



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 25**

**FIFTH SESSION, THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE**

**PRAYERS**

**1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.**

Hon. Mr. CUMMINGS, the Minister of Natural Resources made a statement concerning the flood conditions on the Souris River,

Ms. WOWCHUK commented on the statement.

Hon. Mr. STEFANSON presented:

Supplementary Information for Legislative Review 1999-2000 – Departmental Expenditure Estimates – Health and Addictions Foundation.

(Sessional Paper No. 104)

Hon. Mr. McCRAE presented:

Supplementary Information for Legislative Review 1999-2000 – Departmental Expenditure Estimates – Education and Training.

(Sessional Paper No. 105)

Hon. Mr. TWEED presented:

Supplementary Information for Legislative Review 1999-2000 – Departmental Expenditure Estimates – Industry, Trade and Tourism.

(Sessional Paper No. 106)

Hon. Mr. PRAZNIK presented:

Annual Report of the Department of Highways and Transportation for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1998.

(Sessional Paper No. 107)

Also:

Annual Report for the Manitoba Lotteries Corporation for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1998.

(Sessional Paper No. 108)

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Also:

Manitoba Lotteries Corporation, Quarterly Report, Three Months, April 1, 1998 - June 30, 1998.  
(Sessional Paper No. 109)

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Pursuant to Rule 20 (1), Messrs. LAURENDEAU, JENNISSEN and FAURSCHOU, Ms. WOWCHUK and Mr. LAMOUREUX made Members' Statements.

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In accordance with Rule 21, Mr. EVANS (Interlake) and Ms. WOWCHUK rose on grievances.

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Hon. Mr. PRAZNIK presented:

Sequence for consideration of the Estimates by the Committee of Supply, both in the Chamber and outside the Chamber.  
(Sessional Paper No. 110)

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Hon. Mr. GILLESHAMMER moved:

THAT Bill (No. 22) – The Statute Law Amendment (Taxation) Act, 1999; Loi de 1999 modifiant diverses dispositions législatives en matière de fiscalité, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. GILLESHAMMER, Messrs. ASHTON, EVANS (Brandon East) and LAMOUREUX and Hon. Mr. GILLESHAMMER having spoken,

And the Question being put,

It was agreed to,

The Bill was accordingly read a Second Time and referred to a Committee of this House.

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Madam Speaker having left the Chair and the House resolving itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty;

And the House continuing in Committee, the Proceedings were interrupted at 5:00 p.m. for Private Members' Business.

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Mr. SVEINSON moved:

Resolution No. 6.: Balanced Budgets

WHEREAS balanced budgets allow public resources to be directed to socially relevant areas such as health care and education rather than increased interest payments; and

WHEREAS the recent upgrading of Manitoba's credit rating to AA level by Moody's was largely attributable to the fiscal responsibility demonstrated by the provincial government through passage of the toughest balanced budget legislation in Canada; and

WHEREAS balanced budgets create an economic climate conducive to enhanced consumer confidence and private investment; and

WHEREAS balanced budgets lead to flexibility and security for future generations.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba encourage the Provincial Government to continue its commitment to fiscal responsibility and sound economic stewardship.

And a debate arising,

And Messrs. SVEINSON, REID and FAURSCHOU, Ms. MIHYCHUK and Mr. LAMOUREUX having spoken,

And Mr. SANTOS speaking at 6:00 p.m.,

The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

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The House then adjourned at 6:01 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Hon. Louise Dacquay,  
Speaker.