

- 615-18(3) The Member for Deh Cho made a statement honouring the words of the late Elsei Gargan.
- 616-18(3) The Member for Nunakput made a statement recognizing youth advocate Chiquita Gruben.
- 617-18(3) The Member for Mackenzie Delta made a statement regarding community FireSmart funding.
- 618-18(3) The Member for Yellowknife Centre made a statement regarding International Women's Day and the Special Committee to Increase Representation of Women in the Legislative Assembly.

Tabling of Documents

- 379-18(3) Letter from President and CEO, Canadian Life and Health Insurance Association to Assistant Deputy Minister, Justice regarding Genetics and Insurance, dated March 5, 2019. Tabled by the Minister of Justice.
- 380-18(3) Follow-up Letter for Oral Question 619-18(3): National Energy Board Regulatory Authority in the Northwest Territories. Tabled by the Minister of Justice.

First Reading of Bills

- Bill 44: *Forest Act*
Introduced by Minister of Environment and Natural Resources. The motion was CARRIED.
- Bill 45: *Corrections Act*
Introduced by Minister of Justice. The motion was CARRIED.

Second Reading of Bills

- Bill 42: *An Act to Amend the Petroleum Products Act*
The motion was CARRIED.
- Bill 43: *An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act*
The motion was CARRIED.

Consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bills and Other Matters

The Committee of the Whole considered Tabled Document 322-18(3): Main Estimates, 2019-2020; Bill 31: *Northwest Territories 9-1-1 Act*; and Committee Report 13-18(3): Standing Committee on Government Operations Report on the Review of Bill 31: *Northwest Territories 9-1-1 Act*, and reported progress with four motions adopted, that Committee Report 13-18(3) is concluded, that Bill 31 is ready for third reading, that consideration of Tabled Document 322-18(3) is concluded, that the House concur in those estimates and that an appropriation bill to be based thereon be introduced without delay.

Committee Motion 90-18(3)

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

I MOVE that consideration of Tabled Document 322-18(3), Main Estimates, 2019-2020 be now concluded and that Tabled Document 322-18(3) be reported as ready for further consideration in formal session through the form of an appropriation bill.

The motion was CARRIED.

Committee Motion 91-18(3)

The Member for Kam Lake moved the following motion:

I MOVE that this Assembly recommends that the Department of Municipal and Community Affairs work with the Department of Finance to develop a strategic approach designed to secure support and funding to expand cellular coverage in the Northwest Territories, as part of a national cellular network;

AND FURTHER, that this strategic approach identify current cellular coverage, along with funding needs and goals for future cellular coverage, and timelines associated with system improvements;

AND FURTHERMORE, that this strategic approach consider appropriate ways to involve the Government of Canada, the Canadian Radio-Television and Telecommunications Commission (CRTC) and large cellular service providers such as Telus and Bell Canada in any system-improvement efforts.

The motion was CARRIED.

Committee Motion 92-18(3)

The Member for Kam Lake moved the following motion:

I MOVE that this Assembly recommends that the Department of Municipal and Community Affairs develop a detailed municipal implementation plan that sets out the information and supports needed by each local authority to ensure successful implementation of NWT-wide 9-1-1 service.

AND FURTHER, that this implementation plan identify a realistic timeframe for discussion with local authorities and that the Department be prepared to adjust the go-live date to a later date, if necessary, to accommodate the consultation needs of local authorities.

The motion was CARRIED.

Committee Motion 93-18(3)

The Member for Kam Lake moved the following motion:

I MOVE that this Assembly recommends that the Department of Municipal and Community Affairs provide a response to the recommendations contained in this report within 120 days.

The motion was CARRIED.

The Speaker adjourned the House at 1:49 pm.



Hon. Jackson Lafferty
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly



Tim Mercer
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly