



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 38

FIRST SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Hon. Mr. FLETCHER moved:

THAT Bill (No. 203) – The Legal Profession Amendment Act (Queen's Counsel Appointments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la profession d'avocat (nomination de conseillers de la Reine), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FLETCHER having spoken,

And Messrs. SWAN, MALOWAY and EWASKO having questioned the Member,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. SWAN and CURRY, Ms. LAMOUREUX and Messrs. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park) and NESBITT having spoken,

And Mr. ALLUM speaking at 11:00 a.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

In accordance with Rule 33(7), the Government House Leader announced that the Acknowledging the Benefits of the Provincial Government's Commitment to Adult Literacy Resolution will be considered on the next Tuesday of Private Members' Business.

Mr. TEITSMA moved:

Resolution No. 3: Recognition of the Importance of Financial Literacy

WHEREAS financial literacy plays a direct role in the everyday lives of Manitobans; and

WHEREAS the responsibility and risks associated with financial decisions have major impacts on an individual's future; and

WHEREAS financial literacy will lead to better choices when it comes to savings, insurance, retirement planning, balancing a budget and avoiding high debt levels, credit costs or insolvency; and

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WHEREAS Manitobans should be empowered to fully understand what is in their best financial interests; and

WHEREAS a greater understanding of, and familiarity with, financial terms, markets and institutions will lead to increased economic activity, growth and success; and

WHEREAS the economic success due to the enhanced financial literacy of Manitobans will improve the quality of their lives, and provide them with skills to navigate towards their financial goals.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Manitoba Legislative Assembly encourage all Manitobans to foster financial literacy skills so they may achieve their financial interests and improve their daily lives and future.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. TEITSMA having spoken,

And Messrs. KINEW, MALOWAY and CURRY, Ms. KLASSEN, Mr. JOHNSON and Ms. FONTAINE having questioned the Member,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. KINEW, Mrs. GUILLEMARD, Ms. KLASSEN, Mr. ALLUM and Hon. Ms. SQUIRES having spoken,

And Mr. WIEBE speaking at 12:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON presented:

Annual Report of the Residential Tenancies Commission for the year ending March 31, 2016.
(Sessional Paper No. 46)

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Mr. TEITSMA, Ms. FONTAINE, Hon. Mr. SCHULER, Mr. HELWER and Ms. LAMOUREUX made Members' Statements.

The following petition was presented and read:

Mr. MALOWAY – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government do all that is possible to prevent the Bell takeover of MTS and preserve a more competitive cell phone market so that cellular bills for Manitobans do not increase unnecessarily.

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Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 4) – The Elections Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi électorale, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON having spoken,

And Mr. SWAN having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. SWAN, Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN, Ms. LAMOUREUX and Messrs. YAKIMOSKI, LAGASSÉ, REYES, BINDLE, NESBITT and MARTIN and 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.

The House then adjourned at 4:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 5, 2016.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.