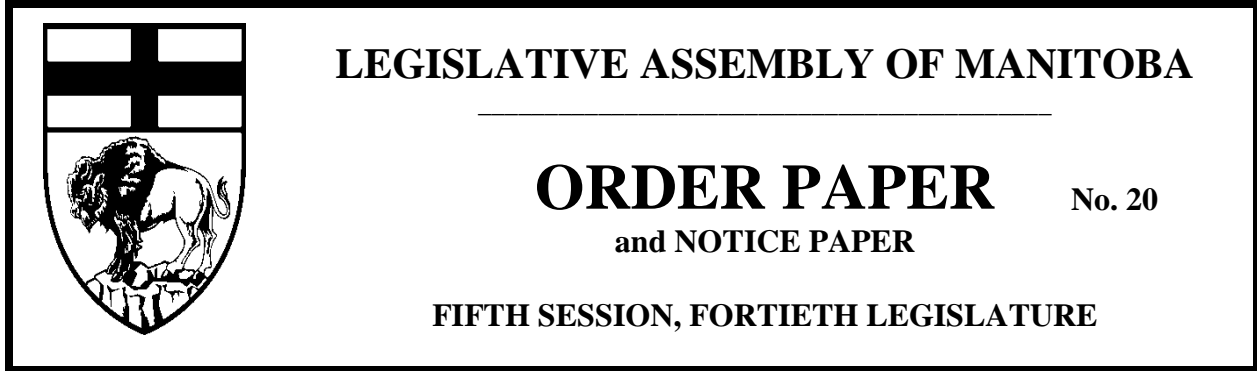


Monday, February 29, 2016



PRAYER

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

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NOTICE OF MOTION FOR TUESDAY:

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(No. 20) – The Environmental Rights Act/Loi sur les droits environnementaux

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR THURSDAY:

PROPOSED RESOLUTION:

Mr. EICHLER – Broken Trust Means Higher Hydro Rates

4. WHEREAS since the First Minister took office in 2009, hydro rates in Manitoba have increased more than double the rate of inflation or almost 30% and are expected to at least double over the next 20 years; and

WHEREAS in practical terms this means a Manitoba family that is currently charged one hundred and fifty four dollars on their monthly hydro bill will pay more than three hundred and twenty dollars for the same amount of power by 2032; and

WHEREAS Manitobans are trusting people that expect their trust to be respected through honest and open government that keeps its promises; and

WHEREAS in 2011 the Premier broke the trust of Manitobans when he told them the Bipole III transmission line would not cost Manitobans a single cent, which directly contradicted the testimony of the former Manitoba Hydro CEO who told a Committee of the Legislative Assembly that Manitobans would pay for the full \$4.65 billion dollar cost of the transmission line; and

WHEREAS the trust of Manitobans has been broken by the Provincial Government when it comes to the handling of Manitoba Hydro; and

WHEREAS Manitobans value common sense and a government that does things the right way such as letting experts for Manitoba Hydro make operational decisions; and

WHEREAS in 2007 the Premier refused to employ common sense when he wrote to the Board of Manitoba Hydro directing the corporation where to construct a transmission line.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba condemn the Provincial Government for breaking the trust of Manitobans and not using common sense in making decisions, resulting in at least the doubling of hydro rates for all Manitobans.