



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 25

FIRST SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN moved:

THAT Bill (No. 3) – The Mental Health Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la santé mentale, 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. SWAN, Hon. Mr. GERRARD and Messrs. WIEBE and KINEW having questioned the Minister,

And the debate continuing,

And Mr. SWAN, Hon. Mr. GERRARD and Mr. WIEBE 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. Ms. SQUIRES moved:

THAT Bill (No. 5) – The Francophone Community Enhancement and Support Act/Loi sur l'appui à l'épanouissement de la francophonie manitobaine, 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. Ms. SQUIRES having spoken,

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

And the debate continuing,

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And Ms. LAMOUREUX, Messrs. SELINGER and KINEW, Mrs. GUILLEMARD, Mr. LAGASSÉ 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. Ms. SQUIRES presented:

Message from Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 5).

(Sessional Paper No. 34)

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Hon. Ms. CLARKE, the Minister of Indigenous and Municipal Relations, made a statement regarding National Aboriginal Day.

Ms. LATHLIN and, by leave, Ms. KLASSEN commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN, Ms. FONTAINE, Mr. CURRY, Mrs. MAYER and Ms. LAMOUREUX and made Members' Statements.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. WIEBE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to commit to raising the minimum wage on a consistent annual basis so that all hardworking Manitobans can provide for their families.

Mr. LINDSEY – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to commit to raising the minimum wage on a consistent annual basis so that all hardworking Manitobans can provide for their families. (A. Rothney, B. Crothers, H. Schellenberg and others)

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.

By unanimous consent, the sequence for consideration of estimates, as outlined in Sessional Paper No. 15 tabled on June 7, 2016, was further amended in order that the estimates of Indigenous and Municipal Relations be considered in Room 254 for Wednesday, June 22, 2016, only.

By unanimous consent, the sequence for consideration of estimates, as outlined in Sessional Paper No. 15 tabled on June 7, 2016, was further amended in order that the estimates of Families be considered in Room 255 following Health, Seniors and Active Living.

By leave, Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN moved:

THAT the following Sessional Order applies until December 2, 2016 despite any other rule or practice of this House.

Sitting Schedule for June, 2016

1. Subject to the following, the House shall sit during its usual sitting hours until June 30, 2016:
 - (a) On Wednesday, June 22, 2016, the House shall sit until 6:00 pm to consider departmental estimates.
 - (b) On Thursday, June 23, 2016, the House shall consider departmental estimates during the morning sitting. Private Members' Business shall not be considered. In the afternoon, the House shall sit until 6:00 p.m. to consider departmental estimates.
 - (c) On Friday, June 24, 2016, the House shall sit to consider departmental estimates from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m. or until the 100-hour limit for the business of supply expires, whichever occurs first.
 - (d) On Monday, June 27, 2016, the House shall consider the concurrence motion in Committee of Supply.
 - (e) On Tuesday, June 28, 2016, the House shall consider the concurrence motion in Committee of Supply in the morning. Private Members' Business shall not be considered. In the afternoon, the House shall sit until 6:00 pm to consider the concurrence motion in Committee of Supply.
 - (f) On Wednesday, June 29, 2016, the House shall sit until 6:00 p.m. to consider the concurrence motion in the Committee of Supply.
 - (g) On Thursday, June 30, 2016 the House shall sit from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon to consider and conclude the concurrence motion in Committee of Supply.

Matters to be complete before adjournment on June 30, 2016

2. The House is to not see the clock or adjourn until the following matters are completed on June 30, 2016:
 - (a) Report Stage, Concurrence and Third Reading of any Government Bill reported to the House by June 29, 2016;
 - (b) all stages, including Concurrence and Third reading, for passage of the Main and Capital Supply Bills;

- (c) all stages, including Concurrence and Third reading, for passage of Bill (No. 11) – The Budget Implementation and Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2016/Loi d'exécution du budget de 2016 et modifiant diverses dispositions législatives en matière de fiscalité;
- (d) all steps necessary to complete the Budget Process;
- (e) Royal Assent for all government Bills that have received Concurrence and Third reading.

Points of Order and Matters of Privilege are to be set aside until these matters have been completed, and any divisions related to the above matters must not be deferred.

Adjournment on June 30, 2016

3. The House will adjourn without motion on June 30, 2016 and stand adjourned until October 3, 2016, unless called earlier by the Speaker.

Fall Sittings

4. The House shall sit from October 3 to November 10, 2016 (the “Fall Sittings”) and, subject to paragraphs 5 to 8, shall sit during its usual sitting hours.

Completion of Second Reading of Government Bills introduced on or before June 15, 2016

5. Government Bills that were introduced in the House on or before June 15, 2016 shall have the question put on Second Reading motions on or before October 13, 2016. For that purpose, the following applies on October 13, 2016.

- (a) If the Second Reading motion has not yet been moved, the Minister is to move the motion, with the Minister, the Official Opposition Critic and one Independent Member each having the opportunity to speak for 10 minutes, followed by an up to 15 minute question and answer period for each Bill.
- (b) The House shall not see the clock until all such Second Reading questions have been put.
- (c) Points of Order and Matters of Privilege are to be set aside until the Second Reading questions have been put.
- (d) Divisions on these motions cannot be deferred.

Completion of Committee Stage of Government Bills introduced on or before June 15, 2016

6. Committee stage on these Government Bills are to be completed no later than November 3, 2016. The following rules apply to any Committee sitting on November 3, 2016 to consider such Bills.

- (a) The Committee shall not rise until clause by clause is completed and the questions to report the Bills have been put to the Committee.
- (b) If the Committee has not completed public presentations, it must close public presentations by 9:00 p.m. By unanimous consent the deadline can be extended to 10:00 p.m. The public has the ability to provide written submissions for an additional 24 hours.

- (c) At 11:00 p.m. any member of the Committee who wishes to move an amendment to a Bill must file 20 copies of the amendment with the Clerk of the Committee, and the Clerk must distribute the amendment to members of the Committee. After that time, an amendment may be moved only if copies of it were filed with the Clerk and distributed as required by this rule.
- (d) At midnight, the Chair of the Committee must interrupt the proceedings and, without further debate or amendment (other than an amendment distributed as required by paragraph (c)), put every question necessary to complete clause-by-clause consideration of the Bills under consideration.
- (e) The committee must report the Bills to the House at its next sitting. In the event that the Committee fails to report the Bills at that sitting, the Bills are deemed to be reported to the House, as amended by the Committee (if applicable) and the report is deemed to be received by the House at that sitting.

Points of Order and Matters of Privilege are to be set aside until clause by clause consideration of the Bills has been completed and the questions to report the Bills have been put to the Committee.

Completion of Report Stages of Government Bills introduced on or before June 15, 2016

7. Report Stage on these Government Bills are to be completed on or before November 9, 2016. For that purpose, the following rules apply on November 9, 2016.

- (a) The House is to not see the clock or adjourn until the Speaker has put the question on all applicable Report Stage Amendments.
- (b) If by 3:30 p.m. Routine Proceedings has not concluded, the Speaker must terminate Routine Proceedings and proceed to Orders of the Day.
- (c) At 4:00 p.m. the Speaker will interrupt debate and put all questions on the remaining applicable Report Stage Amendments with no further debate or amendment.
- (d) If any applicable Report Stage Amendments have not been moved, the sponsor(s) of the Amendment(s) are to move the Report Stage Amendments without debate.
- (e) Points of Order and Matters of Privilege are to be set aside until all votes are completed.
- (f) Divisions on Report Stage Amendments for these Bills cannot be deferred.

Completion of Concurrence and Third Reading for Government Bills introduced on or before June 15, 2016

8. The questions for Concurrence and Third Readings on these Government Bills are to be put on or by November 10, 2016. For that purpose, the following rules apply on November 10, 2016.

- (a) The House is to not see the clock or adjourn until all such questions have been put and Royal Assent has been granted.

- (b) If by 3:30 p.m. Routine Proceedings has not concluded, the Speaker must terminate Routine Proceedings and proceed to Orders of the Day.
- (c) At 4:00 p.m. the Speaker will interrupt debate and put all questions on the remaining Bills with no further debate or amendment.
- (d) If Concurrence and Third Reading motions have not been moved, Ministers are to move the motions without debate or amendment.
- (e) Points of Order and Matters of Privilege are to be set aside until all votes are completed.
- (f) Divisions on Concurrence and Third Reading for these Bills cannot be deferred.

Commencement of the Second Session of the 41st Legislature

9. The Second Session of the 41st Legislature shall begin on Monday, November 21, 2016 with the presentation of the Speech from the Throne.

Usual sitting hours for November Sittings

10. The House shall sit during its usual sitting hours from November 21, 2016 until December 2, 2016 (the “November Sittings”).

Completion of the Address in Reply debate

11. The votes required to complete consideration of the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne must be held no later than December 2, 2016. If the votes are held on December 2, 2016, the House is to not see the clock or rise before these votes are concluded.

Opposition and Independent Members

12. From the beginning of the Fall Sittings to the end of the November Sittings, the House shall:

- (a) Consider three Opposition Day Motions sponsored by Members of the Official Opposition.
- (b) Debate at Second Reading and vote on three Private Members’ Bill sponsored by Members of the Official Opposition.
- (c) Debate at Second Reading and vote on one Private Members’ Bill sponsored by an Independent Member.
- (d) Debate and vote on one Private Members’ Resolution sponsored by an Independent Member.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to.

The House resolved into Committee of Supply.

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The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 22, 2016.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.