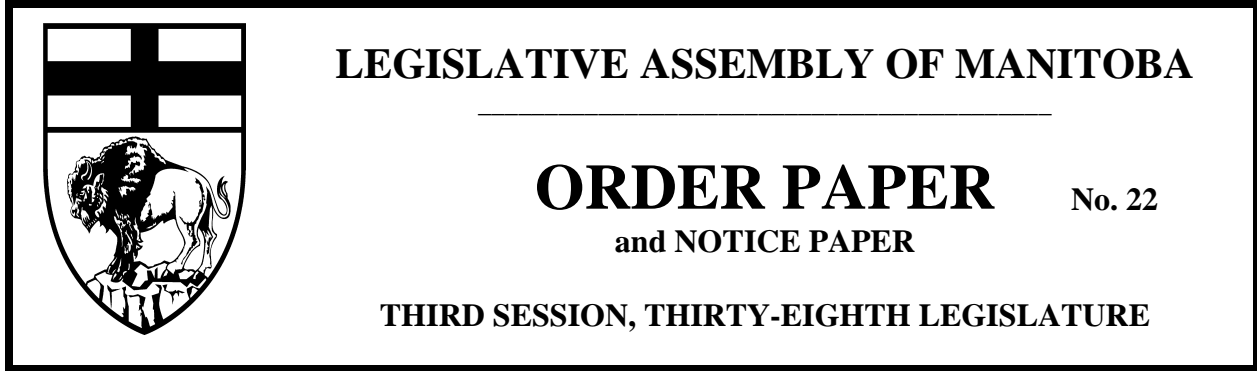


Thursday, March 17, 2005



**PRAYER**

**SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.**

## **ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS**

### **PETITIONS**

Mrs. DRIEDGER  
Mrs. ROWAT  
Mrs. TAILLIEU  
Mr. LAMOUREUX  
Mr. CULLEN  
Mr. SCHULER  
Mr. GOERTZEN

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## **GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**

### **ADJOURNED DEBATE (EIGHTH DAY OF DEBATE):**

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

THAT this House approve in general the budgetary policy of the government.

And the Proposed Motion of Mr. MURRAY in amendment thereto as follows:

*That the Motion be amended by deleting all the words after "House" and substituting the following words:*

therefore regrets this Budget ignores the present and future needs of Manitobans by:

- (a) Failing to offer any vision and to reflect the priorities of Manitoba; and
- (b) Failing to provide a long-term economic strategy and tax reduction strategy that addresses the fact that Manitobans are now, under the Doer NDP government, the highest taxed west of New Brunswick, and make Manitoba a "have" province; and
- (c) Failing to address the debt of Manitoba which has grown under the Doer NDP government, thereby mortgaging our children's future; and
- (d) Failing to eliminate education taxes off of residential property and farmland; and
- (e) Failing to offer a "New Deal" which will meet the needs of Manitoba's municipalities; and
- (f) Failing to provide adequate funding for post-secondary institutions; and
- (g) Failing to provide relief for Manitoba's livestock producers and failing to provide for sufficient slaughter capacity; and
- (h) Failing to provide for a meaningful review of the operation and administration of Manitoba's Regional Health Authorities; and
- (i) Failing to provide a long-term plan for the reduction of health care waiting lists; and
- (j) Failing to provide an opportunity for publicly funded health care services in privately-managed clinics; and
- (k) Failing to provide child care options for parents by failing to support for-profit child care centers as well as not-for-profit centers, and failing to provide a tax credit for stay-at-home parents; and
- (l) Failing Manitoba's sick and elderly by increasing Pharmacare deductibles by 20% over the past four years; and
- (m) Failing to support Manitoba's environment by failing to provide for the long-term sustainability of Manitoba's recycling and product stewardship programs; and
- (n) Failing to deal with record numbers of auto thefts and record numbers of murders; and
- (o) Failing to provide a plan or strategy to break up existing gangs and prevent new gangs from coming to Manitoba; and
- (p) Failing to deal with the high number of grow-ops and labs manufacturing illegal drugs and the proliferation of drugs; and

(q) Failing to acknowledge their raid on Manitoba Hydro contributed to a 10% increase in Hydro rates.

As a consequence, the Government has thereby lost the confidence of this House and the people of Manitoba.

And the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. GERRARD in amendment thereto as follows:

*THAT the amendment be amended by adding thereto the following words:*

And further regrets that this Budget also ignores present and future needs of Manitobans by:

(r) Failing to provide an effective plan to improve health and prevent sickness; and

(s) Failing to provide an effective strategy to deal with child poverty; and

(t) Failing to provide Manitobans with the approach needed to decrease childhood obesity and diabetes; and

(u) Failing to provide Manitobans with the legal right to timely, quality health care; and

(v) Failing to do any better than the previous Tory government in improving the dental health of Manitoba children and decreasing the incidence of early childhood tooth decay.

(Open)

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## COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

## COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

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## DEBATE ON REPORT STAGE AMENDMENTS:

Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 22) – The Water Protection Act/Loi sur la protection des eaux

[4 Amendments – Hon. Mr. GERRARD]

(#1 – Mr. CUMMINGS)

(#2 – Mr. FAURSCHOU)

(#3 – Mr. FAURSCHOU)

(#4 – Mr. FAURSCHOU)

[2 Amendments – Mr. FAURSCHOU]

(#1 – Mr. LAMOUREUX)

(#2 – Mr. LAMOUREUX)

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**REPORT STAGE AMENDMENTS:**

Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 22) – The Water Protection Act/Loi sur la protection des eaux  
[Amendments (7) – Mr. FAURSCHOU]  
[Amendments (12) – Hon. Mr. ASHTON]

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**DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:**

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. MELNICK –

(No. 2) – The Child and Family Services Amendment Act (Child Protection Penalties)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l'enfant et à la famille (peines applicables en matière de protection des enfants)

(Mr. LOEWEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 5) – The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation Amendment Act (Injury Compensation Appeal Commission)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Société d'assurance publique du Manitoba (Commission d'appel des accidents de la route)

(Mr. LOEWEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 6) – The Real Property Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les biens réels

(Mr. LOEWEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 7) – The Personal Investigations Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les enquêtes relatives aux particuliers

(Mr. LOEWEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. ROBINSON –

(No. 9) – The Manitoba Centennial Centre Corporation Act/Loi sur la Société du Centre du centenaire du Manitoba

(Mr. LOEWEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 10) – The Pension Benefits Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les prestations de pension

(Mr. REIMER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SMITH –

(No. 12) – The Liquor Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools

(Hon. Mr. ASHTON)

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**SECOND READINGS:**

Hon. Ms. OSWALD –

(No. 8) – The Manitoba Council on Aging Act/Loi sur le Conseil manitobain du vieillissement  
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)  
(Printed)

Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH –

(No. 11) – The Provincial Court Amendment Act (Justices of the Peace)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Cour provinciale (juges de paix)  
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)  
(Printed)

Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK –

(No. 13) – The Milk Prices Review Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le contrôle du prix du lait  
(Printed)

Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 14) – The Electricians' Licence Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le permis d'électricien  
(Printed)

Hon. Mr. SMITH –

(No. 15) – The Emergency Measures Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les mesures d'urgence  
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)  
(Printed)

Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 16) – The Wildlife Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la conservation de la faune  
(Printed)

Hon. Mr. SALE –

(No. 17) – The Regional Health Authorities Amendment and Manitoba Evidence Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les offices régionaux de la santé et la Loi sur la preuve au Manitoba  
(Printed)