



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 5

FOURTH SESSION, FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were respectively read a First Time and had their purposes outlined:

(No. 5) – The Police Services Amendment Act (First Nation Safety Officers)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services de police (agents de sécurité des Premières nations)

(Hon. Mr. ALLUM)

(No. 6) – The National Research Centre for Truth and Reconciliation Act/Loi sur le Centre national de recherche pour la vérité et la réconciliation

(Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX)

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. PEDERSEN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Premier to immediately consider calling an election so that Manitobans can decide who is best placed to govern in the best interests of Manitobans. (Q. Vandermeulen, J. Gobin, S. Langevin and others)

Mrs. DRIEDGER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government and the Minister of Health to keep their promise to the people of Manitoba and make the upgrade and expansion of the Grace ER an immediate priority. (W. Neufeld, J. M. Nadeau, T. Wiebe and others)

Mr. BRIESE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request that Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation consider installing a set of traffic lights, including pedestrian lights, at the intersection of Highway 10 North and 3rd Street North in Swan River. (J. Foster, R. Minish, W. Hanke and others)

Mrs. ROWAT – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request that the Minister of Family Services consider implementing a standard funding formula across the province for organizations that provide residential and vocational services for individuals with physical and developmental disabilities. (A. Milton, H. Jacobson, W. Mate and others)

Hon. Mr. ALLUM presented:

Annual Report of the Manitoba Human Rights Commission for the year ending December 31, 2013. (Sessional Paper No. 7)

Annual Report of The Discriminatory Business Practices Act for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2014. (Sessional Paper No. 8)

Annual Report of the Chief Judge of the Provincial Court Concerning Complaints about Judicial Conduct for the year ending December 31, 2013. (Sessional Paper No. 9)

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Messrs. PETERSEN and EICHLER, Ms. OSWALD, Mr. EWASKO and Hon. Mr. GERRARD made Members' Statements.

By leave, it was agreed to waive Rules 31(2) and 31(3) regarding the timing for submission and prioritizing of Private Members' Resolutions with the understanding that they can still be announced a week in advance for consideration.

The House resumed the Interrupted Debate on the Proposed Motion of Mr. ALTEMEYER:

THAT the following address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor:

We, the Members of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba thank your Honour for the gracious speech addressed to us at this Fourth Session of the Fortieth Legislature of Manitoba.

And the proposed amendment moved by Mr. PALLISTER as follows:

THAT the motion be amended by adding at the end the following words:

But this House regrets:

- a) That some Government and all Official Opposition members agree that Manitobans are angry and believe that the Provincial Government has broken their trust; and
- b) That some Government members have concluded that serving this Provincial Government with integrity is no longer an option; and
- c) That these same Government members have said they do not regret speaking honestly as being truthful and holding on to integrity is something that Manitobans have been raised to do; and
- d) That some Government and all Official Opposition members are gravely concerned that priorities may move up the queue based on political interest and ahead of what Manitobans consider to be their priorities and needs; and

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- e) That there is a genuine concern amongst some Government and all Official Opposition members that the Provincial Government has become more preoccupied with remaining in power than necessarily doing things that are in the best interest of Manitobans.

As a consequence of these and many other failings, the Provincial Government has thereby lost the trust and confidence of the people of Manitoba and this House.

And the debate continuing on the amendment,

And Mr. PEDERSEN, Hon. Messrs. BJORNSON, GERRARD and KOSTYSHYN and Mr. SMOOK having spoken.

And Hon. Ms. MARCELINO (Logan) speaking at 5:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in her name.

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Thursday, November 27, 2014.

Hon. Daryl REID,
Speaker.