



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 33

SECOND SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

By leave, it was agreed for the House to deal with Second Reading of Bill (No. 218).

Mr. WHARTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 218) – The Red Tape Reduction Day Act/Loi sur la Journée de la réduction du fardeau administratif, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. WHARTON having spoken,

And Messrs. ALLUM, JOHNSON and TEITSMA and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Member,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. ALLUM, TEITSMA and KINEW and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And Mr. ALTEMEYER speaking at 11:00 a.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

During the debate, Hon. Mr. MICKLEFIELD rose on a point of order regarding the Member for Fort Garry-Riverview crossing the floor between the Speaker and the Mace,

And Mr. ALLUM voluntarily apologized to the House.

Mr. GRAYDON moved:

Resolution No. 8: Recognizing the Historic Investment in Manitoba's Agricultural Processing Capabilities

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has promised to rebuild Manitoba's economy after a decade of economic decay and decline; and

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WHEREAS the new pea processing plant planned for Portage la Prairie is an historic investment for Manitoba's food-processing sector; and

WHEREAS Canada is the largest producer of peas in the world and demand for the sustainable, high in protein crop is growing; and

WHEREAS this facility is expected to create around 150 new jobs for Manitobans, with a payroll of approximately \$9 million; and

WHEREAS this unprecedented investment will work towards establishing stronger markets for farmers and will benefit Manitoba's diverse economy; and

WHEREAS this facility represents an opportunity for Manitoba to continue to be a leader in the food-processing and agricultural sectors.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba acknowledge this incredible investment and urge the Provincial Government to continue to seek opportunities to strengthen, grow and diversify Manitoba's economy.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. GRAYDON having spoken,

And Messrs. LINDSEY and MICHALESKI, Hon. Ms. CLARKE and Ms. KLASSEN having questioned the Member,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. SWAN, MICHALESKI and LINDSEY, Ms. KLASSEN and Hon. Mr. WISHART having spoken,

And Mr. MALOWAY speaking at 12:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mrs. GUILLEMARD, Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Legislative Affairs, presented its Third Report, which was read as follows:

Meetings:

Your Committee met on April 3, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 254 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 13)** – The Regulated Health Professions Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les professions de la santé réglementées
- **Bill (No. 14)** – The Emergency Medical Response and Stretcher Transportation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les interventions médicales d'urgence et le transport pour personnes sur civière

Committee Membership

- Hon. Mr. FLETCHER
- Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN
- Mrs. GUILLEMARD (*Chairperson*)
- Mr. LAGIMODIERE
- Hon. Mr. GERRARD
- Mr. NESBITT
- Ms. MARCELINO (Logan)
- Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
- Hon. Ms. SQUIRES
- Mr. WIEBE
- Mr. WHARTON

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

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following three presentations on **Bill (No. 13)** – The Regulated Health Professions Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les professions de la santé réglementées:

Gigi Osler, Dr. and Matt Maruca (<i>by leave</i>)	Doctors Manitoba
Anna Ziomek, Dr. and Catherine Tolton (<i>by leave</i>)	College of Physicians and Surgeons of Manitoba
George Fraser	Remedial Massage Therapists Society of Manitoba Inc.

Bills Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 13)** – The Regulated Health Professions Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les professions de la santé réglementées

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 14)** – The Emergency Medical Response and Stretcher Transportation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les interventions médicales d'urgence et le transport pour personnes sur civière

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

On motion of Mrs. GUILLEMARD, the Report of the Committee was received.

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

Meetings:

Your Committee met on April 3, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 2)** – The Securities Amendment Act (Reciprocal Enforcement)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières (exécution réciproque)
- **Bill (No. 3)** – The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Act/Loi du Manitoba sur les régimes de pension agréés collectifs

Committee Membership

- Mr. ALLUM
- Hon. Mr. FRIESEN
- Mr. JOHNSON
- Mr. LINDSEY
- Mrs. MAYER (*Vice-Chairperson*)
- Hon. Mr. SCHULER
- Ms. KLASSEN
- Mr. SMOOK (*Chairperson*)
- Mr. TEITSMA
- Hon. Mr. WISHART
- Mr. SWAN

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following presentation on **Bill (No. 2)** – The Securities Amendment Act (Reciprocal Enforcement)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières (exécution réciproque):

Gary Senft	Great West Life Assurance Company
Donald MacDonald	Investors Group Inc.

Your Committee heard the following ... presentations on **Bill (No. 3)** – The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Act/Loi du Manitoba sur les régimes de pension agréés collectifs:

Ron Sanderson	Canadian Life & Health Insurance Association
Stefanie Keller	Financial Planning Standards Council
Jonathan Alward	Canadian Federation of Independent Business
Gary Senft	Great West Life Assurance Company
Donald MacDonald	Investors Group Inc.

Bills Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 2)** – The Securities Amendment Act (Reciprocal Enforcement)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières (exécution réciproque)

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

- **Bill (No. 3)** – The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Act/Loi du Manitoba sur les régimes de pension agréés collectifs

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

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

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN, the Minister of Infrastructure, made a statement regarding the status of flooding in Manitoba.

Mr. MALOWAY and, by leave, Hon. Mr. GERRARD commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Mrs. MAYER, Messrs. ALTEMEYER and ISLEIFSON, Ms. KLASSEN and Mr. NESBITT made Members' Statements.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Mr. KINEW – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to recognize the tireless efforts of Dakota Collegiate, its students, parents, staff and the surrounding community, to recognize the need for excellent recreation facilities in all Manitoba schools, to reverse this regressive cut and to provide the funding necessary to complete the Louis Riel School Division Sports Complex.

Mr. WIEBE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to both recognize the importance of bilingual health care services in Manitoba and reverse their decision to close the St. Boniface Quick Care Clinic.

Mr. LINDSEY – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Mr. ALLUM – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Ms. FONTAINE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to recognize the need for excellent recreation facilities in all Manitoba schools, to reverse this regressive cut and to provide Kelvin High School with the funding necessary to complete a new gymnasium and wellness centre.

Mr. ALTEMEYER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30. (R. Sidhu, H. Sidhu, G. Hothi and others)

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Ms. MARCELINO (Logan) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Mr. SWAN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Mr. MALOWAY – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

Mr. SARAN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to withdraw its plans to deregulate the taxi industry including withdrawing Bill 30.

The House resumed the Interrupted Debate on the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mrs. COX:

THAT Bill (No. 23) – The Fisheries Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la pêche, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. ALLUM and WHARTON having spoken,

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

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 21) – The Fiscal Responsibility and Taxpayer Protection Act/Loi sur la responsabilité financière et la protection des contribuables, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Mr. ALLUM and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

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

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 21).

(Sessional Paper No. 23)

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Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 22) – The Regulatory Accountability Act and Amendments to The Statutes and Regulations Act/Loi sur la responsabilisation en matière de réglementation et modifiant la Loi sur les textes législatifs et réglementaires, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Mr. ALLUM, Hon. Mr. GERRARD, Ms. FONTAINE, Ms. LAMOUREUX, Ms. KLASSEN and Mr. MALOWAY having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

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

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 22).

(Sessional Paper No. 24)

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, 2017.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.