

Legislative Assembly Assemblée législative

No. 31

Votes and Proceedings

THIRD SESSION OF THE EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

May 29, 2018

The Assembly commenced sitting at 1:30 pm.

Ministers' Statements

- 77-18(3) The Minister of Infrastructure made a statement regarding the 2030 Energy Strategy.
- 78-18(3) The Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs made a statement regarding the Tuktoyaktuk Shoreline Relocation Project.

Members' Statements

- 271-18(3) The Member for Yellowknife North made a statement with regard to banning smoking in vehicles with minors.
- 272-18(3) The Member for Tu Nedhé-Wiilideh made a statement regarding the Yellowknife Common Ground employment program.
- 273-18(3) The Member for Yellowknife Centre made a statement regarding the mandate of the Status of Women Council.
- 274-18(3) The Member for Nahendeh made a statement regarding the Samba K'e community gym.
- 275-18(3) The Member for Frame Lake made a statement regarding the Government of the Northwest Territories role in environmental assessment.

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- 276-18(3) The Member for Sahtu made a statement regarding Sahtu regional operations.
- 277-18(3) The Member for Kam Lake made a statement regarding local addictions treatment options.
- 278-18(3) The Member for Mackenzie Delta made a statement regarding Dempster Highway brush clearing.
- 279-18(3) The Member for Hay River North made a statement regarding Hay River dialysis treatment services.

Reports of Standing and Special Committees

7-18(3) Standing Committee on Government Operations and Standing Committee on Social Development Report on the Review of Bill 6: *Cannabis Legalization and Regulation Implementation Act*

<u>Acknowledgements</u>

8-18(3) The member for Nahendeh acknowledged John and Louisa Moreau on their 50th anniversary.

Petitions

2-18(3) The Member for Kam Lake presented a petition regarding an addictions treatment centre.

Reports of Committees on the Review of Bills

Bill 6:

The Member for Kam Lake reported that the Standing Committee on Government Operations and the Standing Committee on Social Development had reviewed Bill 6: *Cannabis Legalization and Regulation Implementation Act*, and that Bill 6 was ready for consideration in Committee of the Whole.

Tabling of Documents

- 193-18(3) Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures), No. 2, 2018-2019. Tabled by the Minister of Finance.
- 194-18(3) Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures), No. 2, 2018-2019. Tabled by the Minister of Finance.
- 195-18(3) Northwest Territories Manufacturing Strategy: What We Heard Report, Summary of notes and findings, January 2018. Tabled by the Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment.

- 196-18(3) Letter dated April 10, 2018 from ADM Planning and Coordination, Department of Lands, to the Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board regarding the Government of the Northwest Territories decision-making structure for the Tłįcho All-Season Road Project. Tabled by the Member for Frame Lake.
- 197-18(3) Letter dated April 30, 2018 from Regional Superintendent, North Slave Region, Department of Infrastructure, to Minister of Lands regarding Mackenzie Valley Environmental Impact Review Board's Report of Environmental Assessment and Reasons for Decision, GNWT Tłįcho All Season Road Project, EA 1617-01, March 29, 2018. Tabled by the Member for Frame Lake.

Notices of Motion

17-18(3) Inuvik to Tuktoyaktuk Highway Referral to the Office of the Auditor General.

Notice given by the Member for Kam Lake.

18-18(3) Appointment of Members to the NWT Honours Advisory Council.

Notice given by the Member for Mackenzie Delta.

Notices of Motion for First Reading of Bills

Bill 20: Ombudsperson Act

Notice given by Minister of Justice.

Bill 21: An Act to Amend the Northwest Territories Business Development and Investment Corporation Act

Notice given by Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment.

<u>Motions</u>

16-18(3) Smoking in Vehicles with Minors Present

Moved by the Member for Yellowknife North.

NOW THEREFORE, I MOVE, seconded by the honourable Member for Deh Cho, that that the 18th Legislative Assembly recommends that the *Tobacco Control Act* be amended to include a prohibition on smoking in a vehicle when a minor is present; AND FURTHER, that the Government of the Northwest Territories respond to this motion within 120 days.

The Member for Yellowknife North requested a recorded vote. The results of the recorded vote were:

Members for: Mr. Simpson, Mr. Blake, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Vanthuyne, Mr. Testart, Mr. Beaulieu, Mr. Thompson, Mr. O'Reilly, Ms. Green, Mr. Nadli, Mr. Nakimayak, Honourable A. Moses, Honourable C. Cochrane, Honourable G. Abernethy, Honourable R. R. McLeod, Honourable R. C. McLeod, Honourable W. Schumann, Honourable L. Sebert. (18)

Members against: (0)

Members abstaining: (0)

The motion was CARRIED.

First Reading of Bills

Bill 19:

An Act to Amend the Revolving Funds Act

Introduced by Minister of Finance.

Second Reading of Bills

Bill 13: An Act to Amend the Securities Act

Bill 14: Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2018

Bill 15: Document Formalization, Service and Notice Reform Statute Law Amendment Act

Bill 16: An Act to Amend the Social Assistance Act

Bill 17: An Act to Amend the Student Financial Assistance Act

Bill 18: An Act to Amend the Cities, Towns and Villages Act

Consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bills and Other Matters

The Committee of the Whole considered Tabled Document 193-18(3), Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures) No. 2, 2018-2019; and Tabled Document 194-18(3), Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures) No. 2, 2018-2019 with two motions being adopted.

Committee Motion 49-18(3)

The Member for Tu Nedhé-Wiilideh moved the following motion:

I MOVE that consideration of Tabled Document 193-18(3), Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures), No. 2, 2018-2019 be now concluded and that Tabled Document 193-18(3) be reported and recommended as ready for further consideration in formal session through the form of an appropriation bill.

The motion was CARRIED.

Committee Motion 50-18(3)

The Member for Tu Nedhé-Wiilideh moved the following motion:

I MOVE that consideration of Tabled Document 194-18(3), Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures), No. 2, 2018-2019 be now concluded and that Tabled Document 194-18(3) be reported and recommended as ready for further consideration in a formal session through the form of an appropriation bill.

The motion was CARRIED.

The Chair reported progress, that consideration of Tabled Documents 193-18(3) and 194-18(3) was concluded, that the House concurred on those estimates, and that appropriation bills to be based thereon be introduced without delay.

Third Reading of Bills

Bill 5:

An Act to Amend the Summary Conviction Procedures Act

Motion 19-18(3) Amend Clause 2 of Bill 5: An Act to Amend the Summary Conviction Procedures Act

Moved by the Member for Nahendeh.

I MOVE, seconded by the honourable Member for Yellowknife Centre, that Clause 2 of Bill 5, *An Act to Amend the Summary Conviction Procedures Act*, be amended in the English version of proposed section 1.1 by striking out "an administrative monetary penalty for the contravention of the bylaw" and substituting "an administrative monetary penalty regime applicable to contraventions of that bylaw". The Member for Nahendeh requested a recorded vote. The results of the recorded vote were:

Members for: Mr. Simpson, Mr. Blake, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Vanthuyne, Mr. Testart, Mr. Beaulieu, Mr. Thompson, Mr. O'Reilly, Ms. Green, Mr. Nakimayak, Honourable A. Moses, Honourable C. Cochrane, Honourable G. Abernethy, Honourable R. R. McLeod, Honourable R. C. McLeod, Honourable W. Schumann, Honourable L. Sebert. (17)

Members against: (0)

Members abstaining: (0)

The motion was CARRIED.

The Minister of Justice requested a recorded vote on third reading of Bill 5. The results of the recorded vote were:

Members for: Mr. Simpson, Mr. Blake, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Vanthuyne, Mr. Testart, Mr. Beaulieu, Mr. Thompson, Mr. O'Reilly, Ms. Green, Mr. Nakimayak, Honourable A. Moses, Honourable C. Cochrane, Honourable G. Abernethy, Honourable R. R. McLeod, Honourable R. C. McLeod, Honourable W. Schumann, Honourable L. Sebert. (17)

Members against: (0)

Members abstaining: (0)

The motion was CARRIED.

The Speaker adjourned the House at 8:44 pm.

Hon. Jackson Lafferty Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

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Tim Mercer Clerk of the Legislative Assembly