



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 41

THIRD SESSION, FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Messrs. JOHNSTON and ALTOMARE, Hon. Ms. GORDON, Messrs. LINDSEY and TEITSMA made Members' Statements.

During Members' Statements, Mr. SALA rose on a Matter of Privilege regarding the Government's refusal to allow the Opposition to meet with the CEO and Board Chair of Manitoba Hydro and its refusal to call regular meetings of the Standing Committee on Crown Corporations and moved:

THAT the Standing Committee of Crown Corporations be immediately called to discuss the current state of Manitoba Hydro.

And Hon. Messrs. GOERTZEN and GERRARD having spoken,

WHEREUPON Madam Speaker informed the House she would take the matter under advisement.

The following petition was presented and read to the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba:

Mr. MALOWAY – To urge the Provincial Government to immediately demand Dynacare maintain all the phlebotomy (blood sample) sites existing prior to the Covid-19 public health emergency, and allow all Manitobans to get their blood and urine tests done when visiting their doctor, thereby facilitating local access to blood testing services.

Pursuant to the Sessional Order agreed to by the House on March 15, 2021 and further amended on March 23 and 24, 2021, the Second Reading on Bills to be considered as Specified Bills will be dealt with today, March 24, 2021 and on March 25, 2021.

Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 55) – The Reducing Red Tape and Improving Services Act, 2021/Loi de 2021 visant la réduction du fardeau administratif et l'amélioration des services, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN having spoken,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Hon. Mr. GERRARD 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.

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 51) – The Limitations Act/Loi sur les délais de prescription, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE
COX
CULLEN
EICHLER
EWASKO
FIELDING
FRIESEN
GOERTZEN
GORDON
GUENTER
GUILLEMARD
HELWER
ISLEIFSON
JOHNSON
JOHNSTON
LAGASSÉ

LAGIMODIERE
MARTIN
MICHALESKI
MICKLEFIELD
MORLEY-LECOMTE
NESBITT
PEDERSEN
REYES
SCHULER
SMITH (Lagimodière)
SMOOK
STEFANSON
TEITSMA
WHARTON
WISHART
WOWCHUK.....32

NAY

ADAMS	LATHLIN
ALTOMARE	LINDSEY
ASAGWARA	MALOWAY
BRAR	MARCELINO
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	WASYLIW
LAMOUREUX	WIEBE20

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

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 27) – The Administrative Tribunal Jurisdiction Act/Loi sur la compétence des tribunaux administratifs, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CULLEN	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	NESBITT
FIELDING	PEDERSEN
FRIESEN	PIWNIUK
GOERTZEN	REYES
GORDON	SCHULER
GUENTER	SMITH (Lagimodière)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGASSÉ	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK..... 33
MARTIN	

NAY

ADAMS	LINDSEY
ALTOMARE	MALOWAY
ASAGWARA	MARCELINO
BRAR	MOSES
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMOUREUX	WASYLIW
LATHLIN	WIEBE 20

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

Hon. Mr. HELWER moved:

THAT Bill (No. 3) – The Public Service Act/Loi sur la fonction publique, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. HELWER having spoken,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Ms. LAMOUREUX having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Ms. LAMOUREUX having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE	MARTIN
COX	MICHALESKI
CULLEN	MICKLEFIELD
EICHLER	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EWASKO	NESBITT
FIELDING	PEDERSEN
FRIESEN	PIWNIUK
GOERTZEN	REYES
GORDON	SCHULER
GUENTER	SMITH (Lagimodière)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGASSÉ	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK.....34

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ADAMS	LATHLIN
ALTOMARE	LINDSEY
ASAGWARA	MALOWAY
BRAR	MARCELINO
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	WASYLIW
LAMOUREUX	WIEBE20

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

Hon. Mr. HELWER presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 3).

(Sessional Paper No. 55)

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 10) – The Regional Health Authorities Amendment Act (Health System Governance and Accountability)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les offices régionaux de la santé (gouvernance et obligation redditionnelle au sein du système de santé), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON having spoken,

And MLA ASAGWARA and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And MLA ASAGWARA and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE
CULLEN
EICHLER
EWASKO
FIELDING
FRIESEN
GOERTZEN
GORDON
GUENTER
GUILLEMARD
HELWER
ISLEIFSON
JOHNSON
JOHNSTON
LAGASSÉ
LAGIMODIERE

MARTIN
MICHALESKI
MICKLEFIELD
MORLEY-LECOMTE
NESBITT
PEDERSEN
REYES
SCHULER
SMITH (Lagimodière)
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NAY

ADAMS	LINDSEY
ALTOMARE	MALOWAY
ASAGWARA	MARCELINO
BRAR	MOSES
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	WASYLIW
LAMOUREUX	WIEBE21
LATHLIN	

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

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 10).

(Sessional Paper No. 56)

Hon. Mr. FIELDING moved:

THAT Bill (No. 11) – The Workplace Safety and Health Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la sécurité et l'hygiène du travail, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FIELDING having spoken,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Ms. LAMOUREUX having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. LINDSEY and Ms. LAMOUREUX having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE	MARTIN
COX	MICHALESKI
CULLEN	MICKLEFIELD
EICHLER	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EWASKO	NESBITT
FIELDING	PALLISTER
FRIESEN	PEDERSEN
GOERTZEN	REYES
GORDON	SCHULER
GUENTER	SMITH (Lagimodière)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
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ADAMS	LINDSEY
ALTOMARE	MALOWAY
ASAGWARA	MARCELINO
BRAR	MOSES
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
LAMONT	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMOUREUX	WASYLIW
LATHLIN	WIEBE20

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

Hon. Mr. SCHULER moved:

THAT Bill (No. 13) – The Public Sector Construction Projects (Tendering) Act/Loi sur les projets de construction dans le secteur public (appels d'offres), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. SCHULER having spoken,

And Messrs. LINDSEY and LAMONT having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. LINDSEY and LAMONT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CULLEN	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	NESBITT
EWASKO	PALLISTER
FIELDING	PEDERSEN
FRIESEN	PIWNIUK
GOERTZEN	REYES
GORDON	SCHULER
GUENTER	SMITH (Lagimodière)
GUILLEMARD	SQUIRES
HELWER	STEFANSON
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
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ADAMS	LINDSEY
ALTOMARE	MALOWAY
ASAGWARA	MARCELINO
BRAR	MOSES
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
LAMONT	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMOUREUX	WASYLIW
LATHLIN	WIEBE20

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

Hon. Mr. JOHNSON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 38) – The Building and Electrical Permitting Improvement Act (Various Acts Amended and Permit Dispute Resolution Act Enacted)/Loi améliorant la délivrance des permis de construction et d'électricité et la résolution des litiges connexes (modification de diverses dispositions législatives et édicition de la Loi sur la résolution des litiges en matière de permis), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Mr. JOHNSON having spoken,

And Messrs. WIEBE and LAMONT having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. WIEBE and LAMONT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CULLEN	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	NESBITT
EWASKO	PALLISTER
FIELDING	PEDERSEN
FRIESEN	PIWNIUK
GOERTZEN	REYES
GORDON	SCHULER
GUENTER	SMITH (Lagimodière)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGASSÉ	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK.....35
MARTIN	

NAY

ADAMS	LINDSEY
ALTOMARE	MALOWAY
ASAGWARA	MARCELINO
BRAR	MOSES
BUSHIE	NAYLOR
FONTAINE	SALA
GERRARD	SANDHU
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	WASYLIW
LAMOUREUX	WIEBE21
LATHLIN	

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

Hon. Mr. JOHNSON presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 38).

(Sessional Paper No. 57)

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 60) – The Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Amendment Act (2)/Loi n° 2 modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools, des jeux et du cannabis, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on division.

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

Hon. Mr. WHARTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 15) – The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation Amendment Act (Claim Dispute Tribunal)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Société d'assurance publique du Manitoba (tribunal de règlement des différends en matière de demandes d'indemnisation), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. WHARTON having spoken,

And Messrs. SANDHU and LAMONT having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. SANDHU and LAMONT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on division.

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

Hon. Mr. WHARTON presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 15).

(Sessional Paper No. 58)

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 46) – The Court Practice and Administration Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la pratique et l'administration des tribunaux (modification de diverses dispositions législatives), be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD 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.

Hon. Mr. FIELDING moved:

THAT Bill (No. 30) – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FIELDING having spoken,

And Messrs. MALOWAY and LAMONT having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. MALOWAY and LAMONT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on division.

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

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 67) – The Public Health Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la santé publique, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON having spoken,

And MLA ASAGWARA and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And MLA ASAGWARA and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on division.

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

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 67).

(Sessional Paper No. 59)

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 58) – The Criminal Property Forfeiture Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la confiscation de biens obtenus ou utilisés criminellement, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. FRIESEN having spoken,

And Ms. FONTAINE and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. FONTAINE speaking at 12:00 a.m. The debate was allowed to remain in their name.

The House then adjourned at 12:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, March 25, 2021.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.