



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 76

SECOND SESSION, FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

PRAYER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

MLA COMPTON, Chairperson of the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, presented its Seventh Report, which was read as follows:

Meetings

Your Committee met on October 16, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 255 of the Legislative Building.

Matters under Consideration

- **Bill (No. 48)** – The Protective Detention and Care of Intoxicated Persons Act/Loi sur la détention des personnes agissant sous l'influence d'une substance intoxicante aux fins de protection et de prestation de soins

Committee Membership

- MLA BEREZA
- MLA COMPTON
- Hon. Min. MOYES
- Mrs. SCHOTT
- Hon. Ms. SMITH
- Mr. WHARTON

Your Committee elected MLA COMPTON as the Chairperson.

Your Committee elected Mrs. SCHOTT as the Vice-Chairperson.

Non-Committee Members Speaking on Record

- Mrs. HIEBERT

Public Presentations

Your Committee heard the following 24 presentations on **Bill (No. 48)** – The Protective Detention and Care of Intoxicated Persons Act/Loi sur la détention des personnes agissant sous l’influence d’une substance intoxicante aux fins de protection et de prestation de soins:

Christine Ronceray	Private citizen
Walter Daudrich	Private citizen
Jill Wilson	Private citizen
Abram Janzen	Private citizen
Karin Streu	Private citizen
Christine Kirouac	Private citizen
Alexander Major	Private citizen
Joseph Fourre	Private citizen
Patrick Allard	Private citizen
Rena Kisfalvi on behalf of Amy Robinson	Private citizen
Margaret Bryans	Private citizen
Levi Foy	Sunshine House Inc.
Kate Sjoberg	Resource Assistance for Youth
Lorie English	West Central Women’s Resource Centre
Nick Kasper	United Fire Fighters of Winnipeg
Mitch Bourbonniere	Private citizen
Catherine Flynn	Private citizen
Michael Dyck	Manitoba Bar Association
James Simm	Private citizen
Darrell Warren	William Whyte Neighbourhood Association
Pamela Warren	Private citizen
Sel Burrows	Private citizen
Cynthia Drebot	North End Women’s Centre
Karen Sharma	Manitoba Human Rights Commission

Written Submissions

Your Committee received the following 18 written submissions on **Bill (No. 48)** – The Protective Detention and Care of Intoxicated Persons Act/Loi sur la détention des personnes agissant sous l’influence d’une substance intoxicante aux fins de protection et de prestation de soins:

Tanya Bashura	Private citizen
Katherine Bitney	Private citizen
Tammy Aime	Private citizen
Howard Warren	Private citizen
Hannah Cormie	Private citizen
Trista Mieszczaowski	Private citizen
Tanya Jackman	Private citizen
William Dentry	Private citizen
Shara Werestiuk	Private citizen

Scott Gillingham	City of Winnipeg
Jitender Sareen	Shared Health
Monica Ballantyne	Private citizen
Nina Vrsnik	Private citizen
Gene Bowers	Winnipeg Police Service
Chris Scott	Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1505
Noah Schulz	Manitoba Health Coalition
Scot Halley	Manitoba Association of Chiefs of Police
Alain Beaudry	Private citizen

Bills Considered and Reported

- **Bill (No. 48)** – The Protective Detention and Care of Intoxicated Persons Act/Loi sur la détention des personnes agissant sous l’influence d’une substance intoxicante aux fins de protection et de prestation de soins

Your Committee agreed to report this Bill without amendment.

On motion of MLA COMPTON, the Report of the Committee was received.

Hon. Min. MARCELINO tabled:

Annual Report of The Manitoba Labour Board for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024.
(Sessional Paper No. 126)

The Speaker tabled:

Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2024, including the conduct of the Tuxedo byelection dated June 18, 2024.
(Sessional Paper No. 127)

Hon. Min. NAYLOR, the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure, made a statement regarding today being Motor Carrier Enforcement Centennial Day.

Mr. PIWNIUK commented on the statement.

Pursuant to sub-rule 28(1), Hon. Min. CABLE, MLAs LAGASSÉ and CHEN, Mrs. HIEBERT and Hon. Mr. BUSHIE made Member’s statements.

Mr. GUENTER tabled:

Request for Opinion Regarding Compliance of Hon. Min. SANDHU with *The Conflict of Interest (Members and Ministers) Act*, dated October 27, 2025.

(Sessional Paper No. 128)

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

Mr. KHAN – To urge the Provincial Government to take immediate and decisive action on bail reform to address serious deficits in enforcement by utilizing all available provincial mechanisms to strengthen warrant enforcement, increasing bail supervision, and opposing release of offenders, thus ensuring that repeat violent offenders are held accountable and that public safety is prioritized over leniency; and to lobby the Federal Government to immediately repeal provisions of the Criminal Code that allow for the continued victimization of law-abiding Manitobans while granting repeat offenders additional rights.

Mrs. COOK – To urge the Provincial Government to proceed with the planned renovation and expansion of Phoenix School without further delay.

Mr. GUENTER – 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 take immediate and decisive action on bail reform to address serious deficits in enforcement by utilizing all available provincial mechanisms to strengthen warrant enforcement, increasing bail supervision, and opposing release of offenders, thus ensuring that repeat violent offenders are held accountable and that public safety is prioritized over leniency; and to lobby the Federal Government to immediately repeal provisions of the Criminal Code that allow for the continued victimization of law-abiding Manitobans while granting repeat offenders additional rights.

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.

Mr. EWASKO – To urge the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning to reverse recent amendments to the Teaching Certificates and Qualifications Regulation that weaken subject-area requirements for teacher certification, and to reinstate teachable majors and minors and early-middle years requirements, which are essential for ensuring teachers have strong knowledge in core subject areas; and to urge the Provincial Government to address teacher shortages through alternative measures that uphold rigorous subject-area standards, which are critical for providing quality education to all Manitoba students.

Ms. BYRAM – 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. KING – To urge the Provincial Government to take immediate and decisive action on bail reform to address serious deficits in enforcement by utilizing all available provincial mechanisms to strengthen warrant enforcement, increasing bail supervision, and opposing release of offenders, thus ensuring that repeat violent offenders are held accountable and that public safety is prioritized over leniency; and to lobby the Federal Government to immediately repeal provisions of the Criminal Code that allow for the continued victimization of law-abiding Manitobans while granting repeat offenders additional rights.

Mrs. HIEBERT – 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. NARTH – To urge the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure to prioritize the reconstruction of Provincial Road 210; and to urge the Provincial Government to include the stretch of Provincial Road 210 from Woodridge to Highway 12 in its reconstruction plans.

MLA LAGASSE – To urge the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure to prioritize the reconstruction of Provincial Road 210; and to urge the Provincial Government to include the stretch of Provincial Road 210 from Woodridge to Highway 12 in its reconstruction plans.

Mrs. STONE – To urge the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning to reverse recent amendments to the Teaching Certificates and Qualifications Regulation that weaken subject-area requirements for teacher certification, and to reinstate teachable majors and minors and early-middle years requirements, which are essential for ensuring teachers have strong knowledge in core subject areas; and to urge the Provincial Government to address teacher shortages through alternative measures that uphold rigorous subject-area standards, which are critical for providing quality education to all Manitoba students.

Mr. WOWCHUK – To urge the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning to reverse recent amendments to the Teaching Certificates and Qualifications Regulation that weaken subject-area requirements for teacher certification, and to reinstate teachable majors and minors and early-middle years requirements, which are essential for ensuring teachers have strong knowledge in core subject areas; and to urge the Provincial Government to address teacher shortages through alternative measures that uphold rigorous subject-area standards, which are critical for providing quality education to all Manitoba students.

Mr. WHARTON – 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.

Mr. NESBITT – To urge the Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure to take the necessary steps to upgrade Provincial Trunk Highway 45 from Russell to Provincial Trunk Highway 10 to meet RTAC standards.

Mrs. ROBBINS – To urge the Provincial Government to address the conditions of Provincial Trunk Highway 34, making the necessary upgrades to RTAC standard and to resurface the road once the new bridge has been completed.

Mr. PIWNIUK – To urge the Provincial Government to immediately work with the RCMP to restore rural community policing and provide adequate resources to protect Manitoba communities.

In accordance with Rule 30, MLA LAGASSÉ rose on a Grievance.

In accordance with the provisions agreed to by the House on October 2, 2024, and subsequently amended, the House considered the following motion:

THAT the Legislative Assembly accept the findings regarding the Honourable Member for Fort Rouge in the Conclusion of the Report of the Ethics Commissioner dated August 27, 2025.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Min. SCHMIDT and Mr. NESBITT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to.

In accordance with the provisions agreed to by the House on October 2, 2024, and subsequently amended, the House considered the following motion:

THAT the Legislative Assembly accept the findings regarding the Honourable Member for River Heights in the Conclusion of the Report of the Ethics Commissioner dated July 16, 2025.

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Min. MOROZ and Mr. NARTH having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, on the following division:

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ASAGWARA
BALCAEN
BLASHKO
BRAR
BUSHIE
BYRAM
CABLE
CHEN
COMPTON
COOK
CORBETT
CROSS
DELA CRUZ
DEVGAN
EWASKO
FONTAINE
GUENTER
HIEBERT
KENNEDY
KING
KOSTYSHYN
LAGASSÉ

LAMOUREUX
LATHLIN
LOISELLE
MALOWAY
MARCELINO
MOROZ
MOSES
MOYES
NARTH
NAYLOR
NESBITT
OXENHAM
PANKRATZ
REDHEAD
ROBBINS
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The House then adjourned at 5:04 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, October 28, 2025.

Hon. Tom LINDSEY,
Speaker.