of Saskatchewan were presented and laid upon the Table by the following members: Sarauer, Young (Regina University), 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.

(Sessional paper no. 18)

To restore direct rent payment for income support clients.

(Sessional paper no. 19)

**MOTION FOR ADDRESS IN REPLY**

The Assembly resumed the adjourned debate on the proposed motion of Ms. Ross (Prince Albert Northcote), seconded by Mr. Skoropad:

That an Humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

TO HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE RUSS MIRASTY  
Lieutenant Governor of the province of Saskatchewan

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the province of Saskatchewan, in session assembled, humbly thank Your Honour for the gracious speech which Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session.

A debate arising, it was moved by Mr. Love, seconded by Ms. Sarauer:

That the motion be amended by adding:

And, That the Assembly does not support the agenda outlined in the Speech from the Throne because it neither recognizes the COVID-19 crisis in our province, nor proposes measures to address it, which is a direct result of the Sask. Party government's choices that put politics ahead of Saskatchewan people, and,

That the Assembly has lost confidence in the government.

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 Chair of Committees of the Whole Assembly interrupted proceedings and 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. Randy Weekes***  
***Speaker***

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## NOTICE OF WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 2 and are to be answered by day no. 7:

**Question no. 1 (Ms. Mowat):**

To the Minister of Health, since July 11, 2021, (a) how many pediatric therapeutic personnel have been redeployed for pandemic-related purposes from Wascana Rehabilitation Centre, (b) how many pediatric therapeutic personnel have been redeployed for pandemic-related purposes from Kinsmen Children's Centre, and (c) how many pediatric therapeutic personnel, other than those at Wascana Rehabilitation Centre and Kinsmen Children's Centre, have been redeployed for pandemic-related purposes?

**Question no. 2 (Ms. Mowat):**

To the Minister of Health, since July 11, 2021, by type, how many cancer treatments and procedures have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations?

**Question no. 3 (Ms. Mowat):**

To the Minister of Health, since July 11, 2021, (a) how many total surgical procedures have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (b) how many elective surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (c) how many cardiac surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (d) how many general surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (e) how many neurosurgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (f) how many obstetrics and gynecological surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (g) how many ophthalmological surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (h) how many maxillofacial and dental surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (i) how many orthopedic surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (j) how many cardiac surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (k) how many otolaryngological surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (l) how many plastic surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, (m) how many vascular surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations, and (n) how many pediatric surgeries have been cancelled or postponed to date due to surge capacity limitations?

**Question no. 4 (Ms. Mowat):**

To the Minister of Health, for each year since 2006, how many intensive care beds were in each facility providing intensive care?

**Question no. 5 (Ms. Mowat):**

To the Minister of Health, since July 11, 2021, (a) how many organ transplants have been cancelled or otherwise not proceeded due to pandemic-related surge capacity limitations, and (b) how many registered organ donors have died since the suspension of the organ donation program?