

SECOND SESSION - TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

No. 25

Thursday, December 9, 2021

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ADJOURNED DEBATES

1. On the proposed motion of Ms. Bowes:

That Bill No. 606 — The Saskatchewan Employment (Paid Sick Days) Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Sarauer) *Adjourned twice*

2. On the proposed **motion no. 1** moved by Mr. Domotor:

That this Assembly condemns the federal government's targeting of law-abiding firearm owners in recent regulatory changes and calls on the federal government to halt any proposed reduction of sentences for serious offences through the criminal code of Canada, as prescribed in Bill C-22 introduced to the House of Commons in 2021.

Adjourned once

SECOND READINGS

1. Bill No. 607 — The Public Participation Act

(Ms. Sarauer) PRINTED

2. Bill No. 608 — The Protecting a Woman's Right to Access Abortion Services Act

(Ms. Bowes) PRINTED

MOTIONS FOR RETURNS (DEBATABLE)

1. Ms. Mowat to move the following motion:

That an order of the Assembly be issued for return no. 7 seeking that the government provide to the Assembly all of the recommendations made to them by the Chief Medical Health Officer regarding public health and COVID-19 since June 1, 2021.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

ADJOURNED DEBATES / DÉBATS AJOURNÉS

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

1. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant: That *Bill No. 46 — The Legal Aid Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Beck)

2. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Bradshaw:

That *Bill No. 47 — The Highways and Transportation Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Wotherspoon)

3. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

That *Bill No. 49 — The Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Vermette)

4. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

That *Bill No. 50 — The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

5. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 51 — The Privacy (Intimate Images – Additional Remedies) Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Bowes)

6. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Morgan:

That *Bill No. 52 — The Automobile Accident Insurance Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Vermette)

7. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 53 — The Miscellaneous Statutes Repeal Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Conway)

8. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 54 — The Miscellaneous Statutes (Remote Witnessing) Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 54 — Loi modificative diverse (attestation instrumentaire à distance) de 2021 soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Conway)

9. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 55 — The Miscellaneous Statutes (Remote Witnessing) Amendment Act, 2021 (No. 2) be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

10. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 56 — The Queen's Bench Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 56 — Loi modificative de 2021 sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Mr. / M. Wotherspoon)

11. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 57 — The Land Titles Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Young (Regina University))

12. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 58 — The Securities Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Bowes)

13. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 59 — The Justices of the Peace Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 59 — Loi modificative de 2021 sur les juges de paix soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Beck)

14. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Makowsky:

That *Bill No. 61 — The Post-Secondary Education and Skills Training Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

15. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Hindley:

That *Bill No. 62 — The Dental Disciplines Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Bowes)

16. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 63 — The Reviewable Transactions Act be now read a second time.

(Ms. Conway)

17. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 64 — The Reviewable Transactions Consequential Amendments Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 64 — Loi de 2021 corrélative de la loi intitulée The Reviewable Transactions Act soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Nippi-Albright)

18. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 65 — The Provincial Court Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

19. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 67 — The Emergency Planning Amendment Act, 2021 (No. 2) be now read a second time.

(Ms. Nippi-Albright)

20. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 68 — The Enforcement of Maintenance Orders Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 68 — Loi modificative de 2021 sur l'exécution des ordonnances alimentaires soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Nippi-Albright)

21. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 69 — The Inter-jurisdictional Support Orders Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 69 — Loi modificative de 2021 sur les ordonnances alimentaires interterritoriales soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Conway)

22. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Tell:

That *Bill No. 70 — The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. Mme Tell:

Que le *projet de loi n° 70 — Loi modificative de 2021 sur l'Assemblée legislative soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Mr. / M. Love)

23. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 71 — The Insurance Amendment Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

24. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 72 — The Life Leases Act be now read a second time.

(Ms. Ritchie)

25. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Marit:

That *Bill No. 73 — The Animal Production Act be now read a second time.

(Ms. Mowat)

26. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 75 — The Non-profit Corporations Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

Sur la motion proposée par l'hon. M. Wyant:

Que le *projet de loi n° 75 — Loi de 2021 sur les organisations sans but lucratif soit maintenant lu une deuxième fois.

(Ms. / Mme Sarauer)

27. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Mr. Wyant:

That *Bill No. 76 — The Non-profit Corporations Consequential Amendments Act, 2021 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Sarauer)

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

APPENDIX A

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following questions were given notice on day no. 20 and are to be answered by day no. 25:

1. Question no. 16 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, (a) does the Ministry or Saskatchewan Health Authority track instances of short staffing in health care and long-term care facilities, (b) how often are health care facilities operating short-staffed, (c) how often are long-term care facilities operating short-staffed, (d) how many hours of overtime have been worked by health care workers in health care facilities since July 11, 2021, (e) what is the total compensation for overtime worked by health care workers in health care facilities since July 11, 2021, (f) how many hours of overtime have been worked by health care workers in long-term care facilities since July 11, 2021, and (g) what is the total compensation for overtime worked by health care workers in health care facilities since July 11, 2021?

2. Question no. 17 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, (a) by job type, how many vacancies are there in Saskatchewan health care facilities, and (b) by job type, how many job postings are currently available in Saskatchewan health care facilities?

3. Question no. 18 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, since July 11, 2021, (a) how many surgeries have been cancelled or postponed, (b) how many surgeries were not scheduled, (c) how many cancer surgeries have been cancelled or postponed, (d) how many cancer surgeries were not scheduled, and (e) how many people have died while waiting for surgery?

4. Question no. 19 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, since September 23, 2021, (a) how many opportunities for organ donations have been missed, (b) how many people have died waiting for organ donations, and (c) in days, what is the average increase in transplant wait time for an eligible organ recipient?

5. Question no. 20 (Ms. Mowat):

To the Minister of Health, in regards to wait times, (a) what is the wait time to see a specialist, by speciality, (b) what is being done to address wait times for specialists, (c) what is the wait time for an MRI, and (d) what is being done to address wait times for MRIs?

6. Question no. 21 (Ms. Conway):

To the Minister of Health, (a) how many of the new continuing care aids referenced by the minister in the supplementary estimates meeting on November 30, 2021 were not already employed in the long-term care sector and/or by the Saskatchewan Health Authority, (b) by job type, how many vacancies are in the long-term care sector, and (c) by job type, how many job postings are currently available in the long-term care sector?

7. Question no. 22 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Minister of Health, COVID-19 pandemic detention orders were issued by medical health officers for Saskatchewan people to be detained at secure isolation sites; for each month since January 2021 to present, (a) how many citizens were issued detention orders, and (b) what was the length of time the citizens were detained at the secure isolation site?

APPENDIX B

IN STANDING COMMITTEES EN COMITÉS PERMANENTS

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES

Committed after Second Reading:

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

*Bill No. 44 — The Corporation Capital Tax Amendment Act, 2021

(Hon. Ms. Harpauer)

STANDING COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Committed after Second Reading:

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

*Bill No. 45 — The Health Shared Services Saskatchewan (3sHealth) Act

(Hon. Mr. Merriman)

STANDING COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND JUSTICE COMITÉ PERMANENT DES AFFAIRES INTERGOUVERNEMENTALES ET DE LA JUSTICE

Committed after Second Reading / Renvoyé d'obligation 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. 38 — The Seizure of Criminal Property Amendment Act, 2021

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

*Bill No. 39 — The Queen's Printer's Amendment Act, 2021

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

*Bill No. 40 — The Trespass to Property Amendment Act, 2021

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

- *Bill No. 41 The Legislation Amendment Act, 2021
- *Projet de loi nº 41 Loi modificative de 2021 sur la législation

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

*Bill No. 42 — The Statute Law Amendment Act, 2021 (No. 2)

(Hon. Mr. Wyant)

*Bill No. 43 — The Royal Saskatchewan Museum Amendment Act, 2021

(Hon. Ms. Ross (Regina Rochdale))

STANDING COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

Committed after Second Reading:

Bill No. 902 — The Mennonite Union Waisenamt Amendment Act, 2021

(Mr. Kirsch)

Bill No. 903 — The Collège Mathieu Act

(Mr. Goudy)

Bill No. 904 — The United Church of Canada Amendment Act, 2021

(Ms. Ritchie)

APPENDIX C

PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Government)

Not submitted — Item of business determined pursuant to rule 24(4).

No. 2 (Opposition)

Not submitted — Item of business determined pursuant to rule 24(4).