



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 71

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. 210) – The Homeowner Protection from Unsolicited Purchase Offers Act/Loi sur la protection des propriétaires contre les offres d'achat non sollicitées

(Mr. WASYLIW)

The Speaker tabled:

Reports of Member's Expenses for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 130)

Hon. Min. NAYLOR tabled:

Annual Report of the Automobile Injury Compensation Appeal Commission for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 131)

Annual Report of the Department of Consumer Protection and Government Services for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 132)

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

(Sessional Paper No. 133)

Annual Report of the Manitoba Education, Research and Learning Information Networks (MERLIN) for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 134)

Annual Report of the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 135)

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Annual Report of the Materials Distribution Agency (MDA) for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 136)

Annual Report of the Public Guardian and Trustee of Manitoba Special Operating Agency for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 137)

Annual Report of the Residential Tenancies Commission for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 138)

Annual Report of the Vehicle and Equipment Management Agency (VEMA) for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 139)

Hon. Mr. WIEBE tabled:

Annual Report of the Department of Justice for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 140)

Annual Report of the Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Authority for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 141)

By leave, the House reverted to Tabling of Reports.

Hon. Mr. KOSTYSHYN tabled:

Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 142)

Annual Report of the Manitoba Agricultural Services Corporation for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.

(Sessional Paper No. 143)

Hon. Mr. KINEW, the First Minister, made a statement regarding the one-year anniversary of the October 7th attack.

Mr. EWASKO commented on the statement.

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Pursuant to sub-rule 28(1), MLAs CROSS, BEREZA and LOISELLE, Mr. PIWNIUK and Hon. Mr. SIMARD made Member's statements.

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

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.

Mr. BALCAEN – 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 support the investment and placement of an MRI machine in the Portage Regional Health Facility in Portage la Prairie, Manitoba.

Ms. BYRAM – To urge the Provincial Government to assist the City of Winnipeg to address serious safety risks for all that frequent the FWA area by twinning and installing a traffic light and crosswalk at the intersection of McGillivray Boulevard and Brady Road, as is it transitions into Provincial Trunk Highway 3.

Mr. KHAN – 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.

Mrs. COOK – 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. WOWCHUK – 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.

Mrs. HIEBERT – To urge the Provincial Government to assist the City of Winnipeg to address serious safety risks for all that frequent the FWA area by twinning and installing a traffic light and crosswalk at the intersection of McGillivray Boulevard and Brady Road, as is it transitions into Provincial Trunk Highway 3.

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 remove the federal carbon tax on home heating bills for all Manitobans to provide them much needed relief.

MLA LAGASSÉ – 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. NESBITT – 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. PERCHOTTE – To urge the Minister of Families to develop better policies to protect youth in care from potential physical or psychological abuse; to urge the Provincial Government to immediately establish a public inquiry to identify the failing of the child welfare system and ensure that no call from a child ever goes unanswered or ignored again.

Mr. PIWNIUK – 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.

MLA LAMOUREUX – To urge the Provincial Government to consider hearing loss as a medical treatment under Manitoba Health; and to provide income based coverage for hearing aids to all who need them as hearing has been proven to be essential to Manitobans' cognitive, mental, and social health and well-being.

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. WHARTON – 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. 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.

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.

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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 Mrs. STONE and Mr. WASYLIW having spoken,

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

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 8, 2024.

Hon. Tom LINDSEY,
Speaker.