

Tuesday, April 23, 2024



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

ORDER PAPER

No. 48
and NOTICE PAPER

FIRST SESSION, FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

PRAYER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

SITTING AT 10:00 A.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

CONCURRENCE AND THIRD READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

MLA PANKRATZ –

(No. 200) – The Firefighters Recognition Day Act (Commemoration of Days, Weeks and Months Act Amended)/Loi sur la Journée de reconnaissance des pompiers (Loi modifiant la Loi sur les journées, les semaines et les mois commémoratifs)

SECOND READINGS – PRIVATE BILLS:

MLA LOISELLE –

(No. 300) – The Winnipeg Foundation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Fondation dénommée « The Winnipeg Foundation »

SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Mr. OXENHAM –

(No. 208) – The Two-Spirit and Transgender Day of Visibility Act (Commemoration of Days, Weeks and Months Act Amended)/Loi sur la Journée de visibilité bispirituelle et transgenre (modification de la Loi sur les journées, les semaines et les mois commémoratifs)

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Mr. EWASKO –

(No. 201) – The Manitoba Emblems Amendment Act (Provincial Stone)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les emblèmes du Manitoba (désignation de la pierre provinciale)

(Hon. Mr. MOSES – 4 minutes)

Mr. JACKSON –

(No. 202) – The Community Foundation Day Act (Commemoration of Days, Weeks and Months Act Amended)/Loi sur la Journée des fondations communautaires (modification de la Loi sur les journées, les semaines et les mois commémoratifs)

(MLA MOYES – 9 minutes)

Mr. GOERTZEN –

(No. 203) – The Occupiers’ Liability Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la responsabilité des occupants

(MLA PANKRATZ – 4 minutes)

Mr. NESBITT –

(No. 211) – The Drivers and Vehicles Amendment Act (Manitoba Parks Licence Plates)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les conducteurs et les véhicules (plaques d’immatriculation des parcs du Manitoba)

(Hon. Min. CABLE – 7 minutes)

RESOLUTION:

MLA DEVGAN – Respecting Frontline workers

10. WHEREAS under the previous PC Provincial Government, Manitoba had one of the lowest ratios of doctors per capita in Canada; and

WHEREAS the previous PC Provincial Government cut its capital budget by 36% during six fiscal years since 2016; and

WHEREAS the previous PC Provincial Government closed three of six emergency rooms in Winnipeg; and

WHEREAS the previous PC Provincial Government’s mismanagement led to a significant increase in mandatory overtime for nurses leading to exhaustion and burn out; and

WHEREAS reports found nurses were experiencing deep-seated unhappiness, very high levels of stress, and ER staff resignation increases due to the previous PC Provincial Government’s decisions; and

WHEREAS the WRHA acknowledged the ‘valley of despair’ over significant changes in Manitoba’s healthcare system in 2019; and

WHEREAS the previous PC Provincial Government failed to achieve multiple healthcare related election promises, failed to hire nurses or rural paramedics, failed to improve provincial wait times, and failed to build more personal care homes; and

WHEREAS steps were never taken under the previous PC Provincial Government to bring all partners together to streamline the process for international medical graduates to work in Manitoba, or to ensure that training pathways for allied health professionals in Manitoba were as efficient as possible; and

WHEREAS the current Provincial Government has begun the process of undoing the damage done by the previous PC Provincial Government to healthcare in Manitoba, including investing in more beds, more surgical and diagnostic capacity, and bringing together all partners to hire 1000 new health care staff in this year.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to continue respecting and working with frontline healthcare workers to repair the reckless cuts and mismanagement of the previous PC Provincial Government.

DEBATE ON RESOLUTIONS:

1. Mr. KHAN – Calling on the Provincial Government to Remove the Federal Carbon Tax on Home Heating Bills for Manitobans
(Mr. BRAR – 1 minute/68 minutes remaining)
2. Mr. OXENHAM – Commitment to Keeping Manitoba Public Insurance Publicly Owned
(Mr. PIWNIUK – 4 minutes/128 minutes remaining)
3. MLA LOISELLE – Louis Riel
(Mr. WOWCHUK – 9 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
4. Mr. NESBITT – Protecting Lake Winnipeg from Sewage Pollution
(MLA CROSS – 7 minutes/123 minutes remaining)
5. MLA MOROZ – Calling on the Federal Government to Reduce Corporate Food Waste
(Mr. NARTH – 8 minutes/126 minutes remaining)
6. MLA BEREZA – Calling on the Provincial Government to Remove the Federal Carbon Tax on Agriculture
(MLA PANKRATZ – 6 minutes/127 minutes remaining)
7. Mrs. STONE – Calling on the Provincial Government to Prioritize and Protect Children in Care and Commit to a Public Inquiry
(Hon. Ms. SMITH – 1 minute/123 minutes remaining)

8. MLA LAMOUREUX – Calling on the Provincial Government to Extend Employment Standards Benefits to Workers of the Gig Economy
(MLA LOISELLE – 4 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
 9. Mr. JACKSON – Calling on the Provincial Government to Address the Overcrowding in Schools
(MLA LOISELLE – 2 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
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SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Hon. Min. SCHMIDT –

(No. 12) – The Environment Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement

Hon. Min. NAYLOR –

(No. 26) – The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la location à usage d'habitation

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

(No. 27) – The Labour Relations Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les relations du travail

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

(No. 28) – The Labour Relations Amendment Act (2)/Loi n° 2 modifiant la Loi sur les relations du travail

Hon. Min. SALA –

(No. 32) – The Manitoba Hydro Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Hydro-Manitoba

Hon. Mr. WIEBE –

(No. 34) – The Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools, des jeux et du cannabis

Hon. Min. ASAGWARA –

(No. 35) – The Seniors' Advocate Act/Loi sur le protecteur des aînés

Mr. BALCAEN –

(No. 204) – The Change of Name Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le changement de nom

Mrs. COOK –

(No. 205) – The Beneficiary Designation (Retirement, Savings and Other Plans) Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la désignation de bénéficiaires (régimes de retraite, d'épargne et autres)

Mrs. STONE –

(No. 206) – The Intimate Image Protection Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection des images intimes

Mr. WASYLIW –

(No. 210) – The Homeowner Protection from Unsolicited Purchase Offers Act/Loi sur la protection des propriétaires contre les offres d'achat non sollicitées

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Mr. EWASKO
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Mr. GUENTER
Mr. JACKSON
Mr. JOHNSON
Mr. KHAN
MLA LAMOUREUX
Mr. NESBITT
Mr. PERCHOTTE
Mr. PIWNIUK
Mr. SCHULER
Mrs. STONE
Mr. WOWCHUK

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

(98 hours 15 minutes)

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

(No. 7) – The Public Sector Construction Projects (Tendering) Repeal Act/Loi abrogeant la Loi sur les projets de construction dans le secteur public (appels d'offres)

(Hon. Mr. WIEBE)
Designated Bill

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

(No. 9) – The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act/Loi modifiant le Code des normes d'emploi

(Mr. NESBITT – 19 minutes)
Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. WIEBE –

(No. 30) – The Unexplained Wealth Act (Criminal Property Forfeiture Act and Corporations Act Amended)/Loi sur les richesses inexpliquées (modification de la Loi sur la confiscation de biens obtenus ou utilisés criminellement et de la Loi sur les corporations)

(Mr. JOHNSON – 26 minutes)

SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. WIEBE –

(No. 16) – The Regulatory Accountability Reporting Act and Amendments to the Statutes and Regulations Act/Loi sur la remise de rapports relativement à la responsabilisation en matière de réglementation et modification de la Loi sur les textes législatifs et réglementaires

Designated Bill

Hon. Min. ALTOMARE –

(No. 21) – The Public Schools Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les écoles publiques
(Recommended by Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor)

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. WIEBE –

(No. 29) – The Body Armour and Fortified Vehicle Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le contrôle des gilets de protection balistique et des véhicules blindés

Hon. Mr. MOSES –

(No. 31) – The Captured Carbon Storage Act/Loi sur le stockage de carbone capté
(Recommended by Her Honour the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Min. NAYLOR –

(No. 33) – The Change of Name Amendment Act (3)/Loi n° 3 modifiant la Loi sur le changement de nom

Hon. Min. ASAGWARA –

(No. 36) – The Regulated Health Professions Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les professions de la santé réglementées

DEBATE ON GOVERNMENT MOTION:

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

THAT the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba condemn efforts that put the pensions of all Canadians at risk and affirm collective support for the Canada Pension Plan and measures and strategies that strengthen the national pension plan for seniors, retirees and all workers in the province and country.

(Hon. Min. FONTAINE)

Hon. Min. MARCELINO –

THAT the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba affirm its commitment to immediately call for a ceasefire in the Israel and Gaza war to address the famine crisis.

(Open)

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETING:

The Standing Committee on LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Friday, April 26, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. to consider *The Advocate for Children and Youth Act (Review)*.

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The Standing Committee on LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Friday, May 3, 2024 at 8:00 a.m. to consider *The Advocate for Children and Youth Act (Public Presentations)*.
