



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 31

SECOND SESSION, FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bills were severally read a First Time and had their purposes outlined:

(No. 27) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Charter Bus Service)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (services d'autobus nolisés)

(Hon. Mr. ASHTON)

(No. 28) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment and Hospitals Amendment Act (Admitting Privileges)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie et la Loi sur les hôpitaux (privilèges d'admission)

(Hon. Ms. OSWALD)

(No. 204) – The Manitoba Human Trafficking Awareness Day Act/Loi sur la Journée manitobaine de sensibilisation à la traite de personnes

(Ms. WIGHT)

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. WISHART – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request that the appropriate Ministers of the Provincial Government consider repairing St. Ambroise Provincial Park and its access points to their pre-flood conditions so the park can be re-opened for the 2013 season or earlier if possible. (T. McKay, P. Belard, C. Chartrand and others)

Mr. PEDERSEN – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request that the Minister of Local Government afford local governments the respect they deserve and reverse his decision to force municipalities with fewer than 1,000 constituents to amalgamate. (R. Rempel, C. Heinrichs, M. Martens and others)

Mr. GRAYDON – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Minister of Infrastructure and Transportation to repair or replace the existing bridge as soon as possible to allow communities on both sides of the river to return to regular activities. (L. Beaudette, K. Gilmore, D. Bruneau and others)

Hon. Ms. HOWARD, the Minister of Family Services and Labour, made a statement recognizing April 28th as the National Day of Mourning for those who have died in the workplace.

Mr. SCHULER and, by leave, Hon. Mr. GERRARD commented on the statement.

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Hon. Ms. SELBY, Messrs. BRIESE and ALTEMEYER, Mrs. DRIEDGER and Mr. EICHLER made Members' Statements.

Hon. Ms. HOWARD presented:

Sequence for consideration of the Estimates by the Committee of Supply, both in the Chamber and outside the Chamber.

(Sessional Paper No. 31)

The House resumed the Interrupted Debate on the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS:

THAT this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the Government.

And the proposed amendment moved by Mr. PALLISTER as follows:

THAT the motion be amended by deleting all of the words after "House" and substituting:

therefore regrets this budget fails to address the priorities of Manitobans by:

- a) ignoring the taxpayer protection laws that safeguard Manitoba families; and
- b) saddling Manitoba families with crushing and unnecessary taxes that don't allow them to prosper and save for the future; and
- c) failing to tame a \$500 million structural deficit created through 13 years of overspending; and
- d) failing to promise a full and transparent review of all Provincial Government spending; and
- e) failing to control growth of low spending priorities such as advertising and vote taxes; and
- f) stifling economic growth and prosperity through excessive red tape and unwarranted taxation.

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

And the debate continuing on the amendment,

And Mr. WISHART, Hon. Mr. SELINGER, Mrs. DRIEDGER and Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS having spoken.

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

YEA

BRIESE
CULLEN
DRIEDGER
EICHLER
EWASKO
FRIESEN
GOERTZEN
GRAYDON
HELWER

MAGUIRE
MITCHELSON
PALLISTER
PEDERSEN
SCHULER
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NAY

ALLAN
ALLUM
ALTEMEYER
BJORNSON
BLADY
BRAUN
CALDWELL
CHIEF
CHOMIAK
CROTHERS
DEWAR
GAUDREAU
GERRARD
HOWARD
IRVIN-ROSS
JHA
KOSTYSHYN
LEMIEUX

MACKINTOSH
MALOWAY
MARCELINO (Logan)
MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
MELNICK
NEVAKSHONOFF
OSWALD
PETTERSEN
ROBINSON
RONDEAU
SARAN
SELBY
SELINGER
STRUTHERS
SWAN
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And the Question being put on the main motion. It was agreed to, on the following division:

YEA

ALLAN	MACKINTOSH
ALLUM	MALOWAY
ALTEMEYER	MARCELINO (Logan)
ASHTON	MARCELINO (Tyndall Park)
BJORNSON	MELNICK
BLADY	NEVAKSHONOFF
BRAUN	OSWALD
CALDWELL	PETTERSEN
CHIEF	ROBINSON
CHOMIAK	RONDEAU
CROTHERS	SARAN
DEWAR	SELBY
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NAY

BRIESE	HELWER
CULLEN	MAGUIRE
DRIEDGER	MITCHELSON
EICHLER	PALLISTER
EWASKO	PEDERSEN
FRIESEN	SCHULER
GERRARD	SMOOK
GOERTZEN	STEFANSON
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The House then adjourned at 12:15 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 29, 2013.

Hon. Daryl REID,
Speaker.