



THIRD SESSION - TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

of the

Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

**ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS
AND
ORDERS OF THE DAY**

No. 68

Thursday, October 12, 2023

PRAYERS

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

PRESENTING PETITIONS

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

QUESTION PERIOD

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS / DÉPÔT DE PROJETS DE LOI

1. Hon. Mr. Cockrill to move first reading of Bill No. 137 — The Education (Parents' Bill of Rights) Amendment Act, 2023
L'hon. M. Cockrill proposera la première lecture du projet de loi n° 137 — Loi modificative de 2023 sur l'éducation (Déclaration des droits des parents)

PRESENTING REPORTS BY STANDING AND SPECIAL COMMITTEES

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PRIVATE MEMBERS' PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

(see Appendix A for items designated for priority consideration)

ADJOURNED DEBATES

1. On the proposed **motion no. 2** moved by Ms. Young (Lloydminster):
That this Assembly supports the four-point Health Human Resources Action Plan that is assisting in the recruitment, training, incentivization, and retention of healthcare workers in the province of Saskatchewan. And that the HHR Action Plan is showing results in the hiring of internationally and domestically educated healthcare workers who will support a strong provincial healthcare system into the future.
Adjourned twice
2. On the proposed **motion no. 3** moved by Ms. Conway:
That the Assembly calls upon the government to adequately fund public education in Saskatchewan.
(Ms. Sarauer)
Adjourned once

SECOND READINGS

1. Bill No. 611 — The Public Participation Act
(Ms. Sarauer) PRINTED
2. Bill No. 612 — The Protecting a Woman's Right to Access Abortion Services Act
(Ms. Bowes) PRINTED

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Harrison (Meadow Lake) to move the following motion:

That the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan* the Assembly for the conducting of legislative business and the sitting times of the Assembly and of committees shall be varied on an interim basis for the remainder of the third session of the twenty-ninth legislature as follows:

- (1) That notwithstanding Rules 6(1) and 6(2), the ordinary times for the daily meeting and adjournment of the sittings of the Assembly shall be as follows:

Monday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Thursday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Friday: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.,
Sunday, October 22, 2023: 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.

(2) That notwithstanding Rule 14(2), the ordinary daily routine proceedings in the shall be as follows:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

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Statements by Members
Question Period
Ministerial Statements
Introduction of Bills
Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

Friday, Saturday, Sunday

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Introduction of Bills
Presenting Reports by Standing and Special Committees

(3) That notwithstanding Rule 14(3), the order of business for consideration of the Assembly day by day, after Routine Proceedings shall be as follows:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday:

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Written Questions
Motions for Returns
Government Motions
Government Orders
Motions for Returns (Debatable)

(4) That notwithstanding Rule 61, requesting leave to make motions under Rule 61 is not in order.

(5) That notwithstanding the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan the Assembly*, no notice is required for government motions including, but not limited to, a government motion for the first reading of a bill.

(6) That notwithstanding the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan the Assembly*, immediately after a bill has been read the first time, the minister of the crown presenting the bill may move a motion, without notice or leave, for second reading.

(7) That Rule 93(1) is not in order and has no force or effect. Further, if a suspension of a bill occurred under Rule 93(1) prior to the effect of this sessional order, that the suspension shall be lifted immediately and have no further force or effect.

(8) That notwithstanding the *Rules and Procedures of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan the Assembly* – but still subject to Rule 68 – debate on any bill before the Assembly, standing committees or Committee of the Whole shall be limited to the hours set out herein. Once debate has reached the maximum hours allowed, or if debate has sooner concluded, no further debate or consideration of any motion, resolution or resolutions, clause or clauses, section or sections, preamble or preambles, title or titles shall continue, and such questions shall be decided without debate or amendment

- a. 33 hours of debate for the second reading motion and any amendments thereto;
- b. 5 hours of debate on any clause, title, preamble, or amendment thereto in a standing committee or Committee of the Whole;
- c. 2 hour of debate for the third reading motion and any amendments thereto.

That the provisions of this sessional order shall come into effect immediately upon its adoption and shall expire at 8:00 am on October 25, 2023.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

APPENDIX A

PRIORITY ITEMS

No. 1 (Opposition)

ADJOURNED DEBATES

1. On the proposed **motion no. 3** moved by Ms. Conway:

That the Assembly calls upon the government to adequately fund public education in Saskatchewan.

(Ms. Sarauer)

Adjourned once

No. 2 (Government)

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