

No. 63

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

AND

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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1. On the proposed **Motion No. 2** moved by Ms. Campeau:

That this Assembly support further uranium mining development and expansion in northern Saskatchewan, especially given the positive track record of Saskatchewan's uranium industry in creating opportunity and employment in the north, particularly for First Nations and Métis people.

> (Hon. Mr. Wyant) Adjourned Once

2. On the proposed **Motion No. 3** moved by Mr. Forbes:

That this Assembly urge the government to listen to the advice of members of the Minister of Labour's advisory committee and delay the passage of Bill No. 85.

Adjourned Once

3. On the proposed Motion No. 4 moved by Mr. Bradshaw:

That this Assembly condemn the policies of the former NDP government, which by reducing access to services, abandoned healthcare in rural Saskatchewan.

(Hon. Mr. Harrison) Adjourned Once

4. On the proposed **Motion No. 5** moved by Mr. Belanger:

That this Assembly urge the government to reallocate the \$12 million being spent on standardized testing towards reducing classroom sizes, expanding English as an additional language support, supporting more educational assistants, and rebuilding crumbling school infrastructure.

(Hon. Mr. Harrison) Adjourned Once

APPENDIX A

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 58 and are to be answered by day no. 63:

1. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 558:

To the Minister of Parks, Culture and Sport: (1) How many contracts in the fiscal year 2011/12 were worth under \$50,000? (2) Of these contracts worth less than \$50,000, who were the payees?

2. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 559:

To the Minister of Parks, Culture and Sport: (1) How many payees received more than one contract worth less than \$25,000 in the fiscal year 2011/12? (2) Of these contracts worth less than \$25,000, who were the payees?

3. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 560:

To the Minister of Parks, Culture and Sport: What are the guidelines, in the financial administration manual, for sole-source contracts between \$25,000 and \$75,000?

4. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 561:

To the Minister of Parks, Culture and Sport: How many contracts worth over \$75,000 were untendered in the fiscal year 2011/12?

5. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 562:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many contracts in the fiscal year 2011/12 were worth under \$50,000? (2) Of these contracts worth less than \$50,000, who were the payees?

6. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 563:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) How many payees received more than one contract worth less than \$25,000 in the fiscal year 2011/12? (2) Of these contracts worth less than \$25,000, who were the payees?

7. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 564:

To the Minister of Social Services: What are the guidelines, in the financial administration manual, for sole-source contracts between \$25,000 and \$75,000?

8. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 565:

To the Minister of Social Services: How many contracts worth over \$75,000 were untendered in the fiscal year 2011/12?

9. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 566:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) What was the total number of cases contracted out to private legal counsel by the Ministry of Social Services for the year 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

10. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 567:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Does the Ministry of Social Services contract out private legal services by region? (2) If so, what are the regions? (3) If not, how are the legal contracts assigned?

11. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 568:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) If the ministry contracts out private legal services by region, what were the firms contracted for each region in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

12. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 569:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) What firms were contracted to perform legal services for the Ministry of Social Services in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

13. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 570:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) In regard to the legal firms contracted to perform legal services for Ministry of Social Services, what were the amounts of these contracts per firm in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

14. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 571:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) In regard to the legal firms contracted to perform legal services for Ministry of Social Services. what were the number of cases for each firm in 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

15. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 572:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) What was the total number of cases contracted out to private legal counsel by the Ministry of Social Services in Prince Albert and the north for the year 2007? (2) 2008? (3) 2009? (4) 2010? (5) 2011? (6) 2012?

16. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 573:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Is there a cap on the amount a lawyer contracted by the Ministry of Social Services can charge per case? (2) If there is a cap, how long has that cap been in place? (3) What is the cap? (4) If there is not a cap was there ever a cap? (5) When was the cap removed?

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17. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 574:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Are there set rates that lawyers contracted by the Ministry of Socials Services can bill per hour? (2) If there is a set rate what is that rate? (3) If there is not a set rate was there ever a rate? (4) When was the set rate removed?

18. Ms. Chartier, to ask the government the following Question No. 575:

To the Minister of Social Services: (1) Are there set rates for disbursements paid out by lawyers contracted by the Ministry of Social Services? (2) If there is a set rate what is that rate? (3) If there is not a set rate was there ever a rate? (4) When was the set rate removed?

APPENDIX B

IN STANDING COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES COMITÉ PERMANENT DES SOCIÉTÉS D'ÉTAT ET DES ORGANISMES CENTRAUX

Referred after Second Reading / Renvoyé après deuxième lecture:

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day / Projets de loi spécifiés: à être votés avant le jour d'achèvement

Bill No. 92 – The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Act

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

Bill No. 93 – The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Consequential Amendments Act, 2013 Projet de loi nº 93 – Loi de 2013 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Pooled

Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Act

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

*Bill No. 95 – The Operation of Public Registry Statutes Act

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

*Bill No. 96 – The Operation of Public Registry Statutes Consequential Amendments Act, 2013 *Projet de loi nº 96 – Loi de 2013 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Operation of Public Registry Statutes Act

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

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE ECONOMY

Referred after Second Reading

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

*Bill No. 49 – The Forestry Professions Amendment Act, 2012

(Hon. Mr. Cheveldayoff)

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE

Estimates:

Vote 30	Government Relations
Vote 3	Justice
Vote 27	Parks, Culture and Sport

Supplementary Estimates:

Vote 30	Government Relations
Vote 3	Justice

Referred after Second Reading: *Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

*Bill No. 54 – The Seizure of Criminal Property Amendment Act, 2012	(Hon. Mr. Wyant)
*Bill No. 55 – The Consumer Protection and Business Practices Act	(Hon. Mr. Wyant)
*Bill No. 53 – The Miscellaneous Statutes Repeal Act, 2012 (No. 2)	(Hon. Mr. Wyant)
*Bill No. 72 – The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2012	(Hon. Ms. Harpauer)
*Bill No. 62 – The Parks Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 2)	(Hon. Mr. Doherty)
*Bill No. 90 – The Planning and Development Amendment Act, 2013	(Hon. Mr. Reiter)
Bill No. 86 – The Regulatory Modernization and Accountability Act	(Hon. Mr. Bovd)

APPENDIX C

BILLS AWAITING ROYAL ASSENT PROJETS DE LOI EN ATTENTE DE SANCTION ROYALE

Bill No. 80 – The Power Corporation Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 71 – The Alcohol and Gaming Regulation Amendment Act, 2012 Projet de loi nº 71 – Loi de 2012 modifiant la Loi de 1997 sur la réglementation des boissons alcoolisées et des jeux de hasard

Bill No. 77 – The Horse Racing Regulation Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 604 - The Public Health (Howard's Law) Amendment Act

Bill No. 63 – The Regional Parks Act, 2012

Bill No. 64 – The Regional Parks Consequential Amendments Act, 2012 Projet de loi nº 64 – Loi de 2012 portant modifications corrélatives à la loi intitulée The Regional Parks Act, 2012

Bill No. 89 – The Creative Saskatchewan Act

Bill No. 901 – The Orange Benevolent Society Repeal Act

Bill No. 902 – The Lutheran Sunset Home of Saskatoon Amendment Act, 2013

Bill No. 59 – The Animal Identification Amendment Act, 2012

- Bill No. 60 The Animal Products Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 48 The Management and Reduction of Greenhouse Gases Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 47 The Saskatchewan Watershed Authority Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 65 – The Securities Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 2)

Bill No. 51 – The Public Inquiries Act, 2012 Projet de loi nº 51 – Loi de 2012 sur les enquêtes publiques

Bill No. 52 – The Public Inquiries Consequential Amendments Act, 2012

Bill No. 67 – The Community Planning Profession Act, 2012

Bill No. 73 – The Municipalities Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 74 – The Cities Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 75 – The Northern Municipalities Amendment Act, 2012

Bill No. 76 – The Municipal Board Amendment Act, 2012

- Bill No. 70 The Education Amendment Act, 2012 (No. 2) Projet de loi nº 70 – Loi nº 2 de 2012 modifiant la Loi de 1995 sur l'éducation
- Bill No. 58 The Workers' Compensation Act, 2012
- Bill No. 46 The Municipal Employees' Pension Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 82 The Saskatchewan Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 91 The Saskatchewan Pension Plan Amendment Act, 2013 (No. 2)
- Bill No. 94 The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act, 2013
- Bill No. 79 The Representation Act, 2012
- Bill No. 57 The Condominium Property Amendment Act, 2012
- **Bill No. 84 The Common Business Identifiers Act**

Bill No. 68 – The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2012 Projet de loi nº 68 – Loi de 2012 modifiant la Loi de 1988 sur les juges de paix

Bill No. 56 – The Court of Appeal Amendment Act, 2012 Projet de loi n° 56 – Loi de 2012 modifiant la Loi de 2000 sur la Cour d'appel

Bill No. 61 – The Railway Amendment Act, 2012

- Bill No. 83 The Foreign Worker Recruitment and Immigration Services Act
- Bill No. 81 The Global Transportation Hub Authority Act
- Bill No. 50 The Medical Profession Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 78 The Social Workers Amendment Act, 2012
- **Bill No. 69 The Information Services Corporation Act**
- Bill No. 45 The Miscellaneous Statutes (Saskatchewan Telecommunications) Amendment Act, 2012
- Bill No. 85 The Saskatchewan Employment Act