

Thursday, November 3, 2022



PRAYER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

SITTING AT 10:00 A.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 204) – The Protest Buffer Zone Act (COVID-19 Restrictions)/Loi sur les zones tampons relatives aux manifestations contre les restrictions liées à la COVID-19

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 207) – The Criminal Property Forfeiture Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la confiscation de biens obtenus ou utilisés criminellement

MLA ASAGWARA –

(No. 210) – The Restricting Mandatory Overtime for Nurses Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la réduction du temps supplémentaire obligatoire des infirmières (modification de diverses lois)

Mr. SALA –

(No. 211) – The Manitoba Hydro Amendment Act (Referendum Before Privatization of Subsidiary)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Hydro-Manitoba (référendum applicable à la privatisation des filiales)

MLA ASAGWARA –

(No. 212) – The Universal Newborn Hearing Screening Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le dépistage systématique des déficiences auditives chez les nouveau-nés

MLA ASAGWARA –

(No. 213) – The Health Services Insurance Amendment Act (Personal Care Home Staffing Guidelines)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie (lignes directrices en matière de dotation applicables aux foyers de soins personnels)

Mr. MALOWAY –

(No. 214) – 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. 215) – The Scrap Metal Recyclers Act/Loi sur les récupérateurs de ferraille

Mr. MALOWAY –

(No. 216) – The Consumer Protection Amendment and Farm Machinery and Equipment Amendment Act (Right to Repair — Vehicles and Other Equipment)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur et la Loi sur les machines et le matériel agricoles (droit de réparer des véhicules et d'autre matériel)

Ms. LATHLIN –

(No. 219) – The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act (Leave for Miscarriage or Stillbirth)/Loi modifiant le Code des normes d'emploi (congé en cas de fausse couche ou de mortinaissance)

Mr. KINEW –

(No. 221) – The Apprenticeship and Certification Amendment Act (Apprenticeship Supervision)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'apprentissage et la reconnaissance professionnelle (supervision des apprentis)

Mr. MARTIN –

(No. 224) – The Unobstructed Access to Health Care and Education Facilities Act/Loi sur l'accès sans entrave aux établissements de santé et d'enseignement

MLA LINDSEY –

(No. 229) – The Transportation Infrastructure Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les infrastructures de transport

Mr. WASYLIW –

(No. 230) – The Budget Impact Reporting Act/Loi sur la publication de rapports concernant les répercussions des mesures budgétaires

Mr. MALOWAY –

(No. 232) – The Catalytic Converter Identification Act/Loi sur l'identification des convertisseurs catalytiques

Mr. BUSHIE –

(No. 236) – The Vital Statistics Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les statistiques de l'état civil

Mr. SANDHU –

(No. 238) – The Workplace Safety and Health Amendment Act (Access to Washrooms for Delivery Persons)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la sécurité et l'hygiène du travail (accès aux toilettes lors de livraisons)

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 239) – The Ecological Reserves Amendment Act (Ecological Corridors)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les réserves écologiques (corridors écologiques)

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 203) – The Abortion Protest Buffer Zone Act/Loi sur les zones tampons relatives aux manifestations contre l'avortement

(Mr. MARTIN – 2 minutes)

Ms. MORLEY-LECOMTE –

(No. 209) – The Farmers' Markets Week Act/Loi sur la Semaine des marchés fermiers

(Mr. BUSHIE – 9 minutes)

Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) –

(No. 217) – The Fatality Inquiries Amendment Act (Overdose Death Reporting)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les enquêtes médico-légales (rapport sur les décès par surdose)

(Mr. TEITSMA – 9 minutes)

Mr. SALA –

(No. 218) – The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la location à usage d'habitation

(Mr. TEITSMA – 10 minutes)

MLA MARCELINO –

(No. 222) – The Pay Transparency Act/Loi sur la transparence salariale

(Mr. GUENTER – 8 minutes)

MLA ASAGWARA –

(No. 226) – The Public Schools Amendment Act (Provision of Menstrual Hygiene Products)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les écoles publiques (fourniture de produits d'hygiène menstruelle)
(Ms. MORLEY-LECOMTE – 8 minutes)

Mr. ALTOMARE –

(No. 235) – The Public Schools Amendment Act (Nutrition Programs)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les écoles publiques (programmes d'alimentation)
(Mr. GUENTER – 8 minutes)

RESOLUTION:

Mr. BUSHIE – Calling on the Provincial Government to Stop Cutting Education Funding

28. WHEREAS adequately funded education supports the development of Manitoba's children and has the potential to break cycles of poverty, close the gap in social inequality, create a more inclusive society and much more; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has cut core operating funding for education by \$36 million since 2019; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government underspent education by \$112 million in 2021-2022 alone; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government underspent strategic infrastructure investments in Education by \$108 million in 2021-2022; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has spent millions on consultants for Bill 64, a curriculum evaluation and an education funding review rather than investing in education; and

WHEREAS the province's share of education funding has fallen from 62.4% to just 56.4%, forcing school divisions to make cuts to programs and staff; and

WHEREAS school divisions have been forced to make cuts to programs that students rely upon such as all-day kindergarten, speech-language pathology, psychology and reading recovery; and

WHEREAS Brandon School Division and Seven Oaks School Division have been forced to cut 11 and 28 educators respectively; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has failed to listen to the concerns of Manitobans surrounding education funding cuts, and has continued to make cut after cut; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has failed to adequately support students and educators in the province, particularly in northern and rural Manitoba; and

WHEREAS these cuts put the quality of education in the province at risk.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to stop cutting funding for education and to invest in Manitoba's students.

DEBATE ON RESOLUTIONS:

1. MLA ASAGWARA – Calling Upon the Provincial Government to Immediately Launch an Inquiry into Manitoba's Pandemic Response
(Hon. Mr. GERRARD – 4 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
3. Ms. MORLEY-LECOMTE – Recognizing Manitoba's Historic Role of Women in Politics
(Mr. WIEBE – 9 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
4. Mr. ALTOMARE – Calling on the Provincial Government to Immediately End Patient Transfers
(Mr. ISLEIFSON – 10 minutes/125 minutes remaining)
6. MLA MARCELINO – Calling on the Provincial Government to Improve Adult Education
(Mr. WOWCHUK – 9 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
8. Mr. WIEBE – Calling on the Provincial Government to Resolve the Surgical and Diagnostic Backlog
(Mr. WOWCHUK – 9 minutes/123 minutes remaining)
9. Mr. MARTIN – Recognizing Climate Resiliency and Green Strategies in Manitoba Transportation
(Mr. WIEBE – 5 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
10. Mr. SALA – Calling on the Provincial Government to Stop Raising Hydro Rates
(Mr. NESBITT – 8 minutes/123 minutes remaining)
11. Mr. GUENTER – Strengthening, Rebuilding, Investing, and Recovering in 2022
(Mr. BUSHIE – 10 minutes/123 minutes remaining)
12. MLA LINDSEY – Calling on the Provincial Government to Resolve Issues Afflicting Northern Manitoba
(Mr. MICHALESKI – 10 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
13. Ms. LAMOUREUX – Calling on the Provincial Government to Increase Investment to School Nutrition Programs
(Mr. WOWCHUK – 6 minutes/124 minutes remaining)

14. Mr. MOSES – Calling on the Provincial Government to Develop Better Policies to Protect Youth in Sports
(Mr. KHAN – 9 minutes/127 minutes remaining)
16. Ms. NAYLOR – Calling on the Provincial Government to Invest in Public Healthcare Nurses
(Mr. ISLEIFSON – 4 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
18. Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas) – Calling on the Provincial Government to Immediately Increase Minimum Wage to \$15/hour
(Mr. GUENTER – 9 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
19. Mr. TEITSMA – Improving Protections for Vulnerable Women and Children
(MLA MARCELINO – 8 minutes/125 minutes remaining)
20. Mr. BRAR – Condemning the Provincial Government’s cuts to Healthcare
(Ms. MORLEY-LECOMTE – 10 minutes/124 minutes remaining)
22. Mr. SANDHU – Condemning the Provincial Government for failing to make life more affordable for Manitobans
(Mr. PEDERSEN – 6 minutes/125 minutes remaining)
23. Mr. LAMONT – Calling on the Legislative Assembly to Urge the Federal Government to ensure Health Funding Equity for Manitoba
(Mr. PEDERSEN – 8 minutes/125 minutes remaining)
24. Ms. LATHLIN – Calling upon the Provincial Government to Provide Psychiatry Assessments Close to Home for all Manitoba Children
(Hon. Mr. GERRARD – 6 minutes/135 minutes remaining)
26. Mr. REDHEAD – Calling on the Provincial Government to Adequately Fund the Construction of the New Aquatic Centre in Thompson
(Mr. MICHALESKI – 1 minute/124 minutes remaining)

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 206) – The Provincial Court Amendment Act (Mandatory Awareness Training)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Cour provinciale (formation de sensibilisation obligatoire)

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 220) – The Protecting Communications on Public Interest Matters Act (Court of King'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 du Roi et la Loi sur la diffamation)

Mr. MOSES –

(No. 231) – The Mandatory Training for Provincial Employees (Systemic Racism and Human Rights) Act/Loi sur la formation obligatoire des employés provinciaux (racisme systémique et droits de la personne)

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 242) – The Correctional Services Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services correctionnels

Mr. KINEW –

(No. 243) – The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act (Digital Work Platform Employees)/Loi modifiant le Code des normes d'emploi (employés des plateformes de travail numériques)

Ms. FONTAINE –

(No. 245) – An Act respecting the Title "Associate Judge" (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur la désignation de juge puîné (modification de diverses lois)

MLA MARCELINO –

(No. 246) – The Manitoba Assistance Amendment Act (Adult Education)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les allocations d'aide du Manitoba (éducation des adultes)

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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PETITIONS

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MLA LINDSEY

Mr. MALOWAY
MLA MARCELINO
Mr. MOSES
Ms. NAYLOR
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Mrs. SMITH (Point Douglas)

GRIEVANCES

ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

(12 hours 20 minutes)
(Chamber – Legislative Assembly)
(Room 255 – Agriculture)
(Room 254 – Natural Resources and Northern Development)

CONCURRENCE AND THIRD READINGS:

Hon. Ms. SQUIRES –

(No. 13) – The Social Services Appeal Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission d'appel des services sociaux

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN –

(No. 14) – The Drivers and Vehicles Amendment, Highway Traffic Amendment and Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les conducteurs et les véhicules, le Code de la route et la Loi sur la Société d'assurance publique du Manitoba

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. WHARTON –

(No. 22) – The Environment Amendment Act (Pesticide Restrictions)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement (restrictions applicables aux pesticides)

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. HELWER –

(No. 24) – The Real Property Valuation Board and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur la Commission de l'évaluation des biens réels et modifications connexes

Designated Bill

Hon. Mr. FRIESEN –

(No. 36) – The Manitoba Hydro Amendment and Public Utilities Board Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Hydro-Manitoba et la Loi sur la Régie des services publics

Designated Bill

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. HELWER –

(No. 28) – The Prompt Payment for Construction Act/Loi sur le paiement sans délai des travaux de construction

(Mr. WASYLIW – 19 minutes)

SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Mr. GOERTZEN –

(No. 38) – The Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools, des jeux et du cannabis

Hon. Mr. SMITH (Lagimodière) –

(No. 42) – The Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Amendment and Manitoba Liquor and Lotteries Corporation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools, des jeux et du cannabis et la Loi sur la Société manitobaine des alcools et des loteries
