

## Votes and Proceedings

### SECOND SESSION OF THE EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

June 1, 2017

The Assembly commenced sitting at 1:30 pm.

#### Ministers' Statements

- 188-18(2) The Minister of Infrastructure made a statement regarding Government of the Northwest Territories marine transportation services.
- 189-18(2) The Minister responsible for Seniors made a statement regarding Senior Citizens Month.
- 190-18(2) The Minister of Lands made a statement regarding the Recreational Leasing Management Framework.

#### Members' Statements

- 703-18(2) The Member for Nunakput made a statement regarding marine pollution.
- 704-18(2) The Member for Nahendeh offered a tribute to Education Hall of Fame inductee Teresa Jaffray and recognized high school graduates in Fort Liard and Fort Simpson.
- 705-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife North made a statement about preparing for economic growth.
- 706-18(2) The Member for Sahtu made a statement regarding tourism potential in the Sahtu region.

- 707-18(2) The Member for Frame Lake made a statement about housing issues in Northlands Trailer Park.
- 708-18(2) The Member for Mackenzie Delta made a statement regarding the 'Voices on Housing' – NWT Housing Corporation Engagement Survey Results Report.
- 709-18(2) The Member for Kam Lake made a statement regarding implementation of a territorial immigration strategy.
- 710-18(2) The Member for Yellowknife Centre made a statement regarding a family violence survey.

#### Acknowledgements

- 24-18(2) The Member for Nahendeh acknowledged 2017 Premier's Award for Collaboration recipient Bernice Hardisty-Isaiah.
- 25-18(2) The Member for Hay River North recognized Dr. Matthew Scarborough, PhD graduate of Cambridge University.

#### Reports of Standing and Special Committees

- 12-18(2) Standing Committee on Priorities and Planning Report on the Progress Review of the Mandate of the Government of the Northwest Territories, 2016-2019.

#### Tabled Documents

- 389-18(2) Progress Report on the Mandate of the Government of the Northwest Territories – June 2017. Tabled by the Premier.
- 390-18(2) NWT Health Services Patient Experience Report 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Health and Social Services.
- 391-18(2) Status Report on the Implementation of the *Health Information Act*, October 2015 to October 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Health and Social Services.
- 392-18(2) NWT On the Land Collaborative 2017 Report. Tabled by the Minister of Health and Social Services.

- 393-18(2) Socio-Economic Agreements Implementation Report 2016 Annual Report – Ekati, Diavik, Snap Lake and Gahcho Kué. Tabled by the Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment.
- 394-18(2) Beaufort-Delta Education Council Consolidated Annual Financial Report, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 395-18(2) Commission scolaire francophone Territories du Nord-Ouest Consolidated Financial Statements, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 396-18(2) Dettah District Education Authority Consolidated Financial Statements, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 397-18(2) Consolidated Financial Statements of Dehcho Divisional Education Council, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 398-18(2) K'alemi Dene School (Ndilo District Education Authority) Consolidated Financial Statements, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 399-18(2) Consolidated Financial Statements of Sahtu Divisional Education Council, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 400-18(2) South Slave Divisional Education Council Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 401-18(2) Tlicho Community Services Agency Education Division Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.

- 402-18(2) Yellowknife Catholic Schools (Yellowknife Public Denominational District Education Authority) Annual Financial Report, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 403-18(2) Yellowknife District No.1 Education Authority (Yellowknife Education District No. 1) Financial Statements, June 30, 2016. Tabled by the Minister of Education, Culture and Employment.
- 404-18(2) 2017-18 School Funding Framework Finance and Administration Manual, Education Authorities. Tabled by the Member for Frame Lake.
- 405-18(2) Modernizing Election Administration in the Northwest Territories – Supplementary Recommendations. Tabled by the Speaker.

#### First Reading of Bills

- Bill 28: *Interpretation Act*. Introduced by Minister of Justice.
- Bill 29: *Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2017*. Introduced by Minister of Justice.
- Bill 30: *Health Statutes Law Amendment Act (Cremation Services)*. Introduced by Member for Frame Lake.

#### Consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bills and Other Matters

The Committee of the Whole considered Tabled Document 383-18(2), Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures), No. 2, 2017-2018; Tabled Document 384-18(2), Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures), No. 2, 2017-2018; Bill 15, *An Act to Amend the Tobacco Tax Act*; and Bill 26, *An Act to Amend the Revolving Funds Act, No. 2*, and reported progress with two motions carried, that Bills 15 and 26 were ready for third reading, that consideration of Tabled Documents 383-18(2) and 384-18(2) was concluded, that the House concurred on those estimates and that an appropriation bill to be based thereon be introduced without delay.

#### Third Reading of Bills

- Bill 16: *An Act to Amend the Education Act*


The Minister of Education, Culture and Employment requested a recorded vote. The results of the recorded vote were:

Members for: Mr. Simpson, Mr. Blake, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Vanthuyne, Mr. Testart, Mr. Thompson, Mr. O'Reilly, 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. (16)

Members against: (0)

Members opposed: Ms. Green (1)

The Speaker adjourned the House at 5:48 pm.



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Hon. Jackson Lafferty  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly



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Tim Mercer  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly