Thursday, October 13, 2016



PRAYER

SITTING AT 10:00 A.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Mr. Smook -

(No. 205) – The Ukrainian Heritage Day Act/Loi sur le Jour du patrimoine ukrainien

Hon. Mr. GERRARD -

(No. 207) - The Human Rights Code Amendment Act/Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne

Mr. GRAYDON -

(No. 208) – The Royal Canadian Mounted Police Day Act/Loi sur la Journée de la Gendarmerie royale du Canada

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. FLETCHER -

(No. 203) – The Legal Profession Amendment Act (Queen's Counsel Appointments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la profession d'avocat (nomination de conseillers de la Reine) (Mr. ALLUM – 7 mins) On the Proposed Motion of Ms. LAMOUREUX -

(No. 206) – The Health Care Accountability Act (Health Services Act and Health Services Insurance Act Amended)/Loi sur l'obligation redditionnelle en matière de soins de santé (modification de la Loi sur les services de santé et de la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie)

(Mrs. GUILLEMARD – 7 mins)

RESOLUTION:

Mr. KINEW – Equality for First Nations People

6. WHEREAS the Canadian Human Rights Tribunal ruled on January 26, 2016 that the Federal Government is racially discriminating against 163,000 First Nations children by underfunding child welfare services on-reserve; and

WHEREAS First Nation education on-reserve is chronically underfunded with 30% less money spent on each Indigenous student than the national average resulting in 110,000 First Nation students being denied the same quality of education as their non-Indigenous peers; and

WHEREAS there has been a 2% cap in funding increases to social services on-reserve since 1996 which has failed to keep up with the growing Indigenous population; and

WHEREAS many healthcare services are denied to First Nations peoples when they would otherwise be covered; and

WHEREAS the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada's Calls to Action have directed the Federal Government to provide equal funding to education on-reserve; to implement Jordan's Principle which would provide equal funding for health and social services on-reserve; and to use the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples as a framework for reconciliation; and

WHEREAS the Prime Minister has promised to implement all 94 Calls to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, and has indicated that any initiatives announced will not be implemented until after the next federal election; and

WHEREAS Manitoba has one of the highest rates of reserve residency and Indigenous populations in the country, making an investment in their future critical to ensuring the future economic prosperity of this province.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba be urged to call upon the Federal Government to immediately provide the necessary funding to close the gap in education, health and social services for First Nations people on-reserve, and that such funding be delivered in a collaborative way with First Nations people consistent with the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and the Calls to Action of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada.

DEBATE ON RESOLUTIONS:

1.	Mr. WIEBE – Protecting Strong Public Health Care (Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN – 5 mins./124 mins. remaining)
3.	Mr. TEITSMA – Recognition of the Importance of Financial Literacy (Mr. WIEBE – 7 mins./125 mins. remaining)
4.	Mr. LINDSEY – Recognition that the Minimum Wage should be Increased (Mr. MICHALESKI – 3 mins./123 mins. remaining)

5. Mr. EWASKO – Acknowledging the Benefits of the Provincial Government's Commitment to Adult Literacy

(Ms. LATHLIN – 7 mins./123 mins. remaining)

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Hon. Mr. FLETCHER -

(No. 200) – The Electoral Divisions Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les circonscriptions électorales

Hon. Mr. FLETCHER -

(No. 201) – The Statutory Holidays Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur les jours fériés (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)

Hon. Mr. FLETCHER -

(No. 202) - The Brookside Cemetery Recognition Act/Loi sur la désignation du cimetière Brookside

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COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. CULLEN –

(No. 7) – The Labour Relations Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les relations du travail (Mr. LINDSEY – unlimited)

SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN -

(No. 14) – The Public Sector Compensation Disclosure Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la divulgation de la rémunération dans le secteur public

Hon. Mr. WISHART-

(No. 15) – The Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention Act (Advanced Education Administration Act and Private Vocational Institutions Act Amended)/Loi sur la sensibilisation et la prévention en matière de violence à caractère sexuel (modification de la Loi sur l'administration de l'enseignement postsecondaire et de la Loi sur les établissements d'enseignement professionnel privés)

Hon. Mr. PEDERSEN -

(No. 16) – The Manitoba East Side Road Authority Repeal Act/Loi abrogeant la Loi sur la Commission manitobaine d'aménagement de la route située du côté est

DEBATE ON GOVERNMENT RESOLUTION:

Hon. Mr. CULLEN - Trans-Pacific Partnership

WHEREAS Manitoba's exports to Trans-Pacific Partnership countries averaged more than \$9 billion annually from 2012 to 2014; and

WHEREAS the Trans-Pacific Partnership will support economic growth and job creation by eliminating tariffs on almost all of Manitoba's key exports while providing access to new opportunities in the Asia-Pacific region; and

WHEREAS exclusion from the Trans-Pacific Partnership would close access to critical trade markets and put Manitoba jobs at risk.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba confirm its support for the Trans-Pacific Partnership and call on the Federal Government to take the necessary actions to ratify the agreement.

(Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park) – 13 mins.)

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR MONDAY:

Hon. Mrs. STEFANSON -

(No. 17) – The Fatality Inquiries Amendment and Vital Statistics Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les enquêtes médico-légales et la Loi sur les statistiques de l'état civil

Mr. EWASKO-

(No. 209) – The Childhood Cancer Awareness Month Act/Loi sur le Mois de la sensibilisation au cancer chez l'enfant

Mr. MALOWAY -

(No. 210) – The Court of Queen's Bench Small Claims Practices Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le recouvrement des petites créances à la Cour du Banc de la Reine

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

The Standing Committee on LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS will meet in Room 254, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. to consider Bills referred.

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The Standing Committee on SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. to consider Bills referred.