



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 73**

**FIRST SESSION, FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE**

**PRAYER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

**1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.**

The following Bill was read a First Time and had its purposes outlined:

(No. 39) – The Long-Bladed Weapon Control Act/Loi sur la réglementation des armes à lame longue

(Hon. Mr. WIEBE)

Hon. Min. ASAGWARA tabled:

Annual Report of the Department of Health, Seniors and Long-Term Care for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 150)

Hon. Mr. SIMARD tabled:

Annual Report of Travel Manitoba for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 151)

Annual Report of the Manitoba Liquor and Lotteries Corporation for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 152)

Annual Report of Manitoba Film and Music for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 153)

Annual Report of the Manitoba Centennial Centre Corporation for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 154)

Annual Report of the Manitoba Arts Council for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 155)

Annual Report of Le Centre culturel franco-manitobain for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 156)

Annual Report of the Department of Sport, Culture, Heritage and Tourism for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 157)

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Pursuant to sub-rule 28(1), Hon. Ms. SMITH, Mr. GOERTZEN, MLA LAMOUREUX and Messrs. KING and WASYLIW made Member's statements.

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The following petitions were presented and read to the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba:

Mr. JOHNSON – To urge the Provincial Government to remove the federal carbon tax on home heating bills for all Manitobans to provide them much needed relief.

MLA LAMOUREUX – To urge the Provincial Government to recognize Little Mountain Park as an at-risk ecosystem and as a potential ecosystem preservation zone; to recognize the impact of the proposed route on Little Mountain Park, The Players Course, the neighbouring Little Mountain Sportsplex, and the citizens and tourists who use and visit them; and to seek an alternate route that would avoid the area while still providing adequate ingress and egress to the CentrePort Canada Way, such as the old Sturgeon Road route, and avoid expropriating land unnecessarily.

Mr. BALCAEN – To urge the Provincial Government to immediately put forward a plan to increase breast cancer screening capacity and lower the breast cancer screening age to 40.

Mr. EWASKO – To urge the Provincial Government to remove the federal carbon tax on home heating bills for all Manitobans to provide them much needed relief.

MLA BEREZA – To urge the Provincial Government to immediately put forward a plan to increase breast cancer screening capacity and lower the breast cancer screening age to 40.

Ms. BYRAM – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mrs. STONE – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mr. GUENTER – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mrs. HIEBERT – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mr. JACKSON – To urge the Premier and Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure to immediately prioritize the reconstruction of Provincial Trunk Highway 2 in the upcoming construction season; and to urge the Provincial Government to include the stretch of Provincial Trunk Highway 2 that runs through the Town of Souris in its reconstruction plans.

Mr. KING – To urge the Provincial Government to call on the Federal Government to remove the punishing carbon tax on natural gas and other fuels and farm inputs for Manitoba agriculture producers and the Agri-food sector to decrease the costs of putting food on the table for Manitoba consumers.

Mr. NARTH – To urge the Premier to financially assist the City of Winnipeg on building this three-lane bridge in each direction to maintain this vital link between northeast Winnipeg, Transcona and the downtown; to urge the Provincial Government to recommend that the City of Winnipeg keep the old bridge fully open to traffic while the new bridge is under construction; to urge the Provincial Government to consider the feasibility of keeping the old bridge open for active transportation in the future.

Mr. WOWCHUK – To urge the Provincial Government to address the much needed rehabilitation of Provincial Road 275 to ensure public safety; provide results of the MTI investigation into the Town and Municipality and provide immediate funding for the repairs of PR 275; and address the drainage issues on PR 275 and create permanent solutions so that flooding can be avoided.

Mr. PERCHOTTE – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mr. SCHULER – To urge the Provincial Government to lobby the Federal Government to stop the expansion of medical assistance in dying to those for whom mental illness is the sole condition; and to lobby the Federal Government to protect Canadians struggling with mental illness by facilitating treatment, recovery, and medical assistance in living, not death.

Mr. WHARTON – To urge the Premier to financially assist the City of Winnipeg on building this three-lane bridge in each direction to maintain this vital link between northeast Winnipeg, Transcona and the downtown; to urge the Provincial Government to recommend that the City of Winnipeg keep the old bridge fully open to traffic while the new bridge is under construction; to urge the Provincial Government to consider the feasibility of keeping the old bridge open for active transportation in the future.

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Mr. NESBITT – To urge the Provincial Government to address the much needed rehabilitation of Provincial Road 275 to ensure public safety; provide results of the MTI investigation into the Town and Municipality and provide immediate funding for the repairs of PR 275; and address the drainage issues on PR 275 and create permanent solutions so that flooding can be avoided.

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The House resumed the debate on the proposed motion of Hon. Min. SALA:

THAT Bill (No. 37) – The Budget Implementation and Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2024/Loi d'exécution du budget de 2024 et modifiant diverses dispositions législatives en matière de fiscalité, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And the debate continuing,

And leave having been denied to have the matter remain in the name of MLA LAMOUREUX,

And Messrs. PIWNIUK and NESBITT and MLA BEREZA having spoken,

And Ms. BYRAM speaking at 5:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in their name.

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The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, October 10, 2024.

Hon. Tom LINDSEY,  
Speaker.