

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

ORDER PAPER

No. 69

and NOTICE PAPER

THIRD SESSION, FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

PRAYER SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Mr. KINEW –

(No. 228) – The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act (Digital Work Platform Employees)/Loi modifiant le Code des normes d'emploi (employés des plateformes de travail numériques)

Mr. MALOWAY -

(No. 234) – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Right to Repair)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur (droit de réparer les produits électroniques)

Mr. Maloway –

(No. 235) – The Scrap Metal Recyclers Act/Loi sur les récupérateurs de ferraille

Ms. FONTAINE -

(No. 236) – The Protecting Communications on Public Interest Matters Act (Court of Queen's Bench Act and Defamation Act Amended)/Loi sur la protection des communications portant sur des questions d'intérêt public (Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Cour du Banc de la Reine et la Loi sur la diffamation)

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COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

(59 hours 13 minutes)

(Chamber – Health and Seniors Care)

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DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. WHARTON -

(No. 40) – The Manitoba Liquor and Lotteries Corporation Amendment and Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Société manitobaine des alcools et des loteries et la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools, des jeux et du cannabis

(Mr. WIEBE – 28 minutes)

Designated Bill

SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. FIELDING -

(No. 16) – The Labour Relations Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les relations du travail (Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. FIELDING -

(No. 35) – The Public Utilities Ratepayer Protection and Regulatory Reform Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la protection des contribuables et la réforme réglementaire en matière de services publics (modification de diverses dispositions législatives)

(Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN -

(No. 57) – The Protection of Critical Infrastructure Act/Loi sur la protection de l'infrastructure essentielle

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Hon. Mr. CULLEN -

(No. 64) – The Education Modernization Act/Loi sur la modernisation de l'éducation (Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Designated Bill

Hon. Ms. SQUIRES -

(No. 72) – The Disability Support Act and Amendments to The Manitoba Assistance Act/Loi sur le soutien pour personne handicapée et modifiant la Loi sur les allocations d'aide du Manitoba (Recommended by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF MOTIONS FOR THURSDAY:

Mr. Isleifson –

(No. 237) – The Elections Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi électorale

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR THE NEXT TUESDAY OF PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS:

PROPOSED RESOLUTION:

Mr. GUENTER – Calling on Federal Government to revise and improve the Federal Government's Journalism Subsidies

27. WHEREAS the rural, northern, and community newspapers are an important part of the fabric of Manitoba; and

WHEREAS local publications serve an important role in their local economy, such as raising awareness of local issues and informing its readers of events and opportunities taking place in their communities; and

WHEREAS the Federal Government created a subsidy program that fails to adequately support these rural, northern, and community newspapers in Manitoba; and

WHEREAS the Federal Government's Journalism Subsidy fails to include the majority of newspapers in the province; and

WHEREAS these subsidies unfairly support large, urban newspapers and ignore the needs of the newspapers that provide news for the communities of Manitoba that rely on their local paper for community news coverage; and

WHEREAS this federal subsidy is an example of the failure of a government program, missing the mark of its stated intention to support local, independent journalism in Canada; and

WHEREAS instead this subsidy has conditions that only large corporate news organizations can satisfy in order to get approved in the program; and

WHEREAS a multitude of options would have taken into account the struggles that Manitoba's newspapers are facing, but the Federal Government has ignored these challenges in the creation of this journalism subsidy.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba call on the Federal Government to improve and revise their Journalism Subsidy program to enable more rural, northern, and community newspapers to be eligible for the program and help them continue to provide the valuable services to Manitobans.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

The Standing Committee on CROWN CORPORATIONS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. to consider the Annual Report and the Annual Financial Statement of the Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation for the fiscal years ending February 28, 2018, February 28, 2019 and March 31, 2020.

The Standing Committee on CROWN CORPORATIONS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Monday, June 21, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. to consider the Annual Report of the Manitoba Liquor and Lotteries for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2020.

The Standing Committee on CROWN CORPORATIONS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. to consider the Annual Report of the Manitoba Hydro-Electric Board for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2020.