



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 29

SECOND SESSION, THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were respectively read a First Time and had their purposes outlined:

(No. 27) – The Shellmouth Dam and Other Water Control Works Management and Compensation Act (Water Resources Administration Act Amended)/Loi sur la gestion du barrage Shellmouth et d'autres ouvrages d'aménagement hydraulique et sur l'indemnisation découlant de leur fonctionnement (modification de la Loi sur l'aménagement hydraulique)

(Hon. Ms. MELNICK)

(No. 206) – The Elections Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi électorale

(Hon. Mr. GERRARD)

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. CULLEN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister responsible for the administration of the Liquor Control Act to consider working with MLCC to find alternate means of addressing rising administrative costs; and to consider working with MLCC to revise the decision to implement a significant annual license fee increase; and to consider ensuring that the unique challenges faced by small businesses are better taken into account in the future. (A. Parkes, D. Parkes, D. Fraser and others)

Mr. DERKACH – 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. (D. Ferec, R. Ferec, D. Pinette and others)

Mrs. TAILLIEU – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation to consider making the completion of the dividing of the Trans Canada Highway in Headingley in 2008 an urgent Provincial Government priority and to consider evaluating whether any other steps can be taken to improve motorist safety while the dividing of the Trans Canada Highway in Headingley is being completed. (K. Chorney, A. M. Cotton, T. Lee 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. (J. Reimer, M. Klassen, I. Klassen 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. (D. Baldwin, H. Baldwin, G. Hamoline and others)

Mr. GOERTZEN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation to consider approving the installation of an illuminated crosswalk at the intersection of Provincial Highway 206 and Centre Avenue. (J. Hansen, S. Lyder, S. Herrmann and others)

Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK presented:

Supplementary Information for Legislative Review 2008-2009 – Departmental Expenditure Estimates – Justice.

(Sessional Paper No. 19)

By leave, the House reverted to "Tabling of Reports".

Hon. Mr. SELINGER presented:

Supplementary Information for Legislative Review 2008-2009 – Departmental Expenditure Estimates – Finance.

(Sessional Paper No. 20)

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Ms. KORZENIOWSKI, Mr. MCFADYEN, Ms. BRICK, Mr. DYCK and Hon. Mr. GERRARD made Members' Statements.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed to waive the quorum requirement and any recorded votes arising in the Committee of Supply between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 24, 2008.

Wednesday, April 23, 2008

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that the Standing Committee on Justice would meet at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 28, 2008.

By unanimous consent, it was agreed that the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development would meet at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, April 28, 2008.

The House resolving into Committee of Supply.

The House then adjourned at 6:02 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, April 24, 2008.

Hon. George HICKES,
Speaker.