



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

No. 29

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

First Session

Twenty-Fifth Legislature

Monday, November 19, 2001

The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier:

Letter dated November 19, 2001, from Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, to Wally Buono, Coach and General Manager, Calgary Stampeders, congratulating the Stampeder organization on winning the Canadian Football League Western Final on November 18, 2001, and wishing the team luck in the Grey Cup being held on November 25, 2001

Sessional Paper 406/2001

Letter dated November 19, 2001, from Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, to the Honourable Gary Doer, Manitoba Premier, proposing a challenge to Mr. Doer regarding the 2001 Grey Cup game between the Winnipeg Blue Bombers and the Calgary Stampeders

Sessional Paper 407/2001

Hon. Mr. Dunford, Minister of Human Resources and Employment, pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act, cW-16, s87(3)(4):

Workers' Compensation Board, 2000 Annual Report

Sessional Paper 408/2001

Hon. Mr. Melchin, Minister of Revenue:

Responses to questions raised on May 23, 2001, Department of Revenue, 2001-02
Committee of Supply debate

Sessional Paper 409/2001

Hon. Mr. Boutilier, Minister of Municipal Affairs:

Alberta Boilers Safety Association, Annual Report 2000

Sessional Paper 410/2001

Hon. Mr. Hancock, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, pursuant to the Legal
Profession Act, cL-9.1, s5(4):

The Law Society of Alberta, Annual Report 2000

Sessional Paper 411/2001

Hon. Mr. Hancock, Minister of Justice and Attorney General, pursuant to the Legal
Profession Act, cL-9.1, s120(2):

Alberta Law Foundation, Twenty Eighth Annual Report, 2001 (Fiscal Year Ended
March 31st)

Sessional Paper 412/2001

Mr. Cao, Hon. Member for Calgary-Fort:

Report, undated, entitled "Lobbyist Report II" prepared by Allan P. Jobson,
Lobbyist, regarding the Workers' Compensation Board

Sessional Paper 413/2001

Mrs. Tarchuk, Chair, Select Standing Committee on Legislative Offices, pursuant to
the Auditor General Act, cA-49, s19(4):

Auditor General of Alberta, Annual Report 2000-2001

Sessional Paper 414/2001

Mrs. Tarchuk, Chair, Select Standing Committee on Legislative Offices, pursuant to
the Election Act, cE-2, s4(3):

Report of the Chief Electoral Officer on the 2000 Provincial Confirmation Process
and Monday, March 12, 2001 Provincial General Election of the Twenty-fifth
Legislative Assembly

Sessional Paper 415/2001

Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie:

Letter dated October 1, 2001, from Dorothy Ackerman of Edmonton to
Ms Carlson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Ellerslie, requesting Government funds
for interpreting services for the deaf

Sessional Paper 416/2001

Mr. MacDonald, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Gold Bar:

Letter dated June 11, 2001, from Hon. Dr. Oberg, Minister of Learning, to E. Eleanor Iftody of Edmonton responding to questions raised in Ms Iftody's recent letter to Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, requesting information on calculating teachers' pensions, and changes to benefits or plan funding

Sessional Paper 417/2001

Letter dated May 17, 2001, from Hon. Mr. Klein, Premier, to E. Eleanor Iftody of Edmonton advising that her recent letter had been forwarded to Hon. Dr. Oberg, Minister of Learning, for his direct response

Sessional Paper 418/2001

Mr. Bonner, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glengarry:

Letter dated September 4, 2001, from Sandra Badun of Edmonton, also signed by 29 health care professionals and parents, to all Members of the Legislative Assembly, expressing support for Bill 209, Highway Traffic (Bicycle Safety Helmet) Amendment Act, 2001

Sessional Paper 419/2001

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona:

Report dated November 9, 2001, entitled "Submission to the Romanow Commission on Health Care in Canada" prepared by S.A.L.T. (Seniors Action and Liaison Team)

Sessional Paper 420/2001

Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly:

Letter dated November 19, 2001, from Hon. Mr. Kowalski, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, to Celebrate the Season participants advising that Christmas caroling in the Legislature Building will continue after a review of security plans, with an attached brochure outlining Christmas activities to be held this year at the Legislature

Sessional Paper 421/2001

Letter dated November 15, 2001, from Peter Valentine, FCA, Auditor General, providing notice of his resignation pursuant to Section 4 of the Auditor General Act

Sessional Paper 422/2001

Oral Question Period

During Oral Question Period, Hon. Mr. Smith, Minister of Energy, tabled the following:

Chart dated November 19, 2001, entitled "Oil and Gas Price Monitoring" listing power pool prices for today

Sessional Paper 423/2001

Recognitions

Mr. Johnson, Hon. Member for Wetaskiwin-Camrose: National Addictions Awareness Week, November 18-24, 2001

Ms Blakeman, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Centre: National Addictions Awareness Week, November 18-24, 2001

Mr. Hutton, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Glenora: Inskip Spencer, Westmount Community League Volunteer of the Year 2001 Award recipient

Dr. Pannu, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Strathcona: Dr. David Schindler, University of Alberta professor of ecology, on being awarded the 2001 Gerhard Herzberg Canada gold medal for science and engineering

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

On the motion that the following Bill be now read a Second time:

Bill 25 Victims Restitution and Compensation Payment Act (\$) — Hon. Mr. Hancock

Hon. Mr. Hancock moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill 23 Regulated Accounting Profession Amendment Act, 2001 — Mr. Lord

Bill 26 Trustee Amendment Act, 2001 — Hon. Mr. Hancock

Bill 25 Victims Restitution and Compensation Payment Act (\$) — Hon. Mr. Hancock

Bill 24 Regulated Forestry Profession Amendment Act, 2001 — Mr. Strang

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mr. Zwozdesky, Deputy Government House Leader, that it be called 5:30 p.m., it was agreed at 4:54 p.m. that when the Assembly reconvened at 8:00 p.m. it would be in Committee of the Whole and the Speaker left the Chair.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2001 — 8:00 P.M.

Government Bills and Orders

Committee of the Whole

(Assembly in Committee)

And after some time spent therein, the Acting Speaker assumed the Chair.

The following Bills were reported:

- Bill 22 Builders' Lien Amendment Act, 2001 — Mr. Ducharme
- Bill 23 Regulated Accounting Profession Amendment Act, 2001 — Mr. Lord
- Bill 24 Regulated Forestry Profession Amendment Act, 2001 — Mr. Strang
- Bill 26 Trustee Amendment Act, 2001 — Hon. Mr. Hancock
- Bill 25 Victims Restitution and Compensation Payment Act (\$) — Hon. Mr. Hancock

Adjournment

On motion by Hon. Mrs. McClellan, Acting Government House Leader, the Assembly adjourned at 8:45 p.m. until Tuesday, November 20, 2001, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Ken Kowalski,
Speaker

Title: Monday, November 19, 2001