



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 55

FOURTH SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion of Mr. LINDSEY, Bill (No. 234) – The Mining Tax Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la taxe minière, was read a First Time and had its purposes outlined.

Madam Speaker presented:

Annual Report of the Ombudsman for the year ending December 31, 2018.

(Sessional Paper No. 43)

Hon. Mr. FIELDING presented:

Reply to Written Question (No. 14), asked by Hon. Mr. FLETCHER, on April 18, 2019:

14. The Provincial Government, through the Manitoba Housing Renewal Corporation, is leasing land worth millions for one dollar a year, for 99 years at 255 Hamilton Ave. Can the Provincial Government provide a list of all the surplus land and assets in the provincial inventory and also advise if any of those assets will be made available to worthwhile causes or community groups on similar terms as the 255 Hamilton Ave site as well as the rationale for making that decision?

(Sessional Paper No. 44)

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Mr. MICKLEFIELD, Ms. FONTAINE and Messrs. MICHALESKI, WIEBE and SMITH (Southdale) made Members' Statements.

Following Oral Questions, Hon. Mr. FLETCHER rose on a point of order regarding the word "hate" spoken by the Official Opposition House Leader,

And Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN having spoken to the point of order,

And Ms. FONTAINE voluntarily apologized for her remarks.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to immediately restore the Access Bursary program to ensure targeted funding for northern, Indigenous, and low income students to help reduce barriers to access and ensure all Manitobans have equal opportunities to pursue post-secondary education. (L. Coob, K. Ettawacappo, J. Wood and others)

Mr. GRAYDON – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to amend *The Official Time Act* to abolish daylight saving time in Manitoba effective November 4, 2019, resulting in Manitoba remaining on Central Standard Time (CST) throughout the year and in perpetuity. (D. Wall, K. Penner, P. Peters and others)

Ms. LAMOUREUX – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce.

Mr. LINDSEY – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (C. Allen, J. Hudec, A. Cullen and others)

Ms. MARCELINO (Logan) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce.

Mr. ALLUM – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (A. Pierre, C. Bouvette, S. Hiltz and others)

Mr. ALTEMEYER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (M. Tuhtar, K. Gillespie, C. Brown and others)

Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (C. Rogal, R. Dunsmore, D. Flint and others)

Ms. FONTAINE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce.

Mr. SWAN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (P. Bjornson, K. Panaligon, H. Olfman and others)

Mr. WIEBE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government reverse cuts and closures that negatively impact patients' ability to access timely, quality health care and to make real investments in Manitoba's public health care system that will improve the timeliness and quality of care for patients by increasing the number of beds across the system, and recruiting and retaining an adequate number of nurses and other health professionals to meet Manitoba's needs.

Hon. Mr. GERRARD – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to increase funding for licensed not for profit child care programs in recognition of the importance of early learning and child care in Manitoba which will also improve quality and stability in the workforce. (J. Soder, A. Soder, M. Moorehead and others)

Following Petitions, Ms. FONTAINE rose on a Matter of Privilege and moved:

THAT the House censure the Government for its flouting of the longstanding practices and traditions of this House by its refusal to call the Estimates portion of Supply prior to its intention to break the fixed election date law and that this matter be immediately referred to the Rules Committee of this House for consideration.

And Hon. Messrs. GERRARD and GOERTZEN having spoken.

WHEREUPON Madam Speaker ruled there was no Matter of Privilege.

From her decision, Ms. FONTAINE appealed to the House,

And the Question being put, "Shall the ruling of the Chair be sustained?"

It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CULLEN	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
GOERTZEN	SCHULER
GRAYDON	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGASSÉ	WISHART
MARTIN	WOWCHUK
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ALLUM	MALOWAY
FONTAINE	MARCELINO (Logan)
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
LAMONT	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMOUREUX	SWAN
LINDSEY	WIEBE 12

Subsequently following Petitions, Hon. Mr. GERRARD rose on a Matter of Privilege regarding the First Minister allegedly spreading misinformation about the Member for St. Boniface.

And Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN having spoken,

WHEREUPON Madam Speaker ruled that the Matter of Privilege was out of order as the Member did not follow his remarks with a substantive motion.

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The House then adjourned at 5:03 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, May 23, 2019.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.