

No. 182

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Thursday, March 30, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

The Speaker informed the Assembly that Craig Beauchemin, Lawrence Brennan, Patrick Docherty, Erin Eady, Craig Flaherty, Ryan Gerard, Sophie Knezacek and Ryan MacKinnon from Vanier Catholic School would be serving as Pages during the Spring Sitting. Patrick Docherty and Ryan MacKinnon were introduced and welcomed to the House.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Changes to the Order Paper- withdrawal of Motions)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House of changes made to the Order Paper. Motion numbers 199, 486, 581, 586, 588, 590 and 591, standing in the name of Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition; Motion #577, standing in the name of Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Third Party; Motion numbers 84, 87, 209, 321 and 429, standing in the name of Ms. Duncan, the Member for Porter Creek South; Motion #97, standing in the name of Mr. Fairclough, the Member for Mayo-Tatchun; Motion numbers 547, 548, 549, 554 and 579, standing in the name of Mr. Jenkins, the Member for Klondike; Motion numbers 499, 513, 582, 592 and 595, standing in the name of Mr. McRobb, the Member for Kluane; Motion #177, standing in the name of Mrs. Peter, the Member for Vuntut Gwitchin; Motion numbers 219, 493 and 528, standing in the name of Mr. Cardiff, the Member for Mount Lorne; and Motion numbers 331 and 351, standing in the name of Mr. Hassard, the Member for Pelly-Nisutlin, had been removed from the Order Paper as they were outdated. Motion #552, standing in the name of Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Third Party, and Motion numbers 34 and 304, standing in the name of Ms. Duncan, the Member for Porter Creek South, had been removed from the Order Paper because the actions requested in the motions had been fulfilled. Motions for the Production of Papers #28 and #36, standing in the name of Mr. McRobb, the Member for Kluane, had been removed from the Order Paper at the request of that Member.

TRIBUTES

National Epilepsy Awareness Month

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of March as National Epilepsy Awareness Month.

National Learning Disabilities Month

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized the month of March as National Learning Disabilities Month.

Aboriginal Languages Day

The Hon. Mr. Fentie, Premier, and Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, recognized March 31 as Aboriginal Languages Day.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Staffen, Speaker

- By-election in the Electoral District of Copperbelt, November 21, 2005: Report of the Chief Electoral Officer of Yukon (Sessional Paper #207)

PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Hardy, Chair, Public Accounts Committee

- Public Accounts, Standing Committee on: Third Report (dated December 2005) Vol. 16 (Sessional Paper #208)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

Bill #18 - Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

Bill #19 - Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

Bill #66 - Act to Amend the Securities Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart

Bill #69 - Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers

MONEY MESSAGE

Bill #20, First Appropriation Act, 2006-07, Bill # 18, Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07, and Bill #19, Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06, were accompanied by a money message.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

Thereupon, the Hon. Mr. Fentie delivered the 2006-07 Budget Speech.

Moved by Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Oppositon:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:28 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, April 3, 2006.

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First Session

Monday, April 3, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Yukon Biodiversity Awareness Month and National Wildlife Week

The Hon. Mr. Fentie, Premier, Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, and Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, recognized the month of April as Yukon Biodiversity Awareness Month, and April 9, 2006 to April 15, 2006 as National Wildlife Week.

Education Week

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Education, Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized April 3 to 7, 2006 as Education Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Staffen, Speaker

- Absence of Members from Sitzings of the Legislative Assembly and its Committees: Report of the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly (dated March 30, 2006) **(Sessional Paper #209)**

Hon. Mr. Kenyon, Minister of Economic Development

- Community Development Fund Annual Report (June 23, 2003 to March 31, 2005) **(Sessional Paper #210)**

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #71 - Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)

-Hon. Mr. Hart

Bill #68 - Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act

-Hon. Mr. Hart

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The debate continuing on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #20, entitled First Appropriation Act, 2006-07, and the time approaching 6:00 p.m., it was moved by Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne,:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 4, 2006.

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Tuesday, April 4, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Cancer Awareness Month

Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of April as being Cancer Awareness Month.

Girl Guide Cookie Week

Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, on behalf of all Members, recognized April 3 to 8, 2006 as Girl Guide Cookie Week in Yukon.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Mr. Jenkins, Member for Klondike

- Wastewater Treatment: Memorandum of Agreement (dated October 2005) between the Government of Yukon and the Town of the City of Dawson
(Filed Document #125)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #70 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

NOTICE RE OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Mrs. Peter, Official Opposition House Leader, identified Motion #568, and Motion #603, as being the items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 5, 2006.

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Ms. Duncan, Third Party House Leader, identified Motion #613, and Motion #616, as being the items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 5, 2006.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The debate continuing (from March 30, 2006 and April 3, 2006) on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #20, and the time approaching 6:00 p.m., it was moved by Mr. Rouble, Member for Southern Lakes:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 5, 2006.

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Wednesday, April 5, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Dental Health Month

Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of April as Dental Health Month.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services

- Health Care Insurance Programs, Health Services Branch: Statement of Revenue and Expenditures for the years 1998/99 to 2004/05
(Filed Document #126)
- Yukon Hospital Corporation Financial Statements (dated March 31, 2005)
(Sessional Paper #211)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #67 - Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act

-Hon. Mr. Edzerza

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice

- Substance Abuse Action Plan

FILED DOCUMENT

During Question Period, the Hon. Mr. Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources, filed the following document:

- Holly Street lands, Reference Plan 51344 Canada Lands Survey Registration, 25445 Land Titles Office: letter from Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources to Mayor Ernie Bourassa, Mayor of Whitehorse (dated March 29, 2006)
(Filed Document #127)

OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Moved by Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne:

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to direct the Yukon Housing Corporation to adopt a clear definition of affordable housing based on what consumers can actually afford, rather than current market value. **(Motion #568)**

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #568 be amended by inserting the following after the word Corporation:
"to work with our Pan-northern neighbours to lobby the federal government for funding to improved affordable housing programs and"

A debate arising on the amendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the motion as amended and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Edzerza	Peter	
Cathers	Lang	Cardiff	
Taylor	Hassard	Mitchell	12
Kenyon	Hardy	McRobb	
NAY			
			0

The Assembly adjourned at 6:03 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 2006.

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Thursday, April 6, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

World Health Day

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, and Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, recognized April 6, 2006 as World Health Day.

INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS

The Speaker introduced and welcomed the Yukon Youth Parliament participants from Whitehorse, Carmacks and Watson Lake. The first Yukon Youth Parliament since 1990 is taking place on Friday, April 7, 2006.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The debate continuing (from March 30, 2006, April 3, 2006 and April 4, 2006) on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #20, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Kenyon	Rouble	
Cathers	Edzerza	Hassard	8
Taylor	Lang		

NAY

Hardy	Cardiff	McRobb	5
Peter	Mitchell		

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #18 - Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading on Bill #18, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Edzerza	Peter	
Cathers	Lang	Cardiff	12
Taylor	Rouble	Mitchell	
Kenyon	Hassard	McRobb	
NAY			
			0

The Assembly adjourned at 6:04 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, April 10, 2006.

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Monday, April 10, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Changes to the Order Paper - withdrawal of Motions)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House of changes made to the Order Paper. Motion #557, standing in the name of Mr. Jenkins, the Member for Klondike, and Motion #631, standing in the name of the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, had been removed from the Order Paper as they were outdated.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #71 - Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Hart

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #71 - Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Hart

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:59 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 11, 2006.

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Tuesday, April 11, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice

- Correction in Yukon and the Corrections Consultation: Final Report (dated March, 2006) **(Sessional Paper #212)**

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #111 - Act to Repeal the Dawson Municipal Governance Restoration Act
-Mr. Mitchell

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice

- Corrections Reform Consultation and Final Report

FILED DOCUMENT

During Question Period, Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, filed the following document:

- Holly Street East, letters regarding: from Lyle Henderson, Director of Lands Branch (dated November 4, 2005) to Dennis Shewfelt, Director of Operations, City of Whitehorse and from Dennis Shewfelt, Director of Operations, City of Whitehorse (November 10, 2005) to Lyle Henderson, Director of Lands Branch **(Filed Document #128)**

GOVERNMENT HOUSE LEADER'S REPORT (Length of Sitting)

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, rose pursuant to Standing Order 75(4) to inform the House that the House Leaders had met for the purpose of reaching an agreement on the number of sitting days for the current Sitting. Further, pursuant to Standing Order 75(4), the Hon. Mr. Cathers informed the House that the House Leaders had not reached an agreement.

The Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 75(3), declared that the current sitting would be a maximum of 30 sitting days, with the 30th sitting day being Wednesday, May 24, 2006.

NOTICE RE GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(7), the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, identified Motion #638, and Motion #639 as being the items to be called during Government Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 12, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bills were reported without amendment:

Bill #18 - Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Ms. Taylor

Bill #71 - Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Hart

The report of the Chair was adopted.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Third Reading)

The following Bill was read a third time and passed:

Bill #18 - Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Ms. Taylor

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #71 - Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Hart

The question being put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #71, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Cathers	Hart	Mitchell	
Taylor	Rouble	Duncan	
Kenyon	Hassard	McRobb	14
Edzerza	Peter	Fairclough	
Lang	Cardiff		
NAY			
0			

Bill #71, entitled Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006), accordingly, passed the House.

ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner, the Hon. Geraldine Van Bibber, in her capacity as Lieutenant-Governor, to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took her seat in the Speaker's chair.

The Speaker, the Hon. Ted Staffen, addressed the Commissioner:

"Madam Commissioner, the Assembly has, at its present Session, passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly, Patrick L. Michael, then read the titles of the Bills which had been passed severally as follows:

Interim Supply Appropriation Act, 2006-07

Dawson Municipal Election Act (2006)

The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"I hereby Assent to the Bills as enumerated by the Clerk."

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #66 - Act to Amend the Securities Act

-Hon. Mr. Hart

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #66 - Act to Amend the Securities Act

-Hon. Mr. Hart

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:55 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday April 12, 2006.

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Changes to the Order Paper- withdrawal of Motions)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House of changes made to the Order Paper. Motion numbers 584, and 587, standing in the name of Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition; Motion numbers 598 and 599, standing in the name of Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne; Motion numbers 593, 594 and 637, standing in the name of Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane; and Motion numbers 596 and 597, standing in the name of Mr. Fairclough, Member for Mayo-Tatchun, had been removed from the Order Paper as they were outdated.

GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS
MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Mr. Rouble, Member for Southern Lakes:

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to continue to encourage the growth and diversification of the Yukon economy. **(Motion #638)**

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #638 be amended by deleting the word "continue" and replacing it with the word "begin".

The question being put on the amendment, it was negatived.

Debate continued on the motion. The time approaching 6:00 p.m., Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, moved:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 13, 2006.

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Thursday, April 13, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Motion Out of Order)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House that Motion #643, in the name of Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, was found to be out of order and not placed on the Notice Paper for today.

TRIBUTES

Celebration of Swans

The Hon. Mr. Kenyon, Minister of Environment, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized the Celebration of Swans and the activities at Swan Haven at M'Clintok Bay at Marsh Lake.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice

- Order-in-Council 2005/218, *An Act Approving Yukon Land Claims Final Agreements and First Nation (Yukon) Self-Government Act* (dated December 15, 2005) and the Carcross-Tagish First Nation Final Agreement
(Sessional Paper #212)
- Carcross-Tagish First Nation Self-Government Agreement
(Sessional Paper #213)

Mr. Jenkins, Member for Klondike

- Quarry pit (km 49 Silver Trail): letter re (dated July 16, 2004) to C. & I. Construction from Lyle Henderson, Director, Lands Branch (Yukon)
(Filed Document #129)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #112 - Act to Amend the *Legislative Assembly Act*
-Mr. Hardy

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #67 - Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act
-Hon. Mr. Edzerza

Debate started on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #67.

Moved by Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South:

THAT debate on Second Reading of Bill #67, be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourned debate, it was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:35 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 18, 2006.

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31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Tuesday, April 18, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

FILED DOCUMENT

During Question Period, Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, filed the document:

- Whistleblower Legislation: correspondence among caucuses regarding Select Committee on **(Filed Document #130)**

NOTICE RE OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Ms. Duncan, Third Party House Leader, identified Motion #515, as being the item to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 19, 2006.

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Mrs. Peter, Official Opposition House Leader, identified Motion #455, and Motion #615, as being the items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 19, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Filed Documents

The following documents were filed during debate on Bill #20:

Hon. Mr. Fentie, Premier

- Capital Budget, 2006-07 Summary Community Distribution, Government of Yukon **(Filed Document #131)**

Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader

- Ombudsman, Complaint to Office of the: letter (dated March 27, 2006) from Hank Moorlag, Ombudsman to Robert King **(Filed Document #132)**

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:59 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 19, 2006.

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Wednesday, April 19, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bill #113 - All-Party Committee on Appointments Act

-Mr. Mitchell

Bill #114 - Yukon Ethics and Accountability Act

-Mr. Mitchell

OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South:

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to conduct its affairs according to the highest ethical standards. **(Motion #515)**

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #515 be amended by deleting the words "to conduct its" and replacing them with the words "and all Yukon MLA's to conduct their".

A debate arising on the amendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Debate arising on the motion as amended, it was moved by Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #515, as amended, be amended further by adding after the word "standards" the following:

"and to demonstrate their intention to do so by immediately adopting the principles embodied in Private Members Bill numbers 104, 106, 108 and 112".

A debate arising on the amendment, and the question being put, it was negatived.

Debate continued on Motion #515 as amended and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Lang	Peter	
Cathers	Hart	Mitchell	
Taylor	Rouble	Duncan	13
Kenyon	Hassard	McRobb	
Edzerza			
NAY			
			0

The Assembly adjourned at 5:39 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 20, 2006.

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Thursday, April 20, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Changes to Order Paper - withdrawal of Motions)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House that Motion numbers 619, and 620, standing in the name of the Member for Klondike, had been removed from the Order Paper as they were outdated.

TRIBUTES

Earth Day

The Hon. Mr. Fentie, Premier, Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, and Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, recognized April 22, 2006 as Earth Day.

Yukon Writers Festival and Young Authors Conference

The Hon. Mr. Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources, Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized the 16th Yukon Writer's Festival, known as Live Words, with events taking place in Whitehorse, Haines Junction, Watson Lake, Teslin, Tagish and Dawson City from April 19, 2006 to April 30, 2006, and the 27th Yukon Young Authors Conference taking place April 20, 2006 and April 21, 2006.

In Recognition of Lucy Wren

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Education, paid tribute to Lucy Wren, a Carcorss-Tagish First Nation elder, on her contributions to enhancing the knowledge of the Tlingit and Tagish languages and culture. In recognition of her dedication, the Carcross Community School will be renamed to Ghuch Tla Community School

Law Day

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice, Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized April 21, 2006 as Law Day.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice

- Crime Prevention and Victim Services Trust Fund 2004/2005 Annual Report
(Sessional Paper #215)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:57 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, April 24, 2006.

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31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Monday, April 24, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

MOMENT OF SILENCE - In Remembrance of Jobie Nutarak, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut

The Hon. Ted Staffen, Speaker, informed the House of the passing of the Hon. Jobie Nutarak, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Nunavut. The House paid their respects by observing a moment of silence for Speaker Nutarak.

TRIBUTES

National Volunteer Week

The Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Community Services, Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, and Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Third Party, recognized April 23, 2006 to April 29, 2006 as National Volunteer Week.

National Immunization Awareness Week

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized April 23, 2006 to April 30, 2006 as National Immunization Awareness Week.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 25, 2006.

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Tuesday, April 25, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

National Organ and Tissue Donation Awareness Week

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized April 23, 2006 to April 30, 2006 as National Organ and Tissue Donation Awareness Week.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUESTED TO CALL Bill #110 FOR SECOND READING

Mr. Jenkins, Member for Klondike, requested unanimous consent to call Bill #110, entitled Yukon Smoke-free Places Act, for Second Reading. Unanimous consent was denied.

NOTICE RE GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(7), the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, identified Motion #639, and Motion #662 as being the items to be called during Government Private Members' Business on Wednesday, April 26, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:57 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 26, 2006.

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Wednesday, April 26, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Administrative Professionals Week

The Hon. Ms. Taylor, Minister responsible for the Public Service Commission, on behalf of all Members, recognized April 23, 2006 to April 29, 2006 as Administrative Professionals Week.

Rotary Music Festival

Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Official Opposition, and Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Third Party, paid tribute to the 38th annual Rotary Music Festival taking place April 21, 2006 to April 29, 2006.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Mr. Fairclough, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

- Lone Wolf Outfitting - Leases and Licenses, Application 2006-0321, letter re: (dated April 21, 2006) from A/Chief Ruth Massie, Ta'an Kwäch'an Council to Hon. Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources

(Filed Document #133)

GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Mr. Hassard, Member for Pelly-Nisutlin

That this House urges the Government of Yukon to utilize the Territorial Health Access Fund to increase Yukoners' access to family physicians and other health professionals.

(Motion #639)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Lang	Cardiff	
Cathers	Hart	Mitchell	
Taylor	Rouble	Duncan	15
Kenyon	Hassard	McRobb	
Edzerza	Peter	Jenkins	
NAY			
			0

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, April 27, 2006.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Thursday, April 27, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

National Day of Mourning

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, and Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Third Party, recognized April 28, 2006 as being National Day of Mourning.

Victims of Crime Awareness Week

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice, and Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, recognized April 23, 2006 to April 29, 2006 as being Victims of Crime Awareness Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Kenyon, Minister responsible for the Yukon Liquor Corporation

- Yukon Lottery Commission 2004/2005 Annual Report (Sessional Paper #216)

UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUESTED TO CALL Bill #110 FOR SECOND READING

Mr. Jenkins, Member for Klondike, requested unanimous consent to call Bill #110, entitled Yukon Smoke-free Places Act, for Second Reading. Unanimous consent was denied.

PAIRING AGREEMENT

Mr. Jenkins, Member for Klondike, rose on a Point of Order to advise the House that he would be pairing with the Hon. Mr. Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources on Monday, May 1, 2006 and Tuesday, May 2, 2006 in order that the Minister could represent Yukon at a meeting with the federal government.

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice:

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to subsection 17(1) of the Human Rights Act, appoint Lois Moorcroft and reappoint John McCormick to be members of the Yukon Human Rights Commission. (Motion #666)

The question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Hart	Mitchell	
Cathers	Rouble	Duncan	
Taylor	Hassard	McRobb	17
Kenyon	Hardy	Jenkins	
Edzerza	Peter	Fairclough	
Lang	Cardiff		

NAY

0

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #19 - Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Edzerza	Hassard	
Cathers	Lang	Hardy	12
Taylor	Hart	Peter	
Kenyon	Rouble	Cardiff	

NAY

Mitchell	Duncan	McRobb	3
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Bill #19, entitled Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06, was accordingly, referred to Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #67 - Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act
-Hon. Mr. Edzerza

The debate continuing (from April 13, 2006) on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #67, and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Hart	Cardiff	
Cathers	Rouble	Mitchell	
Taylor	Hassard	Duncan	14
Edzerza	Hardy	Fairclough	
Lang	Peter		

NAY

0

Bill #67, entitled Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act, was accordingly, referred to Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #70 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Fentie	Rouble	Cardiff
Cathers	Hassard	Mitchell
Edzerza	Hardy	Duncan
Lang	Peter	Fairclough
Hart		

13

NAY

0

Bill #70, entitled Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006), was accordingly, referred to Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #68 - Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Fentie	Lang	Peter
Cathers	Hart	Cardiff
Taylor	Rouble	Mitchell
Kenyon	Hassard	Duncan
Edzerza	Hardy	Fairclough

15

NAY

0

Bill #68, entitled Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act, was accordingly, referred to Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #69 - Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Fentie	Lang	Peter
Cathers	Hart	Cardiff
Taylor	Rouble	Mitchell
Kenyon	Hassard	Duncan
Edzerza	Hardy	

NAY

14

0

Bill #69, entitled Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act, was accordingly, referred to Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, May 1, 2006.

No. 198

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Monday, May 1, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Change in Official Opposition)

Prior to proceeding to the Order Paper, the Hon. Ted Staffen, Speaker, made the following statement.

"The Chair would note for the records of the House that, effective today, May 1, 2006, the Yukon Liberal Party caucus becomes the Official Opposition.

The rotation in Question Period will reflect this change. Accordingly, the Liberal Party caucus will be allocated those question positions reserved to the Official Opposition. The New Democratic Party caucus will be allocated those question positions reserved to the Third Party.

Also, as the Member for Mayo-Tatchun is now a member of the Liberal Party caucus, two question positions previously reserved for Independent Members, those being position five on Monday and Wednesday, will now be allocated to the Official Opposition.

As for Private Members' Business, Standing Order 14.2(2) says, 'At the beginning of each Session a roster shall be established for the purpose of determining the order of business on Wednesdays when Opposition Private Members' Business has precedence.' The Standing Orders do not address altering the roster during the course of a Session.

As we are still in the first session of the 31st Legislature, the House will continue with the allocation of positions between caucuses that is currently in place. Therefore, on Wednesday, May 3 the New Democratic Party caucus will have the right to the first two positions and the Liberal Party caucus will have the next two."

TRIBUTES

Sexual Assault Prevention Month

The Hon. Ms. Taylor, Minister responsible for the Women's Directorate, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of May as being Sexual Assault Prevention Month.

International Workers' Day

Mr. Cardiff, Member for Mount Lorne, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 1, 2006 as being International Workers' Day.

In recognition of Sandra Henderson

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Education, congratulated Sandra Henderson on her re-election as president of the Yukon Teachers Association.

In recognition of the Yukon Invitational Swim Meet

Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, on behalf of all Members, paid tribute to the competitors in the Yukon Invitational Swim Meet held in Whitehorse on April 28, 2006 to April 30, 2006. Congratulations were extended to all Whitehorse Glacier Bears Swim Club members, and to Alexandra Gabor on her setting a new Canadian record in the 1500 metre freestyle event.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Staffen, Speaker

- Election Financing and Political Contributions, 2005: Report of the Chief Electoral Officer of Yukon (dated April 2006) **(Sessional Paper #217)**

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #67 - Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act
-Hon. Mr. Edzerza

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:01 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 2, 2006.

No. 199

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Tuesday, May 2, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

North American Occupational Safety and Health Week

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized April 30, 2006 to May 6, 2006 as North American Occupational Safety and Health Week.

Hepatitis C Awareness Month

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of May as being Hepatitis C Awareness Month.

Mental Health Week

Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 1, 2006 to May 7, 2006 as Mental Health Week.

International Youth Week

Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 1, 2006 to May 7, 2006 as International Youth Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Education

- Yukon College 2004/2005 Annual Report and audited Financial Statements (dated June 30, 2005) prepared by the Office of the Auditor General of Canada
(Sessional Paper #218)

SPEAKER'S RULING (Re: Members quoting Members)

Before the House proceeded to Orders of the Day the Hon. Ted Staffen, Speaker, ruled on a Point of Order raised by Mr. Mitchell, Member for Copperbelt, on Thursday, April 27, 2006.

"During Second Reading of Bill #19, Third Appropriation Act, 2005-2006, the Hon. Premier said the Member for Copperbelt had during his speech, 'criticized all those hard-working Yukoners, Yukon contractors, by saying they are not capable, that they went and mushroomed [the athlete's village] project by some \$20 million.'

The Member for Copperbelt rose on a Point of Order and said he had 'made no such reference to any of the workers or any other employees.' He said his remarks 'questioned the financial stewardship and management of the government.' Further, the Member for Copperbelt said he 'made no reference to the quality of the work or the efforts or the good intentions of the workers, and I don't believe that that should be said or put into the record.'

The Chair's review of the Blues presents a difficulty. The Chair's role is to apply rules and established practices related to parliamentary procedure. However, to decide between the versions of events presented by the Premier and the Member for Copperbelt would require a determination of fact; something that is beyond the Speaker's purview. Strictly speaking, therefore, the Chair must rule that there was no Point of Order but a dispute between Members.

However, the Chair would also remind the House that this is not the first time Members have raised a Point of Order regarding the manner in which their words are reinterpreted by other Members. On April 3, 2006 the Member for Copperbelt raised a similar Point of Order in regard to the reinterpretation of his remarks by the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources. At that time the Chair ruled there was no Point of Order but cautioned the Minister about putting too much rhetoric in his speech. The Chair would issue a similar caution to the House at this time as it is evident that this practice is leading to disorder."

NOTICE RE OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Mrs. Peter, Third Party House Leader, identified Bill #112, and Motion #668, as being the items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 3, 2006.

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Ms. Duncan, Official Opposition House Leader, identified Motion #634, as being the item to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 3, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:02 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 3, 2006.

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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Wednesday, May 3, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition

- Conflicts Commissioner advice to Hon. Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources: letter regarding (dated May 2, 2006) from Arthur Mitchell, Leader of the Yukon Liberal Party, to Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources regarding` **(Filed Document #134)**

FILED DOCUMENTS

During Question Period, Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition, filed the following document:

- Alford, Dominic (Petitioner) and Government of Yukon (Respondents): affidavit re: **(Filed Document #135)**

OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #112 - Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act
-Mr. Hardy

Filed Documents

During debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill #112, Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, filed the following documents:

- Political options, letter (dated February 20, 2006) re: from Eric Fairclough, MLA, Mayo-Tatchun and Gary McRobb, MLA, Kluane to Todd Hardy, Leader of the Yukon New Democratic Party **(Filed Document #136)**
- Political options, letter (dated February 27, 2006) re: Gary McRobb, MLA, Kluane to Kluane riding constituents **(Filed Document #137)**
- Political options, letter (dated March 22, 2006) re: Gary McRobb, MLA, Kluane to Kluane riding constituents **(Filed Document #138)**

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Rouble	Fairclough	
Cathers	Hassard	Hardy	
Taylor	Mitchell	Peter	14
Edzerza	Duncan	Cardiff	
Lang	McRobb		
NAY			
Hart			1

Bill #112, entitled Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act, was accordingly referred to Committee of the Whole.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Resolving into Committee of the Whole)

Prior to resolving into Committee of the Whole, the Speaker made the following statement:

"Bill #112, entitled Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act, has now received Second Reading and, pursuant to Standing Order 57(4), stands ordered for consideration by the Committee of the Whole. Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(2), the third party designated Bill #112 as the first item of business today. The Leader of the Third Party is, therefore, entitled to decide whether the House should resolve into Committee of the Whole for the purpose of continuing consideration of Bill #112. I would ask the Leader of the Third Party to indicate whether he wishes the House to resolve into Committee of the Whole."

The Leader of the Third Party asked that the House now resolve into Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #112 - Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act
-Mr. Hardy

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:01 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, May 4, 2006.

No. 201

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Thursday, May 4, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Speech and Hearing Awareness Month

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized the month of May as being Speech and Hearing Awareness Month.

Emergency Preparedness Week

The Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Community Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 7, 2006 to May 13, 2006 as being Emergency Preparedness Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Staffen, Speaker

- Travel expenses of Members of the Yukon Legislative Assembly 2005-2006, Report on (dated May 2006) **(Sessional Paper #219)**

SPEAKER'S RULING (Re: Member allegedly misquoting another individual)

Prior to proceeding with Question Period, the Hon. Ted Staffen, Speaker, gave the following ruling on a Point of Order raised on Wednesday, May 3, 2006, by the Member for Porter Creek South.

"Yesterday during Question Period the Leader of the Official Opposition said the Premier's refusal to update the public regarding government spending has contributed to a situation where 'only 16 percent of Yukoners think that they are ethical.' In response the Premier said, 'what the Member did here a few days ago on the floor of this House in misquoting the Ombudsman's Office speaks volumes of that Member's ethics.'

In raising the Point of Order the Member for Porter Creek South said the Premier had accused the Leader of the Official Opposition of misquoting another individual. The Member for Porter Creek South expressed her view that an allegation of misquoting constituted an attribution of false or unavowed motive. This, as Members are aware, would be in contravention of Standing Order 19(g).

In reviewing the Blues, the Chair was unable to determine that the Premier had attributed any motive to the Leader of the Official Opposition. There appears to be a dispute about the Leader

of the Official Opposition quoting from a letter and whether a misquote had occurred. For the Chair to assess whether the quote was accurate or not would require a determination of fact. That is beyond the purview of the Chair.

For further reference, however, any suggestion that a Member had deliberately misquoted an individual would constitute an allegation of deliberately misleading the House. This, as Members are aware, would be a violation of Standing Order 19(h).

The Chair would also comment on the exchange which brought forward the Point of Order. At that time the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Premier made statements that suggested a lack of ethics by the other. That is not in order. If Members wish to discuss ethics they should do so in the context of a debate on a bill or motion that addresses that issue. In any other context a negative reflection on a Members' ethics will be considered out of order.

We will now proceed with Question Period."

POINT OF PRIVILEGE (Re: Attribution of quotation)

Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition rose on a Point of Privilege to correct information that he had read into the record on the day previous.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Third Reading)

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #67 - Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act
-Hon. Mr. Edzerza

A debate arising on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #67, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Fentie	Hart	McRobb
Cathers	Rouble	Fairclough
Taylor	Hassard	Hardy
Kenyon	Mitchell	Peter
Edzerza	Duncan	Cardiff
Lang		

NAY

0

Bill #67, entitled Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act, accordingly, passed the House.

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #66 - Act to Amend the Securities Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart

A debate arising on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #66, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Hart	McRobb	
Cathers	Rouble	Fairclough	
Taylor	Hassard	Hardy	16
Kenyon	Mitchell	Peter	
Edzerza	Duncan	Cardiff	
Lang			

NAY

0

Bill #66, entitled Act to Amend the Securities Act, accordingly, passed the House.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:58 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, May 8, 2006.

No. 202

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of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Monday, May 8, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Changes to Order Paper - Withdrawal of Motions)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House that Motion #681, standing in the name of Mr. Hassard, Member for Pelly-Nisutlin, was not transferred from the Notice Paper to the Order Paper as it was outdated. Also, Motion #683, standing in the name of Mr. Hardy, Member for Whitehorse Centre and Leader of the Third Party was not transferred from the Notice Paper to the Order Paper at the request of that Member.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:57 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 9, 2006.

No. 203

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Tuesday, May 9, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

National Nursing Week

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Third Party, and Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, recognized May 8, 2006 to May 14, 2006 as National Nursing Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Community Services

- Meadow Lakes Golf Inc. - Land Development: letter (dated April 3, 2006) from David Phillip Jones, Q.C., Conflict of Interest Commissioner, to the Hon. Glenn Hart, Minister of Community Services **(Filed Document #139)**

NOTICE RE GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(7), the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, identified Motion #688, and Motion #640 as being the items to be called during Government Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 10, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:02 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, 2006.

No. 204

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Wednesday, May 10, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

MOTION OF URGENT AND PRESSING NECESSITY (Standing Order 28)

Pursuant to Standing Order 28, Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition, requested unanimous consent to move the following motion:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that:

- (1) it is the right and duty of all Members of the Legislative Assembly to act on behalf of all Yukon people by debating the impending collapse of the Kelowna accord;
- (2) the agreement reached by Canada, all provinces and territories, First Nations and aboriginal organizations is of major importance to all Yukon residents and, in fact, all Canadians;
- (3) 18 months were spent developing this historic agreement, and if it fails to become a reality, many more years will pass before another accord will be negotiated;
- (4) all Canadians, regardless of whether they are First Nations or not, want this matter finalized so all parties can get on with addressing those matters enshrined in the agreement; and

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to show initiative and take any and all reasonable measures to try to save the accord.

The Speaker asked if the Leader of the Official Opposition had unanimous consent of the House to proceed. Unanimous consent was denied and this matter was not proceeded with.

GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS
MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Mr. Rouble, Member for Southern Lakes:

THAT this House urges Yukon College to consult with industry and First Nations to identify priorities for training that will allow Yukoners to take advantage of current and future employment opportunities. **(Motion #688)**

A debate arising on Motion #688 and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Cathers	Hart	Fairclough	
Taylor	Rouble	Hardy	
Kenyon	Hassard	Peter	14
Edzerza	Duncan	Cardiff	
Lang	McRobb		
NAY			
			0

Moved by Mr. Hassard, Member for Pelly-Nisutlin:

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to examine the establishment of a Dogs for Drug Free Schools program, similar to that program currently being used in Medicine Hat, Alberta. **(Motion #640)**

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Cathers	Lang	Duncan	
Taylor	Hart	Hardy	
Kenyon	Rouble	Peter	12
Edzerza	Hassard	Cardiff	
NAY			
			0

The Assembly adjourned at 5:41 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, May 11, 2006.

No. 205

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Thursday, May 11, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Changes to Order Paper - withdrawal of Motion)

Prior to proceeding with the Daily Routine, the Speaker informed the House that Motion the for Production of Papers #43, standing in the name of Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, was withdrawn from the Order Paper as the documents requested had been provided to the Members of the House.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Community Services

- Meadow Lakes Golf Inc. - land development: communications re (dated March 21, 2006, March 27, 2006, and March 30, 2006) between Hon. Glenn Hart, Minister of Community Services, Marc Tremblay, Deputy Minister of Community Services and David Jones, Conflict of Interest Commissioner
(Filed Document #140)

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Taylor, Minister of Tourism and Culture:

THAT the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly be amended, effective the next sitting day after this motion is adopted, by replacing Standing Order 2(1) with the following:

- 2(1) The time for the meeting of the Assembly shall be 1:00 p.m. on each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday unless otherwise ordered. The normal hour of adjournment shall be 5:30 p.m.. **(Motion #689)**

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Fentie	Hart	McRobb
Cathers	Rouble	Fairclough
Taylor	Hassard	Hardy
Edzerza	Mitchell	Peter
Lang	Duncan	Cardiff
NAY		
Kenyon		1

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 6:00 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Monday, May 15, 2006.

No. 206

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Monday, May 15, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Police Week

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Justice, recognized Police Week as being May 14, 2006 to May 20, 2006.

In remembrance of Bill Reid

Ms. Duncan, Member for Porter Creek South, on behalf of all Members, paid tribute to long-time Yukoner, Bill Reid, who passed away on February 18, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 16, 2006.

No. 207

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Tuesday, May 16, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

FILED DOCUMENTS

During Question Period, the following documents were filed:

Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition:

- Big Game Outfitting policy, letters re (dated April 27, 2003 and April 8, 2003) between Hon. Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources and Rose Kushniruk, Chair, Alsek Renewable Resource Council **(Filed Document #141)**

Mr. Hardy, Leader of the Third Party:

- Consultation Protocol (undated and unsigned) between the Tr'ondëk Hwëch'in and the Government of Yukon **(Filed Document #142)**

NOTICE RE OPPOSITION PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Mrs. Peter, Third Party House Leader, informed the House that the Third Party Members did not wish to identify any items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 17, 2006.

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(3), Ms. Duncan, Official Opposition House Leader, informed the House that the Third Party Members did not wish to identify any items to be called during Opposition Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 17, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:31 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 17, 2006.

No. 208

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Wednesday, May 17, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

National Emergency Medical Services Week

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Minister of Health and Social Services, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 15, 2006 to May 21, 2006 as National Emergency Medical Services Week.

In remembrance of John Brown

Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, paid tribute to life-long Yukoner, John Brown who passed away in March 2005.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Highways and Public Works

- Queen's Printer Agency 2006/2007 Business Plan **(Sessional Paper #220)**

Mr. Mitchell, Leader of the Official Opposition

- Big Game Outfitting land application policy: letter (dated May 16, 2006) from Arthur Mitchell, MLA, Copperbelt, to David Jones, Yukon Conflict of Interest Commissioner, regarding advice to Hon. Archie Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources **(Filed Document #143)**

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #19 - Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Third Reading)

The following Bill was read a third time and passed:

Bill #19 - Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:31 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Thursday, May 18, 2006.

No. 209

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Thursday, May 18, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

International Museums Day

The Hon. Ms. Taylor, Minister of Tourism and Culture, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 18, 2006 as International Museums Day.

Yukon Mining and Geology Week

The Hon. Mr. Lang, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 23, 2006 to May 27, 2006 as Yukon Mining and Geology Week.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Mr. Fairclough, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

- Big Game Outfitting Land Application Policy, documents dated April 1, 2006 and October 6, 2005 **(Filed Document #144)**

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT (Re: Ethics)

Prior to proceeding with Question Period, the Hon. Ted Staffen, Speaker, made the following statement:

"Before the House proceeds to Question Period, the Chair would like to make a statement about events that occurred during yesterday's Question Period. At that time, both the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Premier made comments that questioned the ethical behaviour of the other. The Chair has at times during this sitting cautioned Members about personalizing this debate. This leads to discord as happened during Question Period yesterday.

The Chair will also remind Members of a ruling given to this House on May 4, 2006. At that time, the Chair informed Members that it is not in order to question the ethics of other Members. If Members wish to discuss ethics, they should do so in the context of a debate on a bill or a motion that addresses that issue. In any other context, a negative reflection on a Member's ethics will be considered out of order.

We will now proceed with Question Period."

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 23, 2006.

No. 210

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Tuesday, May 23, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

Aboriginal Awareness Week

Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin, on behalf of all Members, recognized May 23, 2006 to May 26, 2006 as Aboriginal Awareness Week.

In remembrance of Bessie Allen

Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, paid tribute to Bessie Allen, an elder of the Champagne and Aishihik First Nations, who passed away on May 2, 2005.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Staffen, Speaker

- Ombudsman and Information and Privacy Commissioner 2005 Annual Report
(Sessional Paper #221)

Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Highways and Public Works

- Fleet Vehicle Agency 2006/2007 Business Plan (Sessional Paper #222)

NOTICE RE GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.2(7), the Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, informed the House that the Government Private Members did not wish to identify any items to be called during Government Private Members' Business on Wednesday, May 24, 2006.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, 2006.

No. 211

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

of the

YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

31st Legislative Assembly

First Session

Wednesday, May 24, 2006

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:00 p.m.

TRIBUTES

National Public Works Week

The Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister for Highways and Public Works, recognized May 21, 2006 to May 27, 2006 as National Public Works Week.

In remembrance of Fraser Ralston Pollard

Mr. McRobb, Member for Kluane, paid tribute to Fraser Ralston Pollard, a long-time Yukoner, who passed away in 2005.

Congratulations to Yukon Graduates

The Hon. Mr. Edzerza, Minister of Education, congratulated all Yukon graduates on their achievements.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Kenyon, Minister of Economic Development

- Community Development Fund legislative commitments made May 4, 2006 on Hansard page 6122; Project Approvals by Community covering the period June 23, 2003 to May 23, 2006 and Annual Report covering the period June 23, 2003 to March 31, 2005: letter from Hon. Jim Kenyon, Minister of Economic Development to Eric Fairclough, MLA Mayo-Tatchun **(Filed Document #145)**

Hon. Mr. Hart, Minister of Highways and Public Works

- Property Management Agency 2006/2007 Business Plan **(Sessional Paper #223)**

Mr. Fairclough, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

- Big Game Outfitting Land Application Policy: letter dated (May 23, 2006) from Council of Yukon First Nations Grand Chief Andy Carvill to Hon. Dennis Fentie, Premier, Government of Yukon **(Filed Document #146)**
- Consultation procedures **(Filed Document #147)**

Mr. Mitchell, Member for Copperbelt

- Consultation process, failure of: letter (dated May 24, 2006) from concerned residents of the Haines Junction area to Hon. Dennis Fentie, Premier

(Filed Document #148)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The Committee agreed to report the following Bills without amendment:

Bill #68 - Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act

-Hon. Mr. Hart

Bill #69 - Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act

-Hon. Mr. Cathers

The Committee agreed to report progress on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The Committee agreed to report the following Bill without amendment:

Bill #70 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)

-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The Committee resumed consideration of Bill #20.

Termination of Committee Proceedings as per Standing Order 76(1)

The Chair made the following statement:

“Order please. The time has reached 5:00 p.m. on this the 30th day of the 2006 Spring Sitting. Standing Order 76(1) states: ‘On the day that the Assembly has reached the maximum number of sitting days allocated for that Sitting pursuant to Standing Order 75, the Chair of the Committee of the Whole, if the Assembly is in Committee of the Whole at the time, shall interrupt proceedings at 5:00 p.m. and, with respect to each Government Bill before Committee that the Government House Leader directs to be called, shall:

- (a) put the question on any amendment then before the Committee;
- (b) put the question, without debate or amendment, on a motion moved by a Minister that the Bill, including all clauses, schedules, title and preamble, be deemed to be read and carried;
- (c) put the question on a motion moved by a Minister that the Bill be reported to the Assembly; and
- (d) when all Bills have been dealt with, recall the Speaker to the Chair to report on the proceedings of the Committee.

It is the duty of the Chair to now conduct the business of the Committee of the Whole in the manner directed by Standing Order 76(1).

The Chair would now ask the Government House Leader to indicate whether Bill #20, the only Bill now before the Committee of the Whole, should be called.”

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, identified Bill #20, entitled First Appropriation Act, 2006-07 to be called at this time.

The Committee agreed to report the following Bill without amendment:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The following Bills were reported without amendment:

Bill #68 - Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart

Bill #69 - Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers

Bill #70 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The report of the Chair was adopted.

SPEAKER'S STATEMENT

THIRD READING OF BILLS AS PER STANDING ORDER 76(2)

"Standing Order 76(2) states: 'On the sitting day that the Assembly has reached the maximum number of sitting days allocated for the Sitting pursuant to Standing Order 75, the Speaker of the Assembly, when recalled to the Chair after the House has been in Committee of the Whole, shall:

- (d) with respect to each Government Bill standing on the Order Paper for Third Reading and designated to be called by the Government House Leader,
 - (i) receive a motion for a Third Reading and passage of the Bill, and
 - (ii) put the question, without debate or amendment, on that motion.'

I shall, therefore, ask the Government House Leader to identify which of the Bills now standing at Third Reading, the Government wishes to be called."

The Hon. Mr. Cathers, Government House Leader, identified Bill numbers 20, 70, 68 and 69, to be called at this time.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Third Reading)

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #20 - First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The question being put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #20, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Edzerza	Rouble	
Cathers	Lang	Hassard	10
Taylor	Hart	Jenkins	
Kenyon			

NAY			
Mitchell	Fairclough	Peter	
Duncan	Hardy	Cardiff	7
McRobb			

Bill #20, entitled First Appropriation Act, 2006-07, accordingly, passed the House.

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #70 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

The question being put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #70, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA			
Fentie	Rouble	Fairclough	
Cathers	Hassard	Hardy	
Kenyon	Mitchell	Peter	16
Edzerza	Duncan	Cardiff	
Lang	McRobb	Jenkins	
Hart			

NAY			
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Bill #70, entitled Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006), accordingly, passed the House.

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #68 - Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart

The question being put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #68, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Hart	Fairclough	
Cathers	Rouble	Hardy	
Taylor	Hassard	Peter	17
Kenyon	Mitchell	Cardiff	
Edzerza	Duncan	Jenkins	
Lang	McRobb		

NAY

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Bill #68, entitled Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act, accordingly, passed the House.

The following Bill was called for Third Reading:

Bill #69 - Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers

The question being put on the motion for Third Reading of Bill #69, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Fentie	Hart	Fairclough	
Cathers	Rouble	Hardy	
Taylor	Hassard	Peter	17
Kenyon	Mitchell	Cardiff	
Edzerza	Duncan	Jenkins	
Lang	McRobb		

NAY

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Bill #69, entitled Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act, accordingly, passed the House.

ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner, the Hon. Geraldine Van Bibber, in her capacity as Lieutenant-Governor, to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took her seat in the Speaker's chair.

The Speaker, the Hon. Ted Staffen, addressed the Commissioner:

"Madam Commissioner, the Assembly has, at its present Session, passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly, Patrick L. Michael, then read the titles of the Bills which had been passed severally as follows:

Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods Act
Act to Amend the Securities Act
Third Appropriation Act, 2005-06
First Appropriation Act, 2006-07
Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2006)
Act to Repeal the Physiotherapists Act
Canadian Blood Services Indemnification Act

The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"I hereby Assent to the Bills as enumerated by the Clerk."

ADJOURNMENT OF THE SITTING

The Speaker called the House to order and stated:

"As the House has reached the maximum number of days permitted for the Fall Sitting, as established pursuant to Standing Order 75(3), and the House had completed consideration of the designated legislation, it is the duty of the Chair to declare that this House now stands adjourned."

The Assembly adjourned at 5:26 p.m.