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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

ORDER PAPER

No. 30
and NOTICE PAPER

SECOND SESSION, FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 27) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Charter Bus Service)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (services d'autobus nolisés)

Hon. Ms. OSWALD –

(No. 28) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Hospitals Amendment Act (Admitting Privileges)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et la Loi sur les hôpitaux (priviléges d'admission)

Ms. WIGHT –

(No. 204) – The Manitoba Human Trafficking Awareness Day Act/Loi sur la Journée manitobaine de sensibilisation à la traite de personnes

Mr. CALDWELL –

(No. 300) – The Brandon Area Foundation Incorporation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi constituant en corporation « The Brandon Area Foundation »

PETITIONS

Mr. GOERTZEN
Mr. GRAYDON
Mr. WISHART
Mr. EWASKO
Mrs. ROWAT
Mr. PEDERSEN

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GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

ADJOURNED DEBATE (SEVENTH DAY OF DEBATE):

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

THAT this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the Government.

And the Proposed Motion of Mr. PALLISTER in amendment thereto as follows:

THAT the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after "House" and substituting:

therefore regrets this budget fails to address the priorities of Manitobans by:

- a) ignoring the taxpayer protection laws that safeguard Manitoba families; and
- b) saddling Manitoba families with crushing and unnecessary taxes that don't allow them to prosper and save for the future; and
- c) failing to tame a \$500 million structural deficit created through 13 years of overspending; and
- d) failing to promise a full and transparent review of all Provincial Government spending; and
- e) failing to control growth of low spending priorities such as advertising and vote taxes; and
- f) stifling economic growth and prosperity through excessive red tape and unwarranted taxation.

As a consequence, the Provincial Government has thereby lost the confidence of this House and the people of Manitoba.

(Hon. Ms. MARCELINO (Logan) – 10 mins)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 2) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Respect for the Safety of Emergency and Enforcement Personnel)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (sécurité du personnel d'urgence et des agents d'exécution de la loi)

(Mrs. TAILLIEU)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. OSWALD –

(No. 4) – The Personal Health Information Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements médicaux personnels

(Mr. FRIESEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. RONDEAU –

(No. 5) – The New Home Warranty Act/Loi sur la garantie des maisons neuves

(Mr. CULLEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 6) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Flexible Short-Term Regulation of Vehicle Weights and Dimensions)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (réglementation provisoire des poids et des dimensions des véhicules)

(Mrs. TAILLIEU)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX –

(No. 7) – The Planning Amendment and City of Winnipeg Charter Amendment Act (Affordable Housing)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'aménagement du territoire et la Charte de la ville de Winnipeg (logement abordable)

(Mr. PEDERSEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 8) – The Provincial Court Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Cour provinciale

(Mr. HELWER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 9) – The Teachers' Society Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Association des enseignants du Manitoba

(Mr. GOERTZEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 10) – The Correctional Services Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services correctionnels

(Mr. HELWER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. BJORNSON –

(No. 11) – The Proceedings Against the Crown Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les procédures contre la Couronne

(Mr. GRAYDON)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 12) – The Community Schools Act/Loi sur les écoles communautaires
(Mr. GOERTZEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH –

(No. 13) – The Fish and Wildlife Enhancement Fund Act/Loi sur le Fonds de mise en valeur du poisson et de la faune

(Mr. GOERTZEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 14) – The Education Administration Amendment and Public Schools Amendment Act (Parent Groups for Schools)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'administration scolaire et la Loi sur les écoles publiques (groupes de parents oeuvrant en milieu scolaire)

(Mr. GOERTZEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. HOWARD –

(No. 15) – The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act (Minimum Wage Protection for Employees with Disabilities)/Loi modifiant le Code des normes d'emploi (protection du salaire minimum pour les employés ayant des incapacités)

(Mrs. ROWAT)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 16) – The Department of Justice Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le ministère de la Justice

(Mr. HELWER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. RONDEAU –

(No. 17) – The Consumer Protection Amendment and Business Practices Amendment Act (Motor Vehicle Advertising and Information Disclosure and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur et la Loi sur les pratiques commerciales (publicité et communication de renseignements visant les véhicules automobiles et autres modifications)

(Mr. CULLEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 18) – The Public Schools Amendment Act (Safe and Inclusive Schools)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les écoles publiques (milieux scolaires favorisant la sécurité et l'inclusivité)

(Mr. CULLEN)

SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH –

(No. 19) – The Waste Reduction and Prevention Amendment and Environment Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réduction du volume et de la production des déchets et la Loi sur l'environnement

Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 20) – The Manitoba Building and Renewal Funding and Fiscal Management Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur le financement du renouvellement des infrastructures et la gestion financière (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)

(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 21) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Impoundment of Vehicles — Ignition-Interlock Program)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (mise en fourrière des véhicules — programme de verrouillage du système de démarrage)

Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX –

(No. 22) – The Planning Amendment Act (Subdivision Approval)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'aménagement du territoire (approbation de lotissements)

Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 23) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Increased Sanctions for Street Racing)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (sanctions accrues en matière de courses sur route)

Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH –

(No. 24) – The Endangered Species Amendment Act (Ecosystem Protection and Miscellaneous Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les espèces en voie de disparition (protection des écosystèmes et diverses modifications)

Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 25) – The Statutory Publications Modernization Act/Loi sur la modernisation du mode de diffusion des publications officielles

Hon. Ms. HOWARD –

(No. 26) – The Accessibility for Manitobans Act/Loi sur l'accessibilité pour les Manitobains
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Mr. RONDEAU –

(No. 29) – The Land Surveyors and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur les arpenteurs-géomètres et modifications connexes

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR FRIDAY:

Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH –

(No. 30) – The Forest Health Protection Amendment Act (Heritage Trees)/Loi modifiant la loi sur la protection de la santé des forêts (arbres remarquables)

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR TUESDAY:

PROPOSED RESOLUTION:

Mr. DEWAR – Rural CancerCare Hubs

3. WHEREAS when faced with a potential cancer diagnosis, families want the fastest possible access to testing and treatment; and

WHEREAS wait times for radiation therapy grew to be dangerously long at six weeks in 1999, with up to an 18 week wait for prostate cancers; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has worked hard with CancerCare Manitoba and other partners to dramatically reduce the wait time for radiation therapy to an average of one week or less, the lowest in Canada, and over the same period Manitoba has also seen dramatic improvements in cancer survival rates; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has introduced the most comprehensive plan in Canada to reduce wait times from the moment a patient's doctor first suspects cancer to when treatment begins, including the testing, referrals, diagnosis and treatment planning in between; and

WHEREAS this plan includes upgrading the 16 rural chemotherapy sites into CancerCare Hubs, like the one in Morden-Winkler, with Brandon, Selkirk, Steinbach and Thompson to follow over the next year; and

WHEREAS the new rural CancerCare Hubs will complement other elements of the Provincial Government's cancer fighting plan, which includes cancer prevention strategies, covering the costs of cancer treatment and drugs, more advanced testing, after hours care and other supports for cancer patients thereby helping to both prevent cancer and catch it earlier.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly commend those health care professionals who deliver cancer services across the province to ensure that Manitobans affected by cancer have the best possible chance of beating the disease; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly urge the Provincial Government to continue investing in strategies that support cancer patients and their families, including the Provincial Government's commitment to ensuring Manitoba families have the fastest access in the country to world class cancer testing, diagnostics and treatment.
