



**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF MANITOBA**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS No. 66**

**SECOND SESSION, THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE**

**PRAYER**

**1:30 O'CLOCK P.M.**

The following Bills were respectively read a First Time and had their purposes outlined:

(No. 47) – The CentrePort Canada Act/Loi sur la Société CentrePort Canada

(Hon. Mr. LEMIEUX)

(No. 237) – The Pet Cemeteries and Crematoriums Act/Loi sur les cimetières et les crématoriums pour animaux de compagnie

(Mr. FAURSCHOU)

The following petitions were presented and read:

Mr. DYCK – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Health to strongly consider giving priority for funding to develop and staff a new 100 bed long-term-care facility so that clients are not exposed to unsafe conditions and so that Boundary Trails Health Centre beds remain available for acute care patients instead of waiting placement clients. (G. Harper, K. Klatt, G. Corlett and others)

Mr. LAMOUREUX – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to urge the Provincial Government to consider establishing a 90 day guarantee for processing an application for a minimum of 80% of applicants that have family living in Manitoba and to consider removing the use of the restrictive job list when dealing with the family sponsor stream. (B. Lucero, B. Lucero, L. Lucero and others)

Mr. MAGUIRE – Legislative Assembly of Manitoba to request the Minister of Health to consider creating a health care environment in which doctors want to work and build their careers in Manitoba and to consider making it a priority to recruit doctors to southwestern Manitoba so emergency rooms do not have to be closed when they are needed most. (A. Andrew, J. Corbey, G. Gill and others)

Pursuant to Rule 26(1), Mrs. ROWAT, Messrs. MARTINDALE, HAWRANIK and DEWAR and Hon. Mr. GERRARD made Members' Statements.

Prior to Grievances, Mr. LAMOUREUX rose on a Matter of Urgent Public Importance and moved:

THAT under Rule 36(1) the regularly scheduled business of the House be set aside to discuss a Matter of Urgent Public Importance, namely, Air Canada's announcement to close its flight attendant base here in Winnipeg.

And Mr. LAMOUREUX, Hon. Mr. CHOMIAK and Mr. HAWRANIK having spoken to the urgency of the motion,

By leave, it was agreed to proceed immediately with the debate consisting of two Government Members, two Official Opposition Members and one Independent Member.

And a debate arising,

And Mr. LAMOUREUX, Hon. Ms. ALLAN, Mr. MCFADYEN, Hon. Mr. SWAN and Mr. BOROTSIK having spoken.

The debate was terminated in accordance with Rule 36(6).

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Hon. Mr. ASHTON moved:

THAT Bill (No. 46) – The Community Revitalization Tax Increment Financing Act/Loi sur le financement fiscal de la revitalisation urbaine, be now read a Second Time and be referred to a Committee of this House.

(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

And a debate arising,

And Hon. Mr. ASHTON having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Mr. HAWRANIK, adjourned.

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Hon. Mr. ASHTON presented:

Message from His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor recommending the disposition of public revenue for Bill (No. 46).

(Sessional Paper No. 69)

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The Order of the Day having been read for consideration of Report Stage Amendment of Bill (No. 32) – The Personal Health Information Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements médicaux personnels, as amended and reported from the Standing Committee on Social and Economic Development, the House resumed the Adjourned Debate on the Proposed Amendment of Hon. Ms. OSWALD:

*THAT Bill 32 be amended in Clause 10 by striking out the proposed subsection 19.1(5).*

And the debate continuing on the amendment,

And leave having been denied to have the matter remain in the name of Mr. HAWRANIK,

And Mrs. DRIEDGER and Hon. Mr. GERRARD having spoken,

And the Question being put. It was agreed to.

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The Order of the Day having been read for consideration of Report Stage Amendment of Bill (No. 37) – The Lobbyists Registration Act and Amendments to The Elections Act, The Elections Finances Act, The Legislative Assembly Act and The Legislative Assembly Management Commission Act/Loi sur l'inscription des lobbyistes et modifiant la Loi électorale, la Loi sur le financement des campagnes électorales, la Loi sur l'Assemblée législative et la Loi sur la Commission de régie de l'Assemblée législative, as amended and reported from the Standing Committee on Justice:

Mr. MCFADYEN moved:

*THAT Bill 37 be amended in Clause 3(2)(d) of Schedule A by striking out everything after "Assembly" and substituting "by or on behalf of a person respecting a personal matter;".*

And a debate arising,

And Messrs. MCFADYEN and GOERTZEN having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH, adjourned.

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Mr. MCFADYEN then moved:

*THAT Bill 37 be amended by replacing Clause 5(1) of Schedule B with the following:*

*5(1) Clause 49(1)(c) is replaced with the following:*

(c) sets as election day a Tuesday

(i) that is 28 days after the date the writ is issued, in the case of a fixed date election, or

(ii) that is at least 28 days but not more than 35 days after the date the writ is issued, in the case of any other election.

And a debate arising,

And Messrs. MCFADYEN and GOERTZEN having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH, adjourned.

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Mr. MCFADYEN then moved:

*THAT Bill 37 be amended in Clause 6 of Schedule B by replacing the proposed subsection 49.1(1) with the following:*

**Powers of Lieutenant Governor preserved**

**49.1(1)** Nothing in this section affects the powers of the Lieutenant Governor, including the power to dissolve the Legislature in circumstances where the Lieutenant Governor reasonably believes that the government has lost the confidence of the Legislative Assembly.

And a debate arising,

And Messrs. MCFADYEN and GOERTZEN having spoken,

The debate was, on motion of Hon. Mr. MACKINTOSH, adjourned.

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Mr. MCFADYEN then moved:

*THAT Bill 37 be amended in Clause 6 of Schedule B by replacing the proposed subsection 49.1(2) with the following:*

**General election on second Tuesday in June**

**49.1(2)** Subject to subsection (1) and section 51.1,

(a) a general election must be held on the sooner of

(i) Tuesday, June 14, 2011, or

(ii) a Tuesday not later than 35 days following the dissolution of the Legislature by the Lieutenant Governor pursuant to the Lieutenant Governor's exercise of those powers referred to in subsection (1); and

(b) thereafter, a general election must be held on the sooner of

(i) the second Tuesday in June in the fourth calendar year after election day for the last general election, or

(ii) a Tuesday not later than 35 days following the dissolution of the Legislature by the Lieutenant Governor pursuant to the Lieutenant Governor's exercise of those powers referred to in subsection (1).

And a debate arising,

And Messrs. MCFADYEN, GOERTZEN, BOROTSIK and DERKACH having spoken,

The debate was allowed to remain open.

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**Wednesday, September 10, 2008**

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The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m. until 10:00 a.m. Thursday, September 11, 2008.

Hon. George HICKES,  
Speaker.