

Monday, April 6, 1998



LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 26

FOURTH SESSION, THIRTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

PRAYERS

1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

Ms. McGIFFORD - Adequate and Stable Funding for the Evergreen Women's Resource Centre, and other Women's Resource Centres in Manitoba (L. Sobie, E. Sigvaldason, K. Finnsson and others)

Ms. WOWCHUK - Adequate and Stable Funding for the Evergreen Women's Resource Centre, and other Women's Resource Centres in Manitoba (V. Grieve, C. Kawaleski, D. Zelenitsky and others)

Ms. BARRETT - Adequate and Stable Funding for the Evergreen Women's Resource Centre, and other Women's Resource Centres in Manitoba (W. Cochrane, S.A. LeRoy, P. LeRoy and others)

Mr. SANTOS - Minister of Health to put an end to the centralization and privatization of Winnipeg hospital food services (L. McMillan, T. Bochinski, E. Kidd and others)

The following petition was read and received:

Ms. WOWCHUK - Adequate and Stable Funding for the Evergreen Women's Resource Centre, and other Women's Resource Centres in Manitoba (D. Thordarson, C. Marks, N. Walkin and others)

Hon. Mr. ENNS, the Minister of Agriculture, on behalf of Hon. Mr. CUMMINGS, the Minister of Natural Resources, made a statement regarding National Wildlife Week, April 5 to 11, 1998,

Mr. STRUTHERS commented on the statement.

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By leave, Hon. Mr. McCRAE for Hon. Mr. GILLESHAMMER introduced Bill (No. 28) - The Employment Standards Code and Consequential Amendments; Code des normes d'emploi et modifications corrélatives, which was read a First Time.

(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Mr. McCRAE for Hon. Mr. GILLESHAMMER presented:

Message from His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 28).

(Sessional Paper No. 153)

Pursuant to Rule 20 (1), Messrs. TWEED, ASHTON, HELWER, STRUTHERS and McALPINE made Members' Statements.

Madam Speaker having left the Chair and the House resolving itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty;

And the House continuing in Committee, the Proceedings were interrupted at 5:00 p.m. for Private Members' Business.

Ms. MIHYCHUK moved:

Resolution No. 9: Sound Insulation Program

WHEREAS Winnipeg is extremely fortunate to be one of the very few city airports operating 24 hours per day making it extremely valuable as both a centre for passenger and cargo transportation; and

WHEREAS the Federal, Provincial and City Governments, as well as Winnport and the Winnipeg Airport Authority have all worked to increase the volume of air traffic using the Winnipeg International Airport; and

WHEREAS all 3 levels of Government have made financial investments to increase use of the Airport; and

WHEREAS with increased air traffic, there is a corresponding increase in noise levels; and

WHEREAS there are no direct supports for the residents negatively impacted by airport noise; and

WHEREAS such programs do exist in other urban areas such as Minneapolis, Chicago, Seattle, Kansas, Detroit and many other cities with 24 hour airports; and

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WHEREAS this type of program would have a number of benefits including the improvement of the residents' indoor quality of life, an increase in housing values and the creation of employment; and

WHEREAS economic development must be sustainable.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba request that the Provincial Government consider a residential noise reduction program for Manitoba.

And a debate arising,

And Ms. MIHYCHUK, Mr. McALPINE, Ms. BARRETT and Hon. Mr. FINDLAY having spoken,

And Hon. Mrs. McINTOSH speaking at 6:00 p.m.,

The debate was allowed to remain in her name.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. tomorrow.

Hon. Louise Dacquay,
Speaker.