

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 46

SECOND SESSION, THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER, Bill (No. 44) – The Budget Implementation and Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2008/Loi d'exécution du budget de 2008 et modifiant diverses dispositions législatives en matière de fiscalité, was read a First Time and had its purposes outlined.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mrs. TAILLIEU – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Minister charged with the administration of The Liquor Control Act to consider allowing the owners of Headingley Foods to sell alcohol at their store, thereby supporting small business and the prosperity of rural communities in Manitoba. (R. Cole, K. Unrau, C. Maciejkow and others)

Mrs. DRIEDGER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Minister of Family Services and Housing to consider addressing the shortage of Early Childhood Educators by enabling child care centres to provide competitive wages and benefits; and to consider adequately planning for the future child care needs of growing communities, and to consider making the development of a sustainable and accessible child care system a priority; and to consider the development of a governance body that would provide direction and support to the volunteer boards of child care centres and to consider the development of regionalized central wait lists for child care; and to encourage all Members of the Legislative Assembly to consider becoming more closely involved with the operations of the licensed daycare facilities in their constituencies. (W. Fayant, H. Doerksen, C. Kwasnica and others)

By leave, Mr. MAGUIRE for Mrs. STEFANSON – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Water Stewardship to consider placing a moratorium on the harvesting of any species of fish on Lake Dauphin and its tributaries for the period April 1st to May 15th annually and to consider doing regular studies of fish stocks on Lake Dauphin to help gauge the health of the fishery and to consider determining any steps needed to protect or to enhance those stocks. (L. Artibise, M. Cleave, D. Deans and others)

Mr. DYCK – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Health to strongly consider giving priority for funding to develop and staff a new 100 bed long-term-care facility so that clients are not exposed to unsafe conditions and so that Boundary Trails Health Centre beds remain available for acute care patients instead of waiting placement clients. (R. Friesen, K. Friesen, A. M. Bock and others)

By leave, Mr. PEDERSEN for Mr. BRIESE - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Minister of Family Services and Housing to consider addressing the shortage of Early Childhood Educators by enabling child care centres to provide competitive wages and benefits; and to consider adequately planning for the future child care needs of growing communities, and to consider making the development of a sustainable and accessible child care system a priority; and to consider the development of a governance body that would provide direction and support to the volunteer boards of child care centres and to consider the development of regionalized central wait lists for child care; and to encourage all Members of the Legislative Assembly to consider becoming more closely involved with the operations of the licensed daycare facilities in their constituencies. (T. Bauer, K. Hawker, D. Wolfe and others)

Mr. LAMOUREUX - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to consider establishing a 90 day guarantee for processing an application for a minimum of 80% of applicants that have family living in Manitoba and to consider removing the use of the restrictive job list when dealing with the family sponsor stream. (R. Lacap, E. Saria, K. Sabale and others)

Hon. Mr. SELINGER presented: Annual Report of the Crown Corporations Council for the year ending December 31, 2007. (Sessional Paper No. 56) Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Ms. BLADY, Messrs. SCHULER and JENNISSEN, Mrs. ROWAT and Mr. JHA made Members' Statements. In accordance with Rule 27, Messrs. MAGUIRE and GOERTZEN rose on Grievances. By unanimous consent, it was agreed that the House will not sit on Tuesday morning, May 27, 2008 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. with the understanding that the House would sit from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. By unanimous consent, it was agreed to waive the quorum requirement and any recorded votes arising in the House after Question Period on Tuesday, May 27, 2008.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 3) - The Highway Traffic Amendment Act/Loi modifiant le Code de la route, reported from the Standing Committee on Justice, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,
And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,
The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.
Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:
THAT Bill (No. 4) – The Provincial Court Amendment Act (Family Mediators and Evaluators)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Cour provinciale (médiateurs et enquêteurs familiaux), reporter from the Standing Committee on Justice, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.
And a debate arising,
And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,
The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.
Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:
THAT Bill (No. 5) – The Witness Security Act/Loi sur la sécurité des témoins, reported from th Standing Committee on Justice, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.
And a debate arising,
And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,
The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.
Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:
THAT Bill (No. 7) – The Child and Family Services Amendment Act (Child Pornograph Reporting)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l'enfant et à la famille (obligation de signaler l pornographie juvénile), as amended and reported from the Standing Committee on Justice, be concurre in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.
And a debate arising,
And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,
The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 8) – The Phosphorus Reduction Act (Water Protection Act Amended)/Loi sur la réduction du phosphore (modification de la Loi sur la protection des eaux), reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Messrs. ASHTON and GERRARD having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 9) – The Protection for Persons in Care Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection des personnes recevant des soins, reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 11) – The Optometry Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'optométrie, reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

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Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 12) – The Securities Transfer Act/Loi sur le transfert des valeurs mobilières, as amended and reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 18) – The Testing of Bodily Fluids and Disclosure Act/Loi sur l'analyse de fluides corporels et la communication des résultats d'analyse, reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 20) – The Gunshot and Stab Wounds Mandatory Reporting Act/Loi sur la déclaration obligatoire des blessures par balle et par arme blanche, reported from the Standing Committee on Justice, be concurred in and be now read for a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. DYCK, adjourned.

The House resolving into Committee of Supply.

Mr. ALTEMEYER, Chairperson of the Committee of Supply, presented the Report of the Proceedings of the Committee of May 26, 2008 as follows:

CAPITAL SUPPLY

The following resolution was adopted:

RESOLVED that there be granted to HER MAJESTY a sum not exceeding ONE BILLION, THREE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX MILLION, EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY-EIGHT THOUSAND dollars (\$1,366,898,000) for CAPITAL SUPPLY, for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2009.

Schedule A Incremental Capital Authority Requirements For Non-Budgetary Programs, 2008/09

The Manitoba Hydro-Electric Board	\$ 786,000,000
Manitoba Agricultural Services Corporation	132,948,900
Health Capital Program	118,108,600
Manitoba Opportunities Fund Ltd	104,718,500
Manitoba Housing and Renewal Corporation	62,646,800
Post-secondary Institutions	53,200,000
The Manitoba Lotteries Corporation	46,750,000
Special Operating Agencies Financing Authority — Fleet Vehicles Agency	18,900,000
The Manitoba Water Services Board	13,048,300
Manitoba Student Aid Program	10,109,900
Rural Economic Development Initiatives	5,843,800
Communities Economic Development Fund	5,150,100
Special Operating Agencies Financing Authority — The Property Registry	4,000,000
Travel Manitoba	1,500,000
Diagnostic Services Manitoba	1,189,000
Special Operating Agencies Financing Authority — Pineland Forest Nursery	1,137,000
Leaf Rapids Town Properties Ltd.	1,000,000
Special Operating Agencies Financing Authority — Companies Office	450,000
Manitoba Film Guarantee Program	197,100

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Resolution was reported and the Report was received.

Monday, May 26, 2008

The House resolving into	Committee of Supply.	
The House then adjourne	d at 5:01 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday	y, May 27, 2008.
		Hon. George HICKES, Speaker.