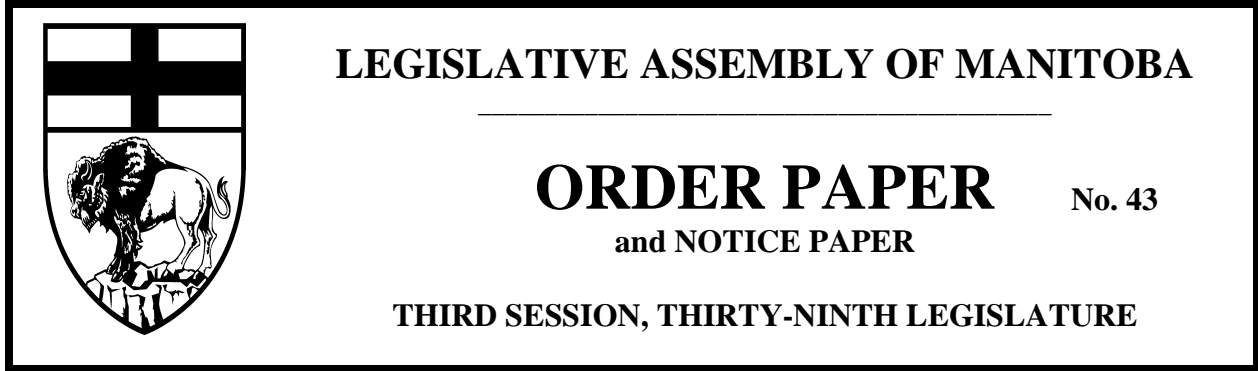


Tuesday, May 19, 2009



PRAYER

SITTING AT 10:00 A.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

CONCURRENCE AND THIRD READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Ms. BRAUN –

(No. 228) – The Grandparents' Day Act/Loi sur la Fête des grands-parents

SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 200) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Booster Seats)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (sièges d'appoint)

Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 201) – The Non-Smokers Health Protection Amendment Act (Protecting Children From Second-Hand Smoke in Motor Vehicles)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la protection de la santé des non-fumeurs (protection des enfants contre l'exposition à la fumée secondaire dans les véhicules automobiles)

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 203) – The Jordan's Principle Implementation Act/Loi sur la mise en œuvre du principe de Jordan

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 207) – The Right to Timely Access to Quality Health Care Act/Loi sur le droit à l'accès à des soins de santé de qualité dans des délais raisonnables

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 208) – The Universal Newborn Hearing Screening Act/Loi sur le dépistage systématique des déficiences auditives chez les nouveau-nés

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 209) – The Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Reporting Act/Loi sur la déclaration obligatoire de l'ensemble des troubles causés par l'alcoolisation fœtale

Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 210) – The Liquor Control Amendment Act (Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Prevention)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réglementation des alcools (prévention de l'ensemble des troubles causés par l'alcoolisation fœtale)

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 211) – The Health Services Amendment and Health Services Insurance Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services de santé et la Loi sur l'assurance-maladie

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 213) – The Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reporting Act/Loi sur l'obligation de faire rapport des émissions de gaz à effet de serre

Mrs. TAILLIEU –

(No. 220) – The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Amendment Act (Duty to Notify)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'accès à l'information et la protection de la vie privée (obligation d'avis)

Mr. BOROTSIK –

(No. 221) – The Crown Corporations Public Review and Accountability Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'examen public des activités des corporations de la Couronne et l'obligation redditionnelle de celles-ci

Mr. GOERTZEN –

(No. 222) – The Justice for Victims of Child Pornography Act/Loi sur l'indemnisation des victimes de pornographie juvénile

Mr. CULLEN –

(No. 223) – The Coat of Arms, Emblems and the Manitoba Tartan Amendment Act (Provincial Soil Designated)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les armoiries, les emblèmes et le tartan du Manitoba (désignation du sol provincial)

Mrs. TAILLIEU –

(No. 224) – The Regulatory Accountability and Transparency Act/Loi sur la responsabilité et la transparence en matière réglementaire

Mrs. ROWAT –

(No. 226) – The Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness Day Act/Loi sur la Journée de sensibilisation au deuil périnatal

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 230) – The Mental Health Bill of Rights/Déclaration des droits des personnes ayant une maladie mentale

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS – PUBLIC BILLS:

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 212) – The Waste Reduction and Prevention Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réduction du volume et de la production des déchets

(Mr. ALTEMEYER – 3 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Mr. EICHLER –

(No. 217) – The Hunting, Fishing and Trapping Heritage Act/Loi sur la chasse, la pêche sportive et le piégeage patrimoniaux

(Mr. DEWAR – 8 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 205) – The Milk Prices Review Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le contrôle du prix du lait

(Mr. DEWAR – 9 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Mr. BOROTSIK –

(No. 218) – The Balanced Budget, Fiscal Management and Taxpayer Accountability Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'équilibre budgétaire, la gestion financière et l'obligation de rendre compte aux contribuables

(Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK – 9 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 206) – The Diabetes Reporting Act/Loi sur la déclaration obligatoire du diabète
(Ms. HOWARD – 1 min.)

On the Proposed Motion of Mrs. TAILLIEU –

(No. 225) – The Labour Relations Amendment Act (Information in Employee's Language)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les relations du travail (renseignements fournis dans la langue des employés)
(Ms. MARCELINO – 1 min.)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 204) – The Social Inclusion and Anti-Poverty Act/Loi sur l'inclusion sociale et la lutte contre la pauvreté
(Ms. BLADY – 2 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Mrs. TAILLIEU –

(No. 219) – The Personal Information Protection and Identity Theft Prevention Act/Loi sur la protection des renseignements personnels et la prévention du vol d'identité
(Hon. Ms. ALLAN – 5 mins.)

RESOLUTION:

Hon. Mr. BLAIKIE – 90th Anniversary of 1919 Winnipeg General Strike

10. WHEREAS for more than six weeks in the spring of 1919 Winnipeg experienced an unprecedented display of labour solidarity between local union and non-union workers from the private and public sectors; and

WHEREAS the Winnipeg General Strike of 1919 was precipitated by opposition to the principle of collective bargaining, and the need for better wages and working conditions; and

WHEREAS the strikers were seeking to achieve social and economic justice by peaceful means, but were nonetheless confronted with aggressive reactions from their employers and various levels of government, including the events of June 21, 1919 known as “Bloody Saturday”, a day when the Royal North-West Mounted Police, riding on horseback, charged and fired into a crowd of strike supporters, resulting in many injured, numerous arrests and one death; and

WHEREAS the Winnipeg General Strike was fundamental in influencing legislators to oblige employers to recognize the rights of workers to bargain through their union; and

WHEREAS the people of Winnipeg showed their support for the goals of the strike by going on to elect many of the strike leaders to public office, including Canadian social gospel pioneer J. S. Woodsworth, who later became the founding leader of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba recognize the significant historical contribution of the Winnipeg General Strike in 1919 to the struggle for social justice in Manitoba; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba commemorate the 90th Anniversary of the Winnipeg General Strike as an important historical event in the development of this province.

DEBATE ON RESOLUTIONS:

1. Mr. BOROTSIK – Making Manitoba a "Have" Province
(Hon. Mr. BJORNSON – 3 mins./125 mins. remaining)
 3. Mr. HAWRANIK – Manitoba's Growing Debt is a Worrisome Liability
(Mr. DEWAR – 9 mins./124 mins. remaining)
 4. Ms. SELBY – Daycares – Early Childhood Family Support
(Mrs. MITCHELSON – 2 mins./124 mins. remaining)
 5. Mr. PEDERSEN – Lack of a Long Term Plan for Manitoba's Economic Growth
(Hon. Mr. RONDEAU – 6 mins./126 mins. remaining)
 6. Ms. BRAUN – Affordable Seniors Housing
(Mr. PEDERSEN – 6 mins./122 mins. remaining)
 7. Mr. CULLEN – Bipole III: One Project, One Environmental Review
(Mr. JHA – 1 mins./123 mins. remaining)
 9. Mrs. MITCHELSON – Disraeli Freeway Must Remain Open
(Mr. DEWAR – 7 mins./122 mins. remaining)
 8. Mr. REID – Public Housing
(Mr. PEDERSEN – 2 mins./126 mins. remaining)
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Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 202) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Bicycle Helmets)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (casques de bicyclettes)

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 214) – The Elections Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi électorale

Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 215) – The Elections Amendment and Elections Finances Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi électorale et la Loi sur le financement des campagnes électorales

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

(No. 216) – The Crown Appointment Review Act (Various Acts Amended)/Loi sur l'examen des nominations au sein des sociétés d'Etat (modification de diverses lois)

Mr. LAMOUREUX –

(No. 227) – The Grandparents' Day Recognition Act/Loi sur la reconnaissance de la Fête des grands-parents

Mr. GRAYDON –

(No. 229) – The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation Amendment Act (Justice for Victims of Serious Automobile Accidents)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Société d'assurance publique du Manitoba (justice pour les victimes d'accidents d'automobile graves)

Mr. MCFADYEN –

(No. 231) – The Elections Finances Amendment Act (Abolishing the Vote Tax)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le financement des campagnes électorales (abolition de la subvention sur les votes)

Mrs. STEFANSON –

(No. 232) – The Climate Change and Emissions Reduction Amendment Act (Ministerial Accountability for Failure to Meet Targets)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les changements climatiques et la réduction des émissions de gaz à effet de serre (responsabilité ministérielle en cas de non-réalisation des objectifs)

Mr. GRAYDON –

(No. 233) – The Legal Profession Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la profession d'avocat

Mr. FAURSCHOU –

(No. 234) – The Public Interest Disclosure (Whistleblower Protection) Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les divulgations faites dans l'intérêt public (protection des divulgateurs d'actes répréhensibles)

Mr. FAURSCHOU –

(No. 235) – The Pet Cemeteries and Crematoriums Act/Loi sur les cimetières et les crématoriums pour animaux de compagnie

Mrs. MITCHELSON –

(No. 236) – The Child and Family Services Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l'enfant et à la famille

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Mr. LAMOUREUX

Mr. BRIESE

Mr. DYCK

Mr. SCHULER

Mrs. MITCHELSON

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Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK –

(No. 2) – The Animal Care Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le soin des animaux
(amended – Committee)

DEBATE ON SECOND READINGS:

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 3) – The Forest Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les forêts
(Mr. DYCK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 4) – The Community Revitalization Tax Increment Financing Act/Loi sur le financement
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(Mr. DYCK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX –

(No. 5) – The Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Promoting Safer and Healthier Conditions in
Motor Vehicles)/Loi modifiant le Code de la route (promotion de la santé et de la sécurité dans les
véhicules automobiles)
(Mr. DYCK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 6) – The East Side Traditional Lands Planning and Special Protected Areas Act/Loi sur
l'aménagement des terres traditionnelles situées du côté est et les zones protégées spéciales
(Mr. DYCK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK –

(No. 7) – The Food Safety and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur la salubrité des aliments et
modifications connexes
(Mr. DYCK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 8) – The Civil Service Superannuation Amendment Act (Enhanced Manitoba Hydro
Employee Benefits and Other Amendments)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la pension de la fonction publique
(prestations améliorées à l'intention des employés d'Hydro-Manitoba et autres modifications)
(Mr. BOROTSIK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 9) – The Social Work Profession Act/Loi sur la profession de travailleur social
(Hon. Mr. GERRARD – 11 mins.)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK –

(No. 11) – The Highway Traffic Amendment and Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation
Amendment Act/Loi modifiant le Code de la route et la Loi sur la Société d'assurance publique du
Manitoba
(Mr. GOERTZEN)

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(No. 12) – The Residential Tenancies Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la location à
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(Mr. GRAYDON)

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(No. 13) – The Medical Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi médicale
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(No. 14) – The Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Payday Loans)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la
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(Mr. GRAYDON)

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(No. 15) – The Victims' Bill of Rights Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Déclaration des droits
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(Mr. CULLEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK –

(No. 16) – The Police Services Act/Loi sur les services de police
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(No. 17) – The Workers Compensation Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les accidents du
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(Mr. HAWRANIK)

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(No. 18) – The Regulated Health Professions Act/Loi sur les professions de la santé réglementées
(Mrs. DRIEDGER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 19) – The Mortgage Dealers Amendment and Securities Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les courtiers d'hypothèques et la Loi sur les valeurs mobilières

(Mr. GRAYDON)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. RONDEAU –

(No. 20) – The Manitoba Hydro Amendment and Public Utilities Board Amendment Act (Electricity Reliability)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Hydro-Manitoba et la Loi sur la Régie des services publics (fiabilité du réseau électrique)

(Mr. CULLEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 21) – The Labour Mobility Act/Loi sur la mobilité de la main-d'œuvre

(Mr. PEDERSEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 22) – The Cooperatives Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les coopératives

(Mr. GRAYDON)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. ALLAN –

(No. 23) – The Buildings and Mobile Homes Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les bâtiments et les maisons mobiles

(Mrs. TAILLIEU)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Ms. MCGIFFORD –

(No. 24) – The Colleges Amendment and Le Collège Universitaire de Saint-Boniface Amendment Act (College Degrees)/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les collèges et la Loi sur le Collège universitaire de Saint-Boniface (grades des collèges)

(Mr. HAWRANIK)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 25) – The Statistics Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les statistiques

(Mr. PEDERSEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SWAN –

(No. 26) – The Apprenticeship and Certification Act/Loi sur l'apprentissage et la reconnaissance professionnelle

(Mr. PEDERSEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK –

(No. 27) – The Gaming Control Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission de régie du jeu

(Mr. GRAYDON)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK –

(No. 28) – The Private Investigators and Security Guards Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les détectives privés et les gardiens de sécurité

(Mr. GOERTZEN)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 29) – The Environment Amendment Act/ Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'environnement

(Mrs. STEFANSON)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 30) – The Budget Implementation and Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2009/Loi d'exécution du budget de 2009 et modifiant diverses dispositions législatives en matière de fiscalité

(Mr. EICHLER)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX –

(No. 31) – The Manitoba Floodway Authority Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la Commission du canal de dérivation du Manitoba

(Mr. MAGUIRE)

On the Proposed Motion of Hon. Mr. ROBINSON –

(No. 32) – The Centre culturel franco-manitobain Act/Loi sur le Centre culturel franco-manitobain

(Mrs. ROWAT)

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICE OF MOTION FOR THURSDAY:

PROPOSED RESOLUTION:

Mr. DYCK – Lack of a Policy for Manitoba Persons with Disabilities

11. WHEREAS the Provincial Government does not provide a policy to ensure persons with disabilities have priority access to wheelchair accessible units in Manitoba Housing units; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Housing rents affordable and suitable housing to Manitobans in need and administers and manages approximately 13,100 rental housing residences across the province; and

WHEREAS Statistics Canada's 2006 post census data indicates that 15.7% of Manitoba's population has a disability and that this number is expected to rise with an aging population; and

WHEREAS a total of 169,170 Manitobans identified themselves as having a disability and that Manitoba's rate of disability was the sixth highest among the provinces and territories; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Housing does provide wheelchair accessible units to persons living with disabilities but does not have a policy to ensure persons with disabilities are given priority access to these units; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Housing has persons with disabilities on waiting lists for wheelchair-accessible suites that are occupied by persons without disabilities; and

WHEREAS the Provincial Government has failed to ensure that there is adequate housing for persons with disabilities in Manitoba; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Housing should strive to make every effort to ensure limited wheelchair-accessible suites are available for persons with disabilities as required; and

WHEREAS Manitoba Housing should adopt a policy to transfer tenants without disabilities from the wheelchair-accessible suites to regular units within the same complex, as required, whenever persons with disabilities are on the wait-list for the wheelchair-accessible units within that complex.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to acknowledge that persons with disabilities deserve priority for wheelchair accessible Manitoba Housing Units.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to create a policy that would transfer tenants without physical disabilities living in wheelchair accessible units to regular available units in the same complex in order to make the wheelchair accessible units available to persons with disabilities.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

The Standing Committee on LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Monday, May 25, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. to consider the following Reports referred:

- Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2003, including the conduct of the 38th Provincial General Election, June 3, 2003;
- Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2004, including the conduct of the Minto and Turtle Mountain by-elections, June 22, 2004 and June 29, 2004;
- Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2005, including the conduct of the Fort Whyte by-election, December 13, 2005;
- Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2006;
- Annual Report of Elections Manitoba for the year ending December 31, 2007, including the conduct of the 39th Provincial General Election, May 22, 2007

The Standing Committee on PUBLIC ACCOUNTS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Wednesday, May 27, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. to consider the Auditor General's Report – Follow-Up of Report Recommendations – A Review dated July 2005.

The Standing Committee on CROWN CORPORATIONS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Monday, June 1, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. to consider the Annual Reports of the Manitoba Hydro-Electric Board for the fiscal years ending March 31, 2005, March 31, 2006, March 31, 2007 and March 31, 2008.

The Standing Committee on PUBLIC ACCOUNTS will meet in Room 255, Legislative Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Wednesday, June 10, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. to consider the following Reports referred:

- Auditor General's Report – Voluntary Sector Grant Accountability: Perspectives and Practices – Enhancing Board Governance in Not-For-Profit Organizations Report dated February 2005
- Auditor General's Report – An Examination of RHA Governance in Manitoba dated January 2003