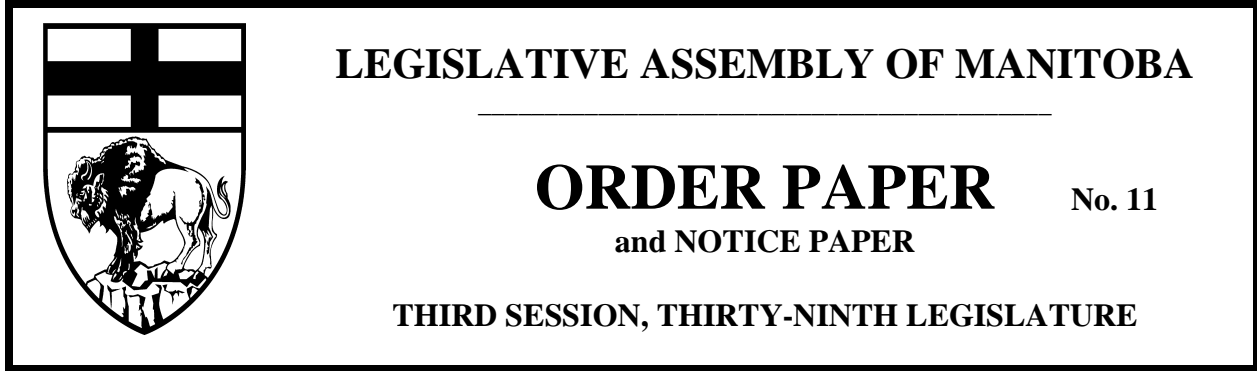


Thursday, December 4, 2008



PRAYER

SITTING AT 10:00 A.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

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. 204) – The Social Inclusion and Anti-Poverty Act/Loi sur l'inclusion sociale et la lutte contre la pauvreté

Mr. LAMOUREUX –

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

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

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

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. 212) – The Waste Reduction and Prevention Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur la réduction du volume et de la production des déchets

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

Mr. EICHLER –

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

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

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

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. 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. 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)

Mrs. ROWAT –

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

Ms. BRAUN –

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

Hon. Mr. GERRARD –

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

RESOLUTION:

Mr. BOROTSIK – Making Manitoba a “Have” Province

1. WHEREAS Manitoba is now the only “have not” province in Western Canada; and

WHEREAS Manitoba is not immune to the negative effects of a global financial crisis rooted in the mismanagement of financial resources; and

WHEREAS a strong indicator of a jurisdiction’s prudence and accountability is the Provincial Government’s ability to live within its means and balance its operating budget; and

WHEREAS this Provincial Government has passed legislation that allows it to run operating budget deficits without consequence; and

WHEREAS for Manitoba to move from “have not” to “have” status will require a positive business environment for entrepreneurs and business owners; and

WHEREAS this Provincial Government, in a global economic crisis, has passed legislation that has created a climate of fear and uncertainty among many family farmers, investors, entrepreneurs and workers; and

WHEREAS many Manitobans are exercising financial restraint during this period of economic downturn; and

WHEREAS this Provincial Government passed legislation that directs taxpayer revenue to the New Democratic Party of Manitoba; and

WHEREAS a bold and innovative vision is needed to take Manitoba from “have not” to “have” status, and no such vision is evident in any of this government’s Throne Speeches or budgets; and

WHEREAS this Provincial Government has instilled neither spirit nor energy in developing a long term vision for Manitoba’s future as a “have” province; and

WHEREAS receiving money from external and fluctuating sources of revenue is neither prudent nor visionary; and

WHEREAS Manitoba has become significantly more dependent on equalization payments from the Federal Government; and

WHEREAS Manitoba is currently receiving an unprecedented amount of equalization payments from the Federal Government; and

WHEREAS Manitobans are weary from the dependence on our neighbors that has grown under this Provincial Government and want to see Manitoba become economic leader in Canada.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to consider acknowledging that being a “have not” province is not acceptable and that is not in the best interests of the Province of Manitoba; and

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba urge the Provincial Government to consider - after being in government for nine years - accepting the challenge to making Manitoba a “have province”.

SITTING AT 1:30 P.M.

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

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)

Hon. Mr. SELINGER –

(No. 9) – The Social Work Profession Act/Loi sur la profession de travailleur social

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. GOERTZEN –

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

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)

PETITIONS

Mr. MAGUIRE

Mr. DYCK

Mr. LAMOUREUX

Mr. GRAYDON

Mrs. ROWAT

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SECOND READINGS:

Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK –

(No. 2) – The Animal Care Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur le soin des animaux
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Mr. STRUTHERS –

(No. 3) – The Forest Amendment Act/Loi modifiant la Loi sur les forêts
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Mr. ASHTON –

(No. 4) – The Community Revitalization Tax Increment Financing Act/Loi sur le financement
fiscal de la revitalisation urbaine
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

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)

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
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)

Hon. Ms. WOWCHUK –

(No. 7) – The Food Safety and Related Amendments Act/Loi sur la salubrité des aliments et
modifications connexes
(Recommended by His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor)