



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 86

THIRD SESSION, FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

By leave, it was agreed for the House to deal with Concurrence and Third Reading of Bill (No. 230).

Mrs. GUILLEMARD moved:

THAT Bill (No. 230) – The Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Awareness Day Act/Loi sur la Journée de sensibilisation à l'ensemble des troubles causés par l'alcoolisation fœtale, reported from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, be concurred in and be now read a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Mrs. GUILLEMARD, Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas), Hon. Mr. GERRARD and Messrs. ALLUM, LINDSEY, MARCELINO (Tyndall Park) and WIEBE having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to.

The Bill was accordingly concurred in, read a Third Time and passed.

Mr. SARAN moved:

Resolution No.24: Relaxation of Federal Immigration Rules for the Seniors Live-in-Family Caregivers

WHEREAS senior citizens prefer hiring those who they can trust to help them meet their constant needs for help to manage their everyday household chores; and

WHEREAS senior citizens put utmost emphasis on privacy, trust and receiving appropriate emotional support from their caregivers; and

WHEREAS senior citizens perceive relatives on work permits from their countries of origin as the ones most compassionate to their mobility and emotional needs; and

WHEREAS since the caregiver's work permit depends on the Labour Market Impact Assessment (LMIA) process, senior citizens suffer considerable difficulty obtaining trustworthy caregivers with whom they can feel comfortable to share emotional issues and receive appropriate mental healing support; and

WHEREAS family stream caregivers will also contribute towards the reduction of Provincial Government healthcare spending.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to advocate that the Federal Minister of Immigration undertake measures to: a) eliminate the LMIA requirement for live-in-family caregivers for seniors; b) extend caregivers' residency duration up to the death of the incumbent senior(s) or until the caregiver receives permanent residency status; and c) allow immediate family members or willing relative(s) of seniors to jointly pay the salaries of caregivers in cases of financial incapacity.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. SARAN having spoken,

And Mr. MICKLEFIELD, Ms. LAMOUREUX and Messrs. SMITH (Southdale), YAKIMOSKI and ALTEMEYER having questioned the Member,

And the debate continuing,

And Messrs. MICKLEFIELD and SMITH (Southdale), Ms. MARCELINO (Logan), Ms. LAMOUREUX and Mr. YAKIMOSKI having spoken,

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

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Madam Speaker presented:

Auditor General's Report – Forensic Audits dated October 2018.

(Sessional Paper No. 111)

Hon. Mr. PALLISTER, the First Minister, made a statement regarding Made in Manitoba Climate and Green Plan Update.

Mr. KINEW and Mr. LAMONT and, by leave, Hon Mr. FLETCHER commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Rule 27(1), Mr. EWASKO, Ms. MARCELINO (Logan), Mr. ISLEIFSON and Hon. Mr. FRIESEN made Members' Statements.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to reverse the decision to close Seven Oaks General Hospital’s emergency room so that families and seniors in north Winnipeg and the surrounding areas have timely access to quality health care services. (J. Brandon, R. Cambayam, V. Clamok and others)

Hon. Mr. FLETCHER – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to take the necessary steps to ensure that the Vimy Arena site is not used for an addiction treatment facility and to take the necessary steps to ensure the preservation of public land along Sturgeon Creek for the purposes of park land and recreational activities for public use (including being an important component of the Sturgeon Creek Greenway Trail and the Sturgeon Creek ecosystem) under the current designation of PR2 for the 255 Hamilton Avenue location at the Vimy Arena site, and to maintain the land to continue to be designated for Parks and Recreation Active Neighbourhood/Community. (R. Plett, M. Friesen, K. Witherspoon and others)

Hon. Mr. GERRARD – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to immediately begin implementation of plans to convert systems and forms to be more inclusive of Two-Spirit and other non-binary individuals, whether it be to include a third gender option, or no requirement for gender on forms, unless medically or statistically necessary, including health cards, and birth certificates; to immediately instruct the Manitoba Public Insurance corporation to offer a third gender option, or no gender requirement for licenses or any other form of provincial identification; to instruct Manitoba Health, Seniors and Active Living to offer the option of Manitoba Health Cards with no gender in order to reduce the anxieties of transgender and non-binary persons accessing the healthcare system as a first step; and to consider revisiting legislation that may need updating to meet the needs of its citizens in this regard. (E. Pastetnik, C. Nostrange, F. Mann and others)

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN withdrew his Proposed Report Stage Amendment to Bill (No. 16) regarding Legislative counsel authority.

In accordance with Rule 139(11) the Minister of Growth, Enterprise and Trade requested to combine debate and hold one vote on the second, third and fourth Report Stage Amendments for Bill (No. 16).

Hon. Ms. SQUIRES moved:

THAT Bill (No. 29) – The Wildlife Amendment Act (Safe Hunting and Shared Management)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la conservation de la faune (pratiques de chasse sécuritaires et gestion intégrée de la faune), reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Ms. SQUIRES, Ms. LATHLIN and Mr. LAMONT having spoken,

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

YEA

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PALLISTER
EWASKO	PEDERSEN
FIELDING	REYES
FLETCHER	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GRAYDON	SMOOK
GUILLEMARD	SQUIRES
HELWER	STEFANSON
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 35
MAYER	

NAY

ALLUM	LINDSEY
GERRARD	MALOWAY
KINEW	MARCELINO (Logan)
LAMONT	MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
LAMOUREUX	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LATHLIN	SWAN 12

The Bill was accordingly concurred in, read a Third Time and passed.

Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) moved:

THAT Bill (No. 223) – The Child and Family Services Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l'enfant et à la famille, reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, unanimously.

Hon. Mr. EICHLER moved:

THAT Bill (No. 35) – The Crown Lands Amendment Act (Improved Management of Community Pastures and Agricultural Crown Lands)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les terres domaniales (gestion améliorée des pâturages communautaires et des terres domaniales agricoles), reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, be concurred in and be now read a Third Time and passed.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. EICHLER having spoken,

And Hon. Mr. GERRARD speaking at 4:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

In accordance with sub-rules 2(19) and 2(21), the debate was interrupted to put the Report Stage Amendment Questions on Designated Bills (No. 8) and (No. 16).

The Order of the Day having been read for consideration of Report Stage Amendment of Bill (No. 8) – The Government Notices Modernization Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la modernisation de la publication des avis du gouvernement (modification de diverses lois), reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development:

Hon. Mr. LAMONT moved:

THAT Bill 8 be amended by striking out Clause 12.

And the Question being put on the amendment. It was negatived, on the following division:

YEA

ALLUM
ALTEMEYER
GERRARD
KINEW
LAMONT
LAMOUREUX
LATHLIN
LINDSEY

MALOWAY
MARCELINO (Logan)
MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
SARAN
SMITH (Point Douglas)
SWAN
WIEBE 15

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	PALLISTER
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	STEFANSON
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGIMODIERE	WISHART
MARTIN	WOWCHUK
MAYER	YAKIMOSKI..... 34

Hon. Mr. LAMONT then moved:

THAT Bill 8 be amended by striking out Clause 13.

And the Question being put on the amendment. It was negatived, on the following division:

YEA

ALLUM	MALOWAY
ALTEMEYER	MARCELINO (Logan)
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
KINEW	SARAN
LAMONT	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMOUREUX	SWAN
LATHLIN	WIEBE 15
LINDSEY	

NAY

BINDLE	MAYER
CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CURRY	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	PALLISTER
EWASKO	PEDERSEN
FIELDING	PIWNIUK
FRIESEN	REYES
GOERTZEN	SCHULER
GRAYDON	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 34

The Order of the Day having been read for consideration of Report Stage Amendment of Bill (No. 16) – The Climate and Green Plan Implementation Act/Loi sur la mise en œuvre du Plan vert et climatique, reported from the Standing Committee on Legislative Affairs:

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by striking out Clause 3 of Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act).

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

YEA

BINDLE	MAYER
CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CURRY	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	NESBITT
EWASKO	PEDERSEN
FIELDING	PIWNIUK
FRIESEN	REYES
GOERTZEN	SCHULER
GRAYDON	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 34

NAY

ALLUM	MALOWAY
ALTEMEYER	MARCELINO (Logan)
FONTAINE	MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
GERRARD	SARAN
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN
LATHLIN	WIEBE 15
LINDSEY	

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by striking out Schedule B (The Industrial Greenhouse Gas Emissions Control and Reporting Act).

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by striking out Schedule D (The Income Tax Amendment Act).

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by striking out Schedule E (The Fuel Tax Act).

And the Question being put on the following amendments: [Schedule B], [Schedule D] and [Schedule E].

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

YEA

BINDLE	MAYER
CLARKE	MICHALESKI
COX	MICKLEFIELD
CURRY	MORLEY-LECOMTE
EICHLER	NESBITT
EWASKO	PEDERSEN
FIELDING	PIWNIUK
FRIESEN	REYES
GOERTZEN	SCHULER
GUILLEMARD	SMITH (Southdale)
HELWER	SMOOK
ISLEIFSON	SQUIRES
JOHNSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSTON	WHARTON
LAGIMODIERE	WISHART
MARTIN	WOWCHUK..... 32

NAY

ALLUM	LINDSEY
ALTEMEYER	MALOWAY
FONTAINE	MARCELINO (Logan)
GERRARD	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 11
LATHLIN	

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by striking out Clauses 2, 4 and 5 between the enacting clause of the Bill and Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act).

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

YEA

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI 33
MAYER	

NAY

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

Hon. Mr. GERRARD then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by adding the following clause after Clause 2(1) of Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act):

Required content in the climate and green plan

2(1.1) The climate and green plan must include

- (a) targets and time lines for reducing greenhouse gas emissions, removing greenhouse gas from the atmosphere and increasing the storage of greenhouse gas in Manitoba;
- (b) a research plan for improved monitoring of greenhouse gas emissions, the removal of greenhouse gas from the atmosphere, and greenhouse gas storage; and
- (c) programs, policies and measures to make electric vehicle charging stations available across Manitoba.

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

YEA

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 33
MAYER	

Hon. Mr. GERRARD then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by replacing Clause 6(1) in Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act) with the following:

Quarterly and annual reports on climate and green plan

6(1) The minister must prepare quarterly and annual reports on the programs, policies and measures used to implement the climate and green plan during that quarter or year.

Greenhouse gas updates and forecast in a quarterly report

6(1.1) A quarterly report must include an update on greenhouse gas emissions, reduction and storage during the quarter, and a forecast for the next annual report of greenhouse gas emissions, reduction and storage.

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

YEA

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
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MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 33
MAYER	

Hon. Mr. GERRARD then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by adding the following after Clause 6(3) in Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act):

Greenhouse gas update in annual report

6(3.1) The annual report must include a report on the amount of greenhouse gas emitted during the year and the amount of greenhouse gas removed or stored in accordance with the plan during the year.

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

YEA

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 33
MAYER	

Hon. Mr. GERRARD then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended by adding the following after Clause 6(4) in Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act):

Electric vehicle charging stations

6(4.1) The annual report must include a report on the current status of programs, policies and measures for electric vehicle charging stations in Manitoba.

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

YEA

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
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JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 33
MAYER	

Hon. Mr. GERRARD then moved:

THAT Bill 16 be amended in Clause 6(7) of Schedule A (The Climate and Green Plan Act) by striking out "the annual report" and substituting "a quarterly or annual report".

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

YEA

ALLUM	LATHLIN
ALTEMEYER	LINDSEY
FONTAINE	MALOWAY
GERRARD	MARCELINO (Logan)
KINEW	SMITH (Point Douglas)
LAMONT	SWAN 13
LAMOUREUX	

NAY

BINDLE	MICHALESKI
CLARKE	MICKLEFIELD
COX	MORLEY-LECOMTE
CURRY	NESBITT
EICHLER	PEDERSEN
EWASKO	PIWNIUK
FIELDING	REYES
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GOERTZEN	SMITH (Southdale)
GUILLEMARD	SMOOK
HELWER	SQUIRES
ISLEIFSON	TEITSMA
JOHNSON	WHARTON
JOHNSTON	WISHART
LAGIMODIERE	WOWCHUK
MARTIN	YAKIMOSKI..... 33
MAYER	

The House then adjourned at 9:45 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 7, 2018.

Hon. Myrna DRIEDGER,
Speaker.