



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 75

SECOND SESSION, FORTIETH LEGISLATURE

PRAYER

10:00 O'CLOCK A.M.

By leave, it was agreed for the House to deal with Second Reading of Bill (No. 302).

Mr. GAUDREAU moved:

THAT Bill (No. 302) – Les Franciscaines Missionnaires de Marie Incorporation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi constituant en corporation Les Franciscaines Missionnaires de Marie, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. GAUDREAU, Mr. EICHLER, Hon. Messrs. CHOMIAK and GERRARD, Mr. MARCELINO (Tyndall Park), Hon. Ms. HOWARD, Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX and Ms. WIGHT having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to, unanimously.

The Bill was accordingly read a Second Time and referred to a Committee of this House.

By leave, the House resumed the Interrupted Debate on the Proposed Motion of Mr. CULLEN:

THAT Bill (No. 210) – The Seniors' Rights Act/Loi sur les droits des aînés, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

And the debate continuing,

And Ms. WIGHT speaking at 11:00 a.m. The debate was allowed to remain in her name.

In accordance with Rule 31(8), the Government House Leader announced that the Investment in Flood Protection Initiatives Resolution will be considered next Tuesday, July 23, 2013.

Ms. BRAUN moved:

Resolution No. 24: Manitoba Home Care Program

WHEREAS Manitoba seniors helped build the province that Manitobans are proud to call home;
and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government believes that all Manitobans deserve access to quality homecare that will allow them to stay at home longer and age with dignity; and

WHEREAS the Manitoba Home Care Program, established in 1974, is the oldest and most comprehensive universal home care program in Canada; and

WHEREAS in the 1990s the Provincial Government of the day and the current Leader of the Official Opposition attempted to privatize home care services, introduced home care user fees and tried to cut the home care services seniors could access; and

WHEREAS the Leader of the Official Opposition recently renewed his support for a privatized, American style, two tier health care system; and

WHEREAS since 1999, the Provincial Government has improved and expanded options for seniors' care, including expanded home care, more supportive housing and personal care home beds; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government is committed to planning for the future in Manitoba and investing in services and programs such as new Hospital Home Teams, more home based rehabilitation services to ensure that Manitoba seniors can stay in their own homes longer with the care and support that makes that possible.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the all Members of the Legislative Assembly commend and recognize the many nurses, health care aides and support workers who provide the high quality, compassionate care that has made our Home Care Program the best in the nation; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Provincial Government be urged to pledge its full support for keeping a publicly funded and publicly administered, universal Home Care Program and also be urged to continue to expand the Manitoba Home Care Program to meet the needs of all Manitobans and their families and support their desire to live and age at home with dignity.

And a debate arising,

And Ms. BRAUN, Mr. WISHART, Ms. WIGHT, Mr. CULLEN and Ms. CROTHERS having spoken,

And Mr. EWASKO speaking at 12:00 p.m. The debate was allowed to remain in his name.

Tuesday, July 16, 2013

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Hon. Mr. SWAN presented:

Annual Report of The Discriminatory Business Practices Act for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2013.

(Sessional Paper No. 84)

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Messrs. PALLISTER, DEWAR and MAGUIRE, Hon. Mr. KOSTYSHYN and Mr. WISHART made Members' Statements.

The House resolved into Committee of Supply.

The House then adjourned at 5:04 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 17, 2013.

Hon. Daryl REID,
Speaker.