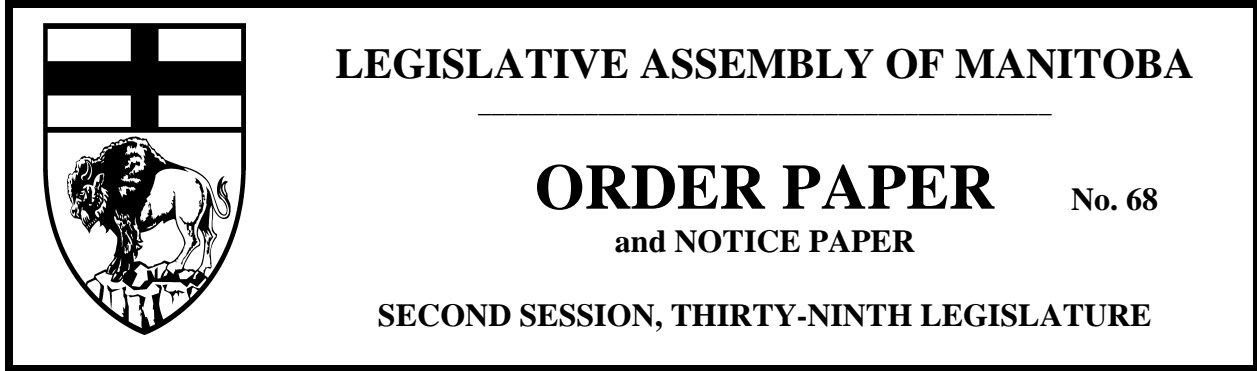


Monday, September 15, 2008



PRAYER

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

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Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 41) – The Social Work Profession Act/Loi sur la profession de travailleur social

Mr. EICHLER –

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Mr. BOROTSIK –

(No. 238) – The Crown Corporations Public Review and Accountability Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'examen public des activités des corporations de la Couronne et l'obligation redditionnelle de celles-ci

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

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(No. 37) – The Lobbyists Registration Act and Amendments to The Elections Act, The Elections Finances Act, The Legislative Assembly Act and The Legislative Assembly Management Commission Act/Loi sur l'inscription des lobbyistes et modifiant la Loi électorale, la Loi sur le financement des campagnes électorales, la Loi sur l'Assemblée législative et la Loi sur la Commission de régie de l'Assemblée législative

(amended – Committee)

[6 Amendments – Mr. MCFADYEN]

(#1 – *clause 3(2)(d) of Schedule A* – Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH) (Stands)

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(#7 – *clause 25 of Schedule B* – Hon. Mr. SWAN)

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[1 Amendment – Mr. GOERTZEN]

(#1 – *clause 11 of Schedule C* – Hon. Mr. ASHTON)

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Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

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(No. 47) – The CentrePort Canada Act/Loi sur la Société CentrePort Canada

(Mr. HAWRANIK)

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR THURSDAY:

Mr. PEDERSEN – Promoting Manitoba as an Inland Port

21. WHEREAS cities and provinces rise and fall based on their place in the flow of international trade; and

WHEREAS existing North American seaports are congested and increasingly inefficient; and

WHEREAS governments in countries such as China are making massive investments in ports with a view toward capturing a larger share of economic activity in transportation, trade, logistics, manufacturing and distribution; and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has recognized both the opportunities and threats associated with these developments; and

WHEREAS the Government of Canada has accordingly allocated over \$1 billion for the creation of inland ports in Canada; and

WHEREAS historically Winnipeg has been the gateway to the west, and the development of an inland port in Manitoba has the potential to make Manitoba the gateway to the world; and

WHEREAS Manitoba has the geographic location and existing road, rail and air links that make it the most desirable location in Canada for an inland port; and

WHEREAS there are other provinces, notably Alberta and Saskatchewan, that have expressed a desire to develop a prairie inland port and are pursuing this opportunity more aggressively than Manitoba; and

WHEREAS Manitoba is viewed as a threat by these jurisdictions who have criticized Manitoba in their communications to the federal government, meaning that the Province of Manitoba needs to be equally aggressive or risk the loss of this historic opportunity; and

WHEREAS federal decisions are in part based on the expressed priorities of provincial governments and imminent federal decisions have created urgency which means that the time for action is now; and

WHEREAS inaction by the Province of Manitoba could result in a lost opportunity that could cost our province thousands of jobs over several generations; and

WHEREAS the establishment in Manitoba of the leading inland port in western Canada could create tremendous opportunities and be a step toward restoring Manitoba as a “have” province.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to consider making it a priority to take a leadership role coordinating efforts of industry, the City of Winnipeg, the Rural Municipality of Rosser, the Winnipeg Airports Authority and potential investors to develop and advance a proposal to locate Canada’s inland port in Manitoba establishing our province as a "Gateway to the World".