

THIRD SESSION - TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

No. 10

Thursday, November 10, 2022

PRAYERS

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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PRESENTING PETITIONS

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

QUESTION PERIOD

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

1. Hon. Mr. Marit to move first reading of Bill No. 100 — The Miscellaneous Statutes (Accretion) Amendment Act, 2022

PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SPECIAL COMMITTEES

ORDERS OF THE DAY

WRITTEN QUESTIONS (See Appendix A)

SEVENTY-FIVE MINUTE DEBATE

1. Mr. Wotherspoon to move the following motion:

That the Assembly calls on the government to cancel its plans to increase SaskPower and SaskEnergy rates during an affordability crisis.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

(see Appendix C for items designated for priority consideration)

1. Ms. Young (Lloydminster) to move the following motion:

That this Assembly supports the Government of Saskatchewan's implementation of Saskatchewan First policies and legislation, and that we demand the Trudeau-Singh Coalition Government of Canada end policies that would constitute an attack on Saskatchewan and Canada's economic growth and energy production, including, but not limited to, the Federal Carbon Tax, the Clean-Fuel Standard, Bill C-69, the Clean Electricity Standard, and the Fertilizer Emissions Cap.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

(see Appendix C for items designated for priority consideration)

SECOND READINGS

1. Bill No. 610 — The Meaningful Duty to Consult Act

(Ms. Nippi-Albright) PRINTED

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

ADJOURNED DEBATES

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

1. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Eyre:

That *Bill No. 88 — The Saskatchewan First Act be now read a second time.

(Ms. Young (Regina University))

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

That *Bill No. 90 — The Telecommunications Statutes (Borrowing Powers) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Vermette)

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

That *Bill No. 91 — The Saskatchewan Employment (Part III) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Nippi-Albright)

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

That *Bill No. 92 — The Automobile Accident Insurance (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Wotherspoon)

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

That *Bill No. 93 — The Traffic Safety (Miscellaneous) Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Sarauer)

6. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Harpauer:

That *Bill No. 94 — The Public Pension and Benefits Administration Corporation Act be now read a second time.

(Mr. Love)

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

That *Bill No. 95 — The Surface Rights Acquisition and Compensation Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Mr. Wotherspoon)

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

That *Bill No. 96 — The Leafcutting Beekeepers Registration Repeal Act be now read a second time.

(Ms. Conway)

9. On the proposed motion of the Hon. Ms. Carr:

That *Bill No. 97 — The Architects Amendment Act, 2022 be now read a second time.

(Ms. Conway)

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

SECOND READINGS

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

1. *Bill No. 98 — The Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency Amendment Act, 2022

(Hon. Ms. Tell) PRINTED

2. *Bill No. 99 — The Emergency 911 System Amendment Act, 2022

(Hon. Ms. Tell) PRINTED

APPENDIX A

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

The following question was given notice on day no. 5 and is to be answered by day no. 10:

1. Question no. 40 (Ms. Wilson):

To the Minister of Social Services and the Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, Seniors, and Rural and Remote Health, re: the personal care home benefit, many Saskatchewan seniors who require personal care home services rely on the Personal Care Home Benefit in order to afford the services. That benefit currently subsidizes their income to a maximum, \$2,000, a rate set over 10 years ago. Seniors also face a claw back of their subsidy any time a federal government income program is increased, making Saskatchewan seniors more reliant on the federal government. This is the opposite of the provincial government's stated position of being a 'Nation within a Nation' and 'Drawing the Line' to become more autonomous and independent of the Government of Canada. Seventy-five per cent of private care homes charge fees of \$2,200.00 to residents before incidentals, with an average rate of \$2,900.00. These homes must meet provincially-set standards to operate, and must charge accordingly. In the coming years, the number of seniors that will require these services will grow substantially. What plans does the Saskatchewan government have to re-evaluate how it assists seniors to make sure they can afford private, Personal Care Home services and normal incidentals with dignity?

APPENDIX B

IN STANDING COMMITTEES

STANDING COMMITTEE ON CROWN AND CENTRAL AGENCIES

Committed after Second Reading:

*Specified Bills: must be voted on before Completion Day

*Bill No. 89 — The Income Tax (Affordability) Amendment Act, 2022

(Hon. Ms. Harpauer)

APPENDIX C

PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Government)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTION

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No. 2 (Opposition)

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