

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

## VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

## THIRD SESSION, THIRTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

**PRAYERS** 1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mrs. TAILLIEU - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request that the Minister of Transportation and Government Services consider paving Highway 200 between Highways 205 and 305 to ensure a smooth, safe and uninterrupted use of Highway 200. (R. Courcelles, K. Budey, D. Chartier and others)

Mrs. ROWAT - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Premier to consider ensuring that acute care and emergency services are available to the residents of Rivers and surrounding areas in their local hospital and to live up to his promise to not close the Rivers Hospital; and to request that the Minister of Health consider developing a long term solution to the chronic shortages of frontline healthcare professionals in rural Manitoba. (K. Minshull, B McCalloch, H. Sheridan)

Mr. SCHULER - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Provincial Government to consider providing East St. Paul with local ambulance service which would service both East and West St. Paul; and to consider improving the way that ambulance service is supplied to all Manitoba's by utilizing technologies such as GPS in conjunction with a Medical Transportation Co-ordination Center (MTCC) which will ensure that patients receive the nearest ambulance in the least amount of time; and to consider ensuring that appropriate funding is provided to maintain superior response times and sustainable services. (D. Unruh, C. Unruh, M. Unruh and others)

Mr. LAMOUREUX - Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Provincial Government to consider adopting generally accepted accounting principles in reporting Manitoba's budgetary numbers. (F. Pineda, T. Parani, R. Operana and others)

Hon. Ms. ALLAN, the Minister responsible for the Status of Women made a statement regarding today, March 8, 2005, being International Women's Day,

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

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Messrs. MURRAY and MARTINDALE, Mrs. ROWAT, Mr. ALTEMEYER and Mrs. TAILLIEU made Members' Statements.

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## Tuesday, March 8, 2005

Hon. Mr. SELINGER moved:

THAT this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the government.
And a debate arising,
And Hon. Mr. SELINGER having spoken.
The debate was, on motion of Mr. MURRAY, adjourned.
Hon. Mr. Selinger delivered to Mr. Speaker two messages from His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Manitoba as follows:
John HARVARD Lieutenant Governor
The Lieutenant Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba, Estimates of sums required for the services of the Province for Capital Expenditures, and recommends these Estimates to the Legislative Assembly.
WINNIPEG, MANITOBA
March 8, 2005 (Sessional Paper No. 32)
John HARVARD Lieutenant Governor
The Lieutenant Governor transmits to the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba, Estimates of sums required for the services of the Province for the fiscal year ending the 31 <sup>st</sup> day of March 2006 and recommends these Estimates to the Legislative Assembly.
WINNIPEG, MANITOBA
March 8, 2005  (Sessional Paper No. 33)
Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH moved:
THAT this House do now adjourn.
And the Question being put. It was agreed to.
The House then adjourned at 3:41 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, 2005.
Hon. George HICKES, Speaker.