

Votes and Proceedings

SECOND SESSION OF THE EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

June 9, 2016

The Assembly commenced sitting at 1:30 pm.

Ministers' Statements

- 45-18(2) The Minister of Health and Social Services made a statement regarding amendments to the *Child and Family Services Act*.
- 46-18(2) The Minister of Municipal and Community Affairs made a statement celebrating 50 years of partnership with the Northwest Territories Association of Communities.
- 47-18(2) The Deputy Premier made a statement regarding the absence of Premier McLeod from the House.

Members' Statements

- 180-18(2) The Member for Tu Nedhe-Wiilideh made a statement regarding remediation of the Pine Point mine and town sites.
- 181-18(2) The Member for Frame Lake made a statement regarding the future of renewable energy in the North Slave Region.
- 182-18(2) The Member for Mackenzie Delta made a statement regarding the cultural importance of hide tanning workshops.
- 183-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife North made a statement regarding the Canadian Cancer Society Relay for Life 2016.

- 184-18(2) The Member for Deh Cho made a statement regarding the K'aagee Tu Protected Area.
- 185-18(2) The Member for Kam Lake made a statement regarding a plan to address the high cost of power.
- 186-18(2) The Member for Nunakput made a statement regarding housing needs in Nunakput.
- 187-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife Centre made a statement regarding allocation of lottery proceeds.

Acknowledgements

- 7-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife North acknowledged Legal Aid Leader Award recipient Jeannette Savoie.

Replies to Budget Address

- 5-18(2) The Member for Sahtu delivered a reply to the Budget Address.
- 6-18(2) The Member for Hay River North delivered a reply to the Budget Address.
- 7-18(2) The Member for Kam Lake delivered a reply to the Budget Address.
- 8-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife North delivered a reply to the Budget Address.

Motions

- 15-18(2) Reappointment of Human Rights Commission Members. Moved by the Member for Yellowknife Centre.

NOW THEREFORE I MOVE, seconded by the honourable Member for Thebacha, that the Legislative Assembly recommend the reappointment of the following individuals to the Northwest Territories Human Rights Commission:

Ms. Marion Berls of the Town of Fort Smith, for a term of four years; and
Mr. Charles Dent of the City of Yellowknife, for a term of four years;

AND FURTHER, that the Speaker be authorized to communicate the effective date of these appointments to the Commissioner.

Question being called; the motion was CARRIED.

16-18(2) Appointment of Equal Pay Commissioner. Moved by the Member for Mackenzie Delta.

NOW THEREFORE I MOVE, seconded by the honourable Member for Range Lake, that Ms. Nitya Iyer be appointed as the Equal Pay Commissioner in accordance with the Public Service Act by the Commissioner of the Northwest Territories as recommended by the Legislative Assembly.

AND FURTHER that the Speaker be authorized to communicate the effective date of the appointment to the Commissioner.

Question being called; the Motion was CARRIED.

17-18(2) Extended Adjournment of the House to June 13, 2016. Moved by the Member for Yellowknife Centre.

I MOVE, seconded by the Honourable Member for Hay River South, that, notwithstanding Rule 4, when this House adjourns on June 9, 2016, it shall be adjourned until Monday, June 13, 2016;


AND FURTHER, that any time prior to June 13, 2016, if the Speaker is satisfied, after consultation with the Executive Council and Members of the Legislative Assembly, that the public interest requires that the House should meet at an earlier time during the adjournment, the Speaker may give notice and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated in such notice and shall transact its business as it has been duly adjourned to that time.

Question being called; the Motion was CARRIED.

Consideration in Committee of the Whole
of Bills and Other Matters

The Committee of the Whole considered Tabled Document 50-18(2), Main Estimates, 2016-2017. The Chair reported progress.

The Speaker adjourned the House at 5:06 pm.



Hon. Jackson Lafferty
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly



Tim Mercer
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly