

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 57

FOURTH SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. LINDSEY, Bill (No. 217) – The Manitoba Hydro Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Hydro-Manitoba, was read a First Time and had its purposes outlined.

Mr. SMOOK, Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, presented its First Report, which was read as follows:

Meetings

Your Committee met on May 23, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

• Bill (No. 31) – The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi de la taxe sur le tabac

Committee Membership

- Hon. Mr. FIELDING
- Mr. Lamont
- Mr. PIWNIUK
- Mr. REYES
- Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
- Hon. Mr. SCHULER
- Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas)
- Mr. SMITH (Southdale)
- Mr. SMOOK (Chairperson)
- Mr. SWAN
- Hon. Mr. WHARTON

Your Committee elected Mr. PIWNIUK as the Vice-Chairperson.

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following presentation on **Bill** (**No. 31**) – The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi de la taxe sur le tabac:

Sarah Hawkins

Canadian Cancer Society

Bill Considered and Reported

• Bill (No. 31) – The Tobacco Tax Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi de la taxe sur le tabac

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill, without amendment.

On motion of Mr. SMOOK, the Report of the Committee was received.

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Messrs. EWASKO, ALLUM, MARTIN and SWAN and Hon. Mr. EICHLER made Members' Statements.

Following Oral Questions, Hon. Mr. FLETCHER rose on a Matter of Privilege regarding a reply to a Written Question he had placed on the Order Paper relating to the sale of 255 Hamilton Avenue and moved:

THAT this matter be referred to the Auditor General, The Manitoba Ombudsman and the Conflict of Interest Commissioner.

And Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN having spoken.

WHEREUPON Madam Speaker ruled there was no Matter of Privilege.

From her decision, Hon. Mr. FLETCHER appealed to the House,

And the Question being put, "Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?" It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

ALLUM	MARTIN
ALTEMEYER	MAYER
Cox	MICHALESKI
CULLEN	Micklefield
EICHLER	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EWASKO	NESBITT
FLETCHER	PIWNIUK
FRIESEN	SARAN
Gerrard	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GRAYDON	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	SWAN
JOHNSTON	TEITSMA
Lagassé	WHARTON
LAMOUREUX	Wiebe
LATHLIN	WISHART
LINDSEY	WOWCHUK
MALOWAY	YAKIMOSKI41
MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)	
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The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. GRAYDON – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to amend *The Official Time Act* to abolish daylight saving time in Manitoba effective November 4, 2019, resulting in Manitoba remaining on Central Standard Time (CST) throughout the year and in perpetuity. (D. Hiebert, R. Hiebert, C. Hiebert and others)

Mr. ALLUM – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (A. Teixeira, D. Teixeira, P. Falkenberg and others)

Mr. LAMONT – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (K. Clegg, A. Lindal, M. Thargilsson and others)

- Mr. ALTEMEYER Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (M. Wilde, K. Fonseca, D. Buscemi and others)
- Ms. LATHLIN Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce.
- Ms. MARCELINO (Logan) Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce.
- Mr. Marcelino (Tyndall Park) Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (G. Dato, J. Bautista, A. Bautista and others)
- Ms. FONTAINE Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Premier of Manitoba and the Minister of Justice to immediately call a Public Inquiry into the systems that had a role in the life and death of Tina Fontaine as well as the function of the administration of justice after her death and that the terms of reference of a Public Inquiry be developed jointly with the caregivers of Tina Fontaine and/or the agent appointed by them. (J. Taylor, M. Potts, M. Wacker and others)
- Mr. SWAN Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (N. Ross, M. Vielfaure, P. Vielfaure and others)
- Mr. LINDSEY Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (D. Whyte, R. Vermitt, S. Russell and others)
- Mr. WIEBE Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government reverse cuts and closures that negatively impact patients' ability to access timely, quality health care and to make real investments in Manitoba's public health care system that will improve the timeliness and quality of care for patients by increasing the number of beds across the system, and recruiting and retaining an adequate number of nurses and other health professionals to meet Manitoba's needs.

Hon. Mr. GERRARD – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (O. Oshoneye, A. Olaosebikan, O. Oshoneye and others)

The House resumed the debate on the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN:

THAT Bill (No. 22) – The Business Registration, Supervision and Ownership Transparency Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur l'enregistrement, la surveillance et la transparence de la propriété effective des entreprises (modification de diverses dispositions législatives), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. LATHLIN having spoken,

And Mr. KINEW speaking at 5:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 28, 2019.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER, Speaker.