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Resignation of Claude DesRosiers as Clerk of the Legislative Assembly – November 2, 2006 [p.371].

That the Clerk had received notification from the Member for Niagara Centre of his intention to file notice of a reasoned amendment to the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne l'Assemblée législative, pursuant to Standing Order 69(b) – December 13, 2006 [p.431].

That the Clerk had received notice of a reasoned amendment to the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne l'Assemblée législative, pursuant to Standing Order 69(c) – December 14, 2006 [p.436].

That he has laid upon the Table:


Order in Council appointing Commissioners to the Board of Internal Economy – November 1, 2005 [p.60], February 13, 2006 [p.136].

Order in Council appointing Deborah Deller as Clerk of the Legislative Assembly – March 22, 2007 [p.463].
Order in Council appointing George Pasut as Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health – December 19, 2006 [p.441].

**That the Clerk:**

- had received Reports on Intended Appointments of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies dated:
  - September 7, 2005 – October 13, 2005 [p.32].
  - October 26, 2005 – October 26, 2005 [p.51].
  - November 2, 2005 – November 2, 2005 [p.63]
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Member for Bruce–Grey–Owen Sound (Mr. Murdoch) – November 23, 2005 [p.87].

Member for Cambridge (Mr. Martiniuk) – October 19, 2005 [p.43].

Member for Erie–Lincoln (Mr. Hudak) – March 2, 2006 [p.168]; April 26, 2007 [p.522-523].

Member for Hamilton East (Ms. Horwath) – November 29, 2006 [p.402-403].

Member for Leeds–Grenville (Mr. Runciman) – April 26, 2007 [p.522].

Member for Niagara Centre (Mr. Kormos) – November 24, 2005 [p.89], December 12, 2006 [p.427].

Member for Timmins-James Bay (Mr. Bisson) – May 15, 2007 [p.556].

Member for Toronto–Danforth (Ms. Churley) – November 14, 2005 [p.70].

Member for Toronto–Danforth (Mr. Tabuns) – June 20, 2006 [p.300].

**Reports:**


Chief Election Officer, Annual Report for the year 2004 – November 28, 2005 [p.91].


Environmental Commissioner, Special Report entitled “Doing Less with Less: How shortfalls in budget, staffing and in-house expertise are hampering the effectiveness of MOE and MNR” – April 24, 2007 [p.515].


Integrity Commissioner, Report responding to the complaint of John Tory, MPP, regarding Hon. Harinder Takhar, Minister of Transportation – February 13, 2006 [p.136].

Integrity Commissioner, Report concerning his review under the Cabinet Ministers’ and Opposition Leaders’ Expenses Review and Accountability Act, 2002, for the period April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006 – June 12, 2006 [p.283].

Integrity Commissioner, Request by the Member for York West (Mr. Sergio), on whether the Member for Leeds–Grenville (Mr. Runciman) has contravened the Members’ Integrity Act or Ontario Parliamentary Convention – September 25, 2006 [p.315].


Integrity Commissioner, Report pursuant to the MPP Compensation Reform Act, 2001 – December 7, 2006 [p.420].


Ombudsman, Report entitled “From Hope to Despair – Whether the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care’s refusal to fund the drug Cystagon for treatment of Batten’s Disease is unreasonable and unfair.”, tabled during recess on September 1, 2005 – October 13, 2005 [p.31].

Ombudsman, Report entitled “The Right to be Impatient – Whether the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care has failed to properly administer Newborn Screening in Ontario.”, tabled between sessions on September 28, 2005 – October 13, 2005 [p.31].


Ombudsman, Report entitled “Adding Insult To Injury” Investigation into the treatment of victims by the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board”, tabled during the adjournment on February 27, 2007 – March 19, 2007 [p.455].

Rulings:

- Bills introduced contravening Standing Order 56 (Bill 132 – Mr. Sterling) – June 22, 2006 [p.308], (Bill 157 – Mr. Runciman) – November 2, 2006 [p.370].

- Point of Order from the Member for Waterloo–Wellington (Mr. Arnott) concerning Members’ Statements – November 3, 2005 [p.67].

- Point of Order from the Member for Leeds–Grenville (Mr. Runciman) concerning the tabling of the 2005-2006 Public Accounts – October 5, 2006 [p.332-335].

- Point of privilege from the Member for Haldimand–Norfolk–Brant (Mr. Barrett) concerning security in and around the Legislative Precinct – April 3, 2006 [p.186].

- Point of privilege from the Member for Leeds–Grenville (Mr. Runciman) concerning sub judice – June 21, 2006 [p.304-305].

SPECIAL DEBATES – See OPPOSITION DAY AND WANT OF CONFIDENCE DEBATES listed by Member and subject matter
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Established – See individual Committees

Meeting schedule established – June 17, 2004 [p.209-210, 1st Session].

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES

Chair: Mr. Jackson, elected – June 22, 2004
Vice-Chair: Mr. Dunlop, elected – October 19, 2005
Mr. O’Toole, elected – June 22, 2004 (to October 18, 2005)


Bills referred and reports presented:

Employment Standards Amendment Act (Raising the Minimum Wage), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur les normes d’emploi (augmentation du salaire minimum) (Bill 150), referred November 2, 2006 [p.370].

Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Cellular Phones), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant le Code de la route (téléphones cellulaires) (Bill 68), referred March 2, 2006 [p.167-168].

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STANDING COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

Chair: Mr. Hoy, elected – June 24, 2004
Vice-Chair: Mr. McNeely, elected – January 10, 2005


Allocation of time for proceedings on Bill 81, Budget Measures Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur les mesures budgétaires – May 1, 2006 [p.226-227].

Allocation of time for proceedings on Bill 151, Budget Measures Act, 2006 (No. 2)/Loi de 2006 sur les mesures budgétaires (n° 2) – November 14, 2006 [p.375-376].


Authorized to meet on February 20 and 21, at the call of the Chair – February 15, 2006 [p.144].


Authorized to review the January 2007 Report of the Ontario Commodity Futures Act Advisory Committee and to report to the House its opinions, observations and recommendations concerning amendments to the Commodity Futures Act – April 16, 2007 [p.498].

Winter Adjournment meetings authorized and orders of reference – December 13, 2005 [p.120], November 14, 2006 [p.373-374], December 20, 2006 [p.444].

**Bills referred and reports presented:**


Gender-Based Price Discrimination Prohibition Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 interdisant la discrimination des prix fondée sur le sexe (Bill 9), referred December 8, 2005 [p.110].


Hamilton Day Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le Jour de Hamilton (Bill 80), referred April 13, 2006 [p.204-205].

Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Speed Limiters), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Code de la route (limiteurs de vitesse) (Bill 115), referred June 1, 2006 [p.268].


Rural Ontario Day Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le Jour de l’Ontario rural (Bill 49), referred February 16, 2006 [p.145].


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STANDING COMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Chair: Mr. Flynn, elected – December 4, 2006
Mrs. Jeffrey, elected – December 15, 2004 (to December 4, 2006)

Vice-Chair: Mr. Brownell, elected – April 26, 2006
Mr. Dhillon, elected – June 21, 2004 (to March 27, 2006)


Allocation of time for proceedings on Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety – May 1, 2007 [p.529-530].

Authorized to meet past 6:00 p.m. for completion of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 206, Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 sur le régime de retraite des employés municipaux de l'Ontario – December 7, 2005 [p.109].

Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Monday, May 29, 2006 between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto – May 18, 2006 [p.258].


Winter Adjournment meetings authorized and Orders of reference – December 13, 2005 [p.120], December 14, 2005 [p.128].

Bills referred and reports presented:

Climate Change Awareness Day Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la Journée de sensibilisation aux changements climatiques (Bill 139), referred October 5, 2006 [p.332].


Consumer Reporting Amendment Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements concernant le consommateur (Bill 38), referred December 8, 2005 [p.110].


Education Amendment Act (Stability for Students in Transition Housing), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation (stabilité pour les étudiants vivant dans un logement de transition) (Bill 133), referred October 12, 2006 [p.340-341].


Fire Protection Statute Law Amendment Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui a trait à la protection contre l'incendie (Bill 120), referred June 8, 2006 [p.280]. Referral discharged and Ordered referred to Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills June 22, 2006 [p.311].

Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Drinking and Boating Offences), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant le Code de la route (infractions relatives à l'alcool et à la navigation de plaisance) (Bill 209), referred December 1, 2005 [p.97-98]. Referral discharged and Ordered referred to Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills June 22, 2006 [p.312].


Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Use of Portable Equipment by Novice Drivers), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant le Code de la route (utilisation de matériel portatif par les conducteurs débutants) (Bill 135), referred October 12, 2006 [p.341].

Homestead Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le patrimoine familial (Bill 75), referred April 13, 2006 [p.205].

Interior Designers Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur les designers d'intérieur (Bill 121), referred June 22, 2006 [p.308].

Labour Relations Amendment Act (Replacement Workers), 2007/Loi de 2007 modifiant la Loi sur les relations de travail (travailleurs suppléants) (Bill 192), referred April 12, 2007 [p.495-496].

Municipal Amendment Act (Direct Election of Durham Regional Council Chair), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur les municipalités (élection au scrutin général du président du conseil régional de Durham) (Bill 172), referred April 5, 2007 [p.485-486].


Planning and Conservation Land Statute Law Amendment Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui a trait à l'aménagement du territoire et aux terres protégées (Bill 51), referred April 26, 2006 [p.222]. Reported as amended September 25, 2006 [p.316].


Restore the Deed Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le rétablissement des titres (Bill 136), referred September 28, 2006 [p.321-322].


TransCanada Highway Improvement Act (Highway 17), 2006/Loi de 2006 sur l'amélioration de l'autoroute transcanadienne (route 17) (Bill 149), referred October 26, 2006 [p.361].


Workplace Safety and Insurance Amendment Act (Bob Shaw), 2006/Loi Bob Shaw de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur la sécurité professionnelle et l’assurance contre les accidents du travail (Bill 111), referred October 5, 2006 [p.332].

STANDING COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

Chair: Mrs. Munro, elected October 10, 2006
Mr. Hudak, elected – October 13, 2004 (to October 10, 2006)

Vice-Chair: Ms. DiNovo, elected – October 3, 2006
Mr. Bisson, elected – December 14, 2005 (to October 3, 2006)
Ms. Horwath, elected – June 23, 2004 (to December 13, 2005)


Winter Adjournment meetings authorized and Orders of reference – December 20, 2006 [p.444].

Reports:

Intended appointments dated September 7, 2005 – October 13, 2005 [p.32].
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Intended appointments dated September 27, 2006 – September 27, 2006 [p.320].
Intended appointments dated October 18, 2006 – October 18, 2006 [p.348].
Intended appointments dated April 4, 2007 – April 4, 2007 [p.483].

STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE POLICY

Chair: Mr. Berardinetti – elected December 6, 2006
Mr. Dhillon – elected March 29, 2006 (to December 4, 2006)
Mr. Quadri – elected December 16, 2004 (to March 27, 2006)

Vice-Chair: Mrs. Van Bommel – elected March 29, 2006
Mr. Delaney – elected June 23, 2004 (to March 27, 2006)


Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Monday, May 15, 2006 after Routine Proceedings until 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 – May 9, 2006 [p.238].

Authorized to meet outside its normal meeting times for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code – November 2, 2006 [p.371].


Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Monday, May 14, 2007 between 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth – May 10, 2007 [p.549-550].


Winter adjournment meetings authorized and Orders of reference – December 13, 2005 [p.120], December 21, 2006 [p.449].

Bills referred and reports presented:


Consumer Protection Amendment Act (Internet Gaming Advertising), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur la protection du consommateur (publicité des jeux sur Internet) (Bill 60), referred March 2, 2006 [p.167].


Ground Current Pollution Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la pollution causée par le courant tellurique (Bill 143), referred October 19, 2006 [p.352].
Health Insurance Amendment Act (PSA Tests for Prostate Cancer), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l’assurance-santé (test PSA pour le dépistage du cancer de la prostate) (Bill 4), referred November 3, 2005 [p.66].


Kevin and Jared's Law (Child and Family Services Statute Law Amendment), 2006/Loi Kevin et Jared de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne les services à l'enfance et à la famille (Bill 89), referred April 20, 2006 [p.213]. Referral discharged and Ordered referred to Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills June 22, 2006 [p.311].

Ontario Climate Change Act, 2007/Loi de 2007 sur les changements climatiques en Ontario (Bill 200), referred April 12, 2007 [p.495-496].

Private Security and Investigative Services Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 sur les services privés de sécurité et d’enquête (Bill 159), referred May 2, 2005 [p.430, 1\st Session]. Reported as amended October 13, 2005 [p.32-33].


Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Amendment Act (Assistance to Municipalities), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l'aménagement des voies publiques (Bill 3), referred December 15, 2005 [p.132].


Sexual Harassment Awareness Week, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la Semaine de la sensibilisation au harcèlement sexuel (Bill 110), referred June 22, 2006 [p.308].

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Chair: Mr. McMeekin, elected – December 7, 2006
Mr. Delaney, elected – December 16, 2004 (to December 4, 2006)

Vice-Chair: Mr. Racco, elected – June 17, 2004

Membership – June 17, 2004 [p.208-210, 1\st Session].


Meeting schedule – June 17, 2004 [p.208-210, 1\st Session].


Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Thursday, June 1, 2006 and Thursday, June 8, 2006 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for the purpose of public hearings and clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, 2005, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts – May 18, 2006 [p.258].

Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting time, in the morning of October 26, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil
learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act – October 24, 2006 [p.357].

Authorized, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, to meet from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday mornings to consider Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death; Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies; and Bill 164, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002, the Environmental Protection Act and the Occupational Health and Safety Act – March 26, 2007 [p.466-467].


Winter Adjournment meetings authorized and Orders of reference – December 20, 2006 [p.444].

Bills referred and reports presented:


Community Right to Know Act (Disclosure of Toxins and Pollutants), 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le droit du public d'être informé (divulgation des toxines et des polluants) (Bill 164), referred March 26, 2007 [p.466-467]. Reported without amendment May 7, 2007 [p.537].

Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve Act 2005/Loi de 2005 sur la Réserve agricole de Duffins-Rouge (Bill 16), referred December 5, 2005 [p.100]. Reported without amendment December 12, 2005 [p.113].


Gravesites of Former Premiers Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur les lieux de sépulture des anciens premiers ministres (Bill 25), referred April 16, 2006 [p.194].


Nowruz Day Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le Jour Nowruz (Bill 63), referred February 23, 2006 [p.155].


Street Safety Awareness Month Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le Mois de la sensibilisation à la sécurité dans les rues (Bill 145), referred November 2, 2006 [p.370].


Reports:

Report prescribing the ministries and offices assigned to the Standing Committees pursuant to Standing Order 109(b) – October 24, 2005 [p.47].

Report pursuant to Standing Order 109(b) assigning the new Ministry of Small Business and Entrepreneurship to the Standing Committee on General Government – June 5, 2006 [p.270].

Report pursuant to Standing Order 109(b) assigning the new Ministry of Revenue to the Standing Committee on General Government – April 2, 2007 [p.478].


STANDING COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Chair: Mr. Sterling, elected – June 24, 2004
Vice-Chair: Mr. Hardeman, elected October 12, 2006
Mrs. Munro, elected – June 24, 2004 (to October 10, 2006)


Meeting schedule – June 17, 2004 [p.208-210, 1st Session].

Authorized to meet at the call of the Chair on February 16, 23 and March 2, 2006 – February 14, 2006 [p.140].

Authorized to meet on Thursday mornings until 1:00 p.m. and on Thursday afternoons following Routine Proceedings, during the months of March, April and May, 2006 – March 28, 2006 [p.178].


Bills referred and reports presented:

Election Amendment Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi électorale (Bill 146), referred October 26, 2006 [p.361].

Reports:

Air Quality Program / Programme sur la qualité de l’air – October 13, 2005 [p.34].


Ambulance Services-Air / Services d’ambulance aérienne – September 25, 2006 [p.316].

Charitable Gaming / Jeux de bienfaisance – November 15, 2006 [p.377].

Child Care Activity / Activité relative aux services de garde d’enfants – November 16, 2006 [p.383]
Children’s Mental Health Services / Services de santé mentale pour enfants – September 25, 2006 [p.317].


Employment Rights and Responsibilities Program / Programme des droits et responsabilités en matière d’emploi – October 13, 2005 [p.34].


Independent Health Facilities / Établissements de santé autonomes – October 13, 2005 [p.34].

Long-Term Care Facilities Activity / Établissements des soins de longue durée – November 28, 2005 [p.91].

Maintenance of the Provincial Highway System / Entretien du réseau routier provincial – October 13, 2005 [p.33].

Media Tax Credits – December 14, 2005 [p.127].


**STANDING COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS AND PRIVATE BILLS**

Chair: Ms. Horwath, elected – December 14, 2005

Ms. Churley, elected – June 23, 2004 (to November 30, 2005)

Vice-Chair: Mr. Leal, elected – December 6, 2006

Mr. Ramal, elected November 15, 2006 (to December 4, 2006)

Mr. Wong, elected – June 23, 2004 (to September 25, 2006)


Membership revised – December 13, 2005 [p.120], March 27, 2006 [p.174], November 14, 2006 [p.373],

November 27, 2006 [p.395-396].

Meeting schedule – June 17, 2004 [p.208-210, 1st Session].

Authorized to meet outside its normal meeting times to conduct public hearings on Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions – November 2, 2006 [p.371].

Authorized to meet on December 6, 2006 to consider Bill 124, Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur l’accès équitable aux professions réglementées – November 23, 2006 [p.394].

Authorized to meet following Routine Proceedings on December 7, 2006, for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration on Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions – December 7, 2006 [p.421].

Ordered, That Standing Order 87, concerning notice of committee hearings, be waived with respect to consideration of Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place, on Wednesday, December 13, 2006 – December 11, 2006 [p.423].


**Private Bills referred and reports presented:**


City of Hamilton Act, 2005 (Bill Pr22), referred November 2, 2005 [p.63].


Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies Act, 2005 (Bill Pr21), referred October 18, 2005 [p.39]. Reported without amendment October 26, 2005 [p.51].


St. Andrew’s United Church (Toronto) Act, 2007 (Bill Pr37), referred May 29, 2007 [p.570].


Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc. Act, 2006 (Bill Pr27), Standing Orders 80(e) and 87 waived June 5, 2006 [p.270]; referred June 6, 2006 [p.274]. Reported without amendment June 14, 2006 [p.290].

University of St. Michael’s College Act, 2005 (Bill Pr13), referred October 18, 2005 [p.39]. Reported without amendment October 26, 2005 [p.51].

Public Bills referred and reports presented:

Christopher’s Law (Sex Offender Registry) Amendment Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi Christopher sur le registre des délinquants sexuels (Bill 73), referred April 20, 2006 [p.213].


Education Amendment Act (Nutrition Standards in Schools), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation (normes alimentaires dans les écoles) (Bill 93), referred May 10, 2006 [p.242].

Education Amendment Act (Organ Donation Education), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation (éducation sur le don d’organes) (Bill 33), referred April 27, 2006 [p.223].

Education Amendment Act (School Waste Reduction), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation (réduction des déchets dans les écoles) (Bill 96), referred May 10, 2006 [p.242].
Employment Statute Law Amendment Act (Informing Students of their Employment Rights), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui a trait à l'emploi (fourniture de renseignements aux étudiants sur leurs droits en matière d'emploi) (Bill 95), referred May 10, 2006 [p.243].


Health Insurance Amendment Act (Supplemental Newborn Screening), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l’assurance-santé (dépistage complémentaire des nouveau-nés) (Bill 101), referred June 13, 2005 pursuant to Standing Order 72(a) [p.493, 1st Session].

Highway Traffic Amendment Act (Licence Suspensions), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant le Code de la route (suspensions de permis) (Bill 209), referred June 13, 2005 pursuant to Standing Order 72(a) [p.493, 1st Session]. Reported as amended November 23, 2005 [p.87].

Income Tax Amendment Act (Public Transit Expense Tax Credit), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi de l’impôt sur le revenu (crédit d’impôt pour dépenses de transports en commun) (Bill 137), referred June 13, 2005 [p.493, 1st Session]. Recommended that the Bill be not reported (recommendation adopted by the House) – November 16, 2005 [p.75].


Kevin and Jared's Law (Child and Family Services Statute Law Amendment), 2006/Loi Kevin et Jared de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne les services à l'enfance et à la famille (Bill 89), referred June 22, 2006 [p.311]. Reported as amended September 25, 2006 [p.317].


Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act (Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment Memorial Highway), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l’aménagement des voies publiques et des transports en commun (route commémorative Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment) (Bill 5), referred October 27, 2005 [p.54-55].

Safe Needles Save Lives Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur l’utilisation d’aiguilles sûres pour sauver des vies (Bill 30), referred November 16, 2006 [p.381].


Reports:

STANDING COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL POLICY
Chair: Mr. Parsons, elected – December 4, 2006
Mr. Quadri, elected – April 3, 2006 (to December 4, 2006)
Mr. Racco, elected – December 15, 2004 (to March 27, 2006)
Vice Chair: Mr. Ramal, elected – June 21, 2004


Meeting schedule – June 17, 2004 [p.208-210, 1st Session].

Allocation of time for proceedings on Bill 102, Transparent Drug System for Patients Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur un régime de médicaments transparent pour les patients – May 9, 2006 [p.240-241].

Authorized to meet on February 15, 2006 to consider Bill 36, Local Health System Integration Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur l’intégration du système de santé local – February 14, 2006 [p.140].

Authorized to meet on February 20, 2006 to consider Bill 210, Child and Family Services Statute Law Amendment Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne les services à l’enfance et à la famille – February 16, 2006 [p.147].

Authorized to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education – May 8, 2006 [p.237].

Authorized to meet at the call of the Chair on October 30 and 31, 2006, for the purpose of considering Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts – October 25, 2006 [p.359].

Authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Monday, May 14, 2007 between 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration on Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts – May 9, 2007 [p.544].


Winter Adjournment meetings authorized and Orders of reference – December 13, 2005 [p.120], December 14, 2006 [p.436].

Bills referred and reports presented:


Arts Education Week Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la Semaine de l’éducation artistique (Bill 118), referred June 15, 2006 [p.293].


Children’s Law Reform Amendment Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l’enfance (Bill 8), referred November 24, 2005 [p.90].


Education Amendment Act (Community Involvement), 2005/Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation (participation communautaire) (Bill 19), referred November 24, 2005 [p.89].

Education Statute Law Amendment Act (Student Performance), 2006/Loi de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne l’éducation (rendement des élèves) (Bill 78), referred April 12, 2006 [p.204]. Reported as amended May 17, 2006 [p.254].

Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act, 2005/Loi de 2005 préservant la propriété familiale de Frederick Banting (Bill 20), referred November 17, 2005 [p.78].
Good Government Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la saine gestion publique (Bill 190), referred April 4, 2006 [p.191]. Referral discharged and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly – April 6, 2006 [p.195].

Health Insurance Amendment Act (Insulin Pumps for Diabetics), 2005/Loi de 2005 Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’assurance-santé (pompes à insuline pour diabétiques) (Bill 15), referred December 1, 2005 [p.97].


Heart Defibrillator Use Civil Liability Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur la responsabilité civile découlant de l’usage de défibrillateurs cardiaques (Bill 71), referred April 6, 2006 [p.194].

Job Protection Commissioner Act, 2006/Loi de 2006 sur le commissaire à la protection des emplois (Bill 126), referred May 3, 2007 [p.534].


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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2005
FIRST DAY

(Great Seal of Ontario)

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A Proclamation be issued convening the Second Session of the Thirty-Eighth Parliament of the Province of Ontario for the actual dispatch of business at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, the 11th day of October, 2005.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES K. BARTLEMAN
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GIVEN at Toronto, Ontario, on September 19, 2005.

MARDI 11 OCTOBRE 2005
PREMIER JOUR

(Grand sceau de l'Ontario)

ELIZABETH DEUX, par la grâce de Dieu, Reine du Royaume-Uni, du Canada et de ses autres royaumes et territoires, Chef du Commonwealth, Défenseur de la Foi.

Qu'une proclamation soit lancée pour convoquer la deuxième session de la trente-huitième législature de la province de l'Ontario en vue d'expédier les affaires parlementaires, à 16 heures, le mardi 11 octobre 2005.

TÉMOIN:

L'HONORABLE JAMES K. BARTLEMAN
LIEUTENANT-GOUVERNEUR DE NOTRE PROVINCE DE L'ONTARIO

FAIT à Toronto, en Ontario, le 19 septembre 2005.
This being the first day of the Second Session of the Thirty-Eighth Parliament convoked by Proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor for the dispatch of business, and the members of the House having assembled:

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber and took his seat upon the Throne.

The Government House Leader said:-

"I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to state that he does not see fit to declare the causes of the summoning of the present legislature of this Province until a Speaker of this House shall have been chosen according to law, but tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. His Honour will declare the causes of the calling of this Legislature."

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

The Mace was placed under the Table.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly informed the Members that a vacancy had occurred in the office of Speaker of the Assembly owing to the resignation of Mr. Alvin Curling, member for the Electoral District of Scarborough-Rouge River.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly then addressed the Members as follows:-

"Members of the Legislative Assembly, it is my duty to call upon you to elect one of your numbers to preside over your deliberations as Speaker, therefore, I ask for nominations for the Office of the Speaker."

Mr. Crozier moved, seconded by Ms. Wynne, That Mr. Brown, member for the Electoral District of Algoma—Manitoulin, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mrs. Munro moved, seconded by Ms. Scott, That Mr. Arnott, member for the Electoral District of Waterloo—Wellington, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

There being no further nominations, the Clerk declared the nominations closed.

And the election process having ensued, after some time, it was,

Resolved, That Mr. Brown do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

The Clerk having declared the Honourable Mike Brown duly elected, he was conducted by Mr. Crozier and Ms. Wynne to the dais, where, standing on the upper step of the dais, he returned his humble acknowledgement to the House for the great honour that had been conferred on him by the members choosing him to be their Speaker.

The Speaker assumed the Chair and the Mace was laid upon the Table.
On motion by Mr. Duncan,
Ordered, That the House adjourn until 2:30 p.m. tomorrow.
The House then adjourned at 4:39 p.m.
À 16 h 39, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2005
SECOND DAY

2:30 P.M. 14 H 30
The members having assembled:-
His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber and took his seat upon the Throne.
The Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:-
“May it please Your Honour,
The Legislative Assembly has elected me as their Speaker, though I am but little able to fulfill the important duties thus assigned to me.
If, in the performance of those duties, I should at any time fall into error, I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Assembly whose servant I am, and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their Queen and Country, hereby claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they have freedom of speech in their debates, access to your person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from you the most favourable consideration.”
“The Government House Leader said:-
“Speaker, I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the Assembly to Her Majesty's Person and Government and, not doubting that the proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temperance and prudence, he grants and upon all occasions will recognize and allow the constitutional privileges.
“I am commanded also to assure you that the Assembly shall have ready access to His Honour upon all suitable occasions, and that their proceedings, as well as your words and actions, will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.”

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to open the Second Session of the Thirty-eighth Parliament by making the following gracious speech:-

INTRODUCTION: ONTARIO’S ECONOMIC ADVANTAGE
Mr. Speaker, Members of the Legislative Assembly, people of Ontario.
The Speech from the Throne is one of our best-known parliamentary conventions.
And yet, with your indulgence, I begin today in an unconventional way: with a personal expression of gratitude to the many Ontarians who supported and continue to support my ongoing efforts to champion literacy and mental health among Native youth in Ontario’s north.
Ontarians donated more than 1.2 million books in a book campaign, now over, for native communities. They supported the twinning of 100 native schools with public and Catholic schools. And this past summer, five literacy and mental wellness camps were launched in remote areas of the province.
I intend to push ahead with more summer camps in the coming year, which, I hope, should cut into the shocking number of suicides among native children.

Thank you. Merci. Miigwech.

As Ontarians hail from every corner of the world, Ontarians are affected, and Ontarians respond, when tragedy strikes around the world.

Your government has pledged to work with the federal government in aiding the victims of this past weekend’s massive earthquake in South Asia, and urges us all to consider donating to relief and rebuilding efforts to help the millions left homeless, as we pause, now, for a moment of silence, out of respect for the thousands who have been lost.

This is the Year of the Veteran, in honour of the men and women who have sacrificed their youth, or made the ultimate sacrifice, so we could live in peace and freedom.

Your government and Ontario drivers show their respect and gratitude with a special veterans’ licence plate that bears the poppy.

This Assembly is marking the service and sacrifices of our veterans with a new Veterans’ Memorial — the first memorial to be built on the actual grounds of the legislature in 65 years.

Today, we are privileged to be joined by Major-General Richard Rohmer (Ret.), a veteran of the Second World War, who served with the Royal Canadian Air Force as a fighter-reconnaissance pilot from 1942 to 1945 and took part in the D-Day operation.

I ask him to stand, and I ask all of us here, on behalf of 12 million Ontarians, to show our gratitude to him and all veterans.

I want to extend my personal best wishes to former Speaker Alvin Curling, who has served his province well, and is about to serve his country equally well, in a diplomatic role.

I know you join me in finding it slightly ironic that someone who has generated so much warmth would be leaving us for the Dominican Republic now, when winter is fast approaching.

I also congratulate and welcome the new Speaker of this Assembly, a man who possesses both good cheer and an exemplary record of public service.

This chair, that I have the honour of occupying today, is in good hands.


For most of us gathered here today, it is the name Dominic Agostino that triggers the most vivid memories.

We remember his passion for this place and this province.

But a deep dedication to Ontarians was displayed by each of these men, each in his turn, and we honour them all today.

While this is a Speech from the Throne, it is first and foremost a speech for the people of Ontario: the millions of Ontarians who get up and work hard every day to reach higher, to build a better life for themselves and their children, and a brighter future for their province and their country.

This speech belongs to them.

And we gather for this session of parliament to work on their behalf.

We do this work at the beginning of the 21st century, a time of tremendous challenges and limitless opportunities.
This speech is about strengthening Ontario’s economic advantage, so we can meet these challenges and seize these opportunities.

We know Ontario can compete and win in the modern world.

Our foundation is strong, our people industrious and ingenious.

Ours’ is a proud tradition.

And ours’ is a bright future.

And yet, our fate is influenced by countless events beyond our borders.

We belong to a very complex, truly global economy — an economy subject to events as profound as war and peace, as volatile as international politics and commerce, as unpredictable as human nature and even nature itself.

No single government or institution can control the path of the world economy.

But your government is working hard to ensure Ontarians can take on the world.

It understands that everything — from the ability of our businesses to compete to our capacity to fund a caring society to the opportunities available to our children — depends on Ontario’s prosperity.

So, your government is working with Ontarians to strengthen Ontario’s economic advantage by strengthening the education and skills of our people … by improving the health of our people … by fostering innovation and leveraging our diversity … and by ensuring we get the fundamentals right.

For two years now, Ontarians have worked together to achieve a remarkable turnaround in each of these areas.

We’re making progress.

Now is the time to accelerate that progress.

**STRENGTHENING THE EDUCATION AND SKILLS OF OUR PEOPLE**

The brains and know-how of a highly skilled workforce are the economic edge of the 21st century.

So, when we strengthen the education and skills of our people, we strengthen Ontario’s economic advantage.

Your government’s plan for education and skills is focused on success, at each crucial stage of the learning curve, by ensuring that:

- Young children are ready to learn when they first arrive in school
- School children can read, write and do math at a high level by age 12
- Young people keep learning until at least age 18
- That they have opportunities to learn beyond high school in a university, college, apprenticeship or skills program that is of the highest quality.

This plan begins with Best Start, which will make quality child care and early learning opportunities more affordable for thousands of working families.

It will also fund 25,000 new child care spaces and assistance for thousands of low-and middle-income families.

It is a milestone — the product of years of hard work by people who have devoted their lives to our youngest Ontarians.

We recognize them by acknowledging, in our presence today, someone who epitomizes their passion, persistence and pursuit of excellence: the Honourable Margaret McCain.

Best Start will ensure our children arrive, on the first day of school, prepared to learn.
Your government’s investments in smaller class sizes will ensure their chance to learn isn’t lost in a crowd.

Twenty-one hundred schools now have smaller class sizes in junior kindergarten to Grade 3 — because of the hiring of 2,400 new teachers.

These are crucial years, when our children are developing the foundation — in reading, writing and math — fundamental to the skills needed in the 21st century.

So, your government will continue to reduce class sizes, driving towards the goal of having our youngest learners in classes of 20 students or less by 2007–2008.

And parents will be able to access up-to-date information on class sizes in their school, and across Ontario, through a new class size website.

Ontario wants our children to read, write and do math at a high level by age 12 — another critical point in a child’s progress, when students are developing their skills and beginning to ponder their future.

So, your government has hired hundreds of specialist teachers in literacy and numeracy, trained thousands more teachers in the latest techniques of teaching reading and math and invested in additional resources for students including new textbooks.

For the first time, new Student Achievement Officers are working with our schools, making sure our students have what they need to succeed, and that the approaches that are working in some schools are being shared with all schools.

This sharing of best practices — this drive to student success — is fostered by a new Literacy and Numeracy Secretariat, which brings together many of the best and brightest educators in our province.

Your government acknowledges the dedication of all our partners in education — teachers, principals, education workers and trustees — by now recognizing, here in this chamber, their colleagues Jim Spyropoulos, Principal of Newtonbrook Secondary School, where they are striving to improve student achievement, and Avis Glaze, the Chief Student Achievement Officer of the secretariat.

Your government wishes to thank the communities who support our schools, the parents who help with the projects and the homework and, most of all, the students who are striving to succeed, because together, we are making progress.

The percentage of students meeting the provincial standard in reading, writing and math went up eight per cent last year, and your government looks forward to the next set of results.

We need to work together to accelerate that progress, to strive towards the ambitious goal of at least 75 per cent of our children reading, writing and doing math at a high level by age 12.

And we know we can continue to work together, because we have achieved peace and stability for students by reaching unprecedented four-year agreements with our teaching partners. For the first time, the Ontario government will build a genuine partnership with Ontario’s teachers, school boards, principals, trustees, students, parents and education support workers.

The government will also work to expand that partnership into the general community, so that the public, non-profits and businesses will find it easier to play an essential supporting role for student success.

Just as the teen years are the link between childhood and adulthood, high school can mark a critical turning point in the life of an Ontarian.

This is when your son or daughter decides whether to reach higher — or drop out.

No decision is more critical to his or her future — no moment more important to Ontario’s future prosperity.

And too many young Ontarians are making the wrong choice: nearly one-third of them are dropping out.
So, no initiative is more essential to Ontario’s economic advantage than your government’s plan to ensure our young people keep learning — in a classroom, apprenticeship or workplace training program — until at least age 18.

Your government will introduce legislation that would make learning to age 18 mandatory in Ontario. Ontario won’t give up on its youth.

Instead, your government will challenge and engage young Ontarians by making learning more relevant to them.

Your government will introduce an alternative secondary school diploma, one that gives prominence to the ability to develop a skill or trade.

This diploma will set a different standard — not a lower one.

The hiring of 1,300 new high school teachers will ensure each school has at least one Student Success Teacher devoted to ensuring students have the support, programs and experience they need to be successful.

There will be improved resources for programs that help students who have left school return to a classroom, apprenticeship or skills program.

And investments will be made in special projects to help students who are struggling to succeed, or need extra help to learn English-as-a-second-language.

We will continue to address the unique challenges faced by Ontario’s French-language school boards by forming a permanent francophone education task force to promote French culture, reduce assimilation and help retain our francophone students.

Enabling our students to step up, instead of drop out, will require the combined efforts of Ontarians from all walks of life: students, educators, parents and, in particular, employers.

To dramatically increase the number of co-op and job placement opportunities for our young people, your government will reach out to Ontario business, big and small.

Your government will set clear benchmarks for increasing the percentage of high school students who achieve their diploma.

Students who continue to climb the ladder of opportunity deserve the best Ontario has to offer.

That’s why the Reaching Higher plan will invest $6.2 billion more in postsecondary education and training over the next five years.

It is one of the most ambitious economic initiatives ever in our province.

And it is proof of Ontario’s determination to strengthen our economic advantage by strengthening the education and skills of our people.

It has three goals: higher quality, greater accessibility and more accountability.

Quality means improving the experience for students, increasing graduation rates and expanding research.

Accessibility means ensuring no qualified student is denied a higher education because of his or her financial circumstances.

Accountability means showing the public that new investments are achieving meaningful results.

Where you start out in life should not determine how high you can reach.

Already, 135,000 low- and middle-income families are getting assistance they would not have received before Reaching Higher was announced.

This year, 32,000 first- and second-year students are receiving grants, instead of loans – the first time this has happened in over a decade.

Ontario’s progress has long been fuelled by each generation’s desire to see the next generation go farther.
In recognition of this, your government will establish the First Generation Plan, designed to help those students striving to become the first in their family to seek a postsecondary education.

It will launch initiatives designed to improve access for people who have been under-represented in higher learning, including Ontarians with disabilities, Aboriginal peoples and francophones.

Your government will continue to work to expand the number of apprenticeships available in the skilled trades — this year, next year and the year after that — because in today’s economy, knowledge plus skills equals prosperity.

In the coming year, your government will work with its partners to implement the Reaching Higher plan in a way that delivers quality, accessibility and accountability.

**IMPROVING THE HEALTH OF OUR PEOPLE**

Ontarians value our system of universal, publicly funded health care, provided on the basis of the treatment you need, not how wealthy you happen to be.

Medicare reflects two of our most timeless values: fairness and compassion.

But in the 21st century, medicare is also an important part of Ontario’s economic advantage.

Medicare helps us attract investment and jobs: employers who choose Ontario do not have to fund expensive, U.S.-style health insurance for their employees.

And excellent health care, available to all, keeps our people healthy, and that makes our workforce more productive.

So, medicare provides us with a two-sided competitive edge: lower costs and higher productivity.

To sharpen that edge, we must improve the level of care for patients, and ensure medicare is strong enough to care for Ontarians for generations to come.

This is why your government is reducing wait times for key medical procedures by providing:

- Eight per cent more CT scans
- 11 per cent more cancer surgeries
- 16 per cent more cataract surgeries
- 17 per cent more cardiac procedures
- 28 per cent more hip and knee replacements
- And 42 per cent more MRI scans.

These represent some of the largest increases ever.

Your government will work with medical experts to spell out the appropriate length of wait times for these procedures, how long the wait really is and just how much progress is being made when it comes to reducing wait times.

It will launch a new integrated information system and website that empowers patients to see for themselves how long wait times are at their local hospital, and whether a procedure is available sooner at another hospital.

This is unprecedented transparency, accountability and care.

Sixty-nine new Family Health Teams — that will provide improved family care for more than one million Ontarians — are taking shape across the province. Over the next year, the government will announce 80 more teams.

These are teams of nurses, nurse practitioners, dieticians, pharmacists, mental health workers and doctors — doctors who can see 52 per cent more patients because they’re working as part of a team.
To further remedy the doctor shortage that affects too many Ontario communities, your government is expanding the number of medical school spaces by 23 per cent while doubling the number of spaces available to international medical graduates, and opening the new Northern Ontario School of Medicine, the province’s first new medical school in 30 years.

There are 3,000 new jobs for nurses — and the number of nurses working full-time, according to the College of Nurses of Ontario, has gone up from 51 to 59 per cent, over the past two years.

This means better care, more consistent care, for patients. The government will continue to work with health care providers and nurses to achieve the goal of having 8,000 new nursing positions and 70 per cent full-time employment.

Nurse Julie Longhurst is a recent graduate from Ontario who has accepted a full-time position at Toronto East General Hospital. She will work in the family birthing unit and help ensure happy, healthy beginnings for Ontario families.

By acknowledging Nurse Longhurst, we recognize all the hard-working men and women who care for Ontario patients.

With a 10 per cent increase in funding for long-term care, your government is building a system worthy of the seniors who built this province. New legislation for long-term care will be introduced to build upon this investment.

Your government is also empowering communities by establishing 14 Local Health Integration Networks that will plan local health care. Your government will introduce legislation that, if passed, will fund the delivery of that care.

The adage about an ounce of prevention being worth a pound of cure has taken on new meaning in the 21st century: health care costs are rising, the population is aging and growing and the need to keep taxation levels competitive has never been greater.

That is why our plan to strengthen health care places great emphasis on keeping people healthy.

For the first time in our history, your government has a Minister of Health Promotion who is leading an ambitious agenda to promote healthy and active living in Ontario.

This agenda includes: legislation making enclosed public places and workplaces smoke-free, the stupid.ca campaign to discourage young people from smoking, the ACTIVE 2010 plan, designed to promote physical activity, and the province taking on a larger share of the costs of public health.

Having removed junk food from elementary school vending machines, Ontario will now require grade schools to provide at least 20 minutes of daily physical activity each school day.

Your government is determined to protect Ontarians’ health by cleaning up the air they breathe and protecting the water they drink.

It will replace coal-fired electricity generation with cleaner forms of energy, with the last coal-fired plant slated to close in early 2009.

It will protect drinking water by introducing legislation, as recommended by the Walkerton Inquiry, that would protect water at its source.

It will improve the environmental assessment process by making it more transparent and efficient.

And because a healthy lifestyle includes activity in the great outdoors, it will introduce legislation that would ensure our precious provincial parks are protected forever, while pursuing our strategy to map and sign 64,000 kilometres of Ontario trails.

To symbolize the value we place on our natural environment … and the power of people to make a positive difference, your government will be creating a new park in the Rouge Valley — the Bob Hunter Memorial Park.

To his children and his wife Bobbi, we say: Bob’s passionate defence of the environment blazed a trail and left a legacy. It will not be forgotten.
INNOVATION FOR THE 21ST CENTURY: DEVELOPING SECTORS, REGIONS AND IDEAS
To fully develop our economic advantage, Ontario must be first in the innovation race.
The first to discover new ideas.
The first to turn them into new products and services.
And the first to market those products and services to the world, so they generate jobs and prosperity for our people.
The Premier has established two goals for the new Ministry of Research and Innovation he is leading: to support the process of innovation and to create a culture of innovation.
He has said he wants innovation to be more than possible in Ontario.
He wants it to be inevitable.
By aligning initiatives that had previously been spread across nine ministries, and working to develop new ones, your government is ensuring that, for the first time, Ontario will have a clear plan for research and innovation.
A new Ontario Research and Innovation Council will provide advice to help ensure more strategic investments follow.
Your government has already invested in the MaRS Discovery District, to help support the discovery, funding and marketing of new ideas, all in the same location.
Your government recognizes that key sectors of the Ontario economy must innovate if they are to compete with the world and employ our people, well into this new century.
The Ontario Automotive Investment Strategy has been tremendously successful in attracting leading-edge investment — investment in the next generation of jobs.
Agreements with Ford, GM, Toyota and Navistar have leveraged more than $4.5 billion worth of investment in Ontario — including the first greenfield plant in Canada in over a decade, to be built by Toyota in Woodstock.
Your government is continuing discussions with several companies to build on this success.
Our $30 billion agri-food industry is essential to our economy — especially in rural Ontario.
This is why your government moved quickly to deliver assistance to cattle farmers hurt by the U.S. ban on Canadian beef … why it continues to act on concerns regarding the Canadian Agricultural Income Stabilization Program … and why it is requiring an average of five per cent ethanol in all gasoline sold in Ontario by January 2007, and supporting the construction of ethanol plants here in Ontario — to create new markets for our farmers, clean up our air and provide a hedge against volatile gasoline prices.
Beginning with the Premier’s Agri-Food Summit, your government is working with leaders in this sector to develop a common vision for the future.
The focus is on three priorities:
- Innovation: your government will support research and development that helps create new markets and ways of doing business in agri-food
- Marketing Ontario food: your government will work with the industry to develop a new branding and marketing strategy
- Farm income: Ontario is working with the federal government to improve our system of safety nets.
The forestry sector that is so important to Ontario’s economy, and northern Ontario in particular, faces enormous challenges.
Globalization of this industry is causing profound change worldwide, including consolidation and job loss.

Your government is responding with more than $680 million in support — funding that will help this sector invest in the innovative transformation required to compete in today’s market.

To further enhance the northern economy, the government is supporting economic development through Grow Bond loans, supporting job creation through the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund, attracting anchor investments through the GO North strategy and investing in northern infrastructure.

To share in Ontario’s economic prosperity, your government is working actively on a number of initiatives to close the socio-economic gap between Aboriginal peoples and other Ontario citizens. We have embarked upon a new approach to Aboriginal peoples and we are developing proposals to enable Aboriginal peoples to share fairly in the benefits of natural resource development.

Ontario will continue to champion international trade that is open — and fair.

Unfortunately, our competitors do not always play by the rules.

Massive agricultural subsidies in Europe and the U.S. are hurting our farmers and making it difficult for them to compete.

Our competitors are ignoring trade rulings on softwood lumber and slapping tariffs on our products.

And our auto sector is hampered by trade policies that make it difficult for Ontario-made cars to be sold in markets overseas, even though automakers in those markets have broad access to Ontario’s market.

We know our people and products can compete with the world and win — as long as the playing field is level, and the same rules apply to everyone.

Your government strongly urges the federal government to take action to ensure fairness — and to heed today’s lessons when negotiating tomorrow’s trade agreements.

**LEVERAGING OUR DIVERSITY**

Our diversity is a tremendous source of strength.

Our people come from some 200 countries.

We speak more than 130 languages, practise every faith and embrace every culture.

Our diversity fosters a wonderful view of the world, where there is no us and them: there is only us.

But it’s also an economic advantage because it enables us to do business with the world.

We understand every market, have ties to every investment community and can communicate with any customer.

We can leverage our diversity into investment and jobs, but only if we continue to attract the best and the brightest from around the world, and provide them with the opportunity to make the best and brightest contribution to Ontario.

Our desire to truly welcome newcomers to Ontario has stood at the forefront of the Premier’s campaign to narrow the $23–billion gap.

That is, of course, the gap between what Ontarians contribute to the federal government and what they receive back in spending.

It’s a gap that was reflected by the federal government spending, on average, $3,000 more on the settlement and integration of each newcomer in Quebec than in Ontario.

Ontario fought for and received a commitment from the Prime Minister of Canada to eliminate this disparity.
Your government recognizes that gaining language skills is the foundation of success for newcomers. That is why English-as-a-second-language will be the main focus of the newly strengthened Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration.

Increased funding will mean English-as-a-second-language training for an additional 30,000 newcomers to Ontario.

Your government will also work with partners in education to improve quality in language training.

Your government will also build on the success of bridge training programs that help newcomers gain skills and experience essential to practise in Ontario.

Your government is determined to break down the barriers that can prevent new Canadians from reaching their full potential.

It will ensure timely access to professions and trades for qualified professionals trained outside of Canada by ensuring regulatory bodies create a fair and transparent registration and appeals process.

Your government will launch the first Ontario immigration portal on the Internet, providing potential newcomers with up-to-the-minute information on Ontario’s communities, labour markets, skills accreditation and other important information to successfully start their new life here.

It’s important to tell Ontario’s diversity story to the world, by reaching out to rapidly growing economic markets.

This November, the Premier will lead an Ontario trade and investment mission to Beijing, Shanghai, Nanjing and Hong Kong.

And Ontario will open international marketing offices in Tokyo, London, New Delhi and Los Angeles by 2006 — located within existing Canadian offices such as consulates, to take advantage of cost savings and shared opportunities to promote Ontario’s trade interests.

**GETTING THE FUNDAMENTALS RIGHT**

We strengthen Ontario’s economic advantage when we get the fundamentals right — modern infrastructure, a reliable energy supply, efficient and effective public services and strong partnerships with the private sector and other governments.

Your government has launched a five-year, $30-billion infrastructure investment plan called ReNew Ontario.

This features new and improved roads, major hospital projects, water system repair and sustained investment in public transit, including five-year funding for GO Transit capital and the Toronto Transit Commission, and funding for the Ottawa O-Train.

While we must expand our outreach to emerging economies, our biggest trading partner remains the United States.

Your government is investing in major improvements to border gateways in Niagara Falls and Sarnia.

And it has appointed Michael Kergin, the respected former Canadian Ambassador to the U.S., to accelerate dramatic improvements in Windsor, including a new border crossing.

Mr. Kergin is with us today, and when we acknowledge him, we acknowledge all the men and women who are working to modernize Ontario’s infrastructure.

A reliable supply of clean energy at a reasonable cost is absolutely essential to Ontario’s prosperity.

We have just 15 years to refurbish, rebuild or replace 25,000 megawatts of electricity supply.

In just two years, your government has brought more than 2,200 megawatts on line. It has advanced new generation projects that will provide us with another 9,000 megawatts over the next five years — enough power for 4.1 million homes.
And it is on target to meet Ontario’s goal of renewable generation accounting for five per cent of our electricity capacity by 2007.

But there is much more to be done.

To ensure the necessary long-term planning takes place, your government has created the new Ontario Power Authority, and it will act on the best, unvarnished advice on what must be done next.

Commodity prices for new generation will no longer be subsidized or capped. Your government has taken the politics out of electricity pricing. The Ontario Energy Board now sets residential prices.

But your government is taking action to ensure Ontario’s prices remain competitive — by achieving a diverse mix of supply, a reliable transmission grid and stability in the energy sector.

It will also give Ontarians the tools they need to better manage their costs, including the installation of smart meters in 800,000 homes and businesses by 2007, and every home and business by 2010.

Smart meters — which tell you what you’re paying for electricity at each time during the day — will allow consumers to gear their energy use to when the price is lower.

Your government will introduce new measures — and new legislation — to encourage energy conservation.

We are making these changes in a way that will reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 30 megatonnes. This means cleaner air and healthier Ontarians. It represents 10 per cent of Canada’s total Kyoto goal. We expect the federal government to recognize this contribution in their Kyoto plan.

Government itself must ensure its own house is in order, that it is delivering a high level of service and practising fiscal discipline.

Almost half of the ministries within your government have had their operating budgets flatlined, declining or held to increases less than the rate of inflation.

The $5.6 billion deficit has been reduced to $1.6 billion.

This is due to the hard work of Ontarians. It is a source of confidence. It is not a licence to lose focus. Hard-working taxpayers deserve a high level of service.

Your government remains focused on ensuring an ever-improving quality of service to Ontarians.

This commitment is shared by a public service that is truly second to none, one that demonstrates each day an exemplary work ethic and unfaltering professionalism.

Working with them, your government will unveil what is believed to be the first money back public service guarantee in North America.

Later this year, Ontarians who fill out birth certificate applications online, will get their certificate within 15 days — or they will get their money back.

Your government looks forward to announcing other types of service that will be delivered with a money-back guarantee.

The Drive Clean program includes newer vehicles that are passing emission tests more than 99 per cent of the time.

Drive Clean will be reformed to end this waste of Ontarians’ time and money.

Your government’s initiatives have successfully brought auto insurance rates down by an average 11 per cent rate decrease, since it assumed office, after years of rate hikes.

Your government will continue to implement the most sweeping and comprehensive changes to Ontario’s consumer protection laws in more than 30 years, including stronger enforcement and higher fines.

Your government will continue to work with the private sector, including our small-and medium-sized businesses, which account for half the jobs in Ontario and 99 per cent of the firms.
A new online regulatory registry is the first in a series of steps to make it easier for small business to operate. The new Small Business Agency will continue reducing the paperwork and regulatory burden small businesses face when they interact with government.

A strong democracy is the basis of the work we do together. Your government will strengthen our democratic institutions by consulting Ontarians on electoral and political finance reform.

Your government will continue to seek effective partnerships with other levels of government.

It will continue to campaign to narrow the $23–billion gap.

Ontarians are proud Canadians, who are willing to play our traditional leadership role within Confederation.

But we want the gap narrowed, because it compromises our ability to invest in our future prosperity, by investing in the education and health of Ontarians.

A strong Ontario means a strong Canada.

At the same time, your government continues to work with the federal government on Ontarians’ priorities.

For example, your government will be implementing a new housing agreement that will provide 15,000 affordable units and up to 5,000 housing allowances for low-income households, including people recovering from mental illness, victims of domestic violence and people in remote communities.

It is forming strong partnerships, as well, with our municipalities.

Your government was the first to provide gas tax funding for Ontario public transit.

The proof is now on the streets and rails of Ontario: there are new streetcars, new buses and new levels of service.

Keeping our people moving is important. Keeping them safe is even more important.

Your government will work with our municipal partners to ensure there are 1,000 more police officers on the street by 2007.

The first Canadian province to require hospitals to report gunshot wounds to the police will continue to urge the federal government to toughen sentences for gun crimes.

And your government will expand programs for youth, so there are positive alternatives to guns and gangs and violence.

Ontario will be tough on crime — and tough on the causes of crime.

Strengthening Ontario’s economic advantage must include measures to strengthen Ontario’s largest economic engine.

Your government will work with municipal leaders to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority.

And it will work with transit authorities to develop a single electronic ticket, good for a trip across the GTA.

A new City of Toronto Act will, if passed, treat Canada’s largest city as a mature level of government.

And legislation will be proposed to treat all of our municipal partners with the respect they deserve.

**CONCLUSION: WORKING TOGETHER FOR PROSPERITY**

This is your government’s plan to strengthen Ontario’s economic advantage by strengthening the education and skills of our people … by improving the health of our people … by fostering innovation and leveraging our diversity … and by ensuring we get the fundamentals right.

It is the right plan for Ontario at the right time. It is a plan that prepares Ontarians to meet the challenges, and seize the opportunities, of the 21st century.
Under this plan, Ontario is making progress.
The credit for this progress belongs to Ontarians.
The positive results we have seen so far — from higher test scores in our schools to shorter wait times in our hospitals to 193,000 new jobs — are the product of Ontarians working hard, working well and working together.
Now is the time to accelerate this progress.
Now is the time to strengthen Ontario’s economic advantage.
And this plan is how we will fulfill the aspirations of Ontarians: to build a better life for our children, and our children’s children … to build a prosperous Ontario and a stronger Canada.
God save the Queen. God bless Canada.

INTRODUCTION : L’AVANTAGE ÉCONOMIQUE DE L’ONTARIO

Monsieur le président, Mesdames et Messieurs les membres de l’Assemblée législative, citoyennes et citoyens de l’Ontario.

Le Discours du Trône est l’une de nos conventions parlementaires les mieux établies.
Permettez-moi pourtant de l’entamer de façon non conventionnelle en exprimant personnellement ma gratitude envers les nombreux Ontariens et Ontariennes qui continuent de soutenir les efforts que je déploie pour promouvoir l’alphabétisation et la santé mentale chez les jeunes Autochtones du Nord de l’Ontario.

Les Ontariennes et Ontarien sont déjà fait don de plus de 1,2 million de livres lors d’une campagne de collecte de livres au profit des communautés autochtones. Ils ont appuyé le jumelage de 100 écoles autochtones avec des écoles publiques et des écoles catholiques. Et, pour la première fois l’été dernier, cinq camps d’alphabétisation et de bien-être mental ont eu lieu dans des régions éloignées de la province.

Sur cette lancée, je voudrais que l’on organise d’autres camps l’été prochain, dans l’espoir d’abaisser le nombre effarant de suicides parmi les enfants autochtones.

Merci. Thank you. Miigwech.

Les Ontariennes et Ontariens viennent de tous les coins du monde. Quand le malheur frappe, où que ce soit sur la planète, cela les touche personnellement et ils tiennent à faire quelque chose.

Votre gouvernement entend associer ses efforts à ceux du gouvernement fédéral pour venir en aide aux victimes du violent tremblement de terre qui a frappé l’Asie du Sud la fin de semaine dernière, et il fait instamment appel à la générosité de chacun pour secourir les millions de sinistrés et participer à la reconstruction. Je propose maintenant que nous observions un moment de silence en signe de respect pour les milliers de disparus.

Nous célébrons actuellement l’Année de l’ancien combattant, en l’honneur des hommes et des femmes qui ont sacrifié leur jeunesse et parfois leur vie afin que nous puissions jouir de la paix et de la liberté.

À l’intention des anciens combattants, le gouvernement a réalisé une plaque d’immatriculation décorée du coquelicot, pour témoigner du respect et de la reconnaissance qu’éprouvent envers eux les conducteurs de l’Ontario.

En souvenir du service et des sacrifices de ces hommes et de ces femmes, l’Assemblée a décidé d’élever un nouveau monument commémoratif dans l’enceinte de Queen’s Park – le premier du genre depuis 65 ans.

Nous avons aujourd’hui l’honneur de compter parmi nous le major-général à la retraite Richard Rhomer, un ancien combattant de la Seconde Guerre mondiale qui, pilote de chasse et de reconnaissance dans l’Aviation royale du Canada de 1942 à 1945, a participé au débarquement du Jour J.
Je lui demande de se lever et, au nom des 12 millions d’Ontariennes et Ontariens, j’invite toutes les personnes présentes à lui exprimer notre reconnaissance – à lui et à tous les anciens combattants.

Je tiens, à titre personnel, à offrir mes voeux à l’ancien président de l’Assemblée législative, Alvin Curling, qui, après avoir bien servi sa province, saura également bien servir son pays dans des fonctions diplomatiques.

Comme moi, vous trouverez sans doute plaisant que ce personnage qui irradiie la chaleur nous quitte maintenant, aux abords de l’hiver, pour la République dominicaine.

Je voudrais aussi souhaiter la bienvenue à son successeur à la présidence de l’Assemblée, dont l’entrain est communicatif et dont les états de service dans la fonction publique sont exemplaires.

Cette présidence, que j’ai l’honneur d’assumer aujourd’hui, est entre bonnes mains.


Pour la plupart d’entre nous ici présents, c’est le nom de Dominic Agostino qui évoque les souvenirs les plus vifs.

Nous nous souviendrons de son attachement pour l’Assemblée et pour la province. Tous et chacun de ces hommes politiques ont tour à tour fait preuve d’un profond dévouement à l’égard des Ontariennes et Ontariens, et nous leur rendons hommage aujourd’hui.

Ce que nous appelons Discours du Trône est d’abord un discours pour la population de l’Ontario. Il s’adresse aux millions d’Ontariennes et Ontariens qui se rendent au travail tous les matins, faisant tout en leur possible en vue d’améliorer leur sort et celui de leurs enfants et d’édifier un avenir prometteur pour leur province et leur pays.

Ce discours leur est destiné.

Et c’est afin d’oeuvrer dans leur intérêt que nous sommes réunis en cette nouvelle législature.

Nos travaux s’inscrivent dans le tournant du XXIe siècle, à une période d’énormes défis et d’opportunités sans limites.

Dans ce discours, je parle de renforcer l’avantage économique de l’Ontario, justement pour relever ces défis et exploiter ces opportunités.

Nous savons que l’Ontario est à la mesure du monde moderne; nous savons aussi qu’il peut réussir haut la main.

Nos assises sont solides, notre population est ingénieuse et travailleuse.

Notre patrimoine est une source de fierté.

Et notre avenir est plein de promesses.

Cependant, notre destinée est influencée par nombre d’événements qui surviennent par-delà de nos frontières.

Nous prenons part à une économie extrêmement complexe, véritablement mondiale – une économie qui est fonction de réalités aussi graves que la guerre et la paix, aussi versatiles que la politique et le commerce internationaux, aussi imprévisibles que la nature humaine et la nature tout court.

Il n’est pas d’institution ni de gouvernement qui puisse à soi seul contrôler la marche de l’économie mondiale.

Mais votre gouvernement ne ménage aucun effort pour que les Ontariennes et Ontariens s’y taillent la place qui leur revient.
Il comprend que tout – que ce soit la compétitivité de nos entreprises, notre capacité de financer une société à visage humain ou les possibilités d’avenir que nous offrons à nos enfants – dépend de la prospérité de la province.

C’est pourquoi le gouvernement travaille avec les Ontariennes et Ontariens à renforcer l’avantage économique de la province, c’est-à-dire à rehausser le niveau d’instruction et les compétences de notre population..., à améliorer la santé publique..., à stimuler l’innovation et à miser sur notre diversité..., et à veiller à ce que les éléments fondamentaux soient en place.

Il y a maintenant deux ans que les Ontariennes et Ontariens collaborent à un redressement remarquable dans chacun de ces secteurs.

Nous faisons certes des progrès.

Mais le moment est venu d’accélérer le rythme de ces progrès.

**REHAUSSER LE NIVEAU D’INSTRUCTION ET LES COMPÉTENCES DE NOTRE POPULATION**

Les capacités intellectuelles et le savoir-faire d’une population active hautement qualifiée sont la locomotive économique du XXIe siècle.

Si bien qu’en relevant le niveau d’instruction et les compétences de notre population, nous renforçons l’avantage économique de l’Ontario.

Le projet du gouvernement en matière d’instruction et de compétences vise le succès à chaque étape cruciale de la courbe d’apprentissage, en prévoyant les moyens nécessaires pour que:

- Les jeunes enfants soient prêts à apprendre dès qu’ils arrivent à l’école;
- Les élèves atteignent un niveau élevé en lecture, écriture et mathématiques dès l’âge de 12 ans;
- Les jeunes continuent à apprendre jusqu’à l’âge de 18 ans au moins;
- Des possibilités d’apprentissage leur soient offertes après le secondaire, à l’université, au collège ou dans le cadre d’un programme d’apprentissage ou d’un programme de préparation à l’emploi de la plus haute qualité.

Ce projet débute par la Stratégie Meilleur départ, qui rendra plus abordables les services de garde et les programmes d’apprentissage pour jeunes enfants; on viendra ainsi en aide à des milliers de familles de travailleurs.

On y prévoit également le financement de 25 000 nouvelles places de garderie et l’octroi de subventions à des milliers de familles à revenu faible et moyen.

Ce projet fait date – il représente l’aboutissement d’années de travail acharné pour des personnes qui ont consacré leur vie aux enfants et aux jeunes ontariens.

Nous rendons hommage aujourd’hui à celle qui, ici présente, incarne leur dévouement, leur persévérance et leur poursuite de l’excellence: saluons l’honorable Margaret McCain.

Au moyen de la Stratégie Meilleur départ, nous veillerons à ce que nos enfants soient prêts à apprendre lorsqu’ils entreront à l’école.

Le gouvernement fait porter ses efforts sur la réduction de la taille des classes, pour que les chances d’apprendre des enfants ne soient pas compromises.

Les classes sont désormais plus petites dans 2 100 écoles, du jardin d’enfants à la 3e année – grâce au recrutement de 2 400 nouveaux enseignants et enseignantes.

Ces années sont cruciales: nos enfants y acquièrent en lecture, écriture et mathématiques les fondements des compétences requises au XXIe siècle.

Le gouvernement continuera donc à réduire la taille de ces classes pour qu’elles ne comptent pas plus de 20 élèves d’ici 2007-2008.
Les parents auront accès à un nouveau site Web, renfermant des renseignements à jour sur la taille des classes dans l’école de leur choix et dans tout l’Ontario.

L’Ontario tient à ce que les enfants aient atteint un niveau élevé en lecture, écriture et mathématiques dès l’âge de 12 ans – autre point tournant dans le développement des élèves et stade où ils affinent leurs compétences et commencent à réfléchir à leur avenir.

Pour ce faire, le gouvernement a embauché des centaines d’enseignantes et enseignants spécialisés en litératie et numératie, formé des milliers d’autres aux techniques de pointe en enseignement de la lecture et des mathématiques, et consenti des ressources supplémentaires pour doter les élèves de nouveaux manuels scolaires, entre autres.

Pour la première fois, de nouveaux agents et agentes du rendement des élèves travaillent auprès des écoles, veillant à ce que les élèves ne manquent de rien pour réussir, et à ce que les méthodes qui donnent de bons résultats dans certaines écoles soient étendues à toutes les autres.

Pour favoriser le partage des pratiques exemplaires – véritable moteur de réussite pour nos élèves – on a institué un Secrétariat de la littératie et de la numératie, qui réunit des éducatrices et éducateurs d’élite, parmi les plus novateurs de notre province.


Le gouvernement tient à remercier les collectivités qui soutiennent nos écoles, les parents qui participent aux projets et supervisent les devoirs à la maison et, d’abord et surtout, les élèves qui s’efforcent de réussir, car c’est ensemble que nous avançons.

Le pourcentage des élèves qui répondent aux normes provinciales en lecture, écriture et mathématiques a augmenté de 8 pour 100 l’année dernière, et le gouvernement attend avec intérêt les prochains résultats.

Nous devons travailler la main dans la main pour activer le rythme de ce progrès et réaliser un objectif ambitieux, soit qu’au moins 75 pour 100 de nos enfants aient atteint un niveau élevé en lecture, écriture et mathématiques à l’âge de 12 ans.

Et nous savons que nous pouvons continuer à travailler ensemble, puisque nous avons instauré le climat de calme et de stabilité si nécessaire à nos élèves en concluant des ententes sans précédent de quatre ans avec nos partenaires en éducation. Pour la première fois en Ontario, il y aura une authentique synergie entre le gouvernement et l’ensemble de ses partenaires: enseignantes et enseignants, conseils scolaires, directrices et directeurs d’école, conseillères et conseillers scolaires, élèves, parents et travailleuses et travailleurs de soutien en éducation.

Le gouvernement s’efforcera aussi d’étendre ce partenariat à la collectivité tout entière, pour aider la population, les organismes à but non lucratif et les entreprises à jouer un rôle de soutien qui est essentiel au succès de nos élèves.

Tout comme l’adolescence marque la transition entre l’enfance et l’âge adulte, le secondaire peut représenter un tournant crucial dans la vie des jeunes Ontariennes et Ontariens.

C’est alors que votre fils ou votre fille prend une décision lourde de conséquences: poursuivre ses études – ou les abandonner.

Aucune décision n’est plus critique pour son avenir – aucun moment plus important pour la prospérité et l’avenir de l’Ontario.

Or, trop de jeunes ne font pas le bon choix: près du tiers décrochent.

Aucune initiative n’a donc plus de poids pour l’avantage économique de l’Ontario que ce projet du gouvernement de veiller à ce que nos jeunes continuent d’apprendre – en classe ou dans le cadre d’un programme d’apprentissage ou de formation à l’emploi – au moins jusqu’à l’âge de 18 ans.
Le gouvernement doit présenter un projet de loi qui, s’il est adopté, rendra l’apprentissage obligatoire jusqu’à l’âge de 18 ans.

L’Ontario ne laissera pas tomber ses jeunes.

Le gouvernement entend plutôt les mobiliser en s’efforçant d’adapter l’enseignement à leurs besoins.

On mettra en place un diplôme parallèle d’études secondaires, qui mettra l’accent sur l’acquisition d’une compétence ou l’apprentissage d’un métier.

Ce diplôme établira une norme autre – non pas inférieure, mais différente.

L’embauchage de 1 300 nouveaux enseignants et enseignantes au secondaire fera que chaque école disposera d’au moins une enseignante ou un enseignant pour la réussite des élèves; ces derniers pourront ainsi compter sur le soutien, les programmes et l’expérience appropriés.

On étoffera les programmes conçus pour aider les décrocheurs à reprendre leurs études ou à s’inscrire à un programme d’apprentissage ou de formation à l’emploi.

Enfin, on mettra en train des projets spéciaux d’apprentissage du français ou de l’anglais langue seconde à l’intention des élèves qui ont du mal à réussir ou qui ont besoin d’aide supplémentaire à ce chapitre.

Nous continuerons à répondre aux défis particuliers qui se posent aux conseils scolaires de langue française de l’Ontario en constituant un groupe de travail permanent chargé de promouvoir la culture de langue française, de freiner l’assimilation et de contribuer à retenir nos élèves francophones dans leurs écoles.

Pour aider nos élèves à aller de l’avant et pour contrer le décrochage, des intervenants de tous les milieux devront conjuguer leurs efforts – élèves, éducatrices et éducateurs, parents et, surtout, employeurs.

Il faudra aussi multiplier les possibilités de placements coopératifs et autres pour les jeunes, et le gouvernement lancera un appel en ce sens aux entreprises de l’Ontario, grandes et petites.

Le gouvernement fixera des repères bien définis pour accroître le pourcentage des élèves du secondaire qui obtiennent leur diplôme.

Les élèves qui continuent de se prévaloir des possibilités offertes méritent ce que l’Ontario peut leur offrir de mieux.

En conséquence on investira, par le biais du Plan d’action pour des résultats supérieurs, un supplément de 6,2 milliards de dollars dans le secteur postsecondaire au cours des cinq prochaines années.

Voilà une des initiatives économiques les plus ambitieuses jamais lancées dans la province.

Et quel meilleur témoignage de la volonté qu’a l’Ontario de renforcer son avantage économique en relevant le niveau d’instruction et les compétences de sa population.

Le Plan a trois objectifs: hausse de la qualité, amélioration de l’accessibilité et accroissement de la responsabilité.

Hausser la qualité signifie enrichir l’expérience des étudiantes et étudiants, augmenter le taux d’obtention des diplômes et intensifier la recherche.

Améliorer l’accessibilité signifie veiller à ce qu’aucun élève qualifié ne se voie refuser l’accès à des études postsecondaires à cause du manque de moyens.

Accroître la responsabilité signifie montrer au public que les nouveaux investissements donnent des résultats.

La situation familiale des élèves ne devrait pas faire obstacle à leurs aspirations.

D’ores et déjà, 135 000 familles à faible et moyen revenu bénéficient d’une aide qu’elles n’auraient pas reçue avant l’adoption du Plan d’action pour des résultats supérieurs.

Cette année, 32 000 étudiantes et étudiants des deux premières années d’études postsecondaires ont reçu des bourses plutôt que des prêts – ce qui ne s’était pas produit depuis plus de 10 ans.
En Ontario, le progrès est depuis longtemps mû par le désir de chaque génération devoir la suivante aller plus haut et plus loin.

Fort de cette tradition, le gouvernement entend créer le programme Première génération, à l’intention des jeunes aspirant à être les premiers de leur famille à faire des études postsecondaires.

Le gouvernement prévoira des initiatives pour améliorer l’accès aux études supérieures des personnes qui y sont sous-représentées, notamment les personnes handicapées, les Autochtones et les francophones.

Il poursuivra ses efforts pour augmenter le nombre des apprentissages disponibles dans les métiers spécialisés – cette année, l’année suivante et l’année d’après – parce que, dans une économie telle que la nôtre, l’alliance des connaissances et des compétences aboutit à la prospérité.

Au cours de l’année à venir, le gouvernement et ses partenaires travailleront à la mise en œuvre du Plan d’action pour des résultats supérieurs, en vue d’assurer qualité, accessibilité et responsabilité.

AMÉLIORER LA SANTÉ PUBLIQUE

Les Ontariennes et Ontariens apprécient au plus haut point leur système de santé universel, qui est financé par les deniers publics et dont les services sont dispensés en fonction de leurs besoins et non de leurs ressources pécuniaires.

Le régime d’assurance-santé témoigne de deux valeurs fermement ancrées dans notre culture: la justice et la compassion.

De plus, en ce XXIe siècle, le régime d’assurance-santé est un volet important de l’avantage économique ontarien.

Le régime d’assurance-santé nous aide à attirer investissements et emplois. En effet, les entreprises qui décident de s’implanter en Ontario s’épargnent les frais des coûteux régimes d’assurance pour employés, tels que ceux qui ont cours aux États-Unis.

Et le fait que d’excellents soins de santé soient offerts à tous contribue à maintenir notre population en santé, avec l’accroissement de productivité correspondant.

Notre régime d’assurance-santé nous confère ainsi un double avantage concurrentiel: des coûts moindres et une productivité accrue.

Pour renforcer cet avantage, il nous faut améliorer le niveau des soins et veiller à la pérennité de notre régime d’assurance-santé, garant d’une population ontarienne productive pendant des générations à venir.

C’est pourquoi le gouvernement réduit actuellement les temps d’attente dans les cas d’interventions médicales majeures, en haussant le nombre de celles-ci:

- de 8 pour 100 pour les scanographies;
- de 11 pour100 pour les opérations du cancer;
- de 16 pour100 pour les opérations de la cataracte;
- de 17 pour100 pour les chirurgies cardiaques;
- de 28 pour100 pour les remplacements de la hanche et du genou;
- de 42 pour100 pour les examens IRM.

Ce sont là certaines des plus fortes augmentations jamais réalisées.

Le gouvernement, de concert avec des spécialistes du domaine médical, se penchera sur les temps d’attente appropriés pour ces interventions en regard de leur durée effective à l’heure actuelle et suivra de près le processus de réduction.

On lancera un nouveau système intégré d’information et un nouveau site Web qui permettra aux clients de se renseigner par eux-mêmes sur les temps d’attente à l’hôpital local et de savoir si l’intervention nécessaire ne pourrait pas être pratiquée plus tôt dans un autre établissement.

Ce type de transparence, de responsabilité et de service est sans précédent.
Soixante-neuf équipes Santé familiale – appelées à dispenser des soins améliorés à plus d’un million d’Ontariennes et Ontariens – sont actuellement en voie de formation dans tous les coins de la province. On devrait annoncer la formation de 80 autres de ces équipes au cours de l’année qui vient.

Ces équipes sont constituées d’infirmières et infirmiers, d’infirmières praticiennes et infirmiers praticiens, de diététistes, de pharmaciennes et pharmaciens, de travailleuses et travailleurs en santé mentale et de médecins. Pour leur part, les médecins pourront recevoir un nombre beaucoup plus élevé de patients, soit 52 pour 100 de plus, grâce à ce travail en équipe.

Pour mieux remédier à la pénurie de médecins qui touche encore trop de collectivités ontariennes, le gouvernement prend actuellement des mesures: on augmente de 23 pour 100 le nombre de places dans les écoles de médecine, on multiplie par deux le nombre de places offertes aux diplômés en médecine d’autres pays et on a récemment inauguré l’École de médecine du Nord-Ontario, la première à voir le jour dans la province depuis 30 ans.

On vient de créer 3 000 emplois d’infirmières et infirmiers – et, d’après l’Ordre des infirmières et infirmiers de l’Ontario, le nombre des postes à temps plein est passé de 51 à 59 pour 100 au cours des deux dernières années.

Cela signifie un meilleur suivi thérapeutique. Le gouvernement continuera de travailler avec les fournisseurs de soins de santé et le personnel infirmier pour atteindre l’objectif visé de 8 000 nouveaux postes d’infirmières et infirmiers, assortis d’emplois à plein temps dans une proportion de 70 pour100.

Julie Longhurst est une infirmière récemment diplômée de l’Ontario qui vient d’accepter un poste à temps plein au Toronto East General Hospital. Affectée au centre familial des naissances, Mme Longhurst veillera à ce que tout se passe bien pour les nouvelles familles de l’Ontario.

En saluant l’infirmière Longhurst, nous honorons toutes les femmes et tous les hommes qui assurent si vaillamment le soin des patients de l’Ontario.

Le gouvernement a décidé d’augmenter de 10 pour 100 l’enveloppe des soins de longue durée, afin de mettre en place un système qui soit digne des aînés qui ont édifié notre province. Un nouveau projet de loi sur les soins de longue durée sera proposé pour faire fond sur cet investissement.

On veut par ailleurs reconnaître la responsabilité des collectivités en mettant sur pied 14 réseaux locaux d’intégration des services de santé qui auront pour mandat de planifier la prestation des soins des santé au palier local. Votre gouvernement proposer a un projet de loi qui, s’il est adopté, permettra de financer ces services.

L’adage selon lequel « Mieux vaut prévenir que guérir » a pris un sens nouveau au XXIe siècle. On n’a jamais ressenti aussi cruellement l’escalade des coûts de santé, le vieillissement et la croissance des populations et la nécessité de stabiliser les taux d’imposition à un niveau concurrentiel. C’est pourquoi notre projet de consolidation du secteur de la santé accorde tant d’importance à la promotion d’un mode de vie sain.

Pour la première fois dans notre histoire, le gouvernement s’est adjoint un ministre de la Promotion de la santé qui coordonne un ambitieux programme visant à promouvoir des modes de vie plus sains et plus actifs en Ontario.

Ce programme chapeaute des dispositions législatives restreignant l’usage du tabac dans les lieux publics et les lieux de travail clos, la campagne stupid.ca pour encourager les jeunes à arrêter de fumer et le plan VIE ACTIVE 2010, campagne d’incitation à l’activité physique. Il prévoit en outre que la province assumera une part plus importante des coûts de la santé publique.

Ayant banni les aliments vides des distributeurs automatiques dans les écoles élémentaires, l’Ontario exigera maintenant des élèves de ces écoles qu’ils fassent au moins 20 minutes d’activité physique tous les jours de classe.

Le gouvernement est résolu à protéger la santé de la population ontarienne en réduisant la pollution de l’air et en surveillant la salubrité de l’eau potable.
Pour la production d’électricité, il remplacera l’alimentation au charbon par des procédés plus propres, et il a prévu que la dernière centrale au charbon cesserait ses activités au début de 2009.

Conformément aux recommandations du Rapport de la Commission d’enquête sur Walkerton, il proposera des dispositions législatives assurant la surveillance de l’eau potable à sa source.

Il améliorera le processus d’évaluation environnementale, pour le rendre plus transparent et plus efficient.

Puisqu’un mode de vie sain comporte des activités de plein air, le gouvernement proposera des dispositions législatives qui assureraient la protection durable des parcs provinciaux, qui nous sont si précieux, tout en poursuivant sa stratégie consistant à dresser une carte des 64 000 kilomètres de sentiers de l’Ontario et à y installer une signalisation.

Pour concrétiser la valeur que nous attachons à notre environnement naturel ainsi que la capacité des citoyens d’améliorer les choses, votre gouvernement créera un nouveau parc dans la vallée de la Rouge – le parc commémoratif Bob Hunter.

Aux enfants de Bobet à sa femme, Bobbi, disons-le bien haut: la passion avec laquelle Bob s’est porté à la défense de l’environnement nous a montré la voie, et nous ne sommes pas près d’oublier sa contribution.

**L’INNOVATION AU XXIe SIÈCLE: METTRE EN VALEUR DES SECTEURS, DES RÉGIONS ET DES IDÉES**

Si l’Ontario veut pleinement tirer profit de son avantage économique, il doit se classer premier dans la course à l’innovation.

Il doit être le premier à formuler de nouvelles idées.

Le premier à tirer de ces idées de nouveaux produits et services.

Et le premier à commercialiser ces produits et services sur les marchés mondiaux, afin qu’ils deviennent sources de création d’emplois et de prospérité chez nous.

Le premier ministre a établi deux objectifs pour le nouveau ministère de la Recherche et de l’Innovation, qu’il dirige: appuyer le processus de l’innovation et créer une culture de l’innovation.

Il voudrait qu’en Ontario l’innovation soit non seulement possible, mais incontournable.

En intégrant les initiatives qui étaient antérieurement réparties entre neuf ministères et en s’employant à en lancer de nouvelles, le gouvernement veille à ce que, pour la première fois, l’Ontario se dote d’un plan clair en matière de recherche et d’innovation.

Un nouveau Conseil ontarien de la recherche et de l’innovation contribuera, par consultation, à favoriser l’accroissement des investissements stratégiques.

Votre gouvernement a déjà investi dans le District de la découverte MaRS, comme appui à la recherche, au financement et à la commercialisation des nouvelles idées, fonctions qui se retrouvent sous le même toit.

Le gouvernement reconnaît que les secteurs clés de l’économie ontarienne doivent innover pour pouvoir se mesurer à la concurrence mondiale et créer des emplois, à l’heure actuelle et pendant une bonne partie du nouveau siècle.

La Stratégie ontarienne d’investissement dans l’industrie automobile a brillamment réussi à attirer des investissements de pointe, dont découlera la prochaine génération d’emplois.

Les ententes conclues avec Ford, GM, Toyota et Navistar ont entraîné des investissements de plus de 4,5 milliards de dollars en Ontario – dont l’usine de montage de Toyota à Woodstock, qui est la première usine propre de construction automobile à voir le jour au Canada depuis plus de dix ans.

Le gouvernement poursuit ses pourparlers avec plusieurs sociétés, en vue de faire fond sur ces réussites.

L’agroalimentaire est une industrie de 30 milliards de dollars, essentielle à notre économie – en particulier dans les régions rurales de l’Ontario.
C’est pour cette raison que le gouvernement s’est hâté d’appliquer des mesures pour aider les éleveurs de bétail qui ont souffert de l’interdiction imposée par les États-Unis sur le boeuf canadien. Pour cette raison qu’il continue à donner suite aux préoccupations soulevées par le Programme canadien de stabilisation du revenu agricole. Pour cette raison aussi qu’il a décidé d’exiger que toute l’essence vendue dans la province contienne en moyenne 5 pour 100 d’éthanol d’ici janvier 2007 et d’appuyer la construction d’usines de production d’éthanol ici même en Ontario, en vue de créer de nouveaux marchés pour nos agriculteurs, de réduire la pollution atmosphérique et de stabiliser le prix de l’essence.

Dans le cadre d’un processus issu du Sommet agro-alimentaire du premier ministre, votre gouvernement se joint aux dirigeants de secteur pour élaborer une vision commune de l’avenir.

L’accent est mis sur trois priorités:

- Innovation: le gouvernement entend appuyer la recherche-développement afin d’aider les agriculteurs à créer de nouveaux marchés et à trouver de nouvelles façons de faire des affaires dans le secteur agroalimentaire;
- Marketing des produits alimentaires de l’Ontario: le gouvernement collabore avec l’industrie afin de définir une nouvelle stratégie touchant l’image de marque et le marketing;
- Stabilisation des revenus agricoles: l’Ontario travaille de concert avec le gouvernement fédéral afin d’améliorer le système des filets de sécurité.

Le secteur forestier, qui revêt une importance considérable pour l’économie ontarienne et le Nord de l’Ontario en particulier, doit relever d’énormes défis.

La mondialisation de l’industrie entraîne de profondes transformations dans le monde entier, notamment des regroupements d’entreprises et des pertes d’emplois.

La réponse du gouvernement prend la forme d’un appui financier de plus de 680 millions de dollars, pour aider ce secteur à investir dans la transformation novatrice dont il a besoin pour être compétitif sur le marché d’aujourd’hui.

Afin de mieux renforcer l’économie du Nord, le gouvernement appuie l’expansion économique au moyen de prêts issus du produit des obligations de développement du Nord; il appuie la création d’emplois par le biais du Fonds du patrimoine du Nord de l’Ontario; il attire des investissements d’ancrage grâce à la Stratégie InvestiNord GO; et il investit dans l’infrastructure du Nord.

Soucieux de favoriser une juste répartition de la prospérité économique de l’Ontario, le gouvernement poursuit activement diverses initiatives visant à combler l’écart socioéconomique entre les Autochtones et les autres citoyennes et citoyens de l’Ontario. Nous avons amorcé une nouvelle démarche auprès des peuples autochtones et nous élaborons des propositions qui leur permettront de bénéficier équitablement de la mise en valeur des richesses naturelles.

L’Ontario continuera à se faire le champion d’un commerce international ouvert – et équitable.

Malheureusement, nos concurrents ne respectent pas toujours les règles.

Des subventions agricoles massives en Europe et aux États-Unis nuisent à nos agriculteurs, qui ont du mal à soutenir la concurrence.

Nos concurrents font fi des décisions de réglementation commerciale touchant le bois d’œuvre et imposent des tarifs à nos produits.

Et notre secteur de l’automobile souffre des politiques commerciales qui rendent difficile la vente des véhicules de fabrication ontarienne sur les marchés étrangers, même si les constructeurs de ces marchés jouissent d’un accès élargi au marché ontarien.

Nous savons que notre main-d’œuvre et nos produits peuvent se mesurer avec succès à la concurrence internationale, pour peu que les règles du jeu soient équivalentes et que les mêmes s’appliquent à tous.

Le gouvernement de l’Ontario incite fortement le gouvernement fédéral à prendre des mesures pour assurer l’équité et à tirer profit, lors de la négociation d’ententes futures, des leçons apprises aujourd’hui.
POUR MISER SUR NOTRE DIVERSITÉ

Notre diversité représente une formidable source de force.

Notre population nous vient de quelque 200 pays.

Nous parons plus de 130 langues, appartenons à toutes les confessions et provenons de toutes les cultures du monde.

Notre diversité nous donne une perspective privilégiée sur le monde, un monde que nous ne voyons pas divisé entre ce que nous sommes et ce que les autres représentent, car nous formons une société cosmopolite.

Nous en retirons d’ailleurs un avantage économique car cela nous permet de faire des affaires dans le monde entier.

Nous comprenons tous les marchés, avons des liens avec tous les milieux d’investissement et sommes en mesure de communiquer avec tous les clients.

Nous pouvons miser sur notre diversité pour générer des investissements et créer des emplois, à condition toutefois de continuer à attirer les ressources humaines les plus compétentes et les plus inventives du monde et de leur offrir la chance d’apporter une contribution optimale à l’édification de l’Ontario.

Notre volonté d’accueillir comme il se doit les nouveaux arrivants en Ontario a été à l’avant-scène de la campagne du premier ministre en vue de diminuer l’écart de 23 milliards de dollars.

Il s’agit bien sûr de l’écart entre ce que l’Ontario verse au gouvernement fédéral et ce qu’il en reçoit en termes de dépenses.

On a en effet constaté une différence de 3 000$ en moyenne entre les dépenses fédérales au Québec et en Ontario, au détriment de ce dernier, pour l’établissement et l’intégration de chaque nouvel arrivant.

Les efforts de l’Ontario à cet égard ont porté fruit, et le premier ministre du Canada a pris l’engagement d’éliminer cette disparité.

Le gouvernement provincial reconnaît que l’acquisition de compétences linguistiques est à la base de la réussite pour les nouveaux arrivants. C’est la raison pour laquelle l’enseignement de l’anglais langue seconde fera l’objet de l’orientation principale du ministère des Affaires civiques et de l’Immigration, dont le mandat vient d’être renforcé.

L’accroissement du financement signifie qu’une tranche supplémentaire de 30 000 nouveaux arrivants en Ontario pourront bénéficier d’une formation en anglais langue seconde.

Votre gouvernement entend également travailler en collaboration avec ses partenaires en éducation afin d’améliorer la qualité de la formation linguistique.

Le gouvernement misera en outre sur le succès des programmes de formation relais, qui aident les nouveaux arrivants à acquérir les compétences et l’expérience dont ils ont besoin pour exercer leur métier ou profession en Ontario.

Le gouvernement est résolu à éliminer les obstacles qui peuvent empêcher les néo-Canadiennes et néo-Canadiens de réaliser tout leur potentiel.

Il permettra aux personnes formées à l’extérieur du Canada d’accéder plus rapidement à l’exercice de leur métier ou profession, en veillant à ce que les organismes de réglementation établissent un processus d’agrément et d’appel équitable et transparent.

Le gouvernement créera sur Internet le premier Portail ontarien de l’immigration, lequel fournira aux immigrants éventuels des renseignements à jour sur les collectivités, les marchés du travail, la reconnaissance professionnelle ainsi que d’autres renseignements importants sur l’Ontario qui les aideront à commencer une nouvelle vie et à connaître le succès chez nous.

Il importe de faire état de la diversité de l’Ontario dans le monde entier et de resserrer nos liens avec les marchés économiques à croissance rapide.
En novembre, le premier ministre dirigera une mission ontarienne axée sur les échanges commerciaux et les investissements qui se rendra à Beijing, à Shanghai, à Nanjing et à Hong Kong.


POUR ÉTABLIR LES ÉLÉMENTS FONDAMENTAUX

Pour renforcer l’avantage économique de l’Ontario, nous devons disposer des éléments fondamentaux que sont une infrastructure moderne, un approvisionnement fiable en énergie, des services publics efficaces et efficaces ainsi que des partenariats dynamiques avec le secteur privé et les autres gouvernements.

Le gouvernement a créé un plan quinquennal d’investissement dans l’infrastructure de 30 milliards de dollars, sous l’appellation ReNouveau Ontario.

Ce plan prévoit des travaux d’expansion et d’amélioration du réseau routier, de grands projets dans le secteur hospitalier, la réfection des réseaux d’approvisionnement en eau ainsi que des investissements soutenus dans les transports en commun, y compris un plan quinquennal d’expansion du Réseau GO, une affectation sur cinq ans à la Commission de transport de Toronto et le financement du service O-Train d’Ottawa.

Bien qu’il soit nécessaire d’intensifier nos relations avec les économies émergentes, notre grand partenaire commercial demeure les États-Unis.

Le gouvernement procède à des améliorations considérables aux abords des postes frontaliers de Niagara Falls et de Sarnia.

Et il a chargé Michael Kergin, l’estimé ancien ambassadeur du Canada aux États-Unis, d’activer la réalisation d’importantes améliorations à Windsor, entre autres l’aménagement d’un nouveau poste frontalier.

M. Kergin est parmi nous aujourd’hui, et en le saluant, nous saluons aussi toutes les femmes et tous les hommes qui travaillent à moderniser l’infrastructure de l’Ontario.

Une source fiable d’énergie propre à prix abordable est absolument essentielle à la prospérité de l’Ontario.

Nous disposons tout juste de 15 ans pour remettre à neuf, reconstruire ou remplacer les installations nécessaires à la production de 25 000 mégawatts d’électricité.

En deux ans seulement, le gouvernement a augmenté la capacité du réseau de plus de 2 200 mégawatts. Il a fait progresser de nouveaux projets de production énergétique, qui nous fourniront une capacité supplémentaire de 9 000 mégawatts au cours des cinq prochaines années – soit suffisamment pour alimenter 4,1 millions de foyers.

Et il est en bonne voie de réaliser l’objectif de l’Ontario, soit que la production d’énergie renouvelable parvienne d’ici 2007 à représenter 5 pour 100 de notre capacité de production d’électricité.

Il reste encore beaucoup à faire, toutefois.

Aux fins de la planification à long terme qui est nécessaire, le gouvernement a établi le nouvel Office de l’électricité de l’Ontario, et il prendra des décisions fondées sur les conseils les plus judicieux et réalistes quant aux prochaines étapes.

Les prix de l’électricité de nouvelle génération ne seront plus ni subventionnés, ni plafonnés. Le gouvernement a éliminé les considérations politiques du processus d’établissement des prix de l’électricité, et confié à la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario le soin de fixer les prix de l’électricité résidentielle.
En outre, le gouvernement fait le nécessaire pour que ces prix demeurent concurrentiels en Ontario en diversifiant les sources d’approvisionnement et en veillant à la fiabilité du réseau de transmission et à la stabilité du secteur de l’énergie.

Il donnera également aux consommateurs ontariens les moyens de mieux gérer leurs coûts à cet égard, ce qui comprend l’installation de compteurs intelligents dans plus de 800 000 logements et entreprises d’ici 2007, et dans tous les logements et entreprises d’ici 2010.

Les compteurs intelligents indiquent avec exactitude ce que coûte l’électricité au moment où on la consomme, et ils permettent de concentrer la consommation d’énergie aux périodes creuses, où les tarifs sont moindres.

Le gouvernement proposera de nouvelles mesures et dispositions législatives afin de stimuler l’économie d’énergie.

Nous appliquons ces modifications de façon à réduire de 30 mégatonnes les émissions de gaz à effet de serre, pour que la population ontarienne puisse respirer un air plus propre et pour qu’elle soit en meilleure santé. Ce résultat représente 10 pour 100 de l’objectif total du Canada dans le cadre de l’accord de Kyoto.

Nous comptons bien que le gouvernement fédéral reconnaîtra notre contribution au plan qui doit lui permettre de respecter son engagement au titre de l’accord de Kyoto.

Quant au gouvernement même, il doit appliquer une saine gestion interne, offrir des services de haute qualité et faire preuve de rigueur en matière de finances.

Le budget de fonctionnement de près de la moitié des ministères a été réduit, gelé ou augmenté à un taux inférieur à celui de l’inflation.

Le déficit de 5,6 milliards de dollars a été abaissé à 1,6 milliard de dollars.

Cette réduction du déficit est attribuable à un dur labeur de la part des Ontariennes et Ontariens, et elle doit engendrer de la confiance sans toutefois justifier un relâchement de notre vigilance. Les contribuables travaillent fort et ils méritent d’obtenir des services de haut calibre.

Le gouvernement maintient le cap sur son objectif, qui est d’assurer l’amélioration continue de la qualité des services à la population.

Il s’agit là d’un engagement partagé avec une fonction publique véritablement hors du commun, qui fait preuve chaque jour d’une éthique du travail exemplaire et d’un professionnalisme indéfectible.

En collaboration avec les membres de la fonction publique, le gouvernement mettra en place ce qui pourrait bien être la toute première garantie de remboursement à l’égard des services publics en Amérique du Nord.

Plus tard cette année, les Ontariennes et Ontariens qui déposer ont une demande d’acte de naissance en ligne recevront l’acte demandé dans un délai maximal de 15 jours, faute de quoi ils se verront rembourser les droits versés.

Le gouvernement envisage la possibilité d’assortir d’autres types de services d’une garantie de remboursement.

Le programme Air pur inclut les véhicules récents, dont le taux de réussite aux analyses des gaz d’échappement dépasse 99 pour 100.

Le gouvernement repensera le programme Air pur, pour mettre fin à ce gaspillage d’argent et de temps pour les automobilistes de la province.

Grâce aux initiatives entreprises depuis son accession au pouvoir, le gouvernement a réussi à faire diminuer les primes d’assurance automobile de 11 pour 100 en moyenne, après des années de hausses successives.

Le gouvernement continuera à procéder aux modifications les plus radicales et les plus complètes des lois sur la protection des consommateurs ontariens en plus de 30 ans, ce qui comprend le resserrement des mesures d’application des lois et des amendes plus sévères pour les contrevenants.
Le gouvernement continuera de collaborer avec le secteur privé, y compris nos petites et moyennes entreprises, dont dépend la moitié des emplois en Ontario et qui forment 99 pour 100 du nombre total des entreprises.

Un nouveau Registre de la réglementation en ligne est la première d’une série de mesures visant à faciliter l’exploitation des petites entreprises. La nouvelle Agence pour les petites entreprises de l’Ontario continuera à alléger les formalités administratives et le fardeau réglementaire que doivent assumer les petites entreprises dans leurs interactions avec le gouvernement.

Le travail que nous accomplissons ensemble se fonde sur une démocratie affirmée. Le gouvernement entend renforcer les institutions démocratiques en consultant la population ontarienne quant à la réforme du financement électoral et politique.

Le gouvernement continuera à rechercher des partenariats efficaces avec les autres paliers de gouvernement.

Il continuera à mener sa campagne en vue d’amenuiser l’écart de 23 milliards de dollars.

Les Ontariennes et Ontariens sont fiers de leur appartenance à la grande famille canadienne, et nous sommes disposés à jouer un rôle de leadership au sein de la Confédération, comme nous l’avons toujours fait.

Mais nous insistons pour que l’écart soit réduit, car il compromet notre capacité d’investir dans notre prospérité future, autrement dit, d’investir dans l’éducation et la santé de notre population.

Un Ontario vigoureux est gage d’un Canada vigoureux.

Parallèlement, le gouvernement poursuit sa collaboration avec le gouvernement fédéral dans le but de réaliser les priorités des Ontariennes et Ontariens.

Par exemple, le gouvernement mettra en œuvre une nouvelle entente sur le logement abordable qui permettra d’offrir 15 000 logements neufs et jusqu’à 5 000 allocations de logement à des ménages à faible revenu, entre autres à des personnes qui se rétablissent d’une maladie mentale, qui ont été victimes de violence conjugale ou qui vivent dans des collectivités éloignées.

Il établit également des partenariats solides avec les municipalités.

Votre gouvernement a été le premier à consacrer une partie de la taxe sur l’essence aux transports en commun de la province.

Les rues et les rails de la province en témoignent maintenant, car on y retrouve de nouveaux tramways, de nouveaux autobus et de nouveaux niveaux de services.

Il faut faciliter les déplacements des gens, cela est certain; mais il importe encore davantage que ces déplacements se fassent en toute sécurité.

Le gouvernement travaillera en collaboration avec ses partenaires municipaux afin d’embaucher, d’ici 2007, 1 000 agents et agents de police patrouilleurs.

Nous sommes la première province canadienne à exiger que les hôpitaux signalent les blessures par balle aux services policiers et nous continuerons à réclamer du gouvernement fédéral qu’il renforce les peines imposées dans les cas d’actes de violence perpétrés avec des armes à feu.

Et votre gouvernement veut donner de l’expansion aux programmes s’adressant aux jeunes, pour que ceux-ci aient d’autres perspectives que les armes, les bandes délinquantes et la violence.

L’Ontario interviendra énergiquement pour sévir contre le crime et lutter contre les causes de la criminalité.

Le renforcement de l’avantage économique de l’Ontario doit comporter des mesures aptes à faire tourner à plein régime le plus important moteur économique du Canada.

Le gouvernement travaillera de concert avec les dirigeants municipaux à l’établissement de la Régie des transports de la région du grand Toronto.
Et il collaborera avec les commissions de transport afin de créer un billet électronique unique, qui permettra d’effectuer le trajet complet, d’un bout à l’autre de la région du grand Toronto.

Si elle est adoptée, une nouvelle loi sur la cité de Toronto traitera la ville la plus importante au Canada comme une entité administrative responsable.

Et le gouvernement proposera des dispositions législatives afin de témoigner du respect qui est dû à tous nos partenaires municipaux.

CONCLUSION: TRAVAILLONS ENSEMBLE À LA CRÉATION DE LA PROSPÉRITÉ

Voilà le plan de votre gouvernement en vue de renforcer l’avantage économique de l’Ontario, c’est-à-dire de rehausser le niveau d’instruction et les compétences de notre population..., d’améliorer la santé publique..., de stimuler l’innovation et de miser sur notre diversité..., et de veiller à ce que les éléments fondamentaux soient en place.

Il s’agit d’un plan idéal pour l’Ontario, qui intervient à point nommé, car il prépare la population à relever les défis de l’avenir et à tirer profit des opportunités qu’offre le XXIe siècle.

Grâce à ce plan, l’Ontario marque et marquera des progrès tangibles.

C’est aux Ontariennes et Ontariens que revient le mérite de ces progrès.

Les retombées positives constatées jusqu’à présent, qu’il s’agisse des résultats supérieurs aux tests scolaires, de la réduction des temps d’attente dans nos hôpitaux ou encore de la création de 193000 emplois, témoignent du fait que les Ontariennes et Ontariens travaillent fort, qu’ils travaillent bien et qu’ils travaillent en concertation.

Le moment est maintenant venu d’accélérer le rythme de ce progrès.

Le moment est maintenant venu de renforcer l’avantage économique de l’Ontario.

Car c’est ainsi que nous saurons répondre aux espoirs et aux aspirations des Ontariennes et Ontariens : préparer une vie meilleure pour leurs enfants et petits-enfants tout en bâtissant un Ontario prospère et un Canada plus vigoureux.

Que Dieu protège la Reine. Dieu bénisse le Canada.

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS

The Speaker reported that, to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy of His Honour’s speech, which he would read. (Reading dispensed with.)

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 1, An Act to perpetuate an Ancient Parliamentary Right. Hon. Mr. McGuinty.

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 1, Loi visant à perpétuer un ancien droit parlementaire. L’hon. M. McGuinty.

MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to this House be taken into consideration on Thursday, October 13, 2005.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, that notwithstanding Standing Orders 8(a) and 96(a), the House shall not meet to consider Private Members’ Public Business on the morning of Thursday, October 13, 2005.

In accordance with the Order of the House of June 13, 2005, the following Orders were continued at the same stage of business for the House and its committees as at the prorogation of the First Session of the Thirty-eighth Parliament:

Bill 128, An Act to amend various Acts with respect to enforcement powers, penalties and the management of property forfeited, or that may be forfeited, to the Crown in right of Ontario as a result of organized crime, marijuana growing and other unlawful activities.


Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act.

Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures.

Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

Affaires renvoyées aux comités permanents

Commission permanent des affaires gouvernementales

Projet de loi 169, Loi modifiant le Code de la route et modifiant et abrogeant diverses autres lois à l’égard de questions relatives au transport.
STANDING COMMITTEE ON JUSTICE POLICY

Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005.

STANDING COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS AND PRIVATE BILLS

Bill 7, An Act to authorize a group of manufacturers of Ontario wines to sell Vintners Quality Alliance wines.

Bill 58, An Act to amend the Safe Streets Act, 1999 and the Highway Traffic Act to recognize the fund-raising activities of legitimate charities and non-profit organizations.

Bill 101, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act.

Bill 123, An Act to require that meetings of provincial and municipal boards, commissions and other public bodies be open to the public.

Bill 137, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for a tax credit for expenses incurred in using public transit.

Bill 153, An Act in memory of Jay Lawrence and Bart Mackey to amend the Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences.

COMITÉ PERMANENT DE LA JUSTICE

Projet de loi 159, Loi révisant la Loi sur les enquêteurs privés et les gardiens et apportant une modification corrélative à la Loi de 1999 sur le Tribunal d’appel en matière de permis.

COMITÉ PERMANENT DE L’ASSEMBLÉE LÉGISLATIVE


COMITÉ PERMANENT DES RÈGLEMENTS ET DES PROJETS DE LOI PRIVÉS

Projet de loi 7, Loi autorisant un groupe de fabricants de vins de l’Ontario à vendre des vins de la Vintners Quality Alliance.

Projet de loi 58, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1999 sur la sécurité dans les rues et le Code de la route pour reconnaître les activités de financement des organismes de bienfaisance légitimes et organismes sans but lucratif.

Projet de loi 101, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’assurance-santé.

Projet de loi 123, Loi exigeant que les réunions des commissions et conseils provinciaux et municipaux et d’autres organismes publics soient ouvertes au public.

Projet de loi 137, Loi modifiant la Loi de l’impôt sur le revenu afin de prévoir un crédit d’impôt pour les dépenses engagées au titre des transports en commun.

Projet de loi 153, Loi modifiant le Code de la route à la mémoire de Jay Lawrence et Bart Mackey.

Projet de loi 209, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui concerne les suspensions de permis de conduire.
STANDING COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL POLICY
Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2005
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

I beg to inform the House that pursuant to Standing Order 36(g), the Premier has authorized the parliamentary assistant to the Minister of the Environment, the member for Perth–Middlesex, to answer oral questions for the minister during the fall sitting.

THIRD DAY

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the following Reports of Parliamentary Officers were tabled:-

On June 22, 2005, the 2004 Annual Report of the Information and Privacy Commissioner (Sessional Paper No. 509);

On June 22, 2005, the 2004-2005 Annual Report of the Office of the Integrity Commissioner (Sessional Paper No. 512);

On June 22, 2005, the 2004-2005 Annual Report of the Lobbyists Registration Office (Sessional Paper No. 511);

On July 4, 2005, the 2004-2005 Annual Report of the Ombudsman (Sessional Paper No. 518);

On September 1, 2005, the Report of the Ombudsman entitled “From Hope to Despair – Whether the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care’s refusal to fund the drug Cystagon for treatment of Batten’s Disease is unreasonable and unfair.” (Sessional Paper No. 533); and

On September 28, 2005, the Report of the Ombudsman entitled “The Right to be Impatient – Whether the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care has failed to properly administer Newborn Screening in Ontario.” (Sessional Paper No. 5i).
The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated September 7, 2005 (Sessional Paper No. 534) of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House.

Mr. Racco from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee’s report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

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Ordered for Third Reading.

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 13, 2005, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on Maintenance of the Provincial Highway System and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 532) (Tabled August 31, 2005).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.
Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 13, 2005, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on the Employment Rights and Responsibilities Program and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 508) (Tabled July 18, 2005).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 13, 2005, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on the Air Quality Program and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 521) (Tabled July 27, 2005).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 13, 2005, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on Independent Health Facilities and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 531) (Tabled August 5, 2005).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 3, An Act to amend the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act with respect to the assistance that the Minister provides to municipalities. Mr. Yakabuski.

Bill 4, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act. Mr. Mauro.
MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley, pursuant to Standing Order 72(a),

Ordered, That the Order for Second Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act be discharged and the bill be referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, that notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list for Private Members' Public Business:-

Mr. Mauro and Mr. Rinaldi exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Mauro assumes ballot item 5 and Mr. Rinaldi assumes ballot item 25;

Mr. Wilkinson and Ms. Jeffrey exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Wilkinson assumes ballot item 39 and Ms. Jeffrey assumes ballot item 6;

Mr. Parsons and Mr. Gravelle exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Parsons assumes ballot item 3 and Mr. Gravelle assumes ballot item 11; and

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot items 1 through 4.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to thanking the Government of Ontario for the capital improvements to the Credit Valley Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-1) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to rescinding layoffs and reinstating all services to Bluewater Health (Sessional Paper No. P-2) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to appointing a mediator and resuming negotiations with the Ontario Association of Optometrists (OAO) (Sessional Paper No. P-3) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to reducing cormorant populations that have a negative impact on local fisheries (Sessional Paper No. P-4) Mr. Ouellette.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Crozier moved, seconded by Ms. Matthews,

That a Humble address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:-

“To the Honourable James K. Bartleman, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario:

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.”
And a debate having ensued, it was,  
On motion by Mr. Sterling,  
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Phillips moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2005  
FOURTH DAY

PRAIRES  
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:--

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Alvin Curling, as member for the electoral district of Scarborough—Rouge River, effective August 19, 2005.

Accordingly, my Warrant has been issued to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of a writ for a by-election.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:--

Bill 5, An Act to amend the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act to name a portion of Highway 62 and Highway 33 the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment Memorial Highway. Mr. Parsons.


MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That the following amendments be made to the membership of certain Committees:-

On the **Standing Committee on Estimates**:-
Mr. Dunlop replaces Mr. O’Toole.

On the **Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs**:-
Mr. Arthurs replaces Mr. Colle.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 17, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 67**

Arthurs       Crozier       Klees       O’Toole       Smith
Baird         Delaney       Kular       Parsons       Smitherman
Bartolucci    Dhillon       Kwinter      Peters        Sorbara
Bentley       Di Cocco      Lalonde      Phillips      Takhari
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky   Leal         Pupatello     Tory
Bradley       Duguid        Levac        Qadri         Van Bommel
Brownell      Dunlop        Marsales     Racco         Watson
Bryant        Flynn         Matthews     Ramal         Wilkinson
Cansfield     Fonseca       McMeekin     Rinaldi       Wilson
Caplan        Gerretsen     McNeely      Runciman      Witmer
Chambers      Hardeman      Meilleur      Ruprecht      Wynne
Chudleigh      Hudak         Miller       Sandals       Yakabuski
Colle         Jackson       Orazietti    Scott         Zimmer
Craitor

**NAYS / CONTRE - 6**

Bisson         Horwath       Kormos       Marchese      Prue
Churley

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to thanking the Government of Ontario for the capital improvements to the Credit Valley Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-1). Mr. Flynn and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to appointing a mediator and resuming negotiations with the Ontario Association of Optometrists (OAO) (Sessional Paper No. P-3). Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5). Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to canceling rent increases paid by the Queensway-Carleton Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-6). Mr. Baird and Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7). Mr. Jackson.
Petition relating to the LCBO issuing a permit to the Dépanneur Méthot-Leroux in St-Bernardin, Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-8). Mr. Lalonde.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9). Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to stopping public private partnership (P3) hospitals and fund new public hospitals (Sessional Paper No. P-10). Ms. Martel.


Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12). Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session having been read,

The debate was resumed, and after some time,

Mr. Tory moved,

That the motion be amended by striking out all of the words after: “We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session,” and replacing them with the following:-

“However, the current Speech from the Throne ignores the real problems faced by real working families throughout Ontario; and

Whereas, in place of real action for Ontario’s families this throne speech offers nothing more than warmed-over old announcements and ‘novelty items’; and

Whereas the Throne speech ignores the real hardship imposed by the new Liberal health tax during an already difficult time; and

Whereas the Throne speech ignores the real hardships that Ontarians face in paying more for electricity, home heating, and vital medical care; and

Whereas the Throne Speech continues to neglect the mounting problems of nursing supply, waitlists, or timely access to care; and

Whereas, based on this Liberal government’s broken promises in their first throne speech… Ontarians have valid reason to doubt the contents of the current one.

Therefore, I regret to inform His Honour that the current Liberal government has failed to keep its election commitments, failed to listen to the real needs of Ontario families and have instead persisted in unreasonable taxation, undisciplined spending, and continued neglect of the real needs of Ontarians. We therefore condemn this government for ignoring the real problems facing real Ontario families and demand immediate action before it’s too late.”

After some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Marchese,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.
Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.
The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

FIFTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2005

SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 8, An Act to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act. Mr. Craitor.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:—

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College. Mr. Fonseca

Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies. Mr. Fonseca
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 18, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 58

Arnott        Craitor       Kular          O’Toole      Scott  
Arthurs       Crozier       Kwinter        Peters       Sergio  
Baird         Delaney       Lalonde        Peterson     Smith  
Barrett       Dombrowsky    Leal           Phillips     Smitherman  
Bartolucci    Duguid        Levac          Pupatello    Takhar  
Bentley       Duncan        Marsales       Quadri       Tascona  
Berardinetti  Flynn         McMeekin       Racco        Tory  
Bradley       Fonseca       McNeely        Rinaldi      Watson  
Cansfield     Gerretsen     Meilleur        Runciman     Wilson  
Caplan        Hardeman      Miller          Ruprecht     Wong  
Chambers      Jackson       Mitchell        Sandals      Yakabuski  
Cordiano      Klees         Mossop          

NAYS / CONTRE – 8

Bisson        Horwath       Marchese       Murdoch      Prue  
Churley       Kormos        Martel          

PETITIONS

Petition relating to thanking the Government of Ontario for the capital improvements to the Credit Valley Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-1) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to stopping public private partnership (P3) hospitals and fund new public hospitals (Sessional Paper No. P-10) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to the assessment by Municipal Property Assessment Corporation to owners who keep recreational trailers at parks and campgrounds (Sessional Paper No. P-13) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Ms. Horwath, Mr. Marchese and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to keeping Huronia Regional Centre home to people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-17) Mr. Klees.
Petition relating to commitments to the city of Niagara Falls by the Falls Management Group (Sessional Paper No. P-18) Mr. CRAITOR.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session.

Pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 128, An Act to amend various Acts with respect to enforcement powers, penalties and the management of property forfeited, or that may be forfeited, to the Crown in right of Ontario as a result of organized crime, marijuana growing and other unlawful activities.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2005

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.
The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated October 19, 2005 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 7).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 9, An Act to prohibit price discrimination on the basis of gender. Mr. Berardinetti.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc. Mr. Murdoch.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 19, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 59

Baird    Duguid    Kular    Parsons    Takhar
Barrett  Duncan   Kwinter  Peters    Tory
Bartolucci Dunlop   Lalonde  Peterson  Van Bommel
Bentley  Flynn    Leal     Phillips  Watson
Berardinetti Fonseca Levac   Quadri    Wilkinson
Bradley  Gerretsen Marsales Runciman Witmer
Cansfield Hardeman Martiniuk Ruprecht  Wong
Caplan   Hoy      Matthews Sandals  Wynne
Colle    Jackson  McNeely  Smith    Yakabuski
Crozier  Jeffrey  Meilleur  Smitherman Zimmer
Delaney  Kennedy  Mossop   Sorbara
Dhillon  Klees    Munro

NAYS / CONTRE – 8

Arnott  Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue
Bisson  Kormos  Martel
During “Oral Questions”, the Speaker requested the Member for Cambridge (Mr. Martiniuk) to withdraw unparliamentary language.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the Sessional day.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to keeping Huronia Regional Centre home to people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-17) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding cardiac rehabilitation services in Niagara Region (Sessional Paper No. P-19) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to establishing an evening bus route for the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic School Board (Sessional Paper No. P-20) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to maintaining OHIP coverage for chiropractic services (Sessional Paper No. P-22) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to providing consumers with a tax break on high gas prices (Sessional Paper No. P-24) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to conducting an operational review of the health care system in Lambton (Sessional Paper No. 25) Mrs. Witmer.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
NINTH DAY
6:45 P.M.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2005
TENTH DAY

Ms. Wynne moved, That in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should expand the Foodland Ontario program to:
• Explicitly state the standards Ontario foods meet before they are placed on the market, and
• Develop a campaign to educate the public on those food safety and quality standards.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Qaadri then moved, That in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should urgently address the issue of violence, gang-related crime, and the illegal use of firearms – as a matter of public safety and responsible government – by being tough on crime, and tough on the causes of crime.

The question having been put on Ms. Wynne’s Resolution Number 1, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 37

Arnott  Arthurs  Barrett  Berardinetti  Bradley  Brownell  Bryant  Chudleigh  Churley  Colle  Duguid  Duguid  Flynn  Fonseca  Gravelle  Hoy  Jeffrey  Kles  Kormos  Kwinter  Lalonde  Leal  Mitchell  Mosopp  Orazietti  Ouellette  Prue  Quadri  Racco  Ruprecht  Scott  Smith  Smitherman  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  Wong  Wynne
The question having been put on Mr. Qaadri’s Resolution Number 2, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR – 37**

Arnott  
Arthurs  
Barrett  
Berardinetti  
Bradley  
Brownell  
Bryant  
Chudleigh  
Churley  
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Mossop  
Orazietti  
Ouellette  
Prue  
Qaadri  
Racco  
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Scott  
Smith  
Smitherman  
Van Bommel  
Wilkinson  
Wong  
Wynne

**NAYS / CONTRE – 0**

1:30 P.M.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Ms. Horwath and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to stiffer penalties for drivers involved in fatal accidents (Sessional Paper No. 26) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s plan for progress as outlined in the Throne Speech (Sessional Paper No. 27) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to public health care (Sessional Paper No. 28) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to disabled person parking permits (Sessional Paper No. 29) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to freezing gas price temporarily and petitioning the federal government to remove the GST (Sessional Paper No. 31) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. 32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing public funding for post-secondary education, reducing tuition fees and reinstating an up-front system of grants (Sessional Paper No.33) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to affordable housing (Sessional Paper No. 34) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. 35) Ms. Scott.
Opposition Day

Mr. Hampton moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the McGuinty government must recognize that during the first two years of its mandate, thousands of jobs have been lost in the forest industries of Northern Ontario; and

Recognize that communities are being devastated by the loss of jobs and the disintegration of local and regional economies; and

Recognize that as a result of the government’s hydro-electricity policies, sawmills and pulp and paper mills in Northern Ontario are forced to pay $80/megawatt or more for electricity that costs $20/megawatt or less to generate at nearby hydro dams, whereas paper mills in competing jurisdictions like Quebec, or British Columbia are paying $30/megawatt for electricity; and

Recognize that uncompetitive electricity prices are placing Ontario’s forest industries in a highly uncompetitive position; and

Immediately implement an energy strategy for northern industries and stop the electricity rate increases that put the entire Northern Ontario economy at risk.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 12

NAYS / CONTRE - 39

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2005  
ELEVENTH DAY

PRAYERS  
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hardeman from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee’s Report. Pursuant to Standing Order 109(b), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 8).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 10, An Act respecting the price of motor vehicle fuel and the appointment of a Gas Price Watchdog. Mr. Gravelle.

MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list of Private Members’ Public Business:-

Mr. Kormos and Ms. Churley exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Kormos assumes ballot item number 61 and Ms. Churley assumes ballot item number 4;

Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Wilson exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Ouellette assumes ballot item number 62 and Mr. Wilson assumes ballot item number 7; and

Mrs. Munro and Mr. Baird exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mrs. Munro assumes ballot item number 44 and Mr. Baird assumes ballot item number 14.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 24, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 62

Arthurs  Baird  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Bryant  Cansfield  Caplan

Crozier  Delaney  Di Cocco  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Gravelle

Jackson  Kwinter  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Marsales  Mauro  McMeekin  McNeely  Meilleur

Parsons  Peters  Phillips  Pupatello  Racco  Ramal  Ramsay  Rinaldi  Runciman  Ruprecht

Smitherman  Sorbara  Sterling  Takhar  Tory  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  Witmer  Wong  Wynne
Ayes (continued)

Chambers  Hardeman  Miller  Sandals  Yakabuski
Colle      Hoy       Munro  Smith   Zimmer
Craitor    Hudak

NAYS / CONTRE – 10

Bisson     Churley   Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Murdoch  Ouellette
Chudleigh  Horwath  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Murdoch  Prue

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to cancelling rent increases paid by the Queensway-Carleton Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-6) Mr. Baird.

Petition relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Mr. Prue.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Flaherty, Mr. Hardeman, and Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to public health care (Sessional Paper No. P-30) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to affordable housing (Sessional Paper No. P-34) Mr. Berardinetti.


Petition relating to noxious odours from the Halton Recycling Plant in Newmarket (Sessional Paper No. P-37) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to rent freeze until above-guideline rent increases are wiped out by inflation (Sessional Paper No. P-38) Mr. Ruprecht.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 211, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne et d’autres lois pour éliminer la retraite obligatoire.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
TWELFTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2005

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts. Hon. Mr. Ramsay.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 25, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 73

DOUZIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur l'amendement à la motion portant l'Adresse en réponse au discours prononcé par Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur à l'ouverture de la session.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 32, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

MARDI 25 OCTOBRE 2005

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 11, Loi édictant la Loi sur les parcs provinciaux et les réserves de conservation, abrogeant la Loi sur les parcs provinciaux et la Loi sur la protection des régions sauvages et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois. L’hon. M. Ramsay.

MOTIONS

M. Bradley propose,

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
Ayes (continued)

Bryant  Gerretsen  McMeekin  Ramsay  Wilson
Cansfield  Gravelle  McNeely  Rinaldi  Witmer
Caplan  Hardeman  Meilleur  Runciman  Wong
Chambers  Hoy  Miller  Ruprecht  Wynne
Colle  Jeffrey  Milloy  Sandsals  Zimmer
Crozier  Klees  Mitchell

NAYS / CONTRE – 10

Bisson  Churley  Kormos  Martel  Prue
Chudleigh  Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch  Yakabuski

PETITIONS

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to setting up a training farm centre for immigrants with degrees in agriculture (Sessional Paper No. P-39) Mr. Quadri.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to ensure that Ontario has the best skilled workforce and the strongest economy (Sessional Paper No. P-41) Mr. Berardinetti.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
FOURTEENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:27 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2005

FIFTEENTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated October 26, 2005 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 10).

Ms. Churley from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:-

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College.
Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc.
Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 12, An Act to implement a ban on hiking post-secondary tuition fees. Mr. Marchese.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 26, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 68

Arthurs Crozier Kwinter Munro Sandals
Baird Delaney Lalonde Orazietti Sergio
Barrett Dhillon Leal O’Toole Smith
Bartolucci Dombrowsky Levac Ouellette Smitherman
Bentley Duguid Marsales Patten Sorbara
Berardinetti Duncan Martinuik Peters Tascona
Bountrogianni Flynn Mauro Peterson Tory
Bradley Fonseca McGuinty Phillips Van Bommel
Brownell Gerretsen McMeekin Papatello Watson
Bryant Hoy McNeely Quadri Wilkinson
Caplan Jeffrey Meilleur Ramal Wynne
Chambers Kennedy Miller Runciman Yakabuski
Chudleigh Klees Milloy Ruprecht Zimmer
Colle Kular McNeely

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Churley Kormos Marchese Martel Prue
Horwath

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson and Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to keeping Huronia Regional Centre home to people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-17) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petitions relating to forming a special legislative committee on Pension Reform (Sessional Paper No. P-43) Ms. Horwath and Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Leal and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing the penalties for endangering or harming animals (Sessional Paper No. P-45) Ms. Marsales.

Petition relating to reversing the government’s decision to cancel the expansion and upgrades of Cambridge Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-46) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to introducing a capped class size for Grades 4 to 6 (Sessional Paper No. P-47) Mr. Quadri.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session.

After some time, the amendment to the motion was put as follows:-

That the motion be amended by striking out all of the words after: “We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session,” and replacing them with the following:-

“However, the current Speech from the Throne ignores the real problems faced by real working families throughout Ontario; and

Whereas, in place of real action for Ontario’s families this throne speech offers nothing more than warmed-over old announcements and ‘novelty items’; and

Whereas the Throne speech ignores the real hardship imposed by the new Liberal health tax during an already difficult time; and

Whereas the Throne speech ignores the real hardships that Ontarians face in paying more for electricity, home heating, and vital medical care; and

Whereas the Throne Speech continues to neglect the mounting problems of nursing supply, waitlists, or timely access to care; and

Whereas, based on this Liberal government’s broken promises in their first throne speech… Ontarians have valid reason to doubt the contents of the current one.

Therefore, I regret to inform His Honour that the current Liberal government has failed to keep its election commitments, failed to listen to the real needs of Ontario families and have instead persisted in unreasonable taxation, undisciplined spending, and continued neglect of the real needs of Ontarians. We therefore condemn this government for ignoring the real problems facing real Ontario families and demand immediate action before it’s too late.”

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Nays had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded.

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote be deferred until Thursday, October 27, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur l’amendement à la motion portant l’Adresse en réponse au discours prononcé par Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur à l’ouverture de la session.

Après quelque temps, l’amendement à la motion est mis aux voix comme suit:-

“Cependant, le discours du Trône ignore les vrais problèmes rencontrés par des vraies familles du travail en Ontario; et

où, au lieu de prendre des mesures concrètes pour les familles de l’Ontario, ce discours présente seulement des annonces réchauffées et des ‘nouveautés’; et

où le discours du Trône ignore les vrais difficultés rencontrées par les Ontariens face aux hausses de factures d’électricité, de chauffage domestique et de soins de santé essentiels; et

où le discours du Trône continue à ignorer les vrais problèmes que rencontrent les Ontariens, notamment en ce qui concerne la formation d’infirmières, les listes d’attente et l’accès au soins; et

où, en fonction des promesses brisées par ce gouvernement libéral au cours de son premier discours du Trône… l’Ontario a légitime cause à douter des termes du discours actuel.

Par conséquent, je regrette de renseigner Son Honneur que le gouvernement libéral actuel a échoué à respecter ses engagements électoraux, à ne pas écouter les vrais besoins des familles de l’Ontario et à continuer à prôner des taxes injustifiées, à dépenser de manière imprudente et à négliger les vrais besoins des Ontariens. Nous donc condamnons ce gouvernement pour ignorer les vrais problèmes rencontrés par des vraies familles de l’Ontario et réclamons immédiatement une action avant qu’il ne soit trop tard.”

Le président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu’à son avis les voix opposées l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé.

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d’appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d’appel, le Président par intérim s’adresse à l’Assemblée en ces mots:-

J’ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l’article 28(h) du Règlement, que le vote soit différé jusqu’au jeudi 27 octobre 2005.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

À 18 h 05, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2005

PRAYERS

Mr. Parsons moved,

Second Reading of Bill 5, An Act to amend the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act to name a portion of Highway 62 and Highway 33 the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment Memorial Highway.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Ms. Churley then moved,

That in the opinion of this House, the Ontario Liberal government enter into an agreement with the City of Toronto to implement the Toronto Strong Neighbourhoods Strategy, and urge the federal government to become an equal partner in this agreement as well.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 5, An Act to amend the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act to name a portion of Highway 62 and Highway 33 the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment Memorial Highway, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 47

Baird
Berardinetti
Bradley
Brownell
Caplan
Churley
Hardeman
Horwath
Hoy
Kees
Kormos
Kwinter
Marsales
Martel
Mauro
McMeekin
McNeely
Miller
Orazietti
Ouellette
Parsons
Patten
Prue
Qaadri
Sandals
Scott
Smith
Smitherman
Tory
Van Bommel

M. Parsons propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 5, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’aménagement des voies publiques et des transports en commun pour nommer une section des routes 62 et 33 route commémorative Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, Mme Churley propose,

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 5, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’aménagement des voies publiques et des transports en commun pour nommer une section des routes 62 et 33 route commémorative Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR – 47
Ayes (continued)

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**NAYS / CONTRE – 0**

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

The question having been put on Ms. Churley’s Resolution Number 3, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR – 47**

Baird             Hardeman         Marsales         Orazietti         Sandals
Berardinetti     Horwath          Martel           Ouellette         Scott
Bradley          Hoy              Mauro            Parsons           Smith
Brownell         Klee             McMeekin         Patten            Smith
Caplan           Kormos           McNeely          Prue              Tory
Churley          Kwinter          Miller           Quadri            Van Bommel
Craitor          Lalonde          Milloy           Racco             Wilkinson
Di Cocco         Leal             Mitchell         Rinaldi           Yakabuski
Flynn            Levac            Mossop           Ruprecht          Zimmer
Hampton          Marchese        

**NAYS / CONTRE – 0**

**1:30 P.M.**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 13, An Act to amend the Colleges Collective Bargaining Act with respect to part-time staff. Mr. Marchese.

Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005. Hon. Mr. Bryant.

**DEFERRED VOTES**

The deferred vote on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session was lost on the following division:-

13 H 30

**DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI**

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 13, Loi modifiant la Loi sur la négociation collective dans les collèges à l’égard du personnel à temps partiel. M. Marchese.

Projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la législation. L’hon. M. Bryant.

**VOTES DIFFÉRÉS**

Le vote différé sur l’amendement à la motion portant l’Adresse en réponse au discours prononcé par Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur à l’ouverture de la session est rejeté par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR – 21

Baird
Barrett
Churley
Hardeman
Jackson

Klees
Kormos
Marchese
Martel

Martiniuk
Miller
Munro
O’Toole

Ouellette
Runciman
Scott
Sterling

Tascaona
Tory
Witmer
Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 61

Bartolucci
Bentley
Berardinetti
Bountrogianni
Bradley
Brownell
Bryant
Caplan
Chambers
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Cordiano
Craitor
Crozier

Dhillon
Di Cocco
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Duncan
Flynn
Fonseca
Gerretsen
Jeffrey
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Lalonde
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Marsales
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Mauro
McGuinty
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McNeely
Meilleur
Milloy
Mitchell

Mossop
Parsons
Patten
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Peterson
Phillips
Pupatello
Qadri
Racoo
Ramal
Ramsay
Rinaldi

Ruprecht
Sandals
Smith
Smitherman
Sorbara
Takhar
Van Bommel
Watson
Wilkinson
Wong
Wynne
Zimmer

The main motion, having then been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 61

Bartolucci
Bentley
Berardinetti
Bountrogianni
Bradley
Brownell
Bryant
Caplan
Chambers
Colle
Cordiano
Craitor
Crozier

Dhillon
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NAYS / CONTRE - 21

Baird
Barrett
Churley
Hardeman
Jackson

Klees
Kormos
Marchese
Martel

Martiniuk
Miller
Munro
O’Toole

Ouellette
Runciman
Scott
Sterling

Tascaona
Tory
Witmer
Yakabuski

And it was,

Resolved, that a Humble address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor as follows:-

“To the Honourable James K. Bartleman, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario:

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session.”

Ordered, That the address be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.
PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to commitments to the city of Niagara Falls by the Falls Management Group (Sessional Paper No. P-18) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Leal and Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to working with Ontario pharmacists to prevent cutbacks and protect patients (Sessional Paper No. P-49) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to preventing the screening and distribution of “Deadly” in Ontario movie theatres (Sessional Paper No. P-50) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to working with wildlife rehabilitators to create responsible care and release regulations (Sessional Paper No. P-51) Ms. Mossop.

Petition relating to all-party support of the increase in the minimum wage (Sessional Paper No. P-52) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2005

EIGHTEENTH DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-
Bill 15, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act.  Mr. Gravelle.


MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Patten and Mr. Berardinetti exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. Patten assumes ballot item number 57 and Mr. Berardinetti assumes ballot item number 13.

Mr. Bradley moved,  M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 31, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 49

Bartolucci  Delaney  Levac  Parsons  Sergio
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Duguid  Matthews  Phillips  Takhar
Bradley  Flynn  Mauro  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Brownell  Fonseca  McMeekin  Qadri  Watson
Cansfield  Gerretsen  McNeely  Racco  Wilkinson
Chambers  Gravelle  Meilleur  Ramal  Wong
Colle  Hoy  Milloy  Ramsay  Wynne
Cordiano  Kular  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Zimmer
Crozier  Kwinter  Orazietti  Sandals

NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Baird  Dunlop  Klees  Miller  Prue
Barrett  Hardeman  Kormos  Munro  Runciman
Bisson  Horwath  Marchese  O’Toole  Sterling
Churley  Hudak  Martel  Ouellette  Tory

PETITIONS

Petition relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Kular.

Petitions relating to Bill 183, the Adoption Information Disclosure Act, 2005 (Sessional Paper No. P-28) Mr. Sterling and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to supporting Bill 137 (Sessional Paper No. P-53) Mr. O’Toole.
Petition relating to providing the necessary funds to build a community centre in Scarborough Southwest (Sessional Paper No. P-54) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to expanding subway service to Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-55) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to immigrants with professional designations (Sessional Paper No. P-56) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Ramal.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 197, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures budgétaires.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

NINETEENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents.

After some time, the question having been put, the Speaker declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents, be deferred until Tuesday, November 1, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

DIX-NEUVIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 183, Loi traitant de la divulgation de renseignements et de dossiers aux personnes adoptées et à leurs pères ou mères de sang.

Après quelque temps, la motion mise aux voix, le Président déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé,

Le Président donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28(h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 183, Loi traitant de la divulgation de renseignements et de dossiers aux personnes adoptées et à leurs pères ou mères de sang, soit différé jusqu'au mardi 1er novembre 2005.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.
Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.
The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2005

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 17, An Act to amend the Trustee Act and the Limitations Act, 2002 with respect to a limitation period for actions for wrongful death and other estate matters. Mr. Klees.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 1, 2005 for the purpose of considering government business.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a copy of an Order in Council appointing the Honourable James Bradley, MPP as a Commissioner to the Board of Internal Economy, appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council from among the members of the Executive Council, in the place of the Honourable Dwight Duncan, MPP.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the 2004/2005 Annual Report of the Environmental Commissioner of Ontario.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 17, An Act to amend the Trustee Act and the Limitations Act, 2002 with respect to a limitation period for actions for wrongful death and other estate matters. Mr. Klees.

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 20 h 35, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
AYES / POUR - 75

Arthurs  Crozier  Klees  Mitchell  Runciman
Baird  Delaney  Kular  Mossop  Sandals
Barrett  Dombrowsky  Kwinter  Munro  Sergio
Bartolucci  Duguid  Lalonde  O’Toole  Smitherman
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Bountrogianni  Flaherty  Levac  Parsons  Takhar
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Colle  Jackson  Meilleur  Ramal  Wynne
Cordiano  Jeffrey  Miller  Ramsay  Yakabuski
Craitor  Kennedy  Milloy  Rinaldi  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 7

Bisson  Horwath  Martel  Murdoch  Prue
Churley  Kormos

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents, was carried on the following division:–

AYES / POUR – 68

Arthurs  Craitor  Kormos  Milloy  Ramsay
Bartolucci  Crozier  Kular  Mitchell  Rinaldi
Bentley  Dhillon  Kwinter  Mossop  Sandals
Bisson  Dombrowsky  Lalonde  Orazietti  Sergio
Bountrogianni  Duguid  Leal  Parsons  Smith
Bradley  Duncan  Levac  Patten  Smitherman
Brownell  Flynn  Marchese  Peterson  Sorbara
Bryant  Gerretsens  Marsales  Phillips  Takhar
Cansfield  Gravelle  Martel  Prue  Van Bommel
Caplan  Hampton  Matthews  Pupatello  Watson
Chambers  Horwath  McGuinty  Quadri  Wong
Churley  Hoy  McMeekin  Racco  Wynne
Colle  Jeffrey  McNeely  Ramal  Zimmer
Cordiano  Kennedy  Meilleur

NAYS / CONTRE – 19

Arnott  Hudak  Munro  Runciman  Tory
Barrett  Jackson  Murdoch  Scott  Witmer
Flaherty  Klee  O’Toole  Sterling  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Martinuk  Ouellette  Tascona

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 183, Loi traitant de la divulgation de renseignements et de dossiers aux personnes adoptées et à leurs pères ou mères de sang, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:–

AYES / POUR – 68

Arthurs  Craitor  Kormos  Milloy  Ramsay
Bartolucci  Crozier  Kular  Mitchell  Rinaldi
Bentley  Dhillon  Kwinter  Mossop  Sandals
Bisson  Dombrowsky  Lalonde  Orazietti  Sergio
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NAYS / CONTRE – 19

Arnott  Hudak  Munro  Runciman  Tory
Barrett  Jackson  Murdoch  Scott  Witmer
Flaherty  Klee  O’Toole  Sterling  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Martinuk  Ouellette  Tascona

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
PETITIONS

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to cancelling rent increases paid by the Queensway-Carleton Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-6) Mr. Baird.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Murdoch and Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to commitments to the city of Niagara Falls by the Falls Management Group (Sessional Paper No. P-18) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to funding for Velcade drug (Sessional Paper No. P-36) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to reversing the government’s decision to cancel the expansion and upgrades of Cambridge Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-46) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petitions relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to municipal power on property rights and prosperity (Sessional Paper No. P-58) Mr. O'Toole.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 210, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2005**

**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated November 2, 2005 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 16).

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 19, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to community involvement activity hours and board support. Mr. Fonseca.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton. Ms. Marsales.

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**MOTIONS**

On motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding the Order of the House dated June 13, 2005, the Select Committee on Electoral Reform shall present its final report to the Assembly no later than December 1, 2005.

Mr. Caplan moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 2, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to cancelling rent increases paid by the Queensway-Carleton Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-6) Mr. Baird.

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to declaring Farmers Feed Cities Day (Sessional Paper No. P-59) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to re-instating OHIP funding for de-listed health services and cancelling funding for sex change operations (Sessional Paper No. P-60) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to funding repairs to the two community bridges crossing the Dog River (Sessional Paper No. P-61) Mr. Mauro.

Petition relating to allowing a tax expense credit claim of 50 per cent for all public transit expenses (Sessional Paper No. P-62) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to considering an immediate and temporary gas price freeze and to petition the federal government to take similar actions (Sessional Paper No. P-63) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to amending the Limitation Act, 2002, to provide an exemption for victims of wrongdoing claims of financial services (Sessional Paper No. P-64) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to asking for an investigation regarding spending at Bluewater Health (Sessional Paper No. P-65) Mrs. Witmer.
Mr. Tory moved,

That the Legislative Assembly call upon the government,

To recognize that Ontario’s businesses, farmers and hard-working families are being pushed to the financial breaking point by higher electricity prices, higher fuel prices, and increased taxes; and

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberal government has presided over 42,000 manufacturing job losses in the past year alone causing serious financial hardship for families and communities province-wide; and

To recognize that the current government’s fiscal and energy policies are placing increased financial pressure on large and small job-creating businesses creating an uncertain investment climate; and

To keep its promise to “balance the budget, keep taxes down, manage prudently, and invest in higher productivity and better quality of life.”

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 24

Arnott
Baird
Barrett
Bisson
Chudleigh

Flaherty
Hardeman
Horwath
Hudak
Jackson

Klees
Kormos
Marchese
Martiniuk
Miller

Munro
O’Toole
Scott
Sterling
Tascona

Tory
Wilson
Witmer
Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE – 40

Arthurs
Bartolucci
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Mossop
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Pupatello
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Wynne

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.  

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 210, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2005
TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Mauro moved,
Second Reading of Bill 4, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mrs. Jeffrey then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 2, An Act to amend the Building Code Act, 1992 respecting home fire sprinklers.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 4, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 33

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Bartolucci  
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Craitor  
Duguid  
Flynn  
Hardeman  
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Quadri  
Racco  
Scott  
Smith  
Tascona  
Van Bommel  
Wilkinson  
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 1

Arnott

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 2, An Act to amend the Building Code Act, 1992 respecting home fire sprinklers, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 26

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la justice.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 2, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1992 sur le code du bâtiment en ce qui a trait aux extincteurs automatiques domiciliaires, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 26
The Speaker delivered the following ruling:-

On Tuesday, November 1, 2005, the Member for Waterloo–Wellington raised a point of order respecting the appropriateness of a statement made by the Member for Guelph–Wellington on Monday October 31, 2005 during Members’ Statements. The Member for Guelph–Wellington also spoke to the point of order.
Let me begin by saying that such points can only be effectively dealt with if they are raised at the time of the alleged transgression. It is not possible for the Speaker to intervene after the fact in order to stop the statement or allow responses from the opposition. Additionally, there appears to be some disagreement as to which Ministry is the subject of the statement made by the Member for Guelph–Wellington. For these reasons, I will refrain from commenting specifically on the case at hand.
However, I would like to take this opportunity to remind all Members, and in particular those that are Parliamentary Assistants, that Members’ Statements are not intended to be used for Parliamentary Assistants to make statements that ought to be reserved for Statements by the Ministry.
I am confident that continued care will be taken to avoid doing so.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 20, An Act to ensure the preservation of the Frederick Banting homestead. Mr. Wilson.


Bill 23, An Act to proclaim a day and a month to celebrate Hellenic heritage in Ontario. Mr. Duguid.
MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,
Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice for ballot item 7 be waived.

Following remarks by Mr. Phillips, Mr. Tory and Mr. Hampton in respect of Remembrance Day, the House observed a minute of silence.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Klees and Mr. Ouellette.
Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.
Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.
Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Berardinetti.
Petition relating to re-instating OHIP funding for de-listed health services and cancelling funding for sex change operations (Sessional Paper No. P-60) Mr. Ouellette.
Petition relating to amending the Limitation Act, 2002, to provide an exemption for victims of wrongdoing claims of financial services (Sessional Paper No. P-64) Mr. Tascona.
Petitions relating to fair and timely access to professional certification for skilled immigrants (Sessional Paper No. P-66) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Delaney and Mr. Kular.
Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to protecting workers’ rights in the construction industry (Sessional Paper No. P-67) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

The debate continued and after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bill in his office:-

Bill 183, An Act respecting the disclosure of information and records to adopted persons and birth parents.
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m. À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjorné ses travaux.

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2005**

**TWENTY-FIFTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 24, An Act to regulate the spreading and storage of sewage sludge and biosolids. Mr. O'Toole.

Bill 25, An Act to preserve the gravesites of former premiers of Ontario. Mr. Brownell.

**MOTIONS**

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Kular, Mr. Lalonde and Mr. Zimmer exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. Kular assumes ballot item number 59, Mr. Lalonde assumes ballot item number 15, and Mr. Zimmer assumes ballot item number 12.

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitution be made to the membership of a certain Committee:-

On the **Standing Committee on Justice Policy**:-

Ms. Mossop replaces Mr. Brown.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, November 14, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
During “Oral Questions”, the Speaker requested the Member for Toronto–Danforth (Ms. Churley) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the Sessional day.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Murdoch and Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to fair and timely access to professional certification for skilled immigrants (Sessional Paper No. P-66) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to removing the present minimum amount of medical expenses from the Income Tax Act (Sessional Paper No. P-69) Mr. O’Toole.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 26, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act.  Mr. O'Toole.

Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children's Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.  Hon. Mr. Bryant.

Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act. Hon. Mr. Kwinter.

Bill 29, An Act in memory of Gareth Rodgers to regulate freefalling.  Mr. Tascona.

Bill 30, An Act to reduce the incidence of needlestick injuries.  Ms. Martel.
The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 15, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 73


NAYS / CONTRE – 6

Horwath  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Murdoch  Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to cancelling rent increases paid by the Queensway-Carleton Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-6) Mr. Baird.

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to an increase to the employment earnings exemption threshold for ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-70) Ms. Horwath.
Petition relating to supporting Abitibi Consolidated paper mill (Sessional Paper No. P-71) Mr. Hampton.

Petition relating to OHIP fee negotiations with the Ontario Association of Optometrists (Sessional Paper No. P-72) Mr. Qaadri.

Petition relating to closing Refine Industries Limited (Sessional Paper No. P-73) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to the taxation of seasonal trailers (Sessional Paper No. P-74) Mr. Hardeman.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, the House continued to meet beyond 6 o’clock for the purposes of completing the two scheduled late shows and consideration of the motion for Third Reading of Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters; following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Wednesday, November 16, 2005 at 1:30 p.m.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That the Legislative Assembly call upon the government,

To recognize that under the watch of the McGuinty Liberal government, the Province of Ontario has witnessed a record number of gun-related homicides in 2005; and

To recognize that the Province of Ontario has fallen victim to excessive gang-related crime and youth violence with no coordinated youth strategy put forward by the McGuinty Liberal government to address and reverse this trend; and

To recognize that Premier McGuinty and the Attorney General were missing in action this summer when gun homicides were a weekly occurrence and when Ontarians needed their leadership the most; and

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberal government has failed to make any effort to effectively lobby the federal government to toughen sentencing for gun crimes; and

To keep its promise to hire one thousand new police officers, not just to promise them over and over, and to keep their promise to “build safe communities with more police and more prosecutors”.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES / POUR – 22

Arthurs  Barrett  Chudleigh  Dunlop  Flaherty  Hampton  Kormos  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  Ouellette  Runciman  Runciman  Scott  Sterling  Tascona  Tory  Wilson  Witmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 52

Arthurs  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bradley  Brownell  Bryant  Dhillon  Di Cocco  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Flynn  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Matthews  Mauro  McMeekin  Orazietti  Orazietti  Parsons  Peters  Peterson  Phillips  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Sandals  Sergio  Smith  Sorbara
Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2005**

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated November 16, 2005 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 22).

Ms. Churley from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 58, An Act to amend the Safe Streets Act, 1999 and the Highway Traffic Act to recognize the fund-raising activities of legitimate charities and non-profit organizations,

the title of which is amended to read:-

Ms. Churley from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee recommends that the following Bill be not reported:-

Bill 137, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for a tax credit for expenses incurred in using public transit.

Ms. Churley from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hoy and Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to declaring Farmers Feed Cities Day (Sessional Paper No. P-59) Mr. Barrett.

Petitions relating to fair and timely access to professional certification for skilled immigrants (Sessional Paper No. P-66) Mr. Berardinetti, Mr. Fonseca and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to calling on the Prime Minister to remove the $1.2 billion on extra federal gas taxes (Sessional Paper No. P-75) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to postponing the spending of $400 million on the Windsor casino (Sessional Paper No. P-76) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Wilson.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House of earlier today, the House continue to meet beyond 6 o’clock for the purposes of completing consideration of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement; following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Thursday, November 17, 2005 at 10:00 a.m.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

After some time, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211 be deferred until Thursday, November 17, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2005
TWENTY-NINTH DAY

Mr. Wilson moved,

Second Reading of Bill 20, An Act to ensure the preservation of the Frederick Banting homestead.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Ms. Smith then moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should do whatever is necessary to protect the citizens of Ontario from nuisance bears.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 20, An Act to ensure the preservation of the Frederick Banting homestead, it was carried on the following division:-

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JEUDI 17 NOVEMBRE 2005
VINGT-NEUVIÈME JOUR

M. Wilson propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 20, Loi visant à assurer la préservation de la propriété familiale de Frederick Banting.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, Mme Smith propose,

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 20, Loi visant à assurer la préservation de la propriété familiale de Frederick Banting, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR – 39

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Baird  Flynn  Matthews  Patten  Sterling
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Craitor  Lalonde  Munro  Scott

NAYS / CONTRE – 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time
and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on
Social Policy.

The question having been put on Ms. Smith’s
Resolution Number 5, it was carried on the
following division:-

AYES / POUR – 39

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NAYS / CONTRE – 0

1:30 P.M.  13 H 30

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES  RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

Mr. Jackson from the Standing Committee on Estimates reported the following Resolutions:-

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the following ministries
and offices be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006:-

MINISTRY OF PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL
4001  Infrastructure and Growth Management Planning / Ministry
Administration  $ 262,003,600

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE
1401  Ministry Administration  $ 168,945,400
1402  Health Policy and Research  461,173,500
1403  Smart Systems and Knowledge Management  103,713,000
1405  Ontario Health Insurance  11,422,086,800
1406  Public Health, Health Promotion and Disease Prevention  1,086,374,600
1408  Acute and Emergency Health Services  13,072,116,200
1409  Community and Mental Health  6,676,739,300
1407  Health Capital  336,303,000

MINISTRY OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES
3701  Ministry Administration  $ 13,306,100
3702  Children and Youth Services  3,185,003,000
3703  Infrastructure  109,370,000
MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
2101 Ministry Administration $36,700,200
2102 Geographic Information 35,535,500
2103 Natural Resource Management 269,108,000
2104 Public Safety and Emergency Response 103,508,200
2105 Land and Resources Information and Information Technology Cluster 1,000

MINISTRY OF TRAINING, COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES
3001 Ministry Administration $10,487,900
3002 Postsecondary Education 4,633,695,500
3003 Training and Employment 466,276,000

MINISTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION
601 Ministry Administration $18,195,500
602 Citizenship and Immigration 20,603,000
603 Ontario Women’s Directorate 16,092,800
604 Ontario Seniors’ Secretariat 1,446,000
605 Regional Services 6,730,400

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD
101 Ministry Administration $16,340,700
102 Agriculture, Research and Technology Transfer 139,826,800
103 Investment and Market Development 10,519,700
104 Risk Management 181,308,300

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION
2701 Ministry Administration $55,442,500
2702 Transportation Policy and Planning 686,844,700
2703 Road User Safety 156,422,300
2704 Provincial Highways Management 1,272,366,200
2705 Transportation Information and Information Technology Cluster 59,511,800

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
1001 Ministry Administration $23,502,500
1002 Elementary and Secondary Education 11,264,302,200
1003 Community Services I & IT Cluster 1,000

MINISTRY OF ENERGY
2901 Ministry Administration $6,188,100
2902 Energy Sector Transformation 15,938,300

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 31, An Act to amend the Liquor Licence Act. Mr. Tascona.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI
Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 31, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les permis d’alcool. M. Tascona.
DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement, was carried on the following division:-(

AYES / POUR – 66

Arnott  Arthurs  Baird  Barrett  Bartolucci  Bentley  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Bryant  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers  Chudleigh  Colle
Cordiano  Crator  Delaney  Di Cocco  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Hudak  Jackson  Kwinter  Lalonde  Levac  Martiniuk  Matthews  McMeekin  McNeely  Meilleur  Millroy  Mossop  Munro  Orazietti  Ouellette

NAYS / CONTRE – 7

Bisson  Churley  Horwath  Marchese  Martel  Prue
Cormos

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Lalonde and Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to rent freeze until above-guideline rent increases are wiped out by inflation (Sessional Paper No. P-38) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to reversing the government’s decision to cancel the expansion and upgrades of Cambridge Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-46) Mr. Martiniuk.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures, when Bill 197 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the second reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered for third reading, which Order may then be immediately called; and

That, when the Order for third reading is called, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of this stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That no deferral of the second reading vote pursuant to standing order 28(h) shall be permitted; and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to five minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, Mr. Caplan moved,

That the motion be amended by deleting the second paragraph and substituting the following therefore:

“That at 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, on the day that the Order for Third Reading of the bill is called, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading Stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and”

The debate continued and, after some time, the amendment to the motion, having been put, was declared carried.

The main motion, as amended, was then carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 31

Arthurs, Berardinetti, Bryant, Cansfield, Caplan, Chambers, Craitor, Delaney, Di Cocco, Dombrowsky, Duguid, Duncan, Flynn, Fonseca, Gerretsen, Kular, Kwinter, Lalonde, Levac, McNeely, Milloy, Phillips, Qaadri, Rinaldi, Ruprecht, Sandals, Smitherman, Takhar, Wong, Wynne, Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 12

Bisson, Chudleigh, Horwath, Hudak, Marchese, Martiniuk, Miller, Prue, Phillips, Miller, Scott, Wittmer

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

Standing Order 62(a) provides that “the Standing Committee on Estimates shall present one report with respect to all of the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates considered pursuant to Standing Orders 59 and 61 no later than the third Thursday in November of each calendar year”.

The House not having received a report from the Standing Committee on Estimates for certain ministries on Thursday, November 17, 2005, as required by the Standing Orders of this House, pursuant to Standing Order 62(b) the Estimates before the Committee of the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation, and the Ministry of Northern Development and Mines are deemed to be passed by the Committee and are deemed to be reported to and received by the House.

Accordingly, the Estimates (2005-2006) of the following ministries were deemed to be passed by the Standing Committee on Estimates and were deemed to be reported to and received by the House:-

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 32, An Act proclaiming Physical Fitness Day. Mr. O'Toole.

Bill 33, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to education on organ donation. Mr. Levac.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to reducing cormorant populations that have a negative impact on local fisheries (Sessional Paper No. P-4) Mr. Ouellette.
Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Flaherty, Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Klees, Mrs. Munro, and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to amending the Education Act to place restrictions on the eligibility of volunteers in schools (Sessional Paper No. P-79) Mr. Flaherty.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O’Toole.

The Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bill in his office:-

Bill 169, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and to amend and repeal various other statutes in respect of transportation-related matters.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures, having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on November 17, 2005, the Deputy Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading.

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on November 17, 2005, the Order for Third Reading of Bill 197 was immediately called and at 5:50 p.m., the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 197 be deferred until Tuesday, November 22, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 5:52 p.m.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 22, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:–

AYES / POUR – 70

Arthurs Dombrowsky Lalonde O’Toole Sergio
Bartolucci Duguid Leal Ouellette Smith
Bentley Duncan Levac Parsons Smitherman
Bountrogianni Dunlop Marsales Patten Sorbara
Bradley Flaherty Martinuk Peters Sterling
Brownell Flynn Mauro Phillips Takhar
Cansfield Fonseca McMeekin Quadri Tascona
Caplan Gerretsen McNeely Racco Tory
Chambers Gravelle Miller Ramal Van Bommel
Chudleigh Hardeman Milloy Ramsay Watson
Colle Hoy Mitchell Rinaldi Wilkinson
Crozier Jeffrey Mossop Ruprecht Wilson
Delaney Kees Munro Sandals Wittmer
Di Cocco Kular Orazietti Scott Wong

NAYS / CONTRE – 7

Bisson Kormos Martel Murdoch Prue
Horwath Marchese

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures, was carried on the following division:–

AYES / POUR – 61

Arthurs Dombrowsky Lalonde Orazietti Sandsals
Bartolucci Duguid Leal Parsons Sergio
Bentley Duncan Levac Patten Smith
Bountrogianni Flynn Marsales Peters Smitherman
Bradley Flaherty Martinuk Phillips Sorbara
Brownell Fonseca McMeekin Quadri Van Bommel
Cansfield Gravelle McNeely Racco Watson
Caplan Hoy McNeely Ramal Wilkinson
Chambers Jeffrey Meilleur Ramsay Wong
Colle Kennedy Milloy Rinaldi Wynne
Crozier Kular Mitchell Ruprecht Zimmer
Delaney Kwinter Mossop
Di Cocco
And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Klees, Mr. Murdoch, Mrs. Van Bommel, and Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Leal.

Petitions relating to modifying the Trillium Lakeland and Simcoe County District School Boards boundaries to include the Carden and Dalton Townships and providing transportation to their students (Sessional Paper No. P-63) Mr. Dunlop and Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to fair and timely access to professional certification for skilled immigrants (Sessional Paper No. P-66) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to creating a new fair and equitable system of property assessment (Sessional Paper No. P-82) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to providing the approvals and funding necessary to commence construction of the Royal Victoria Hospital Cancer Care Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-83) Mr. Tascona.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.
THIRTY-SECOND DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2005

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Ms. Churley from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences.

Pursuant to Standing Order 72(b), the Bill was Ordered for Second Reading.

During "Oral Questions", the Speaker requested the Member for Bruce–Grey–Owen Sound (Mr. Murdoch) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.
PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Barrett, Mr. Gravelle, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Kormos, and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to ensure that Ontario has the best skilled workforce and the strongest economy (Sessional Paper No. P-41) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to making a CPR examination mandatory for all applicants for school bus drivers’ licenses (Sessional Paper No. P-84) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to restoring the funding of eye exams, chiropractic and physiotherapy services (Sessional Paper No. P-85) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to protecting residential consumers from further electricity price increases (Sessional Paper No. P-86) Mr. O’Toole.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, the House continue to meet beyond 6 o’clock for the purposes of completing consideration of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Thursday, November 24, 2005 at 10:00 a.m.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.
November 23 and 24, 2005

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The House then adjourned at 6:24 p.m.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2005
THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Fonseca moved,
Second Reading of Bill 19, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to community involvement activity hours and board support.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Craitor then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 8, An Act to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act.

The Members having been called in, and the Member for Niagara Centre (Mr. Kormos) having refused to take his seat for the vote, the Member was named by the Deputy Speaker and was directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 19, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 34

Arnott
Arthurs
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Bradley
Brownell
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Craitor
Delaney
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Quadri
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Yakabuski
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NAYS / CONTRE – 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

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JEUDI 24 NOVEMBRE 2005
TRENTE-QUATRIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Fonseca propose,

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Craitor propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 8, Loi modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l’enfance.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 19, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

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NAYS / CONTRE – 0

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 8, it was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

1:30 P.M.  
REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services. Hon. Mr. Smitherman.

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the death in Afghanistan of Canadian soldier Pte. Braun Scott Woodfield, of the 2nd Battalion, Royal Canadian Regiment.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. McMeekin.
Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Craitor

Petition relating to the taxation of seasonal trailers (Sessional Paper No. P-74) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to rent increase under the Tenant Protection Act (Sessional Paper No. P-87) Mr. Ruprecht.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2005
THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2004 Annual Report of the Chief Election Officer of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 23).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on Long-Term Care Facilities Activity and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 27).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

LUNDI 28 NOVEMBRE 2005
TRENTE-CINQUIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

M. Sterling du Comité permanent des comptes publics présente le rapport du comité concernant les établissements des soins de longue durée et propose l'adoption de ses recommandations (document parlementaire n° 27).

Sur la motion de M. Sterling,

Il est ordonné que le débat soit ajourné.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities. Hon. Mr. Gerretsen.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, November 28, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 64

Arnott
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O'Toole
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Rinaldi
Ruprecht
Sandals

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Smitherman
Sorbara
Sterling
Takhar
Van Bommel
Watson
Wilkinson
Wong
Wynne
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 5

Baird
Churley
Kormos
Marchese
Prue

With unanimous consent, “Oral Questions” continued past 4:00 p.m., notwithstanding Standing Order 30(b).

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 37, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1999 sur la protection des contribuables en ce qui concerne les municipalités. L’hon. M. Gerretsen.

MOTIONS

M. Bradley propose,

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 27, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1991 sur l’arbitrage, la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur le droit de la famille en ce qui concerne l’arbitrage familial et des questions connexes et modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l’enfance en ce qui concerne les questions que doit prendre en considération le tribunal qui traite des requêtes en vue d’obtenir la garde et le droit de visite.
With unanimous consent, it was agreed that this afternoon’s debate on Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access, be considered one full sessional day.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House earlier today, the House continue to meet beyond 6 o’clock for the purpose of considering Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve; following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Tuesday, November 29, 2005 at 1:30 p.m.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The House then adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2005
THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Ms. Di Cocco from the Select Committee on Electoral Reform presented the Committee's Report on Electoral Reform and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 28).

On motion by Ms. Di Cocco,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mrs. Mitchell.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hampton, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Kormos, Mr. Mauro, and Mr. Ramal.
Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to creating a new fair and equitable system of property assessment (Sessional Paper No. P-82) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to holding additional committee hearings for the Smoke-Free Ontario Act (Sessional Paper No. P-91) Mr. Barrett.

In a personal statement, pursuant to Section 19(1)(a) of the Legislative Assembly Act, Mr. Flaherty rose in his place in the Legislative Assembly and resigned as the Member for the Electoral District of Whitby—Ajax.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2005
THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that vacancies have occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of John Baird as the Member for the Electoral District of Nepean—Carleton; by reason of the resignation of Marilyn Churley as the Member for the Electoral District of Toronto—Danforth; and by reason of the resignation of Jim Flaherty as the Member for the Electoral District of Whitby—Ajax.

Accordingly, I have issued my warrant to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of writs for by-elections.
REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Wong from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills as amended:-

Bill 123, An Act to require that meetings of provincial and municipal boards, commissions and other public bodies be open to the public.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 38, An Act to amend the Consumer Reporting Act.  Mr. Ruprecht.

Bill 39, An Act to prevent the disposal of waste at Site 41 in the Township of Tiny.  Mr. Dunlop.

Bill 40, An Act respecting the disclosure of information about crimes to purchasers of land and to tenants.  Mr. Sergio.

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Wong du Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi privés présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 123, Loi exigeant que les réunions des commissions et conseils provinciaux et municipaux et d’autres organismes publics soient ouvertes au public.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 38, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements concernant le consommateur. M. Ruprecht.

Projet de loi 39, Loi visant à empêcher l’élimination de déchets sur le lieu 41 dans le canton de Tiny. M. Dunlop.


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, that the Order for Second Reading of Bill 35, An Act to amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act to protect workers from harassment in the workplace, standing in the name of Ms. Churley, be discharged and the bill withdrawn;

That the Order referring Bill 101, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act, to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills, standing in the name of Mr. Baird, be discharged and the Bill withdrawn; and

That Private Members’ Notice of Motion Number 4, standing in the name of Mr. Baird, be deleted from the Orders and Notices Paper.

MOTIONS

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:-

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:-
Mr. Ruprecht and Mr. Lalonde exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Ruprecht assumes ballot item number 14, and Mr. Lalonde assumes ballot item number 59; and

That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item number 14.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to freezing gas prices for 90 days and to establish a Gas Price Watchdog (Sessional Paper No. P-11) Mr. Bisson.

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Kormos, Mr. Levac, Mr. Murdoch and Mr. Peterson.


Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Dunlop and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Mr. Sterling.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Gravelle moved,
Second Reading of Bill 15, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Zimmer then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 15, An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 41
Arnott Arthurs Bisson Brownell Colle Craitor Delaney Di Cocco Duguid
Dunlop Flynn Fonseca Gravelle Hardeman Hoy Jackson Jeffrey
Kwinter Lalonde Leal Levac McMeekin McNeely Miller Milloy
Mitchell O’Toole Ouellette Parsons Prue Quadri Racco Ramal
Rinaldi Ruprecht Smitherman Scott Van Bommel Wilkinson Yakabuski Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 0
And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 42
Arnott Arthurs Bisson Brownell Bryant Colle Craitor Delaney Di Cocco Duguid
Dunlop Flynn Fonseca Gravelle Hardeman Hoy Jackson Jeffrey
Kwinter Lalonde Leal Levac McMeekin McNeely Miller Milloy
Mitchell O’Toole Ouellette Parsons Prue Quadri Racco Ramal
Rinaldi Ruprecht Smitherman Scott Van Bommel Wilkinson Yakabuski Zimmer
NAYS / CONTRE – 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 41, An Act to create a comprehensive system of rules for the transfer of securities that is consistent with such rules across North America and to make consequential amendments to various Acts. Hon. Mr. Phillips.


The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited. Mr. Craitor.

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DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 41, Loi instituant un régime global de règles régissant le transfert des valeurs mobilières qui cadre avec celui qui s’applique dans ce domaine en Amérique du Nord et apportant des modifications corrélatives à diverses lois. L’hon. M. Phillips.


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 6(a), the House shall continue to meet commencing Monday, December 12, 2005 until Thursday, December 15, 2005; and

That when the House adjourns on Thursday, December 15, 2005 it shall stand adjourned until Monday, February 13, 2006 and shall then continue to meet until Thursday, March 2, 2006; and

That when the House adjourns on Thursday, March 2, 2006 it shall stand adjourned until Monday, March 27, 2006, which date commences the Spring sitting period; and

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 42(1)(ii), there may be 1 Opposition Day designated during the extended Fall sitting period commencing Monday, February 13, 2006.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Zimmer.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Kormos and Mr. Ouellette.
Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to removing the present minimum amount of medical expenses from the Income Tax Act (Sessional Paper No. P-69) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to Dufferin Aggregates’ mining license in the Niagara Escarpment World Biosphere Reserve (Sessional Paper No. P-92) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to recreational activities in correctional institutions (Sessional Paper No. P-93) Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to establishing a Standing Committee on Education (Sessional Paper No. P-94) Mr. Marchese.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2005
THIRTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

I beg to inform the House that the Clerk has received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election:-
ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SCARBOROUGH–ROUGE RIVER — BAS BALKISSOON
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mr. Claude DesRosiers
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen’s Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mr. DesRosiers:

A Writ of Election dated the Twenty-sixth day of October, 2005 was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and was addressed to George Tang, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Scarborough-Rouge River, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Scarborough-Rouge River in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Alvin Curling who since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Scarborough-Rouge River has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Scarborough-Rouge River on the Twenty-Fourth day of November, 2005, Bas Balkissoon has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 2nd of December, 2005, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS
Chief Election Officer

Toronto, December 5, 2005

Bas Balkissoon, Member for the Electoral District of Scarborough-Rouge River, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-
Projet de loi 43, Loi visant à protéger les sources existantes et futures d’eau potable et à apporter des modifications complémentaires et autres à d’autres lois. L’hon. Mme Broten.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the November 28, 2005 Order of the House referring Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve, to the Standing Committee on General Government be discharged, and that the Bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, December 5, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR – 68

- Arthurs
- Balkissoon
- Bartolucci
- Bentley
- Berardinetti
- Bountrogianni
- Bradley
- Broten
- Bryant
- Cansfield
- Caplan
- Chambers
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- Gerretsen
- Hardeman
- Jackson
- Kees
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- Kwinter
- Lalonde
- Leal
- Levac
- Marsales
- Matthews
- Mauro
- McMekein
- McNeely
- Meilleur
- Miller
- Milloy
- Mitchell
- O’Toole
- Ouellette
- Parsons
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- Peters
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- Phillips
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- Quadri
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- Ruprecht
- Smith
- Smitherman
- Sterling
- Takhar
- Tork
- Van Bommel
- Watson
- Wilkinson
- Wilson
- Witmer
- Wong
- Wynne
- Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 5

- Hampton
- Horwath
- Marchese
- Martel
- Martel
- Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hudak, Mr. O’Toole and Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Balkissoon.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Dunlop and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to Brockville General Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-92) Mr. Runciman.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m. À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

FORTIETH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2005

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 44, An Act to amend the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997 in order to protect the employment of volunteer firefighters. Mr. Arnott.


MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 42(l)(ii), there may be designated one opposition day by the Official Opposition to be debated the week of December 5, 2005 and that the notice requirement shall be waived.

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private member’s public business:

Mr. Yakabuski and Mrs. Witmer exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Yakabuski assumes ballot item number 15, and Mrs. Witmer assumes ballot item number 62.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 6, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2005 Annual Report of the Auditor General of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 35).

Following remarks by Ms. Pupatello, Mrs. Witmer and Ms. Horwath, the House observed a moment of silence in remembrance of the tragic events at the University of Montreal, Quebec on December 6, 1989.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Peterson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Flynn, Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Runciman.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Balkissoon, Mr. Delaney and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Leal and Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

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Petition relating to returning money to rural landowners, farmers and businesses as per the Rural Revolution’s Resolution #4 (Sessional Paper No. P-97) Mr. O’Toole.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

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Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.
REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Wong from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill 7, An Act to authorize a group of manufacturers of Ontario wines to sell Vintners Quality Alliance wines.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 46, An Act to amend the Securities Act with respect to insider trading and tipping. Mr. Hudak.

Bill 47, An Act to proclaim Genocide Memorial Week in Ontario. Mr. Dunlop.

Bill 48, An Act to provide for the periodic establishment of a commission to readjust the number and boundaries of electoral districts for the purposes of the Legislative Assembly. Mr. Sterling.

Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts. Hon. Mr. Smitherman.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly be authorized to meet on Monday, December 12, 2005 for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 7, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 68

Arthurs Balkissoon Barrett Bartolucci Berardinetti Bradley Brownell Bryant Caplan Chambers Chudleigh Colle Crozier Delaney

Dhillon Dombrowsky Duguid Duncan Flynn Fonseca Gerretsen Hoy Jeffrey Klear Kular Kwinter Lalonde Leal

Levac Marsales Martinuk Matthews Mauro McMeekin Meilleur Miller Milloy Mossop Munro O’Toole Parsons Patten

Peters Peterson Phillips Pupatello Quadri Racco Ramal Watson

Smitherman Sorbara Sterling Takhar Tascona Van Bommel

NAYS / CONTRE – 6

Bisson Horwath

Kormos Marchese Martel Prue

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that, pursuant to Section 28 of the Auditor General Act, I have today laid upon the Table the audited financial statements of the Office of the Auditor General for the year ended March 31, 2005 (Sessional Paper No. 36).
DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 59

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Brownell  Bryant  Caplan  Chambers  Colle

Cordiano  Crozier  Delaney  Dhillon  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Hoy  Jeffrey

Kular  Kwinter  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Marsales  Matthews  Mauro  McGuinty  Meilleur  Milloy

Mitchell  Mosop  Parsons  Patten  Peters  Peterson  Phillips  Pupatello  Quadri  Racco  Ramal  Ramsay

Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Smith  Smitherman  Sorbara  Takhar  Van Bommel  Watson  Wong  Wynne  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 17

Barrett  Chudleigh  Hudak  Klees  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Miller

Munro  O’Toole  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Tascona  Wilson  Witmer  Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

VOTES DIFFÉRÉS

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 36, Loi prévoyant l’intégration du système local de prestation des services de santé, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Hardeman and Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Kormos and Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s plan for progress as outlined in the Throne Speech (Sessional Paper No. P-27) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting the McGuinty government’s commitment to affordable housing (Sessional Paper No. P-34) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to modifying the Trillium Lakeland and Simcoe County District School Boards boundaries to include the Carden and Dalton Townships and providing transportation to their students (Sessional Paper No. P-63) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to returning money to rural landowners, farmers and businesses as per the Rural Revolution’s Resolution #4 (Sessional Paper No. P-97) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to reforming Ontario’s Environmental Assessment (EA) process (Sessional Paper No. P-98) Mr. Parsons.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan, Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Caplan,

Ordered, That the House sit beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the Second Reading Stage of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access, following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until 6:45 p.m. this evening; and that this afternoon be considered one full sessional day of debate on Bill 211.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

After some time, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 211 be deferred until Thursday, December 8, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 211, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne et d’autres lois pour éliminer la retraite obligatoire.

Après quelque temps, la motion mise aux voix, le Président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu’à son avis les voix favorables l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé.

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d’appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d’appel, le Président par intérim s’adresse à l’Assemblée en ces mots:-

J’ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l’article 28(h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 211 soit différé jusqu’au jeudi 8 décembre 2005.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 27, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1991 sur l’arbitrage, la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur le droit de la famille en ce qui concerne l’arbitrage familial et des questions connexes et modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l’enfance en ce qui concerne les questions que doit prendre en considération le tribunal qui traite des requêtes en vue d’obtenir la garde et le droit de visite.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan, Ordered, That the Standing Committee on General Government be authorized to meet past 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 7, 2005 for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, until consideration of the Bill is completed.

The House then adjourned at 5:48 p.m.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Caplan moved, That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities, when Bill 37 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the second reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered for third reading, which order may then be immediately called; and

That, when the order for third reading is called, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of this stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to five minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 22

Balkissoon Colle Mauro Patten Van Bommel
Bartolucci Flynn McMeekin Qadri Wilkinson
Berardinetti Fonseca Meilleur Ramsay Wynne
Brownell Leal Mitchell Rinaldi Zimmer
Caplan Levac

NAYS / CONTRE – 6

Hardeman Klees Marchese O’Toole Yakabuski
Hudak
Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:43 p.m.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2005

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Berardinetti moved,
Second Reading of Bill 9, An Act to prohibit price discrimination on the basis of gender.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Ruprecht then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 38, An Act to amend the Consumer Reporting Act.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 9, An Act to prohibit price discrimination on the basis of gender, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 38, An Act to amend the Consumer Reporting Act, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

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JEUDI 8 DÉCEMBRE 2005

QUARANTE-CINQUIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Berardinetti propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 9, Loi interdisant la discrimination des prix fondée sur le sexe.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Ruprecht propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 38, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements concernant le consommateur.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 9, Loi interdisant la discrimination des prix fondée sur le sexe, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 38, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les renseignements concernant le consommateur, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

13 H 30

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

Mme Jeffrey du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

Ordered for Second Reading, pursuant to Standing Order 72(b).

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent,

It was agreed that the routine proceeding ‘Deferred Votes’ will be called immediately following ‘Oral Questions’ today.

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement, was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Flynn, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Munro and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.
Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to passing Bill 211 to abolish mandatory retirement (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to creating a new fair and equitable system of property assessment (Sessional Paper No. P-82) Mr. Prue.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan, Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Caplan,

Ordered, That the House sit beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the Second Reading stage of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts, following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until 1:30 p.m. on Monday, December 12, 2005.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Chudleigh moved, M. Chudleigh propose,

That the Legislative Assembly calls upon the government,

To recognize that there is an immediate need for a comprehensive action plan to deal with local economic crises affecting such communities as Cornwall, Oshawa, Collingwood, Thunder Bay, Windsor, St. Catharines, and smaller rural communities around the province of Ontario; and

To recognize that despite some jobs being created in some parts of the province, large layoffs, plant closures, and mill shutdowns are having a devastating impact on the earlier noted communities and many other local economies, related suppliers, and local services within Ontario; and

To recognize that economic indicators alone will do very little for specific communities suffering from a large number of job losses and plant shutdowns, as well as the many affected families; and

To recognize that a detailed government initiative is needed now to deal with these communities, families, and working men and women who are suffering from these rapid economic changes and that this plan should come forward immediately.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 44

Arnot	Duguid	Kwinter	Peterson	Smith
Arthurs	Flynn	Lalonde	Phillips	Sterling
Balkissoon	Fonseca	Levac	Prue	Wilkinson
Berardinetti	Gerretsen	Marchese	Qaadri	Wilson
Bryant	Hudak	Marsales	Rinaldi	Witmer
Chudleigh	Jackson	McMeekin	Ruprecht	Wong
Cordiano	Jeffrey	Miller	Sandals	Wynne
Delaney	Kees	Milloy	Scott	Yakabuski
Dombrowsky	Kular	Mossop	Sergio

NAYS / CONTRE – 0
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts, be deferred until December 12, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2005
FORTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 18, Loi mettant en oeuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2005 et modifiant diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, comme il n'y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le président par intérim, M. Tascona déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé.

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président par intérim s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 18, Loi mettant en oeuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2005 et modifiant diverses lois, soit différé jusqu'au 12 décembre 2005.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

À 18 h 05, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

LUNDI 12 DÉCEMBRE 2005
QUARANTE-SIXIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Delaney du Comité permanent de l'assemblée législative présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant sans amendement:-

Projet de loi 16, Loi concernant la Réserve agricole de Duffins-Rouge.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-
Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts. Hon. Mr. Gerretsen.


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, December 12, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 60

Arnott Colle Lalonde Munro Ruprecht
Balkisoon Colle Levac O’Toole Sandsals
Barrett Craitor Marsales Ouellette Smith
Bartolucci Delaney Martiniuk Parsons Smitherman
Bentley Dhillon Matthews Patten Sterling
Berardinetti Dombrowsky Mauro Phillips Watson
Bradley Duguid McMeekin Pupatello Wilkinson
Broten Gerretsen McNeely Quadri Wilson
Brownell Hardeman Meilleur Racco Wong
Bryant Jeffrey Miller Ramal Wynne
Cansfield Kular Milloy Rinaldi Yakabuski
Caplan Kwinter Mitchell Runciman Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 5

Bisson Horwath Marchese Martel Prue

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, that each party be allowed to speak for up to five minutes, following which the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the following motion:-

Mrs. Dombrowsky moved, Mme Dombrowsky propose,

That whereas the clear demonstration of the Canadian commitment to maintaining strong and effective supply management worldwide has received the unanimous support of all MPPs in this Legislative Assembly, let it be resolved:-

That the Legislative Assembly, within the framework of the World Trade Organization negotiations, reiterate its stalwart support for supply management, an agricultural products marketing model that is equitable for consumers, taxpayers, processors and producers who live thereon, that it ascertain that the Federal Government maintain its support of the current supply management system and that the Legislative Assembly ask the Federal Government to mandate its negotiators to obtain, at the conclusion of the present round of negotiations, results that will enable supply management sectors to avoid a decrease in tariffs and an increase in tariff quotas.

The question being put on the motion, it was declared carried.
DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 57


NAYS / CONTRE – 22

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Chudleigh  Dunlop  Hampton  Hardeman  Horwath  Jackson  Klees  Marchese  Martel  Miller  Munro  O’Toole  Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Sterling  Wilson  Witmer  Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time. En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois.

Ordered for Third Reading. Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Ouellette

Petition relating to forming a special legislative committee on Pension Reform (Sessional Paper No. P-43) Ms. Horwath.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities, having been read,
In accordance with the Order of the House passed on December 7, 2005, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 53

- Arthurs
- Balkissoon
- Bartolucci
- Bentley
- Berardinetti
- Bradley
- Broten
- Brownell
- Cansfield
- Caplan
- Colle
- Cordiano
- Craitor
- Delaney
- Dhillon
- Dombrowsky
- Duguid
- Duncan
- Gerretsen
- Hoy
- Jeffrey
- Kennedy
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- McMeekin
- McNeely
- Milloy
- Mitchell
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- Patten
- Peters
- Phillips
- Pupatello
- Ruprecht
- Sandals
- Smith
- Takhar
- Watson
- Wilkinson
- Wong
- Wynne

NAYS / CONTRE - 16

- Arnott
- Bisson
- Dunlop
- Hardeman
- Horwath
- Jackson
- Kees
- Marchese
- Miller
- Munro
- O'Toole
- Ouellette
- Prue
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- Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time.

Ordered for Third Reading.

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities, having been called, and the motion for Third Reading having been moved,

Pursuant to the Order of the House of December 7, 2005, the Deputy Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion, which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 54

- Arthurs
- Balkissoon
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NAYS / CONTRE – 17

- Arnott
- Bisson
- Dunlop
- Hardeman
- Horwath
- Jackson
- Kees
- Marchese
- Miller
- Munro
- O’Toole
- Ouellette
- Runciman
- Sterling
- Wilson
- Witmer
- Yakabuski
And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

After some time, with unanimous consent, the debate was adjourned.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House of earlier today, the House continue to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 21, An Act to enact the Energy Conservation Leadership Act, 2005 and to amend the Electricity Act, 1998, the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and the Conservation Authorities Act; and the motion for Third Reading of Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005; and

That each of the recognized parties be allowed to speak for up to 25 minutes on the debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 214; and

That following completion of consideration of both bills, the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Tuesday, December 13, 2005 at 1:30 p.m.


There being no further debate, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 206, Loi révisant la Loi sur le régime de retraite des employés municipaux de l'Ontario.

Après quelque temps, avec le consentement unanime, le débat est adjourné.

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Comme il n’y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le vice-président, M. Crozier déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé.

Le Vice-Président donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Vice-Président s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-
I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 21, An Act to enact the Energy Conservation Leadership Act, 2005 and to amend the Electricity Act, 1998, the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and the Conservation Authorities Act, be deferred until Tuesday, December 13, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005.

After some time, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005, be deferred until Tuesday, December 13, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 37, An Act to amend the Taxpayer Protection Act, 1999 in relation to municipalities.
Bill 197, An Act to implement Budget measures.

Bill 211, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code and certain other Acts to end mandatory retirement.

The House then adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

Ms. Pupatello delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

JAMES K. BARTLEMAN

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2006 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 13th December 2005.

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 58.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 or equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act. Hon. Mr. Kennedy.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice for ballot item 16 be waived.
On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following amendments be made to the membership of certain Committees:

On the Standing Committee on General Government:
Ms. Horwath replaces Ms. Churley.

On the Standing Committee on Government Agencies:
Mr. Bisson replaces Ms. Horwath.

On the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:
Ms. Horwath replaces Ms. Churley.

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following committees be authorized to meet during the Winter Adjournment, in accordance with meeting dates as determined by the respective sub-committees, to examine and enquire into the following matters:

Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs to consider matters relating to pre-budget consultations 2006;

Standing Committee on General Government to consider Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, upon its referral from the House;

Standing Committee on Justice Policy to consider Bill 21, An Act to enact the Energy Conservation Leadership Act, 2005 and to amend the Electricity Act, 1998, the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and the Conservation Authorities Act, upon its referral from the House;

and,

Standing Committee on Social Policy to consider Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

And that the committees be authorized to release their reports during the Winter Adjournment by depositing a copy of any report with the Clerk of the Assembly, and upon the resumption of the meetings of the House the Chairs of such committees shall bring any such reports before the House in accordance with the Standing Orders.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 13, 2005, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR – 67
### DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 21, An Act to enact the Energy Conservation Leadership Act, 2005 and to amend the Electricity Act, 1998, the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998 and the Conservation Authorities Act, was carried on the following division:

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### VOTES DIFFÉRÉS

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 21, Loi édictant la Loi de 2005 sur le leadership en matière de conservation de l’énergie et apportant des modifications à la Loi de 1998 sur l’électricité, à la Loi de 1998 sur la Commission de l’énergie de l’Ontario et à la Loi sur les offices de protection de la nature, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 214, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale, la Loi sur le financement des élections et la Loi sur l’Assemblée législative, abrogeant la Loi de 1996 sur la représentation électorale et édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la représentation électorale, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005, was carried on the following division:
AYES / POUR – 60

Arthurs          Colle          Jeffrey          McNeely          Ramal
Balkissoon      Cordiano      Kennedy          Meilleur          Ramsay
Bartolucci      Craitor        Kular            Milloy           Rinaldi
Bentley          Delaney        Kwinter          Mitchell          Ruprecht
Berardinetti    Dombrowsky    Lalonde          Mossop           Sands
Bisson           Duguid         Leal             Patten           Sergio
Bradley          Flynn          Levac            Peters           Smith
Brownell         Gerretsen      Marchese         Peterson         Takhar
Bryant           Gravelle       Marsales         Phillips         Van Bommel
Cansfield        Hampton        Matthews         Prue             Watson
Caplan           Horwath        Mauro            Papatello        Wilkinson
Chambers         Hoy            McMeekin         Racco            Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 19

Arnott          Barrett        Chudleigh       Hardeman          McNally       McMeekin
Jackson         Kees           Martiniuk       Miller            McMeekin       Ouellette
Munro           Murdoch         O'Toole          Ouellette        Ouellette
Runciman        Scott           Sterling         Ouellette        Ouellette
Tory            Witmer          Yakabuski        Tascona          Tascona

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS / PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Wong.

Petition relating to amending the Limitation Act, 2002, to provide an exemption for victims of wrongdoing claims of financial services (Sessional Paper No. P-64) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to the practical examination for the handling of firearms as part of the Hunter Education Safety Course for Ontarians (Sessional Paper No. P-101) Mr. Miller.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY / ORDRE DU JOUR

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.
At 6:00 p.m., the question “That this House do now adjourn” was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After three matters were considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

__FORTY-EIGHTH DAY__

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts.

After some time, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts, be deferred until December 14, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, Government Orders 5 through 16, inclusive, and Government Notice of Motion number 56, may be called concurrently; and

That when such Orders are called, time shall be allotted until 9:20 p.m. for concurrent consideration in a single debate of all of these Orders, which time shall be divided equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That at the conclusion of the debate the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Order for Concurrence in Supply for each of the ministries named in Government Orders 5 through 16, inclusive, and to dispose of Government Notice of Motion number 56.

À 18 h, la motion portant «Que la présente Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant» est réputée avoir été proposée conformément à l’article 37 b) du Règlement.

Après l’étude de trois questions, la motion d’ajournement des débats est réputée avoir été adoptée.

À 18 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

__QUARANTE-HUITIÈME JOUR__

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 18, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2005 et modifiant diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, la motion mise aux voix, le président par intérim, M. Arnott déclare qu’à son avis les voix favorables l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal a été demandé.

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d’appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d’appel, le Président par intérim s’adresse à l’Assemblée en ces mots:-

J’ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l’article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 18, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2005 et modifiant diverses lois, soit différé jusqu’au 14 décembre 2005.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.
A debate arose on the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the following ministries:-

Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal;
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care;
Ministry of Children and Youth Services;
Ministry of Natural Resources;
Ministry of Training, College and Universities;
Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration;
Ministry of Agriculture and Food;
Ministry of Transportation;
Ministry of Education;
Ministry of Energy;
Ministry of Tourism and Recreation;
Ministry of Northern Development and Mines.

And, on the motion by Mr. Duncan,

That the Minister of Finance be authorized to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of supply for the period commencing January 1, 2006 and ending June 30, 2006.

Payments for the period January 1, 2006 to March 31, 2006 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2005/06 fiscal year and payments for the period April 1, 2006 to June 30, 2006 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2006/07 fiscal year.

After some time, the question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.
The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Children and Youth Services, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Natural Resources, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Training, College and Universities, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Agriculture and Food, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Transportation, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.
The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Education, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Energy, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Tourism and Recreation, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Northern Development and Mines, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on Government Notice of Motion number 56, it was declared carried.

And it was,

Resolved, that the Minister of Finance be authorized to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of supply for the period commencing January 1, 2006 and ending June 30, 2006.

Payments for the period January 1, 2006 to March 31, 2006 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2005/06 fiscal year and payments for the period April 1, 2006 to June 30, 2006 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2006/07 fiscal year.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

M. Bradley propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.
The House then adjourned at 8:55 p.m.  
À 20 h 55, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated December 14, 2005 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 42).

Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on Media Tax Credits and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 43).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

Pursuant to Standing Order 60, the Estimates of the Office of the Assembly, the Office of the Auditor General, the Office of the Chief Election Officer and Ombudsman Ontario, not selected for consideration by the Standing Committee on Estimates, are deemed passed by the Committee and reported to the House in accordance with the terms of the Standing Order and are deemed to be received and concurred in:-

Accordingly, the Estimates (2005-2006) of the following offices, not having been selected for consideration, were deemed to be received and concurred in:-

OFFICE OF THE ASSEMBLY  
201 Office of the Assembly  
202 Commission(er)’s  

OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL  
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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:--

Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto. Hon. Mr. Gerretsen.

Bill 54, An Act to proclaim the Apple Capital of Ontario. Mr. Murdoch.

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:--

Projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 nos 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto. L’hon. M. Gerretsen.

Projet de loi 54, Loi proclamant la Capitale de la pomme en Ontario. M. Murdoch.

MOTIONS

Ordered, That the December 7, 2005 Order of the House referring to Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access, to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be discharged, and that the Bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Ordered, That the following committee be authorized to meet during the Winter Adjournment, in accordance with meeting dates as determined by the sub-committee, to examine and enquire into the following matter:

Standing Committee on General Government to consider Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access; and

That, all committees be authorized to release their reports during the Winter Adjournment by depositing a copy of any report with the Clerk of the Assembly, and upon the resumption of the meetings of the House the Chairs of such committees shall bring any such reports before the House in accordance with the Standing Orders.
DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bradley  Broten  Brownell  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers  Leal  Leav  Marsales  Matthews  Mauro  McGuinty  McMeekin  McNeely  Meilleur  Milloy  Rinaldi

Mossop  Patten  Peters  Peterson  Phillips  Pupatello  Quadri  Racco  Ramal  Ramsay  Ruprecht

NAYS / CONTRE - 25

Arnott  Bisson  Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Jackson  Kees  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Martiniuk  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  O'Toole  Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Sterling  Tascona

Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Sterling  Tascona

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Rinaldi, Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to keeping Huronia Regional Centre home to people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-17) Ms. Wynne.

Petition relating to maintaining OHIP coverage for chiropractic services (Sessional Paper No. P-22) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to freezing gas prices temporarily and petitioning the federal government to remove the GST (Sessional Paper No. P-31) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to returning money to rural landowners, farmers and businesses as per the Rural Revolution’s Resolution #4 (Sessional Paper No. P-97) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to the use of safety-engineered medical sharps (Sessional Paper No. P-102) Ms. Martel.
Petition relating to providing OHIP coverage to newcomers taking up residence in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-103) Mr. Marchese.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading:-

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College.
Bill Pr17, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (London).
Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc.
Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.
Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited.

ORDRE DU JOUR
Avec le consentement unanime, les projets de loi suivants sont lus une deuxième fois et ordonnés pour la troisième lecture:-

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College.
Bill Pr17, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (London).
Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc.
Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.
Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited.

With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the third time and were passed:-

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College.
Bill Pr17, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (London).
Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc.
Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.
Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 128, Loi modifiant diverses lois en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs d’exécution, les pénalités et l’administration des biens confisqués ou pouvant être confisqués au profit de la Couronne du chef de l’Ontario par suite d’activités de crime organisé et de culture de marijuana ainsi que d’autres activités illégales.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 128, An Act to amend various Acts with respect to enforcement powers, penalties and the management of property forfeited, or that may be forfeited, to the Crown in right of Ontario as a result of organized crime, marijuana growing and other unlawful activities.

After some time, there being no further debate, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 159, Loi révisant la Loi sur les enquêteurs privés et les gardiens et apportant une modification corrélative à la Loi de 1999 sur le Tribunal d’appel en matière de permis.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999.
After some time, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999, be deferred until December 15, 2005.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:11 p.m.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 3, An Act to amend the Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act with respect to the assistance that the Minister provides to municipalities, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 25**

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Brownell  Dunlop  
Hampton  Hoy  Hudak  Klees  Kormos  
Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Marchese  
Mauro  McMeekin  Miller  Martel  
Scott  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  

**NAYS / CONTRE - 13**

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Delaney  Flynn  Kwinter  Marsales  McNeely  Qaadri  
Prue  Racco  mossop  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

The question having been put on Mr. Hampton’s Resolution Number 9, it was lost on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 17**

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Dunlop  
Hampton  Hoy  Hudak  Klees  Kormos  
Marchese  Martel  Miller  
Ouellette  Prue  Ruprecht  
Scott  Wilson  Yakabuski  

**NAYS / CONTRE - 22**

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Brownell  Delaney  Flynn  
Hoy  Kwinter  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  
Marsales  Mauro  McMeekin  McNeely  
Milloy  Mossop  Qaadri  Racco  
Smitherman  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  Zimmer  

1:30 P.M. **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 55, An Act to require the disclosure of the country of origin and the components of motor vehicles sold in Ontario. Mr. Ouellette.


DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 61

Arnott          Delaney          Marsales          Phillips          Sterling
Arthurs         Duguid          Matthews          Pupatello         Takhar
Balkissoon      Duncan          McGuinty          Quadri           Tascona
Bentley         Flynn           McMeekin          Racco            Tory
Berardinetti    Gerretsen       McNeely           Ramsay           Watson
Bradley         Hoy             Miller            Runciman          Wilkinson
Broten          Jackson         Milloy            Sands             Wilson
Bryant          Kees            Mitchell          Scott             Wong
Caplan          Kular           Mossop            Sergio            Wynne
Chambers        Kwinter         Ouellette         Smith             Yakabuski
Chudleigh       Lalonde         Peters            Smitherman        Zimmer
Colle           Levac           Peterson

NAYS / CONTRE – 6

Hampton         Horwath

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Marchese.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Kular, and Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to maintaining OHIP coverage for chiropractic services (Sessional Paper No. P-22) Mr. Arnott.


Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.
Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to the use of safety-engineered medical sharps (Sessional Paper No. P-102) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to the removal of calculus from Ontario schools (Sessional Paper No. P-104) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to amending the Optometry Act to authorize optometrists to prescribe therapeutic pharmaceutical agents for the treatment of certain eye diseases (Sessional Paper No. P-105) Ms. Horwath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

After some time, there being no further debate, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 58, An Act to amend the Safe Streets Act, 1999 and the Highway Traffic Act to recognize the fund-raising activities of registered charities.

After some time, there being no further debate, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took his seat upon the Throne.

The Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:

"May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has, at its present meetings thereof, passed certain bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent."

The Deputy Clerk and Executive Director of Legislative Services then read the titles of the bills that had passed as follows:-

"The following are the titles of the bills to which Your Honour's assent is prayed:-

Bill 16, An Act respecting the Duffins Rouge Agricultural Preserve.

Bill 18, An Act to implement 2005 Budget measures and amend various Acts.

Projet de loi 16, Loi concernant la Réserve agricole de Duffins-Rouge.

Projet de loi 18, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2005 et modifiant diverses lois."
Bill 58, An Act to amend the Safe Streets Act, 1999 and the Highway Traffic Act to recognize the fund-raising activities of registered charities.

Bill 128, An Act to amend various Acts with respect to enforcement powers, penalties and the management of property forfeited, or that may be forfeited, to the Crown in right of Ontario as a result of organized crime, marijuana growing and other unlawful activities.

Bill 159, An Act to revise the Private Investigators and Security Guards Act and to make a consequential amendment to the Licence Appeal Tribunal Act, 1999.

Bill 214, An Act to amend the Election Act, the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act, to repeal the Representation Act, 1996 and to enact the Representation Act, 2005.

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting The University of St. Michael’s College.

Bill Pr17, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (London).

Bill Pr20, An Act to revive 1376037 Ontario Inc.

Bill Pr21, An Act to incorporate The Pontifical Institute of Mediaeval Studies.

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Sidoff’s Cleaners & Tailors Limited.”

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

“In Her Majesty’s name, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these bills.”

«Au nom de Sa Majesté, Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur sanctionne ces projets de loi.»

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn. M. Bradley propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried. Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 4:39 p.m. À 16 h 39, la chambre a ensuite adjoué ses travaux.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2006             LUNDI 13 FÉVRIER 2006
FIFTY-FIRST DAY                      CINQUANTE ET UNIÈME JOUR

PRAYERS                                PRIÈRES
1:30 P.M.                               13 H 30

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that on January 4, 2006, the Report of the Integrity Commissioner responding to the request by John Tory, Leader of the Official Opposition, for the Integrity Commissioner’s opinion on whether the Honourable Harinder Takhar, Minister of Transportation, had breached the Members’ Integrity Act or Parliamentary Convention, was tabled (Sessional Paper No. 56).

On January 17, 2006, the 2005 Annual Report to the Legislative Assembly of the Chief Medical Officer of Health was tabled (Sessional Paper No. 60).

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a copy of an Order in Council appointing Robert Runciman, MPP as a Commissioner to the Board of Internal Economy, appointed by the Caucus of the Official Opposition, in the place of Elizabeth Witmer, MPP (Sessional Paper No. 67) (Tabled December 16, 2005).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mme Jeffrey du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 27, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1991 sur l’arbitrage, la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur le droit de la famille en ce qui concerne l’arbitrage familial et des questions connexes et modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l’enfance en ce qui concerne les questions que doit prendre en considération le tribunal qui traite des requêtes en vue d’obtenir la garde et le droit de visite.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

Mme Jeffrey du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité et propose l'adoption comme suit:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 206, Loi révisant la Loi sur le régime de retraite des employés municipaux de l’Ontario.
The motion, having been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 56

Arthurs  Chambers  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Sandals
Balkissoon  Colle  Hoy  Milloy  Sergio
Bartolucci  Cordiano  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Smith
Bentley  Craitor  Kular  Patten  Smitherman
Berardinetti  Crozier  Kwinter  Peters  Takhar
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NAYS / CONTRE - 21

Arnott  Hudak  Martel  O’Toole  Sterling
Barrett  Kees  Martinuk  Prue  Tory
Bisson  Kormos  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Hardeman  Marchese  Munro  Scott  Yakabuski
Horwath

And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of December 14, 2005, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on the Office of the Public Guardian and Trustee and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 53).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 59, An Act respecting visual fire alarm systems in public buildings. Mr. Arthurs.
On motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That the following amendment be made to the membership of certain committees:-

On the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly:
Mr. Balkissoon replaces Mrs. Cansfield.

On the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:
Mr. Milloy replaces Ms. Broten.

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list of Private Members’ Public Business:

Ms. Marsales, Mrs. Van Bommel and Mr. Racco exchange places in the order of precedence, such that, Mr. Racco assumes ballot item number 19, Ms. Marsales assumes ballot item number 27, and Mrs. Van Bommel assumes ballot item number 54.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), the requirement for notice be waived with respect to ballot item numbers 18, 19 and 22.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, February 13, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 79

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Barrett
Bartolucci
Bentley
Berardinetti
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Bradley
Broten
Brownell
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Patten
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Phillips
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Zimmer
NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Kular and Mrs. Sandals.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to commitments to the city of Niagara Falls by the Falls Management Group (Sessional Paper No. P-18) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to removing the present minimum amount of medical expenses from the Income Tax Act (Sessional Paper No. P-69) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to creating a new fair and equitable system of property assessment (Sessional Paper No. P-82) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to taking action on violence and young people by providing resources for police and fixing the justice system (Sessional Paper No. P-106) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to abandoning passage of Bill 206 (Sessional Paper No. P-107) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 nos 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d'intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
FIFTY-SECOND DAY
6:45 P.M.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2006
FIFTY-THIRD DAY
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.
MOTIONS
On motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That, notwithstanding the Order of the House dated Thursday, June 17, 2004, regarding the schedule for committee meetings, the following committees be authorized to meet as follows:-

The Standing Committee on Public Accounts on Thursday, February 16, Thursday, February 23, and Thursday, March 2, 2006 at the call of the Chair to no later than 6:00 p.m.;

The Standing Committee on Social Policy on Wednesday, February 15, 2006 between 9:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That the Opposition Day provided for in the Order of the House dated December 1, 2005 be scheduled for Wednesday, February 22, 2006 and that all other provisions as set out in Standing Order 42 shall apply.

Mr. Bradley moved,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 14, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR – 70

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With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, That, notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House earlier today, this afternoon’s debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005 shall be deemed adjourned at 6:00 p.m. and the debate considered to be one full sessional day; and further that; The House sit beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the motion for Third Reading of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access, following which the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Wednesday, February 15, 2006 at 1:30 p.m.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Klees and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hampton.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the practical examination for the handling of firearms as part of the Hunter Education Safety Course for Ontarians (Sessional Paper No. P-101) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the removal of calculus from Ontario schools (Sessional Paper No. P-104) Mr. Miller.
Petition relating to abandoning passage of Bill 206 (Sessional Paper No. P-107) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to changes to Grade 12 mathematics curriculum (Sessional Paper No. P-109) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, pursuant to the Order of the House passed earlier today, the debate was adjourned.

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access, having been called,

There being no further debate, the question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2006
FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

Mr. Racco from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's report as follows and moved its adoption:-

M. Racco du Comité permanent de la politique sociale présente le rapport du comité et propose l'adoption comme suit:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 55

Arthurs  Chambers  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Sandals
Balkissoon  Colle  Hoy  Mossop  Sergio
Bartolucci  Cordiano  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Smitherman
Bentley  Craitor  Kwinter  Peters  Sorbara
Berardinetti  Delaney  Leal  Phillips  Takhar
Bradley  Dhillon  Levac  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Broten  Di Cocco  Marsales  Qaadri  Watson
Brownell  Dombrowsky  Matthews  Racco  Wilkinson
Bryant  Duguid  Mauro  Ramal  Wong
Cansfield  Duncan  McMeekin  Ramsay  Wynne
Caplan  Flynn  McNeely  Ruprecht  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 19

Barrett  Horwath  Martiniuk  Prue  Wilson
Bisson  Klees  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Chudleigh  Marchese  Munro  Sterling  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Martel  O'Toole  Tory

And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-


Ordered for Third Reading.

M. Qaadri du Comité permanent de la justice présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-


Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.
The Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated February 15, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No.69).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 57, An Act to amend the Expropriations Act and the Human Rights Code with respect to land rights and responsibilities. Mr. Barrett.

Bill 60, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002 to regulate the promotion and advertising of Internet gaming in Ontario. Mr. Leal.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 57, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’expropriation et le Code des droits de la personne en ce qui a trait aux droits et responsabilités en matière de biens-fonds. M. Barrett.

Projet de loi 60, Loi modifiant la Loi de 2002 sur la protection du consommateur afin de réglementer la promotion des jeux sur Internet en Ontario et la publicité qui en est faite. M. Leal.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding the Order of the House dated Thursday June 17, 2004, regarding the schedule for committee meetings, the following committee be authorized to meet as follows:-

The Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs on Monday, February 20 and Tuesday, February 21, 2006, at the call of the Chair, to no later than 6:00 p.m.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hampton.

Petitions relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Miller, Mrs. Munro and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to rent increase under the Tenant Protection Act (Sessional Paper No. P-87) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to returning money to rural landowners, farmers and businesses as per the Rural Revolution’s Resolution #4 (Sessional Paper No. P-97) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to the use of safety-engineered medical sharps (Sessional Paper No. P-102) Ms. Martel.
Petition relating to taking action on violence and young people by providing resources for police and fixing the justice system (Sessional Paper No. P-106) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to Oxford County library system (Sessional Paper No. P-110) Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to respecting property and prosperity as per the Rural Revolution’s Resolution #3 (Sessional Paper No. P-111) Mr. O'Toole.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Mr. Bradley moved,

That the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2006**

**FIFTY-FIFTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**

10:00 A.M.

Mrs. Mitchell moved,

Second Reading of Bill 49, An Act to celebrate and recognize rural Ontario.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Arthurs then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 59, An Act respecting visual fire alarm systems in public buildings.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 49, An Act to celebrate and recognize rural Ontario, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 59, An Act respecting visual fire alarm systems in public buildings, it was carried on the following division:-
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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

1:30 P.M.  

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr19, An Act to revive Golden Dreams Home and Decor Ltd. Mr. Qaadri.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 61, An Act to amend the Trillium Gift of Life Network Act. Mr. Kormos.


Bill 63, An Act to proclaim Nowruz Day. Mr. Racco.

Bill 64, An Act to provide for the election in Ontario of nominees for appointment to the Senate of Canada. Mr. Runciman.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That notwithstanding the Order of the House dated Thursday June 17, 2004, regarding the schedule for committee meetings, the following committee be authorized to meet as follows:-

**The Standing Committee on Social Policy** on Monday, February 20, 2006 between 9:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to Brockville General Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-92) Mr. Runciman.

Petition relating to changes to Grade 12 mathematics curriculum (Sessional Paper No. P-109) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to preventing the closure of the Ontario SPCA Lennox and Addington Branch (Sessional Paper No. P-112) Mr. Rinaldi.

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**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion that the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2006
FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Ramal from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:

Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators. Hon. Mr. Duncan.

Bill 66, An Act to name Highway 405 the General Brock Parkway. Mr. Craitor.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, February 20, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 54

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PETITIONS

Petitions relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Ms. Horwath and Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to the practical examination for the handling of firearms as part of the Hunter Education Safety Course for Ontarians (Sessional Paper No. P-101) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to abandoning passage of Bill 206 (Sessional Paper No. P-107) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to changes to Grade 12 mathematics curriculum (Sessional Paper No. P-109) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting Ontario farmers (Sessional Paper No. P-114) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion that the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

After some time,

Mr. Klees moved that the motion be amended by adding the following thereto:-

“and that the subject matter of the penalties available under Section 34 of the Members’ Integrity Act be referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.”

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

PETITIONS

PÉTITIONS

Les pétitions relatives à l'accès au Velcade et autres intraveineux de chimiothérapie anticancéreuse (Pétition du Parlement no. P-7) Mme Horwath et M. Jackson.

Petition relative à l'aide financière aux agences communautaires afin d'assurer un support de qualité et des services aux personnes ayant une incapacité intellectuelle (Pétition du Parlement no. P-15) Mme Munro.

Petition relative à la couverture OHIP de tous les types de dégénérescence maculaire (Pétition du Parlement no. P-16) M. Delaney.

Petition relative à l'extension du tunnel GO au-delà de l'Avenue St. Clair Ouest (Pétition du Parlement no. P-23) M. Ruprecht.

Petition relative à l'aide financière à toutes les fournitures diabétiques (Pétition du Parlement no. P-57) M. Craitor.

Petition relative à la rétablissement des coupures d'aide financière aux services des bibliothèques publiques de l'Ontario (Pétition du Parlement no. P-77) M. Jackson.

Petition relative à l'examen pratique de la manipulation des armes, en tant que partie du cours de sécurité de l'Education Hunter pour les Ontariens (Pétition du Parlement no. P-101) M. Miller.

Petition relative à abandonner l'adoption de la loi Bill 206 (Pétition du Parlement no. P-107) M. Miller.

Petition relative aux changements au programme de mathématiques du 12e année (Pétition du Parlement no. P-109) M. Miller.

Petition relative à l'usurpation d'identité (Pétition du Parlement no. P-113) M. Ruprecht.

Petition relative au soutien aux fermiers de l'Ontario (Pétition du Parlement no. P-114) M. Berardinetti.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat a été repris sur le motion que l'Assemblée législative adopte le rapport du commissaire à l'Intégrité daté du 4 janvier 2006 et approuve la recommandation contenue dans le rapport.

Après quelque temps,

M. Klees a présenté que la motion fût modifiée en y ajoutant ce qui suit:

“et que le sujet de la matière des pénalités disponibles selon l'article 34 de l'Intégrité des Membres, soit reporté au Comité permanent de l'Assemblée législative.”

Le débat a continué et, après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat a été réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2006

MARDI 21 FÉVRIER 2006

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bentley moved, M. Bentley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 21, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 59

ARNOTT  CROZIER  MARTINIUK  PARSONS  SMITH
ARTHURS  DELANEY  MATTHEWS  PETERS  SMITHERMAN
BALKISSOON  DOMBROWSKY  MAURO  PHILLIPS  SORBARA
BARRETT  DUGUID  MCGINTY  PUPATELLO  TASCONA
BARTOLOCCI  FLYNN  MCEEEKIN  QAADRI  WATSON
BENTLEY  GERRETSEN  MEILLEUR  RACCO  WILKINSON
BERARDINETTI  JACKSON  MILLER  RAMAL  WITMER
BOUTROGIANNI  JEFFREY  MOSSOP  RUNCIMAN  WONG
BRYANT  KENNEDY  MUNRO  RUPRECHT  WYNE
CANSFIELD  KLEES  ORAZIETTI  SANDALS  YAKABUSKI
CHUDLEIGH  KWINTER  O’TOOLE  SCOTT  ZIMMER
COLLE  LEVAC  OUELLETTE  SERGIO  —
NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson  Kormos  Martel  Murdoch  Prue
Horwath  Marchese

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Murdoch, Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to funding all diabetic supplies (Sessional Paper No. P-57) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to taking action on violence and young people by providing resources for police and fixing the justice system (Sessional Paper No. P-106) Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to supporting Ontario farmers (Sessional Paper No. P-114) Mr. Berardinetti and Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 206 as soon as possible (Sessional Paper No. P-115) Mr. Racco and Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to reconsidering plans for Local Health Integration Networks (LHINs) and instead create an integrated health care system (Sessional Paper No. P-116) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to halting the closure of Prince of Wales Public School in Barrie and other community schools (Sessional Paper No. P-118) Mr. Tascona.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2006
SIXTIETH DAY

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on the Groundwater Program and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 85).

On motion by Mr. Sterling, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated February 22, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 84).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death. Mr. Klees.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 22, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR – 54

Arthurs  Caplan  Hoy  Milloy  Rinaldi
Balkissoon  Chambers  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Colle  Kular  Mossop  Smith
Bentley  Craitor  Kwinter  Orazietti  Smith
Berardinetti  Crozier  Levac  Parsons  Van Bommel
Bountrogianni  Delaney  Marsales  Patten  Watson
Bradley  Dhillon  Matthews  Peters  Wilkinson
Broten  Dombrowsky  Mcguinty  Phillips  Wong
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NAYS / CONTRE – 22

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Bisson  Jackson  Martiniiuk  Prue  Tory
Chudleigh  Klees  Munro  Runciman  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Kormos

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Crozier, Mr. Hardeman and Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to amending the Limitation Act, 2002, to provide an exemption for victims of wrongdoing claims of financial services (Sessional Paper No. P-64) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to supporting Ontario farmers (Sessional Paper No. P-114) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petitions relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. McNeely and Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to Funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mrs. Munro.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 36, Loi prévoyant l’intégration du système local de prestation des services de santé.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.
February 22, 2006

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

SIXTY-FIRST DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, the following was agreed to:-

That the start of the evening session be delayed until 7:30 p.m. and, further, that notwithstanding the delay, the evening session, when called, should still be considered to constitute a full sessional day.

The House then recessed until 7:30 p.m.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, be deferred until February 23, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:32 p.m.
Mr. Racco moved, Second Reading of Bill 63, An Act to proclaim Nowruz Day. A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon. Mr. Delaney then moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should continue and expand its initiatives and investment in public transit, especially in assisting the fast-growth municipalities in the “905 Belt” around the City of Toronto to link with one another through new or better-organized public transit links between these municipalities to ease gridlock, enhance opportunities for employment, and reduce carbon emissions.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 63, An Act to proclaim Nowruz Day, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Legislative Assembly.

The question having been put on Mr. Delaney’s Resolution Number 8, it was declared carried.

1:30 P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 68, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other equipment while a person is driving on a highway. Mr. O’Toole.

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 68, Loi modifiant le Code de la route pour interdire l’utilisation de téléphones et d’autres équipements pendant qu’une personne conduit sur une voie publique. M. O’Toole.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, that notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list for Private Members’ Public Business:-

Mr. Dunlop and Mr. O’Toole exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Dunlop assumes ballot item number 40 and Mr. O’Toole assumes ballot item number 22; and
Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Klees exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Hardeman assumes ballot item number 47 and Mr. Klees assumes ballot item number 23.

**DEFERRED VOTES**

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act, was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to establishing a Standing Committee on Education (Sessional Paper No. P-94) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to supporting Ontario farmers (Sessional Paper No. P-114) Mr. Berardinetti and Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mr. Klees and Mrs. Munro.
Petition relating to increasing public funding for public universities (Sessional Paper No. P-121) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to the agreement of the former Government of Canada to provide day care spaces to the children living in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-122) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to farm bunkhouse tax assessment (Sessional Paper No. P-123) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to granting permanent certificate of qualification by the Ontario College of Teachers (Sessional Paper No. P-124) Mr. Marchese.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 27, An Act to amend the Arbitration Act, 1991, the Child and Family Services Act and the Family Law Act in connection with family arbitration and related matters, and to amend the Children’s Law Reform Act in connection with the matters to be considered by the court in dealing with applications for custody and access.

Bill 206, An Act to revise the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).
After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2006

SIXTY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee’s Report on Pre-budget Consultation 2006 and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 88).

On motion by Mr. Hoy,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts. Hon. Mr. Peters.


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, February 27, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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SOIXANTE-TROISIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
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RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Hoy du Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques présente le rapport du comité concernant le consultation prébudgétaire pour 2006 et propose l’adoption de ses recommandations (document parlementaire n°88).

Sur la motion de M. Hoy,

Il est ordonné que le débat soit adjourné.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 69, Loi permettant l’échange de renseignements sur les organismes réglementés afin de rendre plus efficaces l’application et l’exécution de la législation de nature réglementaire et apportant des modifications corrélatives à d’autres lois. L’hon. M. Peters.

Projet de loi 70, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1991 sur les optométristes. Mme Martel.

MOTIONS

M. Bradley propose,

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
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PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to increasing public funding for post-secondary education, reducing tuition fees and re-instatting an up-front system of grants (Sessional Paper No. P-33) Mr. Kormos.


Petition relating to forming a special legislative committee on Pension Reform (Sessional Paper No. P-43) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to changes to Grade 12 mathematics curriculum (Sessional Paper No. P-109) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to passing Bill 206 as soon as possible (Sessional Paper No. P-115) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mrs. Sandals.

Petition relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to conducting a full and public inquest into the workplace murder of Lori Dupont at Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital in Windsor (Sessional Paper No. P-125) Mr. Hoy.


Petition relating to delaying passage of Bill 36, Local Health Integration Act (Sessional Paper No. P-127) Ms. Martel.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR
Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 n° 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

The House then adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2006

ORDRE DU JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 71, An Act to promote the use of automated external heart defibrillators. Mr. Crozier.

Bill 72, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to require that all school buses be equipped with safety crossing arms. Mr. Parsons.

MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. McMeekin and Mr. Brownell exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. McMeekin assumes ballot item number 68 and Mr. Brownell assumes ballot item number 25.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 28, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 48

Balkissoon Bentley Berardinetti Bradley Bryant Cansfield Caplan Crozier Delaney Dhillon

Di Cocco Dombrowsky Duguid Flynn Fonseca Gerretsen Gravelle Jeffrey Kular Levac

Marsales Mauro McMeekin McNeely Meilleur Mitchell Mos sop Parsons Patten Peters

Peterson Phillips Pupatello Racco Ramal Ramsay Rinaldi Ruprecht Sandsals

Smith Smitherman Van Bommel Watson Wilkinson Wong Wynne Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnott Barrett Bisson Dunlop Hardeman

Horwath Hudak Jackson Kormos Marchese

Martel Miller Murdoch O’Toole Ouellette

Runciman Miller Scott Sterling Tascona

Tory Wilson Witmer Yakabuski

PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. McMeekin.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hampton.
Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Kular, Mr. Leal and Mr. Ramal.


Petition relating to delaying passage of Bill 36, Local Health Integration Act (Sessional Paper No. P-127) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to reviewing and amending the Regulated Health Professions Act restrictions of the title “Dr.” (Sessional Paper No. P-128) Mr. Gravelle.

Petition relating to protecting Huron Church, Talbot Road and Highway #3 (Sessional Paper No. P-129) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to refraining from cutbacks or cancellations to the provincial fish hatchery program (Sessional Paper No. P-130) Mr. Ouellette.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 210, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la motion portant «Que la présente Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant» est réputée avoir été proposée conformément à l'article 37 b) du Règlement.

Après l'étude d'une question, la motion d'ajournement des débats est réputée avoir été adoptée.

À 18 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Ramsay moved,

M. Ramsay propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services, when Bill 36 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the third reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 30

Berardinetti  Gravelle  McNeely  Peterson  Sandals  
Brownell  Kular  Mitchell  Phillips  Smith  
Crozier  Lalonde  Mossop  Qaadri  Smitherman  
Delaney  Levac  Orzietti  Ramsay  Watson  
Di Cocco  Matthews  Parsons  Rinaldi  Wilkinson  
Dombrowsky  Mauro  Patten  Ruprecht  Wynne  

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Barrett  Hampton  Martel  Runciman  Yakabuski  
Bisson  Kormos  Miller  Tascona  

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 73, An Act to protect our children from sexual predators by amending Christopher’s Law (Sex Offender Registry), 2000. Mr. Martiniuk.

Bill 74, An Act respecting safety around swimming pools. Mr. Rinaldi.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:

Projet de loi 73, Loi visant à protéger nos enfants des prédateurs sexuels en modifiant la Loi Christopher de 2000 sur le registre des délinquants sexuels. M. Martiniuk.

Projet de loi 74, Loi traitant de la sécurité autour des piscines. M. Rinaldi.
Bill 75, An Act to amend the Assessment Act with respect to homesteads. Mr. Hudak.

Projet de loi 75, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’évaluation foncière à l’égard des patrimoines familiaux. M. Hudak.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, notwithstanding Standing Order 53, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 2, the New Democratic Party caucus be afforded the status of recognized party in respect of all procedural and administrative matters, pending the outcome of the next provincial election in 2007, at which time the terms of the Standing Orders shall apply.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 1, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 52

Balkissoon  Delaney  Lalonde  Patten  Sandals
Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Levac  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Peterson  Smitherman
Bradley  Duguid  Matthews  Phillips  Sorbara
Brownell  Duncan  Mauro  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Bryant  Fonseca  McMeekin  Qadri  Watson
Cansfield  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Racco  Wilkinson
Caplan  Hoy  Mitchell  Ramal  Wong
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NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Hardeman  Kormos  O’Toole  Tascona
Barrett  Horwath  Marchese  Ouellette  Tory
Bisson  Hudak  Martel  Runciman  Wilson
Chudleigh  Jackson  Martiniuk  Scott  Yakabuski
Dunlop  Kees  Miller  Sterling

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hoy.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to delaying passage of Bill 36, Local Health Integration Act (Sessional Paper No. P-127) Mr. Berardinetti.
Petition relating to property tax increase in the rural community of Sherkston in the City of Port Colborne, in the Niagara Region (Sessional Paper No. P-131) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to protecting the drinking water supply in the City of Orillia (Sessional Paper No. P-132) Mr. Dunlop.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services, having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on February 28, 2006, the Deputy Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 60


NAYS / CONTRE - 26

Arnott Barrett Bisson Chudleigh Dunlop Hampton Hardeman Horwath Hudak Jackson Klees Kormos Marchese Martel Martinuk Miller Munro O’Toole Runciman Scott Sterling Tascona Tory Wilson Witmer Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. O’Toole moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

A YES - 6 NAYS - 47

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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**SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Mr. Caplan moved, That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Government Order 9, when Government Order 9 is next called, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the motion without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division, the members shall be called in once, all divisions taken in succession, and the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

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Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.
The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.
The House then adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

Mr. Caplan propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.
Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.
À 21 h 05, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 2006
SIXTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Leal moved,

Second Reading of Bill 60, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002 to regulate the promotion and advertising of Internet gaming in Ontario.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. O'Toole then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 68, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other equipment while a person is driving on a highway.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 60, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002 to regulate the promotion and advertising of Internet gaming in Ontario, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 68, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other equipment while a person is driving on a highway, it was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates.

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 76, An Act to amend the Business Corporations Act with respect to veterinary professional corporations. Mr. Hudak.


Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education. Hon. Mr. Kennedy.

Bill 79, An Act to amend the Trillium Gift of Life Network Act, the Health Insurance Act and the Highway Traffic Act. Mr. Lalonde.

During "Oral Questions", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Erie–Lincoln (Mr. Hudak) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Hampton and Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to an increase to the employment earnings exemption threshold for ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-70) Ms. Horwath.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 76, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les sociétés par actions en ce qui concerne les sociétés professionnelles de vétérinaires. M. Hudak.

Projet de loi 77, Loi visant à protéger les personnes recevant des soins contre les mauvais traitements. Mme Martel.


Projet de loi 79, Loi modifiant la Loi sur le Réseau Trillium pour le don de vie, la Loi sur l'assurance-santé et le Code de la route. M. Lalonde.

Pendant la période des «Questions orales», le Président demande à plusieurs reprises au député de Erie–Lincoln, M. Hudak de se comporter.

Comme le député refuse d'obéir, le Président le désigne par son nom et l'ordonne de se retirer du service de l'Assemblée pour le reste du jour de session.
Petitions relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mr. Miller and Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to building a community centre for the Jamestown, Mount Olive, Silverstone and Kipling Corridor neighbourhoods (Sessional Paper No. P-133) Mr. Qaadri.

Petition relating to supporting Bill 15, Health Insurance Amendment Act (Sessional Paper No. P-134) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to granting Senior Citizens of Ontario full OHIP coverage for Visudyne treatment (Sessional Paper No. P-135) Mr. Yakabuski.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the amendment to the motion that the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein, was called.

With unanimous consent, it was agreed that the Chamber doors would be unlocked for 30 seconds between the two votes associated with this Order.

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on March 1, 2006, the Acting Speaker put the question forthwith on the amendment moved by Mr. Klees, on February 20, 2006, as follows:-

That the motion be amended by adding the following thereto:-

“and that the subject matter of the penalties available under Section 34 of the Members’ Integrity Act be referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.”,

which question was lost on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 15

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NAYS / CONTRE - 60

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The main motion, moved by Mr. Bradley on February 15, 2006, as follows:-

“That the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.”, was carried on the following division:-

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And it was resolved,

That, the Legislative Assembly adopt the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated January 4, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 210, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois.

After some time, Mr. Runciman moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES – 5 NAYS – 38**

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Runciman moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 3 NAYS - 34**

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.
At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 2006
SEVENTIETH DAY

PRIÈRES
13 h 30

Order in Council

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and concurrence of the Executive Council, orders that,

Whereas the Second Session of the 38th Parliament of the Province of Ontario is currently adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 27, 2006;

Pursuant to Standing Order Number 10(a) of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, the Speaker be advised that it is deemed that the public interest requires the Assembly to reconvene at an earlier time during the adjournment than March 27, 2006,

And that the Speaker be requested to give notice accordingly to reconvene the Second Session of the 38th Parliament of the Province of Ontario at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, the 23rd day of March, 2006.

Recommended

Dalton McGuinty,
Premier and President of the Council.

Concurred

Gerry Phillips,
Chair of Cabinet.

Approved and Ordered, March 3, 2006

James K. Bartleman,
Lieutenant Governor.

NOTICE

In accordance with the provisions of Standing Order 10(a), having been advised by the Government that the public interest requires that the House should meet at an earlier time during the adjournment, I hereby give notice that the Legislative Assembly shall meet on Thursday, the 23rd day of March, 2006, at 1:30 p.m., to transact the business of the House.

Dated at the Parliament Building in the City of Toronto this 3rd day of March, 2006.

Hon. Mike Brown,
Speaker.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

Bill 80, An Act to name the first Wednesday of October Hamilton Day. Ms. Marsales.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Leal and Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to increasing public funding for post-secondary education, reducing tuition fees and reinstating an up-front system of grants (Sessional Paper No. P-33) Mr. Kormos.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O'Toole.

Petitions relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Kular, Mr. Rinaldi, and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, at 3:11 p.m., the sitting was suspended until 4:00 p.m.

Mr. Duncan moved, seconded by Mr. McGuinty, That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government, and in doing so presented his 2006 Budget and Budget papers / Budget de l'Ontario de 2006 et les Documents budgétaires (Sessional Paper No. 102).

And a debate having ensued, it was

On motion by Mr. Wilson,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Pursuant to Standing Order 57(a), the House reverted to "Introduction of Bills".

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts. Hon. Mr. Duncan.
Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

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MONDAY, MARCH 27, 2006

SEVENTY-FIRST DAY

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2006 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 27th March 2006.

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 61(a).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006. Hon. Mr. Duncan.

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MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Orazietti and Mr. Wilkinson exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. Orazietti assumes ballot item number 37 and Mr. Wilkinson assumes ballot item number 51.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Mr. Wilkinson replaces Mr. Kular
Mr. Zimmer replaces Mr. Milloy

On the **Standing Committee on Estimates**:-
Mr. Wilkinson replaces Mr. Kular
Mr. Zimmer replaces Mr. Milloy

On the **Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs**:-
Mrs. Sandals replaces Mr. Wilkinson

On the **Standing Committee on General Government**:-
Mr. Brownell replaces Mr. Dhillon
Mr. Flynn replaces Ms. Matthews

On the **Standing Committee on Government Agencies**:-
Mr. Milloy replaces Mr. Berardinetti
Mr. Wilkinson replaces Mr. Orazietti

On the **Standing Committee on Justice Policy**:-
Mr. Balkissoon replaces Mr. Brownell
Mr. Berardinetti replaces Mr. Delaney
Mr. Dhillon replaces Mr. Flynn
Mr. McMeekin replaces Ms. Mossop
Mr. Orazietti replaces Mr. Qaadri
Mrs. Van Bommel replaces Mr. Racco

On the **Standing Committee on Legislative Assembly**:-
Ms. Mossop replaces Mr. Balkissoon

On the **Standing Committee on Public Accounts**:-
Ms. Matthews replaces Mrs. Sandals

On the **Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills**:-
Mr. Levac replaces Mr. Kular
Mr. Sergio replaces Mrs. Van Bommel

On the **Standing Committee on Social Policy**:-
Mr. Kular replaces Mr. Craitor
Mr. Qaadri replaces Mr. Racco

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Leal and Mr. O’Toole.
Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to supporting public education (Sessional Paper No. P-139) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to ceasing all cutbacks and providing quality health care to the citizens of Niagara Falls (Sessional Paper No. P-140) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to providing access to Erbitux, Avastin, Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-141) Mr. Fonseca.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Miller, Mr. Murdoch and Mr. Yakabuski.

Debate was resumed on the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

After some time,

Mr. Tory moved that the motion moved by the Minister of Finance on March 23, 2006 "That this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the government" be amended by deleting the words following the words "that this House" and adding thereto the following:-

"Recognizes that the budgetary policy put forward by the Minister of Finance continues the McGuinty government’s legacy of broken promises and demands more and more from taxpayers while delivering less and less; and that this House condemns the government for:-

Not living up to its promise to balance the budget, and actually making strong efforts to avoid doing so;

Using questionable accounting tricks to inflate an artificial deficit that suits their own political agenda;

Failing to support Ontario farmers and their plight while simultaneously cutting the Ministry of Agriculture more than $240 million;

Suffocating the Ontario economy and competitiveness with out of control taxation, spending, and ill-advised electricity policy and allowing Ontario to fall further and further behind the rest of the country in economic success and growth;

Losing more than 80,000 well-paying manufacturing jobs under their watch and failing to have an overall plan that will aid the many communities now affected by mass layoffs and plant closures;

Allowing and implementing more than $2,000.00 in government fees and charges to accumulate on Ontarians’ pocket books under their watch and as a result of their policies.

Therefore the Government has lost the confidence of this House”

On motion by Mr. Kormos,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:50 p.m.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 28, 2006

SEVENTY-SECOND DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a Report of the Ombudsman of Ontario, made pursuant to Section 11 of the Ombudsman Act, entitled “Getting it Right: Investigation into the Transparency of the Property Assessment Process and the Integrity and Efficiency of Decision-Making at the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation” (Sessional Paper No. 106).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

Standing Order 62(a) provides that "the Standing Committee on Estimates shall present one report with respect to all of the Estimates and Supplementary Estimates considered pursuant to Standing Orders 59 and 61 no later than the third Thursday in November of each calendar year".

The House not having received a report from the Standing Committee on Estimates for certain ministries on Thursday, November 17, 2005, as required by the Standing Orders of this House, pursuant to Standing Order 62(b) Supplementary Estimates before the Committee of the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (Supplementary Estimates only), Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration (Supplementary Estimates only), Ministry of Agriculture and Food (Supplementary Estimates only), and Ministry of Transportation (Supplementary Estimates only), are deemed to be passed by the Committee and are deemed to be reported to and received by the House.

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2005-2006) of the following ministries were deemed to be passed by the Standing Committee on Estimates and were deemed to be reported to and received by the House:-

MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

| 1408 | Acute and Emergency Health Service | $ 99,100,000 |
MINISTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  606 Citizenship and Immigration Capital $ 12,130,000

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  102 Agriculture, Research and Technology Transfer $ 60,000,000
  104 Risk Management 184,000,000

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  2702 Transportation Policy and Planning $ 944,000,000
  2704 Provincial Highways Management 420,564,900

Pursuant to Standing Order 61(c), the Supplementary Estimates before the Committee of the Ministry of Community and Social Services (Supplementary Estimates only), Ministry of Economic Development and Trade (Supplementary Estimates only), Ministry of Finance (Supplementary Estimates only), and Management Board Secretariat (Supplementary Estimates only), not selected for consideration, are deemed to be received and concurred in.

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2005-2006) of the following ministries and offices not selected for consideration were deemed to be received and concurred in:-

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  702 Adults’ Services $ 112,700,000

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TRADE
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  902 Economic Development and Trade $ 87,000,000

MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  1203 Economic, Fiscal, and Financial Policy $ 181,788,000

MANAGEMENT BOARD SECRETARIAT
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
  1807 Employee and Pensions Benefits (Government Contribution) $ 257,592,000

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 83, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario. Mr. Jackson.

Bill 84, An Act to proclaim the month of May as Carcinoid Cancer and Neuroendocrine Tumours Awareness Month. Mr. Craitor.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 83, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur les coroners pour mieux protéger les enfants de l’Ontario. M. Jackson.

Projet de loi 84, Loi proclamant le mois de mai Mois de la sensibilisation au cancer carcinoidé et aux tumeurs neuroendocriniennes. M. Craitor.
MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered that, notwithstanding the Order of the House dated June 17, 2004, during the months of March, April and May, 2006, the Standing Committee on Public Accounts may meet on Thursday mornings until 1:00 p.m. and on Thursday afternoons following Routine Proceedings.

Mr. Caplan moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 28, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 62

Arnott  Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Broten  Brownell  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers  Chudleigh

Colle  Cordiano  Crozier  Delaney  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Gerretsen  Gravelle  Hoy  Jackson  Jeffrey

Kular  Kwinter  Leal  Levac  Matthews  Mauro  McNeely  Miller  Mitchell  Mossop  Munro  Parsons

Patten  Peters  Phillips  Qaadri  Ramal  Ramsay  Rinaldi  Runciman  Ruprecht  Sandals  Scott  Smith

Smitherman  Sorbara  Takhar  Tascona  Van Bommel  Watson  Wilkinson  Witmer  Wong  Wynne  Yakabuski  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 4

Bisson  Horwath  Martel  Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to restoring the cuts to funding for Ontario public library services (Sessional Paper No. P-77) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Crozier, Mr. Miller and Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Flynn.
Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Peterson.

Petition relating to Spring bear hunt in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-145) Ms. Smith.

The Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:


Bill 36, An Act to provide for the integration of the local system for the delivery of health services.

Bill 210, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Duncan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministries of Agriculture and Food, Citizenship and Immigration, Health and Long-Term Care and Transportation, and Order G82, Second Reading of Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain
amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006, may be called concurrently; and

That when such Orders are called, they shall be considered concurrently in a single debate; and

That the time available to 9:20 p.m. this evening shall be divided equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That at the conclusion of the debate the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Order for Concurrence in Supply for each of the ministries named above, and to dispose of all remaining stages of Bill 82; and

If a recorded vote is requested by 5 members, all divisions shall be stacked, and there shall be a single 10 minute division bell.

A debate arose on the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the following ministries:-

Ministry of Agriculture and Food (supplementaries only);

Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration (supplementaries only);

Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (supplementaries only);

Ministry of Transportation (supplementaries only);

and

On the motion for Second Reading of Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006.

After some time, the question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Agriculture and Food, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, it was declared carried.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Transportation, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère des Transports, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006, it was declared carried.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 82, Loi autorisant l’utilisation de certaines sommes pour l’exercice se terminant le 31 mars 2006, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006, was then read the third time and was passed.

Projet de loi 82, Loi autorisant l’utilisation de certaines sommes pour l’exercice se terminant le 31 mars 2006, est ensuite lu une troisième fois et adopté.

The House then adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

À 21 h 20, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2006

SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

PRIÈRES

13 H 30

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the death in Afghanistan of Canadian soldier Pte. Robert Costall, of the 1st Battalion of the Princess Patricia’s Canadian Light Infantry.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated March 29, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 107).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-
Bill 85, An Act to amend the Assessment Act.  
Hon. Mr. Duncan.

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MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:

Ms. Di Cocco and Mr. Lalonde exchange places in order of precedence such that Ms. Di Cocco assumes ballot item 59 and Mr. Lalonde assumes ballot item 34.

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PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mr. Milloy.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Leal and Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Fonseca.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Miller, and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to school bus crossing control arms (Sessional Paper No. P-147) Mr. Parsons.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

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**PRAYERS**

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Klees moved,

Second Reading of Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Rinaldi then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 74, An Act respecting safety around swimming pools.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR** - 33

Arnott  Berardinetti  Brownell  Craitor  Delaney  Dhillon  Fonseca  Hardeman  Leal  McNeely  Kormos  Kleveland  Leal  Levac  Mihl  Mossop  Munro

**NAYS / CONTRE** - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 74, An Act respecting safety around swimming pools, it was carried on the following division:-

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 74, Loi traitant de la sécurité autour des piscines, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 29

Arnott  Fonseca  Leal  Munro  Ruprecht
Berardinetti  Jackson  Levac  Patten  Scott
Brownell  Jeffrey  McNeely  Prue  Smitherman
Craitor  Kees  Miller  Ramal  Van Bommel
Delaney  Kwinter  Milloy  Rinaldi  Zimmer
Dhillon  Lalonde  Mossop  Ruprecht  Scott

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques.

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 86, An Act to establish the Ontario Workers’ Memorial. Mr. Ramal.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes (Sessional Paper No. P-14) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to changes to Grade 12 mathematics curriculum (Sessional Paper No. P-109) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees and Ms. Scott.
Petitions relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Peterson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Phillips,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Orders 69(a) and 79(b), the Orders for Second and Third Reading of Bill 85, An Act to amend the Assessment Act, may be called today.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 85, An Act to amend the Assessment Act.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:-

Bill 85, An Act to amend the Assessment Act.

Mr. Phillips moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that on March 31, 2006, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to Assent to the following Bills in his office:-

Bill 82, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2006.

Bill 85, An Act to amend the Assessment Act.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose, 

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 3, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:- 

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 55

Arthurs  Colle  Hoy  Mitchell  Smith 
Balkissoon  Craitor  Hudak  O’Toole  Sorbara 
Bartolucci  Crozier  Jackson  Patten  Van Bommel 
Bentley  Delaney  Jeffrey  Peters  Watson 
Berardinetti  Di Cocco  Kees  Peterson  Wilkinson 
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Bryant  Flynn  Meilleur  Rinaldi  Wynne 
Cansfield  Fonseca  Miller  Ruprecht  Yakabuski 
Caplan  Gerretsen  Milloy  Sandals  Zimmer 

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Bisson  Hardeman  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue 
Dunlop  Kormos  Martel  Ouellette  

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:-

On Wednesday, March 29, the Member for Haldimand—Norfolk—Brant, Mr. Barrett, provided me with written notice of his intention to raise a point of privilege, as required by Standing Order 21(c). I would like to thank the Member for giving me sufficient time to review this matter.

The Member’s point of privilege concerns security in and around the Legislative Precinct.

I wish to advise that I will be deciding on this matter without further hearing directly from the Member at this time, as Standing Order 21(d) permits me to do.

I have carefully reviewed the Member’s written submission and cannot find that he has made out a prima facie case of privilege.

I want to note that the Member and I have met personally to discuss this matter, and I have written to the Member to provide clarification on certain points related to the issues he has raised. As this is a matter that lies within the administrative jurisdiction of the Speaker, I believe this is the appropriate way to deal with this issue, and I thank the Member for providing this opportunity to do so.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Hampton, Mr. Hoy, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. O’Toole and Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Balkissoon and Mr. Delaney.
Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Peterson.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 78, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation, la Loi de 1996 sur l’Ordre des enseignantes et des enseignants de l’Ontario et certaines autres lois se rapportant à l’éducation.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

SEVENTY-SEVENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

After some time, the amendment to the motion having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Nays had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

With unanimous consent, the vote was deferred until Tuesday, April 4, 2006.

The House then adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur l’amendement à la motion portant que la présente Assemblée adopte en général la politique budgétaire du gouvernement.

Après quelque temps, l’amendement à la motion mis aux voix, le Président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu’à son avis les voix opposées l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

À 21 h 25, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

SOIXANTE-DIX-SEPTIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur l’amendement à la motion portant que la présente Assemblée adopte en général la politique budgétaire du gouvernement.

Après quelque temps, l’amendement à la motion mis aux voix, le Président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu’à son avis les voix opposées l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

À 21 h 25, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2006
SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 87, An Act to extend Highway 406 to Port Colborne. Mr. Hudak.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 4, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 73

Arnott  Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Broten  Brownell  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers  Colle  Cordiano  Craitor  Crozier  Delaney  Dhillon  Di Cocco  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Gravelle  Hardeman  Hoy  Hudak

Jackson  Jeffrey  Kular  Kwinter  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Marsales  Martinik  Matthews  Mauro  McNeely  Miller  Milloy  Mossop

Munro  Orazietti  O'Toole  Parsons  Patten  Peters  Peterson  Phillips  Pupatello  Ramal  Ramsay  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Sandsals  Scott  Sergio  Smith  Smitherman  Takhar  Tascona  Tory  Van Bommel  Watson  Wilkinson  Wong  Wynne  Yakabuski  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 10

Bisson  Dunlop  Horwath  Kulees  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Murdoch  Martel  Ouellette  Prue

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the amendment to the motion, moved by Mr. Tory, on March 27, 2006, as follows:-

That the motion moved by the Minister of Finance on March 23, 2006 "That this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the government" be amended by deleting the words following the words "that this House" and adding thereto the following:-

"Recognizes that the budgetary policy put forward by the Minister of Finance continues the McGuinty government’s legacy of broken promises and demands more and more from taxpayers while delivering
less and less; and that this House condemns the government for:-

Not living up to its promise to balance the budget, and actually making strong efforts to avoid doing so;

Using questionable accounting tricks to inflate an artificial deficit that suits their own political agenda;

Failing to support Ontario farmers and their plight while simultaneously cutting the Ministry of Agriculture more than $240 million;

Suffocating the Ontario economy and competitiveness with out of control taxation, spending, and ill-advised electricity policy and allowing Ontario to fall further and further behind the rest of the country in economic success and growth;

Losing more than 80,000 well-paying manufacturing jobs under their watch and failing to have an overall plan that will aid the many communities now affected by mass layoffs and plant closures;

Allowing and implementing more than $2,000.00 in government fees and charges to accumulate on Ontarians’ pocket books under their watch and as a result of their policies.

Therefore the Government has lost the confidence of this House”

was lost on the following division:-

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The deferred vote on the main motion, having then been put, was carried on the following division:-

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Colle     Hoy           Meilleur     Ramsay   Zimmer
Cordiano  Jeffrey

NAYS / CONTRE - 25

Arnott    Horwath     Marchese    Murdoch    Scott
Bisson    Hudak       Martel      O'Toole    Sterling
Dunlop    Jackson     Martiniuk   Ouellette  Tascona
Hampton   Klees       Miller      Prue       Tory
Hardeman  Kormos     Munro       Runciman   Yakabuski

And it was,

Resolved, That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg leave to inform the House that I have today received a letter of resignation effective June 9, 2006 from Jim McCarter, Auditor General of Ontario.

On behalf of all Members I would like to acknowledge and thank Mr. McCarter for his service to Ontario and to wish him well in all future endeavours.

PETITIONS       PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to funding to homes for special care (Sessional Paper No. P-120) Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Crozier, Mr. Jackson, Ms. Martel, and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Arthurs.

Petition relating to supporting public education (Sessional Paper No. P-139) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to Sotalol medication (Sessional Paper No. P-148) Mr. Hardeman.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House of earlier today, the House continue to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act; and

That following completion of consideration of Bill 190, the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Wednesday, April 5, 2006 at 1:30 p.m.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

After some time, on motion by Mr. Hudak,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 n°s 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto.

Après quelque temps, sur la motion de M. Hudak,

Il est ordonné que le débat soit adjourné.

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 190, Loi visant à promouvoir une saine gestion publique en modifiant ou en abrogeant certaines lois et en édictant une nouvelle loi.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.

À 18 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5, 2006
SEVENTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario. Mr. Jackson.

Bill 90, An Act to amend the Ombudsman Act with respect to school boards. Mr. Marchese.

Bill 91, An Act to provide for an interim freeze in the price of certain petroleum products. Mr. Bisson.

MERCREDI 5 AVRIL 2006
SOIXANTE-DIX-NEUVIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 88, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’ombudsman en ce qui a trait aux sociétés d’aide à l’enfance. Mme Horwath.

Projet de loi 89, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur les coroners pour mieux protéger les enfants de l’Ontario. M. Jackson.

Projet de loi 90, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’ombudsman en ce qui a trait aux conseils scolaires. M. Marchese.

Projet de loi 91, Loi prévoyant le gel provisoire du prix de certains produits pétroliers. M. Bisson.
Bill 92, An Act to amend the Ombudsman Act with respect to hospitals and long-term care facilities.

Ms. Horwath.

Projet de loi 92, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'ombudsman en ce qui a trait aux hôpitaux et aux établissements de soins de longue durée.

Mme Horwath.

MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Sterling and Mr. Jackson exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members' Public Business such that Mr. Sterling assumes ballot item number 33 and Mr. Jackson assumes ballot item number 30; and

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), the requirement for notice be waived with respect to ballot item number 33.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 5, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 66

Arnott  Colle  Jackson  Orazietti  Smith
Arthurs  Cordiano  Klees  O’Toole  Smitherman
Balkissoon  Crozier  Lalonde  Parsons  Sorbara
Bartolucci  Delaney  Leal  Patten  Sterling
Bentley  Di Cocco  Levac  Peters  Takhar
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Martiniuk  Peterson  Tory
Bountrogianni  Duguid  Matthews  Phillips  Van Bommel
Bradley  Duncan  Mauro  Pupatello  Watson
Broten  Dunlop  McNeely  Quadri  Wilkinson
Brownell  Fonseca  Miller  Racco  Wilson
Bryant  Gerretsen  Milloy  Ramal  Witmer
Cansfield  Hardeman  Mossop  Ramsay  Wong
Caplan  Hoy  Munro  Ruprecht  Wynne

NAYS / CONTRE - 5

Bisson  Horwath  Kormos  Marchese  Prue

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Bisson, Mr. Brownell, Mr. Klees, Mr. O'Toole, Ms. Scott and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.
Petition relating to ensuring that court orders for access to children are respected and enforced (Sessional Paper No. P-149) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Leal.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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**ORDRE DU JOUR**

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la législation.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

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**ORDRES DE L'AGENDA**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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**ORDRE DU JOUR**


Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

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**PRAYERS**

Mr. Brownell moved,

Second Reading of Bill 25, An Act to preserve the gravesites of former premiers of Ontario.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.
Mr. Crozier then moved,  
Second Reading of Bill 71, An Act to promote the use of automated external heart defibrillators.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 25, An Act to preserve the gravesites of former premiers of Ontario, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 28**

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 71, An Act to promote the use of automated external heart defibrillators, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

**1:30 P.M.**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 93, An Act to amend the Education Act. Mr. Klees.

Bill 94, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to community involvement activity hours and board support. Mr. Klees.


**13 H 30**

**Dépôt des Projets de Loi**

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 93, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation. M. Klees.


Projet de loi 95, Loi modifiant la Loi de 2000 sur les normes d’emploi et la Loi sur la santé et la sécurité au travail à l’égard de la fourniture de renseignements aux étudiants salariés sur les droits en matière d’emploi. Mme Horwath.

Projet de loi 96, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation. Mme Wynne.

**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the April 4, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act, to the Standing Committee on Social Policy be discharged, and that the Bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott, Ms. Martel, Mr. McMeekin, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Miller, Ms. Scott and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Ms. Wynne.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF WHITBY–AJAX — CHRISTINE ELLIOTT
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mr. Claude L. DesRosiers
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mr. DesRosiers:

A Writ of Election dated the First day of March, 2006, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario and was addressed to Elinor Kidd, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Whitby-Ajax, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Whitby-Ajax in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Jim Flaherty who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Whitby-Ajax, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Whitby-Ajax on the Thirtieth day of March, 2006, Christine Elliott has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 7th day of April, 2006, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS

Toronto, April 10, 2006

CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF NEPEAN–CARLETON — LISA MACLEOD
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mr. Claude L. DesRosiers
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mr. DesRosiers:

A Writ of Election dated the First day of March, 2006, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario and was addressed to M. Wayne Beaten, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Nepean-Carleton, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Nepean-Carleton in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of John Baird who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Nepean-Carleton, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Nepean-Carleton on the Thirtieth day of March, 2006, Lisa MacLeod has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 7th day of April, 2006, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS

Toronto, April 10, 2006

CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER
ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF TORONTO–DANFORTH — PETER TABUNS
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mr. Claude L. DesRosiers
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mr. DesRosiers:

A Writ of Election dated the First day of March, 2006, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario and was addressed to Krystianna Sofroniou, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Toronto-Danforth, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Toronto-Danforth in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Marilyn Churley who, since her election as representative of the said Electoral District of Toronto-Danforth, has resigned her seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Toronto-Danforth on the Thirtieth day of March, 2006, Peter Tabuns has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 7th day of April, 2006, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS

Toronto, April 10, 2006

CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER

Christine Elliott, member for the Electoral District of Whitby-Ajax, having taken the oath and subscribed the Roll, took her seat.

Lisa MacLeod, member for the Electoral District of Nepean-Carleton, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took her seat.

Peter Tabuns, member for the Electoral District of Toronto-Danforth, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 98, An Act to require reporting on increased electricity consumption. Mr. Lalonde.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 98, Loi sur le signalement obligatoire de toute augmentation de la consommation d’électricité. M. Lalonde.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

MOTIONS

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,
Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business.

Mr. Orazietti and Mr. Wilkinson exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Orazietti assumes ballot item 51 and Mr. Wilkinson assumes ballot item 37.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 10, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 68

Arnot
Arthurs
Balkissoon
Barrett
Bartolucci
Bentley
Berardinetti
Bradley
Broten
Bryant
Cansfield
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Martiniuk
Matthews
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Miller
Mitchell
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Munro
Orazietti
O’Toole
Parsons
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Peters
Peterson
Phillips
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Rakabuski
Sandals
Smith
Smitherman
Takhar
Tascona
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Van Bommel
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Wilkinson
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Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Hampton
Horwath
Kormos
Marchese
Martel
Murdock
Prue
Tabuns

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to freezing gas prices temporarily and petitioning the federal government to remove the GST (Sessional Paper No. P-31) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to an increase to the employment earnings exemption threshold for ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-70) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mrs. Elliott, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Murdoch, and Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Peterson.
Petition relating to school bus crossing control arms (Sessional Paper No. P-147) Mr. Parsons.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Yakabuski.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

EIGHTY-THIRD DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:15 p.m.
TUESDAY, APRIL 11, 2006
EIGHTY-FOURTH DAY

PRIÈRES
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 100, An Act to protect minors from exposure to sexually explicit goods and services. Mr. O’Toole.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 11, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 68


NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Hardeman Horwath Kormos Marchese Martel Murdock Ouellette Prue Tabuns

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Lalonde and Ms. Matthews.
Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Chudleigh, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Mauro, Mr. O’Toole, Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to discarding the CAIS program (Sessional Paper No. P-152) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to increasing funding for special education and education of ASD pupils (Sessional Paper No. P-153) Ms. MacLeod.

Mr. Duncan delivered to the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) a message from His Honour the Administrator signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Deputy Speaker and is as follows:-

R. ROY MC MURTRY

The Administrator of the Government transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, April 11, 2006.

(Ordered, That the message of the Administrator together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 58.)

Ordered, That the message of the Administrator together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 58.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’adjournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

EIGHTY-FIFTH DAY
6:45 P.M.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee Justice Policy.

Mr. Bentley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

QUATRE-VINGT-CINQUIÈME JOUR
18 H 45
ORDRE DU JOUR
Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la législation.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la justice.

M. Bentley propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 2006
EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY
MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, That, the following substitutions be made to the membership of certain Committees:-

On the Standing Committee on Justice Policy:-
Mrs. Elliott replaces Mrs. Witmer.

On the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:-
Ms. MacLeod added.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 12, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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PETITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mrs. Mitchell.

Petition relating to freezing gas prices for 90 days and to establishing a Gas Price Watchdog (Sessional Paper No. P-11) Mr. Bisson.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to increasing public funding for post-secondary education, reducing tuition fees and reinstating an up-front system of grants (Sessional Paper No. P-33) Mr. Marchese and Mr. Patten.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Marchese, Mr. Martiniuk, Mr. O’Toole, Mrs. Van Bommel and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Hardeman.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order or the Order of the House of earlier today, the House continue to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education; and

That following completion of the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, the Speaker shall adjourn the House until Thursday, April 13, 2006 at 10:00 a.m.; and

That this afternoon’s debate be considered one full sessional day of debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, which debate shall be adjourned by the Speaker at 6:00 p.m.

At 6:00 p.m., the Acting Speaker declared the debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43 to be adjourned.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The House then adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 2006
EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 2006
QUATRE-VINGT-SEPTIÈME JOUR

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Ms. Marsales moved,

Mme Marsales propose,
Second Reading of Bill 80, An Act to name the first Wednesday of October Hamilton Day.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Hudak then moved, Second Reading of Bill 75, An Act to amend the Assessment Act with respect to homesteads.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 80, An Act to name the first Wednesday of October Hamilton Day, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 75, An Act to amend the Assessment Act with respect to homesteads, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 28

Arnott  Hudak  Levac  Parsons  Tascona
Berardinetti  Jackson  MacLeod  Prue  Van Bommel
Brownell  Klees  Marchese  Runciman  Wynne
Dunlop  Kormos  McMeekin  Scott  Yakabuski
Flynn  Lalonde  Miller  Sterling  Zimmer
Horwath  Leal  Ouellette

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Arthurs  Dhillon  Matthews  Mossop  Sandals
Delaney  Marsales  Mitchell  Quadri

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M.  13 H 30

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act. Hon. Mr. Smitherman.
PETITIONS

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Chudleigh, Mr. Milloy, Ms. Mossop, and Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Sergio.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mrs. Elliott and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Klees.


Petition relating to support for the Local Health Integration Networks (LHIN) and enhancing Ontario’s health care system (Sessional Paper No. P-156) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was declared carried.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mrs. Sandals.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Arthurs and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to school bus crossing control arms (Sessional Paper No. P-147) Mr. Parsons.

Petitions relating to Ontario Korean Businessmen’s Association (Sessional Paper No. P-157) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Hudak, Mr. Klees, Mrs. Munro, Mrs. Witmer and Mr. Yakabuski.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

PETITIONS

PÉTITIONS

PETITION

La motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 11, Loi édictant la Loi sur les parcs provinciaux et les réserves de conservation, abrogeant la Loi sur les parcs provinciaux et la Loi sur la protection des régions sauvages et apportant des modifications complémentaires à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

EIGHTY-NINTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 81, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2006 et édictant, modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois.

18 H 45
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Estimates presented the Committee’s report as follows:-

Pursuant to Standing Order 59, your Committee has selected the Estimates (2006-2007) of the following ministries and offices for consideration:-

Ministry of Education 9 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Community and Social Services 6 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Finance 8 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care 7 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Health Promotion 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of the Environment 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Children and Youth Services 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Energy 9 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing 6 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal 7 hrs. 30 mins.

Pursuant to Standing Order 60, the Estimates (2006-2007) of the following ministries and offices not selected for consideration are deemed passed by the Committee and reported to the House in accordance with the terms of the Standing Order and are deemed to be received and concurred in:-

ONTARIO SECRETARIAT FOR ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS

2001 Ontario Secretariat for Aboriginal Affairs $ 20,643,000

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

101 Ministry Administration $ 23,915,500
105 Agri-Food Sector including Business Risk Management 299,013,400
106 Rural Development 288,500,400
107 Better Public Health and Environment 75,727,200
### MINISTRY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

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### CABINET OFFICE

| 401 | Cabinet Office                           | $ 14,972,900 |

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### DEMOCRATIC RENEWAL SECRETARIAT

| 4101 | Democratic Renewal Secretariat            | $ 9,594,200   |

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### OFFICE OF FRANCOPHONE AFFAIRS

| 1301 | Francophone Affairs                      | $ 4,244,000   |
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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 19, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 64

Arnott  Balkissoon  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Ouellette  Smith
Bartolucci  Duguid  Elliott  Martiniuk  Parsons  Smitherman
Berardinetti  Gravelle  McMeekin  Mauro  Patten  Sorbara
Bradley  Hardeman  Meilleur  Phillips  Peters  Sterling
Bryant  Hoy  Miller  Quadri  Rinaldi  Tory
Caplan  Jackson  Milloy  Runciman  Walwyn  Wilkinson
Chambers  Klees  Mitchell  Sands  Ruprecht  Wynne
Chudleigh  Lalonde  Mossop  Sandals  Sandals  Yakabuski
Colle  Leal  Munro  Sergio
Cordiano  Levac  Orazietti  Scott  Tikron
Crozier  MacLeod  O’Toole  Sergio

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson  Kormos  Marchese  Prue  Tabuns
Horwath

PETITIONS

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Berardinetti and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Miller, Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. O’Toole, and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to Ontario Korean Businessmen’s Association (Sessional Paper No. P-157) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to funding Ontario colleges, expanding the number of full-time faculty and extending the tuition fee freeze (Sessional Paper No. P-158) Mr. Marchese.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding the earlier Order of the House, when the House adjourns at 6:00 p.m. today, it stand adjourned until 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, April 20, 2006.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
AYES / POUR - 21

Arnott  Jackson  Levac  Ouellette  Van Bommel
Brownell  Kees  Marchese  Rinaldi  Wilson
Dhillon  Kormos  Martiniuk  Ruprecht  Yakabuski
Horwath  Leal  Mitchell  Tascona  Zimmer
Hoy

NAYS / CONTRE - 1

Patten

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 27

Arnott  Hoy  MacLeod  Ouellette  Tascona
Barrett  Jackson  Marchese  Patten  Van Bommel
Brownell  Kees  Martiniuk  Ramal  Wilson
Dhillon  Kormos  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Yakabuski
Elliott  Leal  Munro  Ruprecht  Zimmer
Horwath  Levac

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi privés.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 89, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les services à l’enfance et à la famille et la Loi sur les coroners pour mieux protéger les enfants de l’Ontario, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la justice.

1:30 P.M.  13 H 30

MOTIONS     MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Miller and Ms. MacLeod exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. Miller assumes ballot item number 77 and Ms. MacLeod assumes ballot item number 38.

PETITIONS    PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Sergio.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Miller and Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to reforming funding policies for social programs for the Region of Peel (Sessional Paper No. P-143) Mr. Peterson.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to Ontario Korean Businessmen’s Association (Sessional Paper No. P-157) Mrs. Elliott.

Petition relating to increasing provincial funding to Domiciliary Hostels (Sessional Paper No. P-159) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to committee consideration of Bill 38 on Consumer Reporting (Sessional Paper No. P-160) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s efforts to improve access to family doctors and the Family Health Teams Program (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mr. Ruprecht.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2006

NINETY-SECOND DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the death in Afghanistan of Canadian Soldiers Corporal Matthew Dinning, of 2 Canadian Mechanized Brigade Group Headquarters; Bombardier Myles Mansell, of 5th (British Columbia) Field Regiment; Lieutenant William Turner, of Land Force Western Area Headquarters; and Corporal Randy Payne, a military police officer stationed at CFB Wainwright.
REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001. Hon. Mr. Takhar.


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 24, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 64

Balkissoon     Dhillon     Kular     O’Toole     Scott
Bartolucci     Di Cocco    Kwinter    Ouellette   Sergio
Bentley        Domingosky Levac      Parsons     Smith
Berardinetti   Duguid      MacLeod    Patten      Smitherman
Bradley        Duncan      Marsales   Peters      Takhar
Bryant         Dunlop      Matthews   Phillips    Tory
Cansfield      Flynn       McMeekin   Quadri      Van Bommel
Caplan         Fonseca     Meilleur    Racco       Watson
Chudleigh      Hardeman    Miller     Ramal       Witmer
Colle          Hoy         Mossop     Ruprecht     Wong
Crozier        Hudak       Munro      Sandals     Yakabuski
Delaney        Jeffrey      Orazietti  Zimmer     
NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson Horwath Kormos Marchese Martel Murdoch Prue Tabuns

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to freezing gas prices temporarily and petitioning the federal government to remove the GST (Sessional Paper No. P-31) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Ms. Horwath, Mr. Murdoch, Ms. Scott and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to school bus crossing control arms (Sessional Paper No. P-147) Mr. Parsons.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to committee consideration of Bill 38 on Consumer Reporting (Sessional Paper No. P-160) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to Thames Valley District School Board (Sessional Paper No. P-162) Mr. Hardeman.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 51, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’aménagement du territoire et la Loi sur les terres protégées et apportant des modifications connexes à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

NINETY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


ORDRE DU JOUR


18 H 45
After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997, be deferred until April 25, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Sterling moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

    **AYES - 4 NAYS - 22**

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Sterling moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

    **AYES - 6 NAYS - 25**

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:–

Bill 106, An Act to establish a natural heritage system and watershed protection area for Lake Simcoe and the Nottawasaga River. Mr. Dunlop.

MOTIONS
Mr. Bradley moved,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 25, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:–

AYES / POUR - 71

Bisson                Kormos                Martel                Prue                Tabuns
Horwath              Marchese              Murdoch

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bennis                Di Cocco                Jeffrey                Kees                Ouellette
Barrett              Dombrowsky              Kiwan                  Lalonde              Peters
Bentley              Duguid                  Levac                  MacLeod              Peterson
Berardinetti        Duncan                  Levas                  Marsales              Pupatello
Boutrogianni         Dunlop                  Mauro                  Matthews              Quadri
Bradley              Elliott                  MeMeakin               Mauro                Racco
Broten               Flynn                   Meilleur               Miller                Ramal
Bryant               Fonseca                 McMeakin               Mitchell              Ramsay
Chudleigh            Gerretsen               Miller                 Mitchell              Rinaldi
Colle                Gravelle                Miller                 Mitchell              Runciman
Cordiano             Hardeman                Mitchell               Mitchell              Yakabuski
Craitor              Hoy                     Mitchell               Mitchell              Yakabuski
Crozier              Hudak                   O'Toole                O'Toole               Zimmer
Delaney

DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997, was carried on the following division:–

VOTES DIFFÉRÉS
La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 56, Loi modifiant la Loi sur la gestion des situations d’urgence, la Loi de 2000 sur les normes d’emploi et la Loi de 1997 sur la sécurité professionnelle et l’assurance contre les accidents du travail, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:–
April 25, 2006

AYES / POUR - 59

Arthurs  Delaney  Kular  Parsons  Sandals
Balkissoon  Dhillon  Kwinter  Patten  Sergio
Bentley  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Leal  Peterson  Smitherman
Bountrogianni  Duguid  Levac  Phillips  Sorbara
Bradley  Duncan  Marsales  Pupatello  Takhar
Broten  Flynn  Matthews  Quadri  Van Bommel
Bryant  Fonseca  Mauro  Racco  Watson
Colle  Gerretsen  McGuinty  Ramal  Wong
Cordiano  Gravelle  McMeekin  Ramsay  Wynne
Craitor  Hoy  Meilleur  Rinaldi  Zimmer
Crozier  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht

NAYS / CONTRE - 28

Arnott  Hampton  MacLeod  O’Toole  Tabuns
Barrett  Hardeman  Marchese  Ouellette  Tascona
Bisson  Horwath  Martel  Prue  Tory
Chudleigh  Hudak  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Dunlop  Kees  Munro  Scott  Yakabuski
Elliott  Kormos  Murdoch

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

Following remarks by Mr. Colle, Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Hampton, the House observed a moment of silence in commemoration of Yom ha-Shoah – Holocaust Memorial Day.

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Kormos.

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to supporting public education (Sessional Paper No. P-139) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Ms. MacLeod and Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to consideration for a full-service passport office in the City of Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-163) Mr. Tascona.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

NINETY-FIFTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2006

NINETY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:


Bill 108, An Act to monitor the prescribing of certain drugs. Mr. Ramal.

ORDER DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 102, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’interchangeabilité des médicaments et les honoraires de préparation et la Loi sur le régime de médicaments de l’Ontario.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 102, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’interchangeabilité des médicaments et les honoraires de préparation et la Loi sur le régime de médicaments de l’Ontario.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

MERCREDI 26 AVRIL 2006

QUATRE-VINGT-SEIZIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES

13 H 30

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:

Projet de loi 107, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne. L’hon. M. Bryant.

Projet de loi 108, Loi visant à surveiller la prescription de certains médicaments. M. Ramal.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 26, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 61

Arnott Crozier Klees Mitchell Runciman
Arthurs Delaney Kular Mossop Ruprecht
Barrett Di Cocco Leal Munro Sands
Bartolucci Dombrowsky Levac Orazietti Smith
Bentley Duguid MacLeod O'Toole Sorbara
Berardinetti Duncan Marsales Ouellette Takhar
Bountrogianni Elliott Martiniuk Peters Van Bommel
Bradley Flynn Matthews Phillips Watson
Broten Fonseca McMeekin Pupatello Witmer
Brownell Hardeman McNeely Quadri Wong
Bryant Hudak Meilleur Racco Wynne
Colle Jeffrey Miller Ramsay Yakabuski
Cordiano

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson Kormos Marchese Prue Tabuns
Horwath

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. McNeely, Mr. Martiniuk, Mrs. Munro.

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to supporting public education (Sessional Paper No. P-139) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s commitment to Public Transit (Sessional Paper No. P-165) Mr. Berardinetti.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 41, An Act to create a comprehensive system of rules for the transfer of securities that is consistent with such rules across North America and to make consequential amendments to various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR
Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 41, Loi instituant un régime global de règles régissant le transfert des valeurs mobilières qui cadre avec celui qui s'applique dans ce domaine en Amérique du Nord et apportant des modifications corrélatives à diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

NINETY-SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:37 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR
Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 51, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’aménagement du territoire et la Loi sur les terres protégées et apportant des modifications connexes à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2006

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Runciman moved,
That, in the opinion of this House, the Ontario government should establish an Eastern Ontario Secretariat as a special-purpose office that supports the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade, with main responsibilities to provide analytical and evaluative support in the assessment of existing and new policies and programs impacting Eastern Ontario.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Levac then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 33, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to education on organ donation.

The question having been put on Mr. Runciman’s Resolution Number 11, it was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi privés.
The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London. Mr. Ramal.

With unanimous consent, following remarks by Mr. Peters, Mrs. Witmer, and Mr. Hampton, the House observed a moment of silence in remembrance of Worker Memorial Day.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to appointing a mediator and resuming negotiations with the Ontario Association of Optometrists (OAO) (Sessional Paper No. P-3) Mr. O’Toole and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to disabled person parking permits (Sessional Paper No. P-29) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to the investigation of the Ontario judicial system (Sessional Paper No. P-89) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Fonseca.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Ouellette and Mrs. Witmer.

Petition relating to funding to accommodate pupils with Autism Spectrum Disorders (Sessional Paper No. P-166) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to Spadina-York subway extension (Sessional Paper No. P-167) Mr. Racco.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-


MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made to the membership of certain Committees:-

On the Standing Committee on Estimates:-
Mr. Delaney replaces Ms. Di Cocco.

On the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs:-
Mr. Arnott replaces Mr. O'Toole.

On the Standing Committee on Social Policy:-
Mr. O'Toole replaces Mr. Arnott.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 1, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 66

Arthurs   Crozier   Jeffery   Orazietti   Ruprecht
Balkissoon Delaney   Klees     O'Toole    Sandals
Bartolucci Dhillon   Kular     Ouellette  Smith
Berardinetti Duguid   Lalonde   Parsons    Smitherman
Bradley    Dunlop   Levac     Peters     Sorbara
Broten     Elliott   MacLeod   Peterson   Sterling
Brownell   Flynn    Marsales  Phillips   Takhar
Bryant     Fonseca   McMeekin  Quadri     Van Bommel
Cansfield  Gerretsen McNeely   Racco      Watson
Caplan     Hardeman  Miller    Ramal      Wilson
Chambers   Hoy      Milloy    Ramsay     Wong
Chudleigh  Hudak    Mossop    Rinaldi    Yakabuski
Cordiano   Jackson   Munro     Runciman   Zimmer
Craitor
NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson  Kormos  Martel  Prue  Tabuns
Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Munro, and Mr. Sterling.

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Kular.

Petitions relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Ms. MacLeod and Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Chudleigh.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

6:45 P.M.  18 H 45

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

Mr. Ramsay moved, M. Ramsay propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts, when Bill 81 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs; and
That no deferral of the Second Reading vote shall be permitted; and

That, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs meet on Thursday, May 4, 2006 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and following Routine Proceedings for the purpose of public hearings and clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 81; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 noon on May 4, 2006. On that day, at not later than 5:00 p.m. those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Monday, May 8, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That the vote on Third Reading may be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the bill shall be deferred to for 10 minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 34

Arthurs  Gravelle  McNeely  Peters  Smith
Bountrogianni Hoy Meilleur Racco Smitherman
Craitor  Jeffrey  Milloy  Ramal  Van Bommel
Crozier  Lalonde  Mitchell Ramsay  Wong
Delaney  Leal  Mossop  Rinaldi  Wynne
Di Cocco  Levac  Orazietti Ruprecht  Zimmer
Duguid  Mauro  Parsons  Sandals

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Dunlop  MacLeod  Martel  Murdoch Sterling
Jackson Marchese Miller

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m. À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.
TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the House shall meet on Wednesday, May 10 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering the following Private Members’ Public Bills:-

Bill 94, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to community involvement activity hours and board support, standing in the name of Mr. Klees;

Bill 95, An Act to amend the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Occupational Health and Safety Act with respect to providing information to student employees about employment rights, standing in the name of Ms. Horwath;

Bill 96, An Act to amend the Education Act, standing in the name of Ms. Wynne; and

That these Private Members’ Public Bills shall be considered pursuant to Standing Order 96, where applicable, with the time divided equally between the three bills; and

That the order for consideration of the bills shall be determined by a ballot conducted by the Clerk of the House; and

That Ms. Horwath shall retain her place in the Order of Precedence for Private Members’ Public Business.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 2, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 74

Arnott    Crozier    Levac    Orazietti    Scott
Arthurs   Di Cocco   MacLeod   O’Toole    Sergio
Balkissoon Dombrowsky Marsales  Ouellette  Smith
Barrett   Duguid     Martiniuk Parsons    Smitherman
Bartolucci Flynn      Matthews Peters    Takhar
Bentley   Fonseca    Mauro     Peterson  Tascona
Berardinetti Gerretsen McGuinty Phillips  Tory
Bradley   Gravelle   McMeekin  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Broten    Hardeman   McNeely   Racco     Wilkinson
Brownell  Hoy        Meilleur   Ramal     Wilson
Bryant    Jeffrey    Miller    Ramsay    Wong
Cansfield Kees      Milloy    Rinaldi    Wynne
Caplan    Kular      Mitchell  Runciman  Yakabuski
Chudleigh Kwinter   Mossop    Ruprecht  Zimmer
Craitor   Leal       Munro     Sandals

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson    Kormos    Murdoch   Prue    Tabuns
Horwath   Marchese
PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman and Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the JobsNow Program (Sessional Paper No. P-169) Mr. Sergio.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 1, 2006, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 56

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bradley  Broten  Brownell  Bryant  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers

Cordiano  Craitor  Dhillon  Di Cocco  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Gravelle  Hoy

Jeffrey  Kular  Leal  Levac  Marsales  Matthews  Mauro  McMeekin  McNeely  Meilleur  Milloy

Mitchell  Mossop  Orazietti  Parsons  Patten  Phillips  Pupatello  Quadri  Racco  Rinaldi

Ruprecht  Sandsals  Sergio  Smitherman  Sorbara  Takhar  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  Wong  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Jackson  Kees  Kormos  MacLeod

Marchese  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  O’Toole

Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Tabuns

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:03 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies. Hon. Mr. Gerretsen.

Bill 110, An Act to proclaim Sexual Harassment Awareness Week. Mr. Hoy.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That Bill 93, An Act to Amend the Education Act, replace Bill 94, An Act to Amend the Education Act with Respect to Community Involvement Activity Hours and Board Support, in the motion respecting the May 10 sitting of the House passed yesterday.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 3, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 61

Arnott Arthurs Barrett Bentley Berardinetti Bradley Cansfield Caplan Chambers Chudleigh Delaney Duguid Dunlop

Elliot MacLeod Ouellette Sergio

Fynn Marsales Parsons Smitherman

Fonseca Martinz Mathews Peters Sorbara

Gerretsen Hardeman Mauro Quadri Sterling

Hoy McMeekin Ramal Takhar Tory

Jeffrey McNeely Rinaldi Van Bommel Watson

Kees Miller Runciman Wilkinson

Kular Milloy Ruprecht Wong

Kwinter Mitchell Sandals Wynne

Lalonde O’Toole Scott Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson Horwath

Kormos Marchese

Martel Prue Tabuns
PETITIONS

Petition relating to freezing gas prices for 90 days and to establishing a Gas Price Watchdog (Sessional Paper No. P-11) Mr. Bisson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Hardeman, Mrs. Mitchell and Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to the development of a National Income Supplement program for people living with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-144) Mr. Milloy.

Petitions relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Ms. MacLeod and Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s efforts to improve access to family doctors and the Family Health Teams Program (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petition relating to revoking lay-off notices given to six nursing staff at Thamesview Lodge and Victoria Residence in Chatham-Kent (Sessional Paper No. P-170) Mr. Hoy.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Tory moved,

That the Legislative Assembly calls upon the government,

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberals have presided over a 55% increase to Ontarians’ electricity bills since coming to office, despite their promise to cap rates until 2006; and

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberals’ irresponsible, unpredictable and unplanned electricity policy will only increase costs for consumers and business going forward; and

To recognize that families, farmers and businesses in communities such as Ottawa, Kingston, Aurora, Brantford, Guelph, Kitchener, London, Niagara Falls, and North Bay will be amongst some of the hardest hit by skyrocketing rates and increased charges; and

To recognize that the unpredictable McGuinty Liberal energy policy is and will continue to choke Ontario’s economy, chase potential investment from the province, and seriously damage our competitiveness; and

To recognize that a well planned, informed, and non-political electricity policy is needed immediately, that such a policy must include meaningful conservation measures and that no one source of generation should be shut down without an adequate amount of reliable and affordable supply available to replace it.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

ORDRE DU JOUR

Jour de l’opposition

M. Tory propose,

That the Legislative Assembly calls upon the government,

Un débat s’ensuit et après quelque temps, la motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 22

Arnott          Hardeman          Kormos          Miller          Scott
Barrett         Horwath           MacLeod         Munro           Sterling
Bisson          Hudak             Marchese        O’Toole         Tory
Chudleigh       Jackson           Martiniuk       Runciman        Yakabuski
Elliott         Klees

NAYS / CONTRE - 41

Arthurs         Di Cocco          Leal            Orazietti       Sandals
Balkissoon      Dombrowsky       Levac           Patten           Sergio
Bartolucci      Duguid           Marsales        Phillips         Smith
Bentley         Fonseca          McMeekin        Quadri           Sorbara
Berardinetti    Gerretsen        McNeely         Ramal           Van Bommel
Broten          Hoy              Milloy           Ramsay          Wilkinson
Cansfield       Jeffrey           Mitchell        Rinaldi          Wynne
Caplan          Lalonde           Mossop          Ruprecht         Zimmer
Crozier

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.  À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS 10:00 A.M.

Mr. Sterling moved,


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M. Sterling propose,

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Lalonde then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 79, An Act to amend the Trillium Gift of Life Network Act, the Health Insurance Act and the Highway Traffic Act.

At 11:50 a.m., there being no further debate, pursuant to Standing Order 96(e), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Crozier) suspended the proceedings until 12:00 noon.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 42, An Act to establish the Eastern Ontario Economic Development Fund Corporation, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 79, An Act to amend the Trillium Gift of Life Network Act, the Health Insurance Act and the Highway Traffic Act, it was carried on the following division:–

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:–


PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to stiffer penalties for drivers involved in fatal accidents (Sessional Paper No. P-26) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting Ontario farmers (Sessional Paper No. P-114) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. O'Toole, Mr. Runciman, and Mr. Tabuns.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s commitment to Public Transit (Sessional Paper No. P-165) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to implementing a population-based colorectal cancer screening program and funding Oxaliplatin and Avastin (Sessional Paper No. P-171) Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 1, 2006, the Bill was Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (Hamilton). Ms. Marsales.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 8, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 62

Arnott  Delaney  Kwinter  O’Toole  Smith
Balkissoon  Dhillon  Lalonde  Parsons  Smitherman
Bentley  Di Cocco  Levac  Patten  Sorbara
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  MacLeod  Peters  Tory
Bountrogianni  Duguid  Marsales  Peterson  Van Bommel
Bradley  Duncan  Mauro  Phillips  Watson
Broten  Dunlop  McNeely  Quadri  Wilkinson
Cansfield  Fonseca  Meilleur  Racco  Wilson
Caplan  Hardeman  Miller  Rinaldi  Witmer
Chambers  Hoy  Milloy  Runciman  Wong
Colle  Jeffreys  Mitchell  Ruprecht  Wynne
Cordiano  Kees  Munro  Sandals  Yakabuski
Craitor  Kular

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson  Kormos  Martel  Prue  Tabuns
Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch

M. Hoy du Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant sans amendement:-

Projet de loi 81, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2006 et édictant, modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois.

Conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le 1er mai 2006, ce projet de loi est ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté, lu une première fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi d’intérêt privé:-

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 62

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Balkissoon  Dhillon  Lalonde  Parsons  Smitherman
Bentley  Di Cocco  Levac  Patten  Sorbara
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Craitor  Kular

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson  Kormos  Martel  Prue  Tabuns
Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch
With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the tragic death of Senior Constable John Atkinson of the Windsor Police Service.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Lalonde.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. O'Toole.

Petitions relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Wilson.

Following “Petitions”, with unanimous consent, the House reverted to "Motions".

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Social Policy be authorized to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-
Bill 113, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act with respect to severance allowances. Mr. Murdoch.

MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,
Ordered, That in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be authorized to meet on Monday, May 15, 2006 after Routine Proceedings until 7:30 p.m. for purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997.

Mr. Bradley moved, That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Fonseca.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to high and different gas prices in different areas of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-173) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to maintaining the present program of providing prescription drugs for seniors (Sessional Paper No. P-174) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to stopping funding of abortion-on-demand in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-175) Mr. Martiniuk.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 109, Loi révisant le droit régissant la location à usage d’habitation.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act, when Bill 102 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy; and

That no deferral of the Second Reading vote shall be permitted; and

That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Social Policy shall be authorized to meet at the call of the Chair on May 29, May 30, June 5, June 6, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings and clause-by-clause on the bill; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 noon on June 6, 2006. On that day, at not later than 5:00 p.m. those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill and any amendments thereeto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Wednesday June 7, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Social Policy, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties; and

That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and
That the vote on Third Reading may be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and
That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to
10 minutes.
A debate arising, after some time, the motion was
carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 33

Arthurs  Craitor  Hoy  McNeely  Sandals
Balkissoon  Delaney  Jeffrey  Milloy  Sergio
Bentley  Di Cocco  Kular  Patten  Smith
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Lalonde  Peterson  Smitherman
Bradley  Flynn  Leal  Ramal  Wilkinson
Brownell  Fonseca  Levac  Ruprecht  Wynne
Chambers  Gravelle  Mauro

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Barrett  Dunlop  Martiniuk  Miller  Runciman
Bisson  MacLeod

The House then adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH DAY

Mr. Klees moved,
Second Reading of Bill 93, An Act to amend the
Education Act.

Ms. Wynne then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 96, An Act to amend the
Education Act.

Ms. Horwath then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 95, An Act to amend the
Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the
Occupational Health and Safety Act with respect to
providing information to student employees about
employment rights.

M. Klees propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 93, Loi
modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation.

Ensuite, Mme Wynne propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 96, Loi
modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation.

Ensuite, Mme Horwath propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 95, Loi
modifiant la Loi de 2000 sur les normes
d’emploi et la Loi sur la santé et la sécurité au
travail à l’égard de la fourniture de
renseignements aux étudiants salariés sur les
droits en matière d’emploi.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 93, An Act to amend the Education Act, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR** - 60

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 96, An Act to amend the Education Act, it was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 95, An Act to amend the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Occupational Health and Safety Act with respect to providing information to student employees about employment rights, it was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

1:30 P.M.

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:-

- Bill Pr19, An Act to revive Golden Dreams Home and Decor Ltd.
- Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 10, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 55

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Mitchell

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O’Toole
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Quadri
Rinaldi
Runciman

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Smith
Smitherman
Tory
Van Bommel
Watson
Wilkinson
Wong
Witmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson
Horwath
Kormos
Marchese
Martel

Prue
Tabuns

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Kular.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mrs. Mitchell and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing funding for special education and education of ASD pupils (Sessional Paper No. P-153) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to enforcing mandatory posting of employee rights, and health and safety regulations in the workplace (Sessional Paper No. P-176) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to immediately pass Bill 91, to freeze gas prices for 90 days (Sessional Paper No. P-177) Ms. Martel.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 9, 2006, the Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54

Arthurs  Delaney  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Dhillon  Kular  Parsons  Sandals
Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Leal  Patten  Sergio
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Levac  Peters  Smith
Bradley  Duguid  Marsales  Peterson  Smitherman
Brownell  Duncan  Mauro  Phillips  Van Bommel
Bryant  Flynn  McMeeken  Pupatello  Wilkinson
Cansfield  Fonseca  McNeely  Quadri  Wong
Caplan  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Ramal  Wynne
Colle  Gravelle  Mitchell  Ramsay  Zimmer
Cordiano  Hoy  Mossop  Rinaldi

NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Horwath  MacLeod  Munro  Scott
Bisson  Hudak  Marchese  O’Toole  Tory
Chudleigh  Jackson  Martel  Ouellette  Wilson
Elliott  Klees  Martinuk  Prue  Witmer
Hardeman  Kormos  Miller  Runciman

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House dated May 1, 2006, the Speaker put the question on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 58

Arthurs  Di Cocco  Leal  Parsons  Sandals
Balkissoon  Dombrowsky  Levac  Patten  Sergio
Bartolucci  Duguid  Marsales  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Duncan  Matthews  Peterson  Smitherman
Brownell  Flynn  Mauro  Phillips  Sorbara

ORDRE DU JOUR

À l'appel de l'ordre du jour concernant la suite du débat adjourné sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 102, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’interchangeabilité des médicaments et les honoraires de préparation et la Loi sur le régime de médicaments de l’Ontario,

Le Président met la motion aux voix immédiatement, conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le 9 mai 2006, et cette motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 58

Arthurs  Di Cocco  Leal  Parsons  Sandals
Balkissoon  Dombrowsky  Levac  Patten  Sergio
Bartolucci  Duguid  Marsales  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Duncan  Matthews  Peterson  Smitherman
Brownell  Flynn  Mauro  Phillips  Sorbara

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 81, Loi mettant en œuvre certaines mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2006 et édictant, modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois.

À 17 h 50, conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le 1er mai 2006, le Président met la motion aux voix, et cette motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 58

Arthurs  Di Cocco  Leal  Parsons  Sandals
Balkissoon  Dombrowsky  Levac  Patten  Sergio
Bartolucci  Duguid  Marsales  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Duncan  Matthews  Peterson  Smitherman
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AYES / POUR - Continued

Cansfield  Fonseca  McGuinty  Qaadri  Takhar
Caplan  Gerretsen  McMeekin  Racco  Van Bommel
Chambers  Gravelle  McNeely  Ramal  Wilkinson
Colle  Hoy  Meilleur  Ramsay  Wong
Cordiano  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Wynne
Delaney  Kular  Mossop  Ruprecht  Zimmer
Dhillon  Kwinter  Orazietti

NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnott  Horwath  MacLeod  Munro  Scott
Bisson  Hudak  Marchese  O’Toole  Sterling
Elliott  Jackson  Martiniuk  Prue  Tabuns
Hardeman  Kormos  Miller  Runciman  Wilson

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 6:07 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

CENT ONZIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 104, Loi visant à créer la Régie des transports du grand Toronto et à abroger la Loi de 2001 sur le Réseau GO.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques.

M. Caplan propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 19 h 28, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
THURSDAY, MAY 11, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Ramal moved,
Second Reading of Bill 86, An Act to establish the Ontario Workers’ Memorial.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.
Mr. Sergio then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 40, An Act respecting the disclosure of information about crimes to purchasers of land and to tenants.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 86, An Act to establish the Ontario Workers’ Memorial, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 24
Berardinetti  Bisson  Bradley  Brownell  Delaney
Hardeman  Hoy  Kormos  Lalonde  Levac
Marchese  McNeely  Miller  Mossop  Ouellette
Prue  Ramal  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Scott

Sergio  Smith  Smitherman  Van Bommel

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 40, An Act respecting the disclosure of information about crimes to purchasers of land and to tenants, was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

1:30 P.M.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to enforcing the Provincial Officer’s Order against Gamma Foundries (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Mr. Klees.

JEUDI 11 MAI 2006
CENT DOUIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Ramal propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 86, Loi visant à ériger le monument commémoratif en hommage aux travailleurs de l’Ontario.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Sergio propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 40, Loi sur la divulgation de renseignements sur les crimes commis aux acheteurs de biens-fonds et aux locataires.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 86, Loi visant à ériger le monument commémoratif en hommage aux travailleurs de l’Ontario, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 24

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 40, Loi sur la divulgation de renseignements sur les crimes commis aux acheteurs de biens-fonds et aux locataires, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité plénier.
Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees.

Petitions relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Ruprecht.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 15, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH DAY
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mr. Racco from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 41, An Act to create a comprehensive system of rules for the transfer of securities that is consistent with such rules across North America and to make consequential amendments to various Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 15, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 56

Arnott  Chambers  Jackson  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Arthurs  Chudleigh  Klees  Munro  Smith
Balkissoon  Colle  Levas  O’Toole  Smitherman
Bartolucci  Cordiano  Marsales  Parsons  Sorbara
Bentley  Dhillon  Matthews  Patten  Van Bommel
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Mauro  Peters  Watson
Bountrogianni  Dunlop  McMeekin  Phillips  Wilkinson
Bradley  Fonseca  McNeely  Quadri  Witmer
Broten  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Racco  Wong
Brownell  Hardeman  Miller  Ramal  Wynne
Cansfield  Hoy  Milloy  Rinaldi  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 5

Bisson  Kormos  Marchese  Prue  Tabuns

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the tragic death of Senior Constable Don Doucet of the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to the taxation of seasonal trailers (Sessional Paper No. P-74) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Miller and Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Miller and Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. O’Toole and Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Ms. Wynne.

Petition relating to directing the City of Greater Sudbury Council to hold a referendum / exiger que le conseil de la Ville du Grand Sudbury tienne un référendum (Sessional Paper No. P-178) Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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TUESDAY, MAY 16, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 114, An Act to amend the Environmental Protection Act to protect the Halton waste disposal site. Mr. Chudleigh.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:-

Mr. Dunlop and Ms. Scott exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Dunlop assumes ballot item number 62 and Ms. Scott assumes ballot item number 40.

And that, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item number 40.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitution be made to the membership of a Committee:-

On the Standing Committee on General Government:-
Mr. Tabuns replaces Ms. Horwath.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 16, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 51

Arthurs  Chambers  Hoy  McMeekin  Rinaldi
Balkissoon  Colle  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Delaney  Kennedy  Orazietti  Sands
Bentley  Di Cocco  Kular  Parsons  Smith
Berardinetti  Dombrowsky  Kwinter  Patten  Smitherman
Bontropianni  Duguid  Leal  Peters  Sorbara
Bradley  Duncan  Levac  Phillips  Van Bommel
Broten  Flynn  Marsales  Pupatello  Wong
Bryant  Fonseca  Matthews  Racco  Wynne
Cansfield  Gravelle  Mauro  Ramal  Zimmer
Caplan

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnot  Elliott  Marchese  O’Toole  Tascona
Barrett  Hardeman  Martiniuk  Prue  Tory
Bisson  Jackson  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Chudleigh  Kees  Munro  Tabuns  Yakabuski
Dunlop  Kormos  Murdoch

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mr. Jackson.

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Hampton and Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Runciman.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to supporting the JobsNow Program (Sessional Paper No. P-169) Ms. Smith.
Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petitions relating to improving home care and implementing the Caplan Review (Sessional Paper No. P-179) Mr. Leal, Ms. Matthews and Mr. Ruprecht.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Runciman moved, M. Runciman propose,

That the Legislative Assembly calls upon the government,

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberals have cut the Ministry of Tourism budget in both of their last two budgets by a total of $46 million and cut this year’s budget by $25 million alone; and

To recognize that a strong Canadian dollar, increased border security, high gas prices and numerous anti-American statements made by prominent Liberals are just some of the many things that are currently hindering the tourism and hospitality industries in Ontario and despite all of these challenges, the McGuinty government has continually undertaken initiatives that further damage these sectors, such as the City of Toronto Act and greater regulation of Ontario’s farmer markets; and

To recognize that besides criticizing the federal government, the McGuinty government has not taken any sort of meaningful action or demonstrated any kind of leadership in helping to solve current border issues with the United States or challenges facing the hospitality sector; and

To recognize that in 2005, U.S. border crossings to Ontario reached their lowest level since 1972 and that this decline in U.S. visitation is significant because, in 2004, Americans accounted for 18% of Ontario’s total visitors and 26% of the province’s visitors’ spending; and

To recognize that the total number of person visits to Ontario has steadily declined under the McGuinty government and that, under their watch, these numbers have declined to levels not seen since the early and mid 1990’s; and

To recognize that in January 2006, U.S. entries to Ontario fell to their lowest level for the month in 12 years and that in January 2006, Ontario received 40% fewer entries from the U.S. compared to January 2001, the historical peak for the month and 27% fewer compared to January 2003, yet the McGuinty government has continued to cut the Ministry of Tourism budget and proceed with legislative and policy initiatives that further jeopardize the economic well being of the hospitality sector.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 21

Barrett  Bisson  Chudleigh  Dunlop  Hardeman  Jackson  Kees  Kormos  Marchese  Martiniuk  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Sterling  Tascona  Tory  Witmer  Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 46

NAYS / CONTRE - Continued

Brownell          Leal          Patten          Rinaldi          Wong
Chambers          Levac         Peters          Ruprecht         Wynne
Cordiano          Matthews      Peterson        Sandsals        Zimmer
Delaney

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies, when Bill 109 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government; and

That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on General Government shall be authorized to meet at the call of the Chair on May 29, May 31, June 5 and June 7, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings and clause-by-clause on the bill; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 noon on June 7, 2006. On that day, at not later than 5:00 p.m. those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Thursday, June 8, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on General Government, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That, on the day the order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties; and

That, when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That, there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to 10 minutes.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.
A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 30**

Arthurs  Duguid  McNeely  Pupatello  Sandals  
Berardinetti  Flynn  Milloy  Qaadri  Sergio  
Bradley  Gerretsen  Mitchell  Racco  Smith  
Chambers  Levac  Orazietti  Ramal  Van Bommel  
Delaney  Mauro  Peters  Rinaldi  Wynne  
Dombrowsky  McMeekin  Peterson  Ruprecht  Zimmer  

**NAYS / CONTRE - 8**

Barrett  Marchese  Runciman  Tascona  Yakabuski  
Klees  Miller  Tabuns  

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.  
À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, 2006**  
**ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.  

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated May 17, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 155).

Mr. Ramal from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

Ordered for Third Reading.

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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

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**MERCIÉD 17 MAI 2006**

**CENT DIX-SEPTIÈME JOUR**

**PRIÈRES**

13 H 30  

**RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS**

M. Ramal du Comité permanent de la politique sociale présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 78, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation, la Loi de 1996 sur l’Ordre des enseignantes et des enseignants de l’Ontario et certaines autres lois se rapportant à l’éducation.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

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**DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI**

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-
Bill 115, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to improve air quality by reducing truck emissions. Ms. Scott

Bill 116, An Act to proclaim Better Hearing and Speech Month. Mr. Klees.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Arnott, Mr. Klees, Mr. Levac and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to continuing to make it the best possible for all families in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-180) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to making mandatory for the expiration date of prescription drugs to be clearly placed on all bottles and containers (Sessional Paper No. P-181) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mrs. Elliott, Mr. Hardeman and Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to amending the Dog Owners’ Liability Act, create a dangerous dog registry and financially support a dog bite prevention program (Sessional Paper No. P-183) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to investing $300 million to create child-care spaces (Sessional Paper No. P-184) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to changing the OMB decision at the Churchill-Basswood Townhouse Development (Sessional Paper No. P-185) Mr. Zimmer.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 16, 2006, the Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

Ayres / Pour - 54

Arthurs Bartolucci Berardinetti Bradley Broten Brownell Bryant Cansfield Caplan Chambers Colle Cordiano Craitor Delaney Di Cocco Dombrowsky Duncan Flynn Fonseca Gerretsen Hoy

Jeffrey Kwinter Lalonde Leal Levac Marsales Matthews Mauro McNeely Meilleur Milloy

Mitchell Mossop Orazietti Patten Peters Phillips Pupatello Qadri Racco Ramal Ramsay

Rinaldi Ruprecht Sands Smith Van Bommel Watson Wilkinson Wong Wynne Zimmer
And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Milloy) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, be deferred until Thursday, May 18, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:40 p.m.
Mr. Wilkinson moved, M. Wilkinson propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should continue to support the increasing solvency and vitality of the farm mutual insurance industry as a key component of the economic and social fabric of rural Ontario.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Ms. MacLeod then moved, Ensuite, Mme MacLeod propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should immediately eliminate the illegitimate health tax, beginning with serving military personnel and senior citizens.

The question having been put on Mr. Wilkinson’s Resolution Number 14, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 34

Arthurs Berardinetti Brownell Chudleigh Delaney Dhillon Di Cocco
Flynn Fonseca Hardeman Horwath Hoy Hudak Jackson
Lalonde Leal Levac MacLeod McNeely Miller Mitchell
Ouellette Patten Prue Qaadri Ruprecht Scott
Smith Smitherman Wilkinson Wilson Wynne Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

The question having been put on Ms. MacLeod’s Resolution Number 13, it was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 11

Chudleigh Hardeman Hudak
Jackson MacLeod
Miller Ouellette
Runciman Scott
Wilson Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 21

Arthurs Berardinetti Brownell Delaney Dhillon
Di Cocco Flynn Fonseca Hoy
Lalonde Leal Levac McNeely
Mitchell Patten Quadri Ruprecht
Smith Smitherman Wilkinson Wynne
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment. Hon. Mr. Duncan.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:-

Mrs. Munro and Mrs. Elliott exchange places in order of precedence such that Mrs. Munro assumes ballot item 78 and Mrs. Elliott assumes ballot item 43; and
That, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 43.

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR - 43

Arthurs    Berardinetti    Bountrogianni    Bradley    Broten    Bryant    Caplan    Chambers    Colle
Cordiano   Delaney     Dhillon     Di Cocco     Dombrowsky    Duguid    Duncan    Flynn    Fonseca
Jeffrey    Kular       Lalonde     Levac        Marchese     Marsales   McNeely   Meilleur   Milloy
Mossop    Peters       Phillips    Pupatello    Racco        Ramsay    Sandsals  Smith    Smitherman
Smitherman  Tabuns
Takhar
Watson
Wilkinson
Wong
Wynne
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 10

Chudleigh    Hardeman     Hudak    Miller    Runciman
MacLeod      MacLeod     Ouellette
Ouellette
Runciman
Scott
Wilson
Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mrs. Elliott, Mr. Ouellette and Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to placing a cap on rent and passing Bill 109, Residential Tenancies Act (Sessional Paper No. P-187) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 41, An Act to create a comprehensive system of rules for the transfer of securities that is consistent with such rules across North America and to make consequential amendments to various Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 41, Loi instituant un régime global de règles régissant le transfert des valeurs mobilières qui cadre avec celui qui s’applique dans ce domaine en Amérique du Nord et apportant des modifications corrélatives à diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 29, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Gerard Kennedy as the Member for the Electoral District of Parkdale—High Park.

Accordingly, I have issued my warrant to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of a writ for a by-election.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that on May 18, 2006, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor was pleased to Assent to the following Bills in his office:-

Bill 41, An Act to create a comprehensive system of rules for the transfer of securities that is consistent with such rules across North America and to make consequential amendments to various Acts.

Bill 81, An Act to implement 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 29, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

M. Caplan propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 16 h 40, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
AYES / POUR - 55

Arnott  
Arthurs  
Balkissoon  
Barrett  
Bartolucci  
Bentley  
Berardinetti  
Bradley  
Broten  
Brownell  
Cansfield  
Chudleigh  
Colle  
Craitor  
Delaney  
Dhillon  
Dombrowsky  
Duguid  
Duncan  
Elliott  
Flynn  
Fonseca  
Hoy  
Hudak  
Jackson  
Jeffrey  
Kular  
Kwinter  
Leal  
Levac  
Marsales  
McMeekin  
McNeely  
Miller  
Milloy  
Mitchell  
O'Toole  
Parsons  
Peters  
Peterson  
Phillips  
Pupatello  
Ramsay  
Runciman  
Ruprecht  
Sandals  
Smitherman  
Takhar  
Tory  
Van Bommel  
Witmer  
Wong  
Wynne  
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Horwath  
Kormos  
Marchese  
Martel  
Prue  
Tabuns

PETITIONS  
PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Jackson and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Milloy.

Petition relating to banning the use of terminator seeds in Canada and the Province of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-188) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to passing Bill 89, Kevin & Jared’s Law, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act (Sessional Paper No. P-189) Mr. Jackson.

Petition relating to holding a referendum in rural wards of the City of Ottawa (Sessional Paper No. P-190) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to locating an LCBO Agency Store on the Rockton Berry Farm and Country Market property (Sessional Paper No. P-191) Mr. McMeekin.

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, at 6:00 p.m. today the Speaker shall adjourn the debate on Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment, and call Orders of the Day and;
That the debate on Bill 117 shall be considered to be one full sessional day and;
That, the House be authorized to meet beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of considering Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London, for which the Orders for Second and Third Reading may be called consecutively, and on which the Speaker shall immediately put the questions, without debate and;
That upon completion of consideration of Third Reading of Bill Pr24, the Speaker shall adjourn the House until 6:45 p.m. this evening.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

At 6:00 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of earlier today, the Speaker adjourned the debate.

The following Bill was read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London.

The House then adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

CENT VINGTIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 117, Loi modifiant la Loi de l’impôt sur le revenu pour prévoir un paiement au titre des factures d’électricité résidentielle de l’Ontario.

À 18 h 01, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
TUESDAY, MAY 30, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST DAY
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mr. Brownell from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:--

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:--

Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:--

Bill 118, An Act to make the fourth week in October Arts Education Week. Ms. Mossop.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:--

Bill Pr26, An Act respecting Talpiot College. Mr. Zimmer.

PETITIONS
Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Brownell and Mrs. Elliott.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agree to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Flynn, Mr. Leal and Mr. Levac.
Petition relating to withdrawing or amending Bill 102 to ensure fairness to patients and pharmacies (Sessional Paper No. P-193) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to providing new funding for further bridge training programs for internationally trained newcomers (Sessional Paper No. P-194) Mr. Ruprecht.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following be agreed to with respect to this afternoon’s debate:-

That each party be allowed to speak to the motion on the proposed U.S. passport requirement for up to five minutes, following which the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the motion, without further debate or amendment; and further to stipulate that today’s debate on Bill 107 be considered one full sessional day.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognizes that more secure documentation is desirable on the Canada-United States border.

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognizes that the proposed requirement that all Canadian and U.S. citizens show a passport or other single-purpose travel document to be allowed to enter or re-enter the United States would cause significant and unnecessary damage to tourism and trade in both countries.

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario supports the position taken by the Government of Ontario on October 27, 2005 in its submission to the U.S. Department of Homeland Security commenting on the passport issue.

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario specifically endorses the approach advocated in that October 27, 2005 document, including:-

- The establishment of a bi-national working group to identify and develop proposals for alternative forms of secure documentation, such as a new, more secure driver licence or other form of documentation.
- Travellers aged 16 and under who are accompanied by a properly documented adult should be permitted to enter and re-enter the United States using proof of citizenship.
- Any proposals for new ID requirements for entering or re-entering the United States be piloted on a trial basis before being fully implemented.
- The implementation of any changes in border crossing documentation be delayed to provide sufficient phase-in time to minimize disruptions.

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario supports tourism and commerce in Ontario, and supports the province of Ontario working with other North American jurisdictions at the Gimli meeting of Provincial Premiers and State Governors to find border crossing alternatives that would not needlessly harm economic prosperity in Canada or the United States.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 2006**

**ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND DAY**

**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a Report of the Ombudsman of Ontario, made pursuant to Section 21 of the Ombudsman Act relating to the Ontario Disability Support Program's Disability Adjudication Unit entitled “Losing the Waiting Game.”(Sessional Paper No. 164).

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated May 31, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 163).

**INTRODUCTION OF BILL**

With unanimous consent, the following Bill introduced by Mr. Tabuns on behalf of Mr. Kormos, was read the first time:

Bill 119, An Act to amend the Employment Standards Act, 2000 to provide for an Employee Wage Security Program. Mr. Kormos.

**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of Private Members’ Public Business:

Mr. Bisson and Mr. Prue exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Bisson assumes ballot item 57 and Mr. Prue assumes ballot item 42; and

That, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 42.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 31, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 63

Arnott       Colle       Jeffrey       O’Toole       Sergio
Arthurs      Crozier     Kwinter      Parsons       Smitheman
Balkissoon   Delaney     Levac        Patten        Sorbara
Barrett      Di Cocco    MacLeod     Phillips      Sterling
Bartolucci   Dombrowsky  Marsales     Pupatello     Takhar
Bentley      Duguid      Martiniuk    Quadri        Van Bommel
Berardinetti Elliott     Matthews     Racco         Watson
Bountrogianni Flynn       McMeekin    Ramal         Wilkinson
Bradley      Fonseca     McNeeley     Ramsay        Witmer
Broten       Gerretsen   Milloy       Runciman      Wong
Cansfield    Gravelle    Mitchell     Ruprecht      Wyne
Caplan       Hardeman    Munro        Sandsals      Zimmer
Chambers     Hoy         Orazietti

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson            Marchese      Martel       Prue          Tabuns
Horwath

The House expressed its condolence on the death of Frederick Burr, Member for the Electoral District of Sandwich–Riverside from October 17, 1967 to September 17, 1975 and Member for the Electoral District of Windsor–Riverside from September 18, 1975 to April 29, 1977.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott and Mrs. Mitchell.

Petition relating to Ontario Korean Businessmen’s Association (Sessional Paper No. P-157) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agree to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Wilkinson.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Hampton moved,

That the Legislative Assembly calls on the government to sustain and encourage good-paying manufacturing jobs in Ontario, and in particular, to implement a “Made in Ontario” policy that ensures streetcars, subway cars, and rail transport cars for Ontario municipalities that are purchased with funds in whole or in part from the Government of Ontario, are manufactured in Ontario.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was declared lost.

The House then adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 or equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Wong moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should declare the Province of Ontario to be a “Province of Character” by encouraging the citizens of Ontario to foster a climate which promotes, supports and celebrates excellence in character in its schools, businesses, homes and community-based organizations in order to strengthen Ontario’s families and communities.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.
Ms. Scott then moved,  
Second Reading of Bill 115, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to improve air quality by reducing truck emissions.

The question having been put on Mr. Wong’s Resolution Number 16, it was declared carried.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 115, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to improve air quality by reducing truck emissions, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 27
Arnott    Fonseca    Matthews    Patten    Scott
Balkissoon Hardeman    Milloy    Prue    Van Bommel
Berardinetti Kees    Munro    Racco    Wilkinson
Craitor    Lalonde    O'Toole    Runciman    Witmer
Delaney    Leal    Ouellette    Ruprecht    Wong
Dhillon    MacLeod

NAYS / CONTRE – 6
Marsales    Mitchell    Parsons    Rinaldi    Smitherman
McNeely

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

Ensuite, Mme Scott propose,  
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 115, Loi modifiant le Code de la route pour améliorer la qualité de l’air en réduisant les émissions de camions.

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 16 de M. Wong est déclarée adoptée.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 115, Loi modifiant le Code de la route pour améliorer la qualité de l’air en réduisant les émissions de camions., mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

1:30 P.M.  
REPORTS BY COMMITTEES  
Mr. Dhillon from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-


The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

RAPPORTE DES COMITÉS  
M. Dhillon du Comité permanent de la justice présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-


La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 34

Arthurs       Cordiano       Hoy        Mitchell       Sandals
Balkissoon    Craitor        Jeffrey     Orazietti     Sergio
Bentley       Delaney        Kwinter     Peters        Sorbara
Berardinetti  Dhillon        Marsales    Phillips      Van Bommel
Cansfield     Di Cocco       Matthews    Racco         Wilkinson
Caplan        Dombrowsky     Meilleur    Rinaldi       Wong
Chambers      Fonseca        Milloy      Ruprecht      

NAYS / CONTRE - 19

Arnott       Horwath       Marchese    Ouellette     Tabuns
Bisson        Kles          Miller      Prue          Tasuns
Elliott      Kormos         Munro       Runciman      Witmer
Hardeman     MacLeod        O'Toole     Scott         

And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes. Mr. Prue.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mrs. Witmer.

Petition relating to consideration for a full-service passport office in the City of Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-163) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month”(Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to continuing to make it the best possible for all families in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-180) Mr. Berardinetti.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to placing a cap on rent and passing Bill 109, Residential Tenancies Act (Sessional Paper No. P-187) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agree to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Kular and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to passing legislation requiring all teachers province wide to become an essential service (Sessional Paper No. P-195) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to Toronto Community Housing (Sessional Paper No. P-196) Ms. Wynne.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

After some time, the question having been put, the motion was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 36

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 5, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee’s Report. Pursuant to Standing Order 109(b), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 166).

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, at the request of the applicant, Standing Order 80(e), concerning publication of notice of an application for a private bill, and Standing Order 87, concerning notice of committee hearings, be waived with respect to Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, June 5, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 56

Arthurs  Di Cocco  Kular  O'Toole  Takhar
Barrett  Dombrowsky  Kwinter  Parsons  Tascona
Bentley  Duguid  Levac  Peters  Tory
Berardinetti  Duncan  MacLeod  Phillips  Van Bommel
Bradley  Dunlop  Marsales  Pupatello  Watson
Broten  Elliott  Matthews  Qaadri  Wilkinson
Brownell  Flynn  Mauro  Racco  Wilson
Cansfield  Hardeman  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Witmer
Chambers  Hoy  Mossop  Sandals  Wong
Colle  Jackson  Munro  Smith  Wynne
Crozier  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Smitherman  Zimmer
Delanay

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue  Tabuns
Horwath  Martel

The Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office on June 1, 2006.

Bill 78, An Act to amend the Education Act, the Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996 and certain other statutes relating to education.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting the City of London.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Levac and Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Hardeman.
Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Leal and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petitions relating to withdrawing or amending Bill 102 to ensure fairness to patients and pharmacies (Sessional Paper No. P-193) Mr. Kormos, Ms. Martel and Mrs. Witmer.

Petition relating to reviewing and amending the Workplace Safety Insurance Act (Sessional Paper No. P-197) Mr. Zimmer.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That the Legislative Assembly calls upon the government,

To recognize that the McGuinty government was made aware of the Six Nations’ land claim issues at Caledonia in August 2005, yet allowed the situation to escalate to a full-blown standoff starting on February 28, 2006;

To recognize that the McGuinty government refused even to acknowledge the Caledonia land occupation as a provincial issue until Day 42 of the standoff;

To recognize that the McGuinty government’s Places to Grow Act was a catalyst in igniting the standoff, since it provides a legal framework for the McGuinty Liberals to designate any area of land as a growth plan area;

To recognize that the McGuinty government further provoked the situation with a regulation identifying the Greater Golden Horseshoe area as the first area for which a growth plan will be prepared;

To recognize that the Premier’s procrastination and failure to show leadership when it was most needed, allowed this situation to escalate into a public safety crisis;

To recognize that the McGuinty Liberals have refused to compensate the OPP for the unforeseen costs incurred while policing Caledonia and to reimburse municipalities policed by the OPP that sent officers to Caledonia;

To recommend to the Lieutenant Governor in Council that a Commission be appointed to inquire into and report on how absence of communication and lack of leadership by Premier McGuinty and his Liberal government allowed the Caledonia situation to escalate to a full-blown standoff and subsequently a public security crisis;

To accept recommendations from the Commission directed to preventing similar chaotic confrontations when dealing with future land claim issues in the province, including recommendations with respect to ways in which we can improve dispute resolution in this area and enhance respect for the rule of law; and

To grant the Commission powers under the Public Inquiries Act.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:45 p.m.
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

6:45 P.M.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code, be deferred until Tuesday, June 6, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Ramsay moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:12 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

CENT VINGT-SIXIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

18 H 45

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 107, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne.

Après quelque temps, comme il n'y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président par intérim s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 107, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne, soit différé jusqu'au mardi 6 juin 2006.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

M. Ramsay propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 20 h 12, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

MARDI 6 JUIN 2006

CENT VINGT-SEPTIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES

13 H 30

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-
Bill 121, An Act respecting interior designers. Mr. Peterson.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc. Mr. Mauro.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 6, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 66

Arnott Arthurs Balkissoon Barrett Bentley Berardinetti Bradley Broten Bryant Cansfield Chambers Colle Craitor Crozier

Delaney Duguid Duncan Elliott Flynn Gravelle Hardman Hoy Jackson Jeffrey Kular

Kwinter Leal Levac MacLeod Marsales Martinuk Matthews McMeekin McNeely Meilleur Miller

Mitchell Munro Orazietti Ouellette Parsons Peterson Phillips Pupatello Ramal Ralidi Runciman Ruprecht

Sandals Scott Smith Smitherman Sorbara Tascona Van Bommel Watson Wilkinson Wong Wynne Yakabuski Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 5

Bisson Horwath Kormos Prue Tabuns

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code was carried on the following division:-

June 6, 2006

AYES / POUR – 57
And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to withdrawing or amending Bill 102 to ensure fairness to patients and pharmacies (Sessional Paper No. P-193) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to ensuring Dickinson Square remains a public place (Sessional Paper No. P-198) Ms. MacLeod.

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At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

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**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

275 June 6 and 7, 2006
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 20 h 45, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.
Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 54

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bartolucci
Bentley
Berardinetti
Bountrogianni
Bradley
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Di Cocco
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Mitchell

Orazietti
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Phillips
Pupatello
Qaadri
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Rinaldi
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NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott
Barrett
Bisson
Chudleigh
Elliott
Kormos

Hardeman
Horwath
Hudak
Klees
Kormos

MacLeod
Marchese
Martel
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Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 9, 2006, the Bill is Ordered for Third Reading.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (Hamilton).
Bill Pr26, An Act respecting Talpiot College.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated June 7, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 167).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

PROJET DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:
Bill 122, An Act to enhance safety on Ontario’s roads and to empower police officers to shut down street racing. Mr. Klees.

Projet de loi 122, Loi visant à accroître la sécurité sur les routes de l’Ontario et à habiliter les agents de police à mettre fin aux courses de rue. M. Klees.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs be authorized to meet after Routine Proceedings on Monday, June 12, 2006 for clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

During Oral Questions, as a result of disruptions, the Speaker ordered part of the West Public Gallery to be cleared.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to refraining from cutbacks or cancellations to the provincial fish hatchery program (Sessional Paper No. P-130) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to increasing funding for special education and education of ASD pupils (Sessional Paper No. P-153) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to investing $300 million to create child-care spaces (Sessional Paper No. P-184) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to enhancing workers rights and encouraging the Government to make it easier for workers in other sectors of the economy to unionize (Sessional Paper No. P-199) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to amending the Credit Unions and Caisses Populaires Act, 1994 (Sessional Paper No. P-200) Ms. Martel.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Chudleigh moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should immediately begin to utilize more accurate population counts when calculating its contribution to various provincial programs and funding partners; and that these population counts be determined through municipal tax rolls and include a multiplier to account for children.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Prue then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes.

The question having been put on Mr. Chudleigh’s Resolution Number 15, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 31

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The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes, it was carried on the following division:-

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 120, Loi exigeant que le code du bâtiment et le code de prévention des incendies prévoient des détecteurs d’incendie, des systèmes d’alerte d’incendie interconnectés et des sorties de secours incombustibles, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 32

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

1:30 P.M.  13 H 30

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee’s report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

NAYS / CONTRE – 1
NAYS / CONTRE - 2

Bisson    Kormos
And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 41

Bentley    Duguid    Levac    Pupatello    Sorbara
Berardinetti! Flynn    Marsales    Qadri    Takhar
Bradley    Fonseca    Matthews    Ramal    Van Bommel
Bryant    Gerretsen    Mauro    Ramsay    Watson
Caplan    Hoy    McMeekin    Ruprecht    Wilkinson
Chambers    Jeffrey    McNeely    Sands    Wong
Colle    Kwinter    Meilleur    Smith    Wynne
Dhillon    Lalonde    Phillips    Smitherman    Zimmer
Di Cocco

NAYS / CONTRE - 15

Bisson    Hampton    Kormos    Munro    Prue
Chudleigh    Hardeman    MacLeod    O'Toole    Scott
Dunlop    Horwath    Miller    Ouellette    Tascona

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 16, 2006, the Bill is Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario's regulated professions. Hon. Mr. Colle.

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

MOTIONS

After passing to “Motions”, with unanimous consent, the House reverted to "Introduction of Bills".

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 125, An Act to establish the Ontario Labour Market Board. Mr. Hampton.

Bill 126, An Act to provide for a Job Protection Commissioner. Mr. Hampton.


PETITIONS

Petition relating to preventing the closure of the Ontario SPCA Lennox and Addington Branch (Sessional Paper No. P-112) Mr. Dunlop.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Hardeman, Mrs. Munro, Ms. Scott and Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month”(Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to improving home care and implementing the Caplan Review (Sessional Paper No. P-179) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to placing a cap on rent and passing Bill 109, Residential Tenancies Act (Sessional Paper No. P-187) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to enhancing workers rights and encouraging the Government to make it easier for workers in other sectors of the economy to unionize (Sessional Paper No. P-199) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to treating workplace harassment as a health and safety issue and pass Bill 45 (Sessional Paper No. P-201) Ms. Horwath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

MOTIONS

Après l’appel des «Motions», avec le consentement unanime, l’Assemblée revient à l’appel de «Dépôt des Projets de Loi ».

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 125, Loi créant la Commission ontarienne du marché du travail. M. Hampton.

Projet de loi 126, Loi prévoyant la nomination d’un commissaire à la protection des emplois. M. Hampton.


ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 nos 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto.
After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto, be deferred until Monday, June 12, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

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MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the Report of the Integrity Commissioner concerning his review of expense claims under the Cabinet Ministers’ and Opposition Leaders’ Expenses Review and Accountability Act, 2002, for the period April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. 170).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, 2005, repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report on Members’ Use of Portable Technologies in the Legislative Precincts and moved its adoption (Sessional Paper No. 171).

On motion by Mr. Delaney,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, June 12, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 70

Arnott Arthurs Balkissoon Barrett Bentley Bountrogianni Bradley Broten Bryant Cansfield Caplan Chambers Chudleigh Colle

Cordiano Crozier Delaney Dhillon Di Cocco Dombrowsky Duguid Duncan Dunlop Elliott Fonseca Gerretsen Hardeman Hoy

Klees Kular Lalonde Leal Levac MacLeod Marsales Martiniuk Matthews Mauro McMeekin McNeely Meilleur Miller

Milloy Mitchell O’Toole Ouellette Parsons Peters Rupatello Quadri Racco Runciman Ruprecht

Sandals Scott Smith Smitherman Sorbara Takhar Tory Van Bommel Watson Wilson Witmer Wong Wynne Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson Horwath Kormos Marchese Prue Tabuns
DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 58


NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnott  Barrett  Chudleigh  Dunlop  Elliott  Hardeman  Hudak  Jackson  Klees  MacLeod  Martiniuk  Miller  O’Toole  Ouellette  Runciman  Scott  Tascona  Tory  Wilson  Witmer

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

VOTES DIFFÉRÉS
La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 nos 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 53, Loi révisant les lois de 1997 nos 1 et 2 sur la cité de Toronto, modifiant certaines lois d’intérêt public en ce qui concerne les pouvoirs municipaux et abrogeant certaines lois d’intérêt privé se rapportant à la cité de Toronto, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 58


NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnott  Barrett  Chudleigh  Dunlop  Elliott  Hardeman  Hudak  Jackson  Klees  MacLeod  Martiniuk  Miller  O’Toole  Ouellette  Runciman  Scott  Tascona  Tory  Wilson  Witmer

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to preparing the closure of the Ontario SPCA Lennox and Addington Branch (Sessional Paper No. P-112) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to the Spring bear hunt in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-145) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month”(Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to treating workplace harassment as a health and safety issue and passing Bill 45 (Sessional Paper No. P-201) Ms. Horwath.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Kular, Mr. Leal, and Mr. Racco.
Petition relating to making motorcycle insurance more affordable (Sessional Paper No. P-203) Mr. Barrett.

Petition relating to improving mental health services for all children in the province of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-204) Mr. Jackson.

The Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bill in his office:-

Bill 53, An Act to revise the City of Toronto Acts, 1997 (Nos. 1 and 2), to amend certain public Acts in relation to municipal powers and to repeal certain private Acts relating to the City of Toronto.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 52, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation concernant l’apprentissage des élèves jusqu’à l’âge de 18 ans et l’apprentissage équivalent et apportant des modifications complémentaires au Code de la route.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


CENT TREnte-DEUXIÈME JOUR

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997, be deferred until June 13, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.
Ordered for Third Reading.  

Mr. Bradley moved,  

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 13, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-  

AYES / POUR - 67

Arnott  Delaney  Kwinter  O’Toole  Smitherman  
Arthurs  Dombrowsky  Lalonde  Ouellette  Sorbara  
Balkissoon  Duguid  Levac  Parsons  Sterling  
Barrett  Duncan  MacLeod  Peters  Tascona  
Bartolucci  Elliott  Marsales  Peterson  Tory  
Bentley  Flynn  Martiniuk  Pupatello  Van Bommel  
Bountrogianni  Fonseca  Matthews  Racco  Watson  
Bradley  Gravelle  Mauro  Rinaldi  Wilkinson  
Brownell  Hardeman  McMeekin  Runciman  Wong  
Cansfield  Hoy  Meilleur  Ruprecht  Witmer  
Chudleigh  Hudak  Miller  Sandsals  Yakabuski  
Colle  Jackson  Mitchell  Smith  Zimmer  
Craitor  Jeffrey  Mossop  
Crozier  Kular  

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson  Marchese  Martel  Prue  Tabuns  
Kormos  

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 56, An Act to amend the Emergency Management Act, the Employment Standards Act, 2000 and the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997, was carried on the following division:-  

AYES / POUR - 81

Arnott  Craitor  Jackson  Miller  Sandsals  
Arthurs  Crozier  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Smith  
Balkissoon  Delaney  Kular  Mossop  Smitherman  
Barrett  Di Cocco  Kwinter  O’Toole  Sorbara  
Bartolucci  Dombrowsky  Lalonde  Ouellette  Sterling  
Bentley  Duguid  Leal  Peters  Takhar  
Bountrogianni  Duncan  Levac  Patten  Tascona  
Bradley  Dunlop  MacLeod  Peterson  Tory  
Broten  Elliott  Marsales  Pupatello  Van Bommel  
Brownell  Flynn  Martiniuk  Racco  Watson  
Bryant  Fonseca  Matthews  Ralal  Wilkinson  
Cansfield  Gerretsen  Mauro  

AYES / POUR - Continued

Caplan  Gravelle  McGuinty  Ramsay  Wong
Chambers  Hardeman  McMeekin  Rinaldi  Wynne
Chudleigh  Hoy  McNeely  Runciman  Yakabuski
Colle  Hudak  Meilleur  Ruprecht  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Hampton  Kormos  Marchese  Martel  Tabuns

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to preventing the closure of the Ontario SPCA Lennox and Addington Branch (Sessional Paper No. P-112) Mrs. Elliott.

Petition relating to providing access to Erbitux, Avastin, Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-141) Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to providing new funding for further bridge training programs for internationally trained newcomers (Sessional Paper No. P-194) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to amending the Credit Unions and Caisses Populaires Act, 1994 (Sessional Paper No. P-200) Mr. Levac.


Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:35 p.m.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2006

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:--

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:--

Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:--
Bill 129, An Act to amend the Auditor General Act. Mr. Sterling.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place. Mr. Marchese.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, Mr. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 14, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 57


NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson  Horwath  Kormos  Marchese  Prue  Tabuns

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to providing consumers with a tax break on high gas prices (Sessional Paper No. P-24) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Hudak and Mr. O’Toole.
Petition relating to providing new funding for further bridge training programs for internationally trained newcomers (Sessional Paper No. P-194) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to installing traffic lights at the intersections of Highway 12 and Woodrow Road and Highway 12 and Sturgeon Bay Road (Sessional Paper No. P-206) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 65, Loi concernant les maisons de courtage d’hypothèques, les prêteurs hypothécaires et les administrateurs d’hypothèques.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

CENT TRENTES-SIXIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M.

ORDRES DE L'ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 62, An Act to amend the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 62, Loi modifiant la Loi sur le financement des élections et la Loi sur l’Assemblée législative.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH
DAY

PRIÈRES
10:00 A.M.

Mrs. Elliott moved, Mme Elliott propose,
That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should immediately increase health care funding in Durham Region to the provincial average, and, thereafter, develop and implement health care funding in Durham Region based upon population growth.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Ms. Mossop then moved, Ensuite, Mme Mossop propose,
Second Reading of Bill 118, An Act to make the fourth week in October Arts Education Week.

The question having been put on Mrs. Elliott’s Resolution Number 19, it was declared lost.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 118, An Act to make the fourth week in October Arts Education Week, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting Master’s College and Seminary. Mr. Delaney.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.
Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Zimmer.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Arthurs.


Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to considering an immediate, temporary gas price freeze and fair transparent gasoline pricing by supporting the previous Member’s Bills while international gas prices stabilize (Sessional Paper No. P-208) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to achieving a federal-provincial program to assist in further development of Ontario’s inter-provincial roads (Sessional Paper No. P-209) Mr. Ouellette.

__ORDERS OF THE DAY__

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

__ORDRE DU JOUR__

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 102, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’interchangeabilité des médicaments et les honoraires de préparation et la Loi sur le régime de médicaments de l’Ontario.

Après quelque temps, comme il n’y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le Vice-Président déclare qu’à son avis les voix favorables l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

Le vice-président donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le vice-président s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-
I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act, be deferred until Monday, June 19, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 19, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 131, An Act to proclaim Peace Officers' Memorial Day and to honour peace officers who have died in the line of duty. Mr. Levac.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That Standing Order 87, concerning notice of committee hearings, be waived with respect to consideration of Bill Pr28, An Act respecting Master's College and Seminary, by the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills on Wednesday, June 21, 2006.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, June 19, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

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**DEFERRED VOTES**

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:

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En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
PETITIONS

Petitions relating to funding to community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mrs. Munro and Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to supporting the JobsNow Program (Sessional Paper No. P-169) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to improving home care and implementing the Caplan Review (Sessional Paper No. P-179) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to the Ontario Joint Replacement Registry (Sessional Paper No. P-210) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to the Macdonald-Cartier Freeway (Provincial Highway 401) (Sessional Paper No. P-212) Mr. Brownell.


Petition relating to small rural schools (Sessional Paper No. P-214) Mr. Barrett.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Deputy Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

CENT TREnte-NEUVIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M. 18 H 45
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, 2005 repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Ms. Di Cocco moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 20, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

Mr. Sorbara delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

J. K. BARTLEMAN

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 58.
Motions

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 20, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

Ayes / Pour - 60

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Nays / Contre - 7

Kormos  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue  Tabuns

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the Annual Report of the Office of the Integrity Commissioner for the period April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. 174).

I further beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the Seventh Annual Report from the Lobbyists Registration Office, Office of the Integrity Commissioner, with respect to the administration of the Lobbyists Registration Act, 1998, for the period April 1, 2005 to March 31, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. 175).

With unanimous consent, the following Bill was read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading:-

Bill 129, An Act to amend the Auditor General Act.

With unanimous consent, the following Bill was read the third time and was passed:-

Bill 129, An Act to amend the Auditor General Act.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That each party be allowed to speak on the issue of the fiscal imbalance for up to five minutes, following which the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the motion.

On motion by Mr. McGuinty, Sur la motion de M. McGuinty,

Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognizes and affirms the importance of the Province of Ontario continuing to play a constructive leadership role within Confederation as it has done since 1867; and

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognizes that the fiscal imbalance exists; and

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario calls on the federal government to address the fiscal imbalance in a manner that is fair to all Canadians.

During “Oral Questions”, the Speaker requested the Member for Toronto–Danforth (Mr. Tabuns) to withdraw unparliamentary language.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Brownell and Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to passing Bill 67, the Organ and Tissue Donation Mandatory Declaration Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-142) Mr. Klees.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Klees.


Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of May 16, 2006, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, which motion was carried on the following division:-

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 109, Loi révisant le droit régissant la location à usage d’habitation.

A 17 h 50, conformément à l’ordre adopté par l’Assemblée le 16 mai 2006, le président par intérim, M. Arnott interrompt les délibérations et met la motion aux voix et ladite motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-


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NAYS / CONTRE - 16

Barrett   Bisson   Elliott   Hampton   Hardeman   Hudak   MacLeod   Marchese   Kormos   Martel
En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDER OF THE DAY

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 11, An Act to enact the Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves Act, 2005 repeal the Provincial Parks Act and the Wilderness Areas Act and make complementary amendments to other Acts.

Bill 102, An Act to amend the Drug Interchangeability and Dispensing Fee Act and the Ontario Drug Benefit Act.

Bill 129, An Act to amend the Auditor General Act.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

After some time, Mr. Bradley moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was declared carried.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the Individual Members' Expenditures for the fiscal year 2005-2006 (Sessional Paper No. 177).

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Estimates presented the Committee’s report as follows:

Pursuant to Standing Order 60(a), the following Estimates (2006-2007) are reported back to the House as they were not previously selected by the Committee for consideration and are deemed to be passed by the Committee:

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER
501 Office of the Chief Election Officer $ 7,516,900

OMBUDSMAN ONTARIO
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Pursuant to Standing Order 60(b), the report of the Committee is deemed to be received and the Estimates of the offices named therein as not being selected for consideration by the Committee are deemed to be concurred in.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 132, An Act to include members of the Legislative Assembly in the Public Service Pension Plan and to make related amendments to other Acts. Mr. Sterling.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, that an humble address be presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council as follows:-

“To the Lieutenant Governor in Council:-

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, request the appointment of Jim McCarter as Auditor General for the Province of Ontario, as provided in section 4 (1.1) of the Auditor General Act, RSO 1990, c. A35, to hold office under the terms and conditions of the said Act.”

And, that the Address be engrossed and presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council by the Speaker.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 21, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 51

NAYS / CONTRE - 5
Bisson Horwath Kormos Marchese Prue

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:

On Tuesday, June 6, the Member for Leeds—Grenville (Mr. Runciman) raised a point of order under Standing Order 23(g), relating to the sub judice rule. The sub judice rule refers to the practice that the House should not discuss matters that are pending or currently before a court of law for adjudication.

Standing Order 23(g) states:

In debate, a member shall be called to order by the Speaker if he or she:

Refers to any matter that is the subject of a proceeding,

(i) that is pending in a court or before a judge for judicial determination,

(ii) that is before any quasi-judicial body constituted by the House or by

where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Speaker that further reference would create a real and substantial danger of prejudice to the proceeding.

In his point of order, the Member for Leeds—Grenville asserted that the Premier had offended the sub judice rule while answering a question on the topic of the ongoing land dispute in Caledonia. Specifically, the Member stated that the Premier’s comments had the potential to prejudice the Ipperwash Inquiry currently being conducted by the Honourable Sidney Linden.

The Member for Niagara Centre (Mr. Kormos) and the Attorney General (Mr. Bryant) also made contributions on this point of order.

Let me spend a bit of time talking about sub judice. Translated literally from the Latin, sub judice means “under judgement”, and while it is a parliamentary convention, in Ontario it is also a specific rule which entered our Standing Orders in 1970, and was modified to the current version in 1978. This convention exists as an acknowledgement that it is in the public interest, and in the interest of the administration of justice, broadly interpreted, that the Legislative Assembly will voluntarily refrain from debating or discussing matters before courts of law or largely similar judicial bodies.

The principle of the separation of powers in our system acts to ensure that the legislative, executive and judicial branches of government operate independently. The legislature should never discuss matters before the courts when doing so could undermine the work of the court, the rights of any individual to due process in a neutral environment, or when unproved allegations might irrevocably damage personal reputations.

As the presiding official in this place, it falls upon the Speaker to exercise his or her discretion whether or not to impose restraint upon the Assembly when, in a situation of the type I just described, it appears to the Speaker that Members may be venturing too far in their remarks.

The Speaker, however, has two other major considerations in mind when sub judice arises: first, the fundamental parliamentary privilege of freedom of speech and, second, the practical limitations on his ability to be fully aware of every matter before the courts. Let me address each of these important factors.

Freedom of speech is one of the most important and useful privileges enjoyed by Members of the Legislative Assembly. The Bill of Rights of 1688 first declared this privilege, and Canadian legislatures, even before Confederation, likewise claimed it. It was formally conveyed to the Parliament of Canada in the Constitution Act, 1867 and the provinces of Canada have since aggressively and successfully continued to claim this privilege. It is the basic building block of this Legislature.
The Speaker, therefore, has a solemn obligation to uphold the right of every Member to speak freely in this place, and would only reluctantly interfere in debate in certain instances. One of these is when matters being discussed fall under the *sub judice* rule. However, in the absence of a blatant and obvious transgression of the *sub judice* convention, the Speaker will instead err on the side of the right of Members to debate and consider important public issues in the Legislature.

Marleau and Montpetit’s *House of Commons Procedure and Practice*, at page 537, in a reference to the First Report of the House of Commons Special Committee on the Rights and Immunities of Members, explains this application of the *sub judice* convention as follows:

“...when there is doubt in the mind of the Chair, a presumption should exist in favour of allowing debate and against the application of the convention.”

On the second matter of knowledge of matters before the courts, as numerous of my predecessors in this chair have stated, Members can surely appreciate the difficulty the Speaker has, as he cannot be fully aware of every matter before every judicial body. Moreover, Standing Order 23(g) directs the Speaker to interfere in debate only when he or she is satisfied that continued reference to the specific matter may tend to prejudice the relevant proceeding. This is extremely difficult for a Speaker to gauge.

The specific case at hand refers to comments made during Question Period, and here again the authorities and our practice are instructive.

The voluntary nature of the *sub judice* convention means that every Member must be careful to refrain from making comments in debate, motions or questions.

In debate, this self-regulation is essential. In oral question period, Speakers largely rely upon the Ministers to whom questions are addressed to decide if further discussion of the matter might prejudice a matter before a court, or other judicial or quasi-judicial body, or tribunal. And while Ministers have every right to decline to answer a question which in their view rubs up against the *sub judice* convention, Members in framing questions must also be cognizant of their responsibility in this regard.

Indeed, the very posing of a question may cross the *sub judice* line, but the conundrum for all is that, regardless of the subsequent actions of the Speaker or anyone else, the damage may already have been done.

In the specific case at hand, I have reviewed the Hansard exchange from June 6 between the Member for Leeds—Grenville and the Premier. Beyond subjective inferences which a reader might draw from them – which is well beyond the concern of the Speaker – I do not find any of the comments go so far as to concern me with regard to *sub judice*.

I will end by noting again that the *sub judice* convention relies for its effectiveness upon the goodwill of all Members in voluntarily refraining from discussing matters before courts or judicial bodies. I think it is worth reminding Members that extreme caution should always be the order of the day whenever such matters arise as a topic of discussion in this Chamber.

**PETITIONS / PÉTITIONS**

Petition relating to funding community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s efforts to improve access to family doctors and the Family Health Teams Program (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. O’Toole.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act, be deferred until Thursday, June 22, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 52, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation concernant l'apprentissage des élèves jusqu'à l'âge de 18 ans et l'apprentissage équivalent et apportant des modifications complémentaires au Code de la route.

Après quelque temps, comme il n'y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président par intérim s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 52, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation concernant l'apprentissage des élèves jusqu'à l'âge de 18 ans et l'apprentissage équivalent et apportant des modifications complémentaires au Code de la route, soit différé jusqu'au jeudi 22 juin 2006. En conséquence, le vote est différé.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bartolucci moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:35 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Sorbara moved, That the Minister of Finance be authorized to pay the salaries of civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of supply for the period commencing July 1, 2006, and ending on December 31, 2006, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriation of the 2006-07 fiscal year following the voting of supply.

A debate arose and, after some time, the motion was declared carried.

Mr. Bartolucci moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 22, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Peterson moved,
Second Reading of Bill 121, An Act respecting interior designers.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Hoy then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 110, An Act to proclaim Sexual Harassment Awareness Week.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 121, An Act respecting interior designers, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 110, An Act to proclaim Sexual Harassment Awareness Week, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the 2005-2006 Annual Report of the Ombudsman (Sessional Paper No. 178).

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:

Yesterday, the Member for Lanark—Carleton (Mr. Sterling) introduced Bill 132, An Act to include members of the Legislative Assembly in the Public Service Pension Plan and to make related amendments to other Acts.

Upon reviewing the Bill, I have determined that it would cause an expenditure of public money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, contrary to Standing Order 56.

Accordingly, I have directed that the Bill not be printed, and that it be deleted from the Orders and Notices Paper.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 133, An Act to amend the Education Act to provide stability for students in transition housing. Ms. Matthews.
Bill 134, An Act to amend the Retail Sales Tax Act. Mr. Ouellette.

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following committees be authorized to meet during the Summer Adjournment in accordance with the schedule of meeting dates agreed to by the Whips of the recognized parties and tabled with the Clerk of the Assembly to examine and enquire into the following matters:-

Standing Committee on Estimates to consider the 2006-2007 Estimates of selected Ministries and Offices;

Standing Committee on General Government to consider Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts;

Standing Committee on Government Agencies pursuant to its terms of reference as set out in Standing Order 106(e);

Standing Committee on Justice Policy to consider Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005; and Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code;

Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly to consider Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act, upon its referral from the House; and

For the Chair and up to 3 Committee members to attend the 2006 Annual Meeting of the National Conference of State Legislatures;

Standing Committee on Public Accounts to attend the 27th Annual Conference of the Canadian Council of Public Accounts Committees;

Standing Committee on Social Policy to consider Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts;

And with the agreement of the Whip of each recognized party, the time allotted for consideration by the committees may be amended;

And that the committees be authorized to release their reports during the Summer Adjournment by depositing a copy of any report with the Clerk of the Assembly, and upon the resumption of the meetings of the House the Chairs of such committees shall bring any such reports before the House in accordance with the Standing Orders.

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act, was carried on the following division:-

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 52, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation concernant l’apprentissage des élèves jusqu’à l’âge de 18 ans et l’apprentissage équivalent et apportant des modifications complémentaires au Code de la route, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR – 52

Arthurs  Colle  Hoy  Meilleur  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Cordiano  Kular  Milloy  Sergio
Bentley  Crozier  Kwinter  Mossop  Smith
Berardinetti  Delaney  Lalone  Peters  Smitherman
Bountrogianni  Dhillon  Leal  Phillips  Sorbara
Bradley  Di Cocco  Levac  Pupatello  Takhar
Broten  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Quadri  Van Bommel
Bryant  Duguid  Matthews  Ramal  Wong
Cansfield  Duncan  McGuinty  Ramsay  Wynne
Caplan  Flynn  McMeekin  Rinaldi  Zimmer
Chambers  Gerretsen

NAYS / CONTRE – 22

Arnott  Horwath  Martel  Prue  Tascona
Barrett  Hudak  Miller  Runciman  Tory
Chudleigh  Kees  Munro  Scott  Witmer
Dunlop  Kormos  Ouellette  Tabuns  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Marchese

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to funding community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to a Portuguese-Canadian long-term care home in Toronto (Sessional Paper No. P-32) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre (Sessional Paper No. P-35) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to directing the City of Greater Sudbury Council to hold a referendum / exiger que le conseil de la Ville du Grand Sudbury tienne un référendum (Sessional Paper No. P-178) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to improving home care and implementing the Caplan Review (Sessional Paper No. P-179) Mr. Ruprecht.


Petition relating to achieving a federal-provincial program to assist in further development of Ontario’s inter-provincial roads (Sessional Paper No. P-209) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to funding the regional FASD diagnostic clinic with two sites in northwestern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-218) Ms. Martel.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act.

The question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading:-

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (Hamilton).
Bill Pr19, An Act to revive Golden Dreams Home and Decor Ltd.
Bill Pr26, An Act respecting Talpiot College.
Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc.

With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the third time and were passed:-

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (Hamilton).
Bill Pr19, An Act to revive Golden Dreams Home and Decor Ltd.
Bill Pr26, An Act respecting Talpiot College.
Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc.

With unanimous consent, the House reverted to "Motions".

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the April 20, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be discharged, and the bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills, and;

That the June 8, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes to the Standing Committee on General Government be discharged, and the bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following committee be authorized to meet during the Summer Adjournment in accordance with the schedule of meeting dates agreed to by the Whips of the recognized parties and tabled with the Clerk of the Assembly to examine and enquire into the following matters:-

**Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills** to consider Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario; and Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes; and

With the agreement of the Whip of each recognized party, the time allotted for consideration by the committee may be amended.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the December 1, 2005, Order of the House referring Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences to the Standing Committee on General Government be discharged and the bill be Ordered for Third Reading.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

The question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took his seat upon the Throne.

The Acting Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:

"May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has, at its present meetings thereof, passed certain bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent."

The Deputy Clerk then read the titles of the bills that had passed as follows:
"The following are the titles of the bills to which Your Honour's assent is prayed:

Bill 104, An Act to establish the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority and to repeal the GO Transit Act, 2001.

Bill 109, An Act to revise the law governing residential tenancies.

Bill 117, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for an Ontario home electricity payment.

Bill 190, An Act to promote good government by amending or repealing certain Acts and by enacting one new Act.

Bill 209, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to the suspension of drivers’ licences.

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting Ronald McDonald House (Hamilton).

Bill Pr19, An Act to revive Golden Dreams Home and Decor Ltd.


Bill Pr26, An Act respecting Talpiot College.

Bill Pr27, An Act respecting Thunder Bay International Airports Authority Inc."

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these bills."

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:15 p.m.
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that the Clerk has received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election:

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF PARKDALE-HIGH PARK – CHERI DINOV
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mr. Claude DesRosiers
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen’s Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mr. DesRosiers:

A Writ of Election dated the Sixteenth day of August, 2006, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and was addressed to Ted Scaldwell, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Parkdale-High Park, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Parkdale-High Park in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Gerard Kennedy who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Parkdale-High Park, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Parkdale-High Park on the Fourteenth day of September, 2006, Cheri DiNovo has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 22nd day of September, 2006, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS
CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER

Toronto, September 22, 2006

Cheri DiNovo, Member for the Electoral District of Parkdale-High Park, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took her seat.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the recess, a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Joe Cordiano as the member for the Electoral District of York-South Weston, effective the 22nd day of September, 2006.

Accordingly, I have issued my warrant to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of a writ for a by-election.
September 25, 2006

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the recess, a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Tony Wong as the member for the Electoral District of Markham, effective the 25th day of September, 2006.

Accordingly, I have issued my warrant to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of a writ for a by-election.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the following Reports of Parliamentary Officers were tabled:-


On August 9, the Special Report of the Ombudsman entitled “It’s All in the Name: Investigation into a complaint of the Family Responsibility Office’s ineffective enforcement using a Writ of Seizure and Sale” (Sessional Paper No. 194).

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated September 5, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 253) (Tabled September 8, 2006).

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a request by the Member for York West (Mr. Sergio) to the Honourable Coulter A. Osborne, Integrity Commissioner, for an opinion pursuant to Section 30(1) of the Members’ Integrity Act, 1994, on whether the Member for Leeds-Grenville (Mr. Runciman) has contravened the Act or Ontario Parliamentary Convention (Sessional Paper No. 244) (Tabled August 28, 2006).

I beg to inform the House that, pursuant to Section 28 of the Auditor General Act, I have today laid upon the Table the audited financial statements of the Office of the Auditor General for the year ended March 31, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. 265) (Tabled September 19, 2006).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Qaadri from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 22, 2006, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on Ambulance Services–Land and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 186) (Tabled July 12, 2006).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 58**

Arthurs  Crozier  Kwinter  Patten  Sandals
Balkissoon  Delaney  Leal  Peters  Sergio
Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Levac  Peterson  Smith
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Phillips  Smitherman
Bountrogianni  Duguid  Matthews  Pupatello  Sorbara
Bradley  Duncan  McNeely  Qaadri  Takhar
Broten  Flynn  Meilleur  Racco  Van Bommel
Bryant  Fonseca  Milloy  Ramal  Watson
Cansfield  Gerretsen  Mitchell  Ramsay  Wilkinson
Caplan  Hoy  Mossop  Rinaldi  Wynne
Chambers  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Ruprecht  Zimmer
Colle  Kular  Parsons

**NAYS / CONTRE - 31**

Arnott  Hardeman  Marchese  O’Toole  Tabuns
Barrett  Horwath  Martel  Ouellette  Tascona
Bisson  Hudak  Martinuk  Prue  Tory
Chudleigh  Kees  Miller  Runciman  Wilson
DiNovo  Kormos  Munro  Scott  Wittner
Dunlop  MacLeod  Murdoch  Sterling  Yakabuski
Elliott

Ordered for Third Reading.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 22, 2006, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on Ambulance Services–Air and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 192) (Tabled July 26, 2006).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.
Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of June 22, 2006, Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee’s Report on Children’s Mental Health Services and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 187) (Tabled July 12, 2006).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 120, An Act to require the Building Code and the Fire Code to provide for fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes.

the title of which is amended to read:-

An Act to deem that the Building Code and the Fire Code require fire detectors, interconnected fire alarms and non-combustible fire escapes.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-
Bill 135, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other portable equipment by novice drivers while driving on a highway. Mr. Flynn.

Bill 136, An Act to amend the Land Titles Act. Mr. Tascona.

Bill 139, An Act to make April 21 Climate Change Awareness Day. Mr. McNeely.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, that notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list for Private Members' Public Business:-

Mr. Tascona and Mr. Murdoch exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Tascona assumes ballot item 48 and Mr. Murdoch assumes ballot item 70;

Ms. Matthews and Mr. Orazietti exchange places in order of precedence such that Ms. Matthews assumes ballot item 51 and Mr. Orazietti assumes ballot item 55; and

That, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot items 47, 48 and 49.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, the Order for Third Reading of Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario shall be called as today’s first Order; and,

That each recognized party be allotted up to 5 minutes to speak on the motion, following which the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of Bill 89; and,

That the Order for Second Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities shall be called as the second Order; and,

That this afternoon’s debate on Bill 130 be considered one full sessional day.

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PETITIONS

Petition relating to removing the present minimum amount of medical expenses from the Income Tax Act (Sessional Paper No. P-69) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to considering a full-service passport office in the City of Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-163) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to implementing a population-based colorectal cancer screening program and funding Oxaliplatin and Avastin (Sessional Paper No. P-171) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to directing the City of Greater Sudbury Council to hold a referendum / exiger que le conseil de la Ville du Grand Sudbury tienne un référendum (Sessional Paper No. P-178) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to passing Bill 89, Kevin & Jared’s Law, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act (Sessional Paper No. P-189) Mr. Jackson.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 130, Loi modifiant diverses lois en ce qui concerne les municipalités.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

À 18 h 5, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

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**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2006**

**ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH DAY**

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**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.

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**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated September 27, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 267).

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petitions relating to passing Bill 57, The Land Rights and Responsibilities Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-126) Mr. Klees, Mr. Martiniuk and Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Milloy.

Petition relating to committee consideration of Bill 38 on Consumer Reporting (Sessional Paper No. P-160) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s efforts to improve access to family doctors and the Family Health Teams Program (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor and Mrs. Elliott.
Petition relating to revising the Landlord / Tenant Act to include mail as a vital service in a rental agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-220) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to committing government support to child nutrition programs (Sessional Paper No. P-221) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Hardeman moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the proposed Provincial-Municipal Fiscal and Service Delivery Review, which will not be completed until February 2008, after the next provincial election, is needlessly drawn out and that a full review to balance the delivery of service with the ability to pay should be completed much more expeditiously, in order to avoid hitting Ontario taxpayers with unsustainable property tax hikes or significant reductions in service.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Tascona then moved, Second Reading of Bill 136, An Act to amend the Land Titles Act.

The question having been put on Mr. Hardeman’s Resolution Number 24, it was carried on the following division:-

ORDRE DU JOUR
Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 50, Loi concernant la réglementation de la profession de praticienne ou de praticien en médecine traditionnelle chinoise et apportant des modifications complémentaires à certaines lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Hardeman propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the proposed Provincial-Municipal Fiscal and Service Delivery Review, which will not be completed until February 2008, after the next provincial election, is needlessly drawn out and that a full review to balance the delivery of service with the ability to pay should be completed much more expeditiously, in order to avoid hitting Ontario taxpayers with unsustainable property tax hikes or significant reductions in service.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Tascona propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 136, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'enregistrement des droits immobiliers.

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 24 de M. Hardeman est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 17

Arnott  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  MacLeod  Ouellette  Sterling
Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Munro  Miller  Prue  Tascona

NAYS / CONTRE - 14

Bradley  Brownell  Delaney  Dhillon  Hoy  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  McNeely  Mitchell  McNeely  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Van Bommel  Wilson

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 136, An Act to amend the Land Titles Act, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 28

Arnott  Bradley  Brownell  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Jeffery  Kormos  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Miller  MacLeod  McNeely  Munro  Ouellette  Patten  Prue  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Scott  Sterling  Tascona  Van Bommel  Wilson

NAYS / CONTRE - 4

Delaney  Dhillon  Hoy  Rinaldi

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Dhillon from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 136, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'enregistrement des droits immobiliers, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 13

Arnott  Bradley  Brownell  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Jeffery  Kormos  Lalonde  Leal  Levac  Miller  MacLeod  McNeely  Munro  Ouellette  Patten  Prue  Rinaldi  Ruprecht  Scott  Sterling  Tascona  Van Bommel  Wilson

NAYS / CONTRE - 5

Delaney  Dhillon  Hoy  Rinaldi

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Dhillon du Comité permanent de la justice présente le rapport du comité et propose l’adoption comme suit:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la législation.

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR – 33

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bartolucci
Bradley
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Brownell
Bryant
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Delaney
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Dombrowsky
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Marsales
Matthews
Milloy
Mitchell
Peters
Phillips
Pupatello
Rinaldi
Ruprecht
Smitherman
Sorbara
Van Bommel
Wilkinson
Wynne
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 21

Arnott
Bisson
Chudleigh
DiNovo
Elliott
Hardeman
Kormos
MacLeod
Martel
Jackson
Munro
Prue
Runciman
Scott
Tabuns
Tascona
Witmer
Yakabuski

Ordered for Third Reading.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the provincial government’s efforts to improve access to family doctors and the Family Health Teams Program (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to request by inmates/patients at the Oak Ridge Division of the Penetanguishene Mental Health Centre for a full and proper investigation into the conduct and actions of the Chief of the Forensic Division (Sessional Paper No. P-223) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to refraining from passing the proposed regulation relating to paralegals as defined in Bill 14 (Sessional Paper No. P-224) Mr. Prue.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators.
After some time, the motion was declared carried
and the Bill was accordingly read the second time
and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on
Finance and Economic Affairs.

M. Caplan propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les
débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée
adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

À 16 h 35, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses
travaux.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH DAY

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday,
October 2, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was
carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54
Arnott                  Delaney                  Klees                   Orazietti               Smith
Balkissoon             DiCocco                   Lalonde                 O'Toole                  Smitherman
Bartolucci             Dombrowsky                Leal                    Ouellette                Sorbara
Bentley                Duguid                   Levac                   Peters                   Sterling
Bradley                Duncan                   Marsales                Phillips                 Van Bommel
Broten                 Dunlop                   Martiniuk               Racco                    Watson
Brownell               Elliott                   Mauro                   Rinaldi                  Wilson
Cansfield              Flynn                    McMeekin                Runciman                 Witmer
Chambers               Fonseca                   McNeely                 Ruprecht                 Wynne
Colle                  Hoy                      Miller                  Sandsals                 Yakabuski
Crozier               Jeffrey                   Milloy                  Scott

NAYS / CONTRE - 7
Bisson                  Kormos                   Martel                  Prue                    Tabuns
DiNovo                  Marchese
During “Oral Questions”, as a result of disruptions, the Speaker ordered part of the West Public Gallery to be cleared.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to stopping public private partnership (P3) hospitals and funding new public hospitals (Sessional Paper No. P-10) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to enacting legislation to curtail the use of cellular telephones by drivers (Sessional Paper No. P-80) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.


Petition relating to implementing a population-based colorectal cancer screening program and funding Oxaliplatin and Avastin (Sessional Paper No. P-171) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to insisting on ceasing free trade discussions or agreeing to fair and equal access to international trade with the Republic of Korea (Sessional Paper No. P-192) Mr. Delaney.


Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to considering an immediate, temporary gas price freeze and fair transparent gasoline pricing by supporting the previous Member’s Bills while international gas prices stabilize (Sessional Paper No. P-208) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Mr. Yakabuski.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 43, Loi visant à protéger les sources existantes et futures d’eau potable et à apporter des modifications complémentaires et autres à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that a vacancy has occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Cam Jackson as member of the electoral district of Burlington effective September 29, 2006.

Accordingly, I have issued my warrant to the Chief Election Officer for the issue of a writ for a by-election.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2005-2006 Annual Report of the Environmental Commissioner of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 270).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.  Hon. Mr. Smitherman.

Bill 141, An Act to establish a yearly target for the patient-to-doctor ratio.  Mr. Martiniuk.

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 140, Loi concernant les foyers de soins de longue durée.  L'hon. M. Smitherman.

Projet de loi 141, Loi établissant un rapport cible annuel entre patients et médecins.  M. Martiniuk.
Bill 142, An Act to require that meetings of provincial and municipal boards, commissions and other public bodies be open to the public. Mr. Craitor.

Projet de loi 142, Loi exigeant que les réunions des commissions et conseils provinciaux et municipaux et d'autres organismes publics soient ouvertes au public. M. Craitor.

**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitution be made to the membership of a Committee:-

On the **Standing Committee on Government Agencies**:-

Ms. DiNovo replaces Mr. Bisson.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list for Private Members' Public Business:-

Ms. DiNovo and Mr. Bisson exchange places in order of precedence such that Ms. DiNovo assumes ballot item 57 and Mr. Bisson assumes ballot item 77.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 3, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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| DiNovo          | Kormos         | Martel           | Prue             | Prue             | Prue             |
PETITIONS

Petition relating to rescinding the Joint Board’s decision approving the applications of Dufferin Aggregates to expand its mining license (Sessional Paper No. P-81) Mr. Flynn.


Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.


Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to amending the Health Protection and Promotion Act to permit serving home-cooked food for fund-raising purposes (Sessional Paper No. P-226) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to providing financial incentives and support for Family Health Networks to solve the shortage of doctors in rural Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-227) Mr. Murdoch.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

CENT CINQUANTE-DEUXIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 43, Loi visant à protéger les sources existantes et futures d’eau potable et à apporter des modifications complémentaires et autres à d’autres lois.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Tabuns,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, June 22 be recognized as Chinese Canadian Head Tax Redress Day to honour the head tax families, Chinese Canadian National Council, Ontario Coalition of Chinese Head Tax Payers and Families, and the entire Chinese Canadian community; their efforts seeking to rectify injustices that resulted from the Head Tax and the Chinese Exclusion Act; and their contributions in making Ontario a more prosperous and inclusive society.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to supporting the JobsNow Program (Sessional Paper No. P-169) Mr. Leal.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Balkissoon, Mr. Delaney and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to leadership in land dispute in Caledonia (Sessional Paper No. P-229) Mr. Barrett.
Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that it has been three years since the Liberals took office;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that shortly after taking office the Liberals and their Premier began breaking their promises;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that ever since the Liberals broke their first promise, they have looked high and low for others to blame;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that the only people to blame for making these promises are the Liberals themselves;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that with one year to go before the next election, the Liberals must begin taking responsibility for the promises that they themselves made;

That the Legislative Assembly recognize that this list of broken promises includes, but is not limited to, the following 50 broken promises:

1 “I won’t raise your taxes”
2 Roll back tolls on the 407
3 Fund medically-necessary health care services (de-listed eye exams, chiropractic care and physiotherapy)
4 Not add to the province’s debt
5 Stop 6,600 houses from being built on the Oak Ridges Moraine
6 Abide by the balanced budget law
7 Cap hydro rates at 4.3¢ per kilowatt hour until 2006
8 Respect MPPs and democracy
9 Allow all non-cabinet MPPs to criticize and vote against government legislation
10 Provide autism treatment beyond age six
11 Reduce auto insurance rates by 10% within 90 days
12 Reduce the use of private consultants
13 Cancel P3 hospitals in Brampton and Ottawa
14 Public inquiry into meat inspection
15 Withdraw government appeal on the Richmond Landfill
16 Make Ontario’s Chief Medical Officer an independent officer of the Legislature
17 Govern with honesty and integrity
18 Provide better mental health care
19 Value and support the public service
20 Divert 60% of municipal garbage to recycling by 2005
21 Close “private” MRI and CT clinics
22 Stop school closings
23 Introduce Status of the Artist legislation
24 Close coal-fired electricity plants by 2007
25 Create tens of thousands of new child care spaces
26 End federal Child Tax Credit “clawback”
27 Build 20,000 new affordable housing units
28 Spend “every penny” of the new health tax on health care
29 Eliminate barriers to foreign-trained professionals within one year
30 Require trades and professions to accept qualified immigrants within one year
Repeal the Tenant Protection Act within one year
Establish a Standing Committee on Education to hold yearly hearings
Hire 8,000 nurses
Provide legal rights to victims of crime
Make the Ministry of Agriculture a lead ministry
Support the province’s cities
Ensure health dollars are spent wisely
Stop the waste of taxpayers’ dollars
Guarantee stable, long-term funding for our rural and northern communities
Operate an open and transparent government
Provide a new funding formula for rural and northern schools
Hard cap of 20 students for early grades
Ensure 75% of students meet or exceed the provincial standard on province-wide tests within first mandate
Tackle gridlock
Give taxpayers better value for money while keeping taxes down
Eliminate mercury emissions from its coal-fired electric power generation plants by 2010 as part of the Canada-Wide Standard (CWS) agreement
Balance the budget every year of their mandate
Put the public interest ahead of special interests
Unclog Emergency Rooms
Give the Ministry of Natural Resources the resources to protect fish and wildlife;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize this government’s endless promise-breaking has left a trail of damage across this province;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario ask the Premier to apologize to the citizens of Ontario for his legacy of broken promises.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 21

Arnot
Barrett
Bisson
Chudleigh
Dunlop
Elliott
Hardeman
Horwath
Hudak
Kormos
MacLeod
Martel
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O’Toole
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NAYS / CONTRE - 48

Arthurs
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Chambers
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Delaney
Di Cocco
Dombrowsky
Duncan
Fonseca
Gerretsen
Hoy
Jeffrey
Kormos
Leal
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Matthews
McNeely
Meilleur
Milloy
Mitchell
Mossop
Orazietti
Patten
Peters
Phillips
Qaadri
Ramal
Ramsay
Rinaldi
Smith
Sorbara
Van Bommel
Wilkinson
Zimmer

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. McNeely moved,

Second Reading of Bill 139, An Act to make April 21 Climate Change Awareness Day.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Ms. Horwath then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 111, An Act to amend the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 with respect to occupational diseases and injuries of firefighters.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 139, An Act to make April 21 Climate Change Awareness Day, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 111, An Act to amend the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 with respect to occupational diseases and injuries of firefighters, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:-

On September 25, 2006, the Member for Leeds-Grenville (Mr. Runciman) rose on a point of order concerning the circumstances surrounding the release of the 2005-2006 Public Accounts during the summer recess. The Member indicated that these circumstances amounted to a contempt of the House because the scrutiny and oversight function of the House and the Standing Committee on Public Accounts -- one of the pillars of the convention of responsible government -- was frustrated by the process surrounding the release of, and briefing on, the Public Accounts on August 24, 2006, a day when the House was not sitting.
The Member for Niagara Centre (Mr. Kormos) and the Minister of Finance (Mr. Sorbara) also spoke to the matter.

Having had an opportunity to review the Hansard for that day, the written submissions of the Member for Leeds-Grenville and of the Minister of Finance, the Standing Orders, and the parliamentary precedents and authorities, I am now ready to rule on the matter.

The Member for Leeds-Grenville argued that:

... the Minister of Finance usurped the role and responsibilities of the broader membership of this Assembly and the membership of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts. Indeed, this instance interferes profoundly with the role of the Legislative Assembly and its officers in a system of responsible government.

Providing access to the Public Accounts to the media first to the exclusion of the elected members of this Assembly and denying elected members the same briefing afforded the media not only was unhelpful; it was a disrespectful offence to the authority and dignity of this House and represents contempt of this Legislature.

That is what the Member for Leeds-Grenville said.

Before considering whether a prima facie case of contempt has been established, I want to say a few words about the orderliness of what happened on August 24, 2006. On that day, the Public Accounts were filed with the Clerk's Office, pursuant to section 13(3) of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics Act, and Standing Order 39(a).

Section 13(3) of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics Act states that the Treasurer has 180 days after the fiscal year-end to submit the Public Accounts to the Lieutenant Governor in Council. (The Act does not empower the House or the Speaker to set the submission date within that 180-day time frame, or to conclude that the government should have selected a different submission date.) Under the Act, if the Assembly is in session on the day that the Public Accounts are ready to be laid before the Assembly, then the Lieutenant Governor in Council lays them before the Assembly; if, however, the Assembly is not in session when the Public Accounts are ready to be laid before the Assembly, then the Lieutenant Governor in Council makes them available to the public and lays them before the Assembly pursuant to a different procedure. In the case at hand, August 24 was not a day on which the House was sitting, but it was in session, and so only the “in session” procedure could be invoked on that day.

But how can the Public Accounts, or any document for that matter, be tabled on a day on which the House is not actually sitting? Standing Order 39 provides the answer to this question. It specifies a mechanism whereby such documents can be tabled, regardless of whether or not the day of tabling is a sitting day. That Standing Order reads as follows:

39. (a) Reports, returns and other documents required to be laid before the House by any Act of the Assembly or under any Standing Order or Resolution of the House, or that any minister wishes to present to the House, may be deposited with the Clerk of the House, whether or not on a Sessional day, and such report, return or other document shall be deemed for all purposes to have been presented to or laid before the House. A record of any such document shall be entered in the Votes and Proceedings on the day it is filed except that where it is filed on a day that is not a Sessional day, it shall be entered in the Votes and Proceedings of the next Sessional day.

(b) The minister concerned shall distribute copies of all reports to all members of the House and copies of any background material to the critics of the recognized Opposition Parties.
Standing Order 39(a), then, provides for the tabling of a document with the Clerk's Office, instead of in the House, and such a tabling is as valid as if it were done in the House. Therefore, when the Public Accounts were filed with the Clerk's Office on August 24, they became sessional paper no. 242, and this was duly noted at page 10 of the Votes and Proceedings for September 25, 2006, the first sessional day after the filing. In other words, the Public Accounts were properly tabled, and nothing was out of order. Indeed, since 1985, there have been five other occasions when the Public Accounts have been tabled pursuant to what is now Standing Order 39(a) on a day on which the House was not sitting; some of these tablings occurred during the summer recess or the intersession period.

It is important to understand the rationale for this Standing Order in the context of the Public Accounts. Standing Order 39(a) provides a mechanism for the government to comply with the Ministry of Treasury and Economics Act, to respect the Assembly’s pre-eminent role in the consideration of the Public Accounts, and to expedite the timely and official dissemination of this important document. Because it implicitly requires the Assembly to receive the Public Accounts officially before they are released to the public, this Standing Order effectively answers the very process concerns that were raised in the case at hand.

The Member for Leeds-Grenville, also made reference to a 2003 ruling (which can be found at pages 44 to 50 of the Journals for May 8, 2003) in which Speaker Carr found that a prima facie case of contempt was established in circumstances where the government presented a Budget document at a time when the Legislature stood prorogued. In both that incident and in the case at hand the events were preceded by the tabling of a financial document pursuant to Standing Order 39(a). That is where the similarity between the two incidents ends. In the 2003 ruling, Speaker Carr ruled: (a) that the government had indicated that the impugned process was motivated by a desire to have a direct conversation with the people of Ontario, (b) that the government appeared to be suggesting that parliamentary institutions and processes were interfering with the government's message to the people, (c) that the government’s statements tended to reflect adversely on parliamentary institutions and processes, and (d) that there was widespread public criticism of the government’s actions. The same cannot be said in the present case.

The process followed for the tabling of the Public Accounts is the same whether or not the House is actually sitting. There is no formal presentation of the document in the House when it is sitting and no expectation of such. The Minister in either case simply submits the requisite number of copies to the Clerk’s Office and ensures their distribution to all Members thereby commencing the scrutiny process.

Turning now to the matter of the media briefing, Speakers have been reluctant to rule that media briefings are a matter of order or privilege. I refer Members to a ruling at page 268 of the Journals for November 17, 1993 when Speaker Warner ruled that no privilege was violated when a government body had not invited a Member to a media event, and that the Speaker has “no authority outside the precinct that would permit him or her to ensure that announcements are made in a certain fashion.” In addition, at page 221 of the Journals for November 6, 2001, Speaker Carr referred to media briefings as an “external apparatus which precedes what occurs in this House.”

While I concur with those rulings, I would also counsel that it is in the best interest of this institution and the citizens that we all serve when the representative function of Members is respected. As a matter of courtesy then, the government should in all cases make every effort to ensure that Members on both sides of the House are adequately briefed and informed.

The Member for Leeds-Grenville also indicated that “[a]ccess to the briefing meant access to the Public Accounts” and “[d]enied access to the briefing meant denied access to the Public Accounts.” However, Members were all provided with copies of the Public Accounts in the manner in which they always receive them at the time of tabling. The release of the Public Accounts during the adjournment does not pre-empt, prevent or impede the usual Public Accounts process. In fact, since the Public Accounts have been tabled earlier than in many previous years, that process can now commence earlier.

For these reasons, I find that a prima facie case of contempt has not been established.
I thank the Member for Leeds-Grenville, the Member for Niagara Centre and the Minister of Finance for their views on this matter. I also thank the Member for Leeds-Grenville and the Minister of Finance for their helpful written submissions.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 144, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act respecting severance for members who resign. Mr. Kormos.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to establishing an evening bus route for the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic School Board (Sessional Paper No. P-20) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to forming a special legislative committee on Pension Reform (Sessional Paper No. P-43) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to refraining from cutbacks or cancellations to the provincial fish hatchery program (Sessional Paper No. P-130) Mr. Levac.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Kular, Mr. Quadri and Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Mr. Kormos.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 145, An Act to proclaim the month of May as Street Safety Awareness Month. Mr. Kular.

Bill 146, An Act to amend the Election Act. Mr. Patten.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made to the membership of certain Committees:-

On the Standing Committee on Government Agencies:-

Mrs. Munro replaces Mr. Hudak

On the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:-

Mr. Hardeman replaces Mrs. Munro, and that

On the Standing Committee on Estimates:-

Mr. Hudak be added.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 10, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 58

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson        Horwath        Marchese        Prue        Tabuns
DiNovo        Kormos         Murdoch

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O'Toole.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Kular, Mr. Leal and Mr. Quadri.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mrs. Elliott.

Petitions relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 124, Loi prévoyant des pratiques d’inscription équitables dans les professions réglementées de l’Ontario.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 43, Loi visant à protéger les sources existantes et futures d’eau potable et à apporter des modifications complémentaires et autres à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.
The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m. À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

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**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2006**

**ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 147, An Act to amend the Education Act. Mr. Patten.

**MOTIONS**

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 11, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 50**

- Arnott
- Arthurs
- Bartolucci
- Bradley
- Cansfield
- Caplan
- Chambers
- Chudleigh
- Colle
- Crozier
- Dhillon
- Di Cocco
- Dombrowsky
- Duguid
- Duncan
- Dunlop
- Elliott
- Fonseca
- Hardeman
- Hoy

**NAYS / CONTRE - 8**

- Bisson
- DiNovo
- Horwath
- Marchese

**PETITIONS**


Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Martiniuk.
Petition relating to high and different gas prices in different areas of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-173) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to making mandatory for the expiration date of prescription drugs to be clearly placed on all bottles and containers (Sessional Paper No. P-181) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petitions relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mrs. Elliott and Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to re-opening the Beamsville Health Card Registration Office (Sessional Paper No. P-231) Mr. Hudak.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 50, Loi concernant la réglementation de la profession de praticienne ou de praticien en médecine traditionnelle chinoise et apportant des modifications complémentaires à certaines lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,
The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts, be deferred until Thursday, October 12, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH DAY

PRAyERS
10:00 A.M.

Ms. Matthews moved,
Second Reading of Bill 133, An Act to amend the Education Act to provide stability for students in transition housing.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Flynn then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 135, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other portable equipment by novice drivers while driving on a highway.

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JEUDI 12 OCTOBRE 2006
CENT CINQUANTE-NEUVIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

Mme Matthews propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 133, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation afin d’offrir une stabilité aux étudiants vivant dans un logement de transition.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Flynn propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 135, Loi modifiant le Code de la route pour interdire aux conducteurs débutants l’utilisation de téléphones et d’autre matériel portatif pendant qu’ils conduisent sur une voie publique.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 133, An Act to amend the Education Act to provide stability for students in transition housing, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 33

Arnott Balkissoon Barrett Bradley Brownell Delaney Dhillon DiNovo Duguid Flynn Fonseca Hardeman Horwath Hoy Kormos Leal Levac Marsales Matthews McNeely McNeely McMeekin

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 135, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act to prohibit the use of phones and other portable equipment by novice drivers while driving on a highway, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 28

Arnott Balkissoon Barrett Brownell Delaney Dhillon Duguid Flynn Fonseca Hardeman Hoy Klees Leal Leal Levac Marsales Matthews McMeekin McNeely

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M. 13 H 30

The House expressed its condolence on the death of Anthony Grande, Member for the Electoral District of Oakwood from September 18, 1975 to July 31, 1987.
DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 42


NAYS / CONTRE - 23


And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.


Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Kular and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to cancelling any plans to increase taxes and holding a referendum if taxes are raised (Sessional Paper No. P-233) Mr. Hudak.
Petition relating to adopting the Assessment Reforms in Bill 75, the Homestead Act (Sessional Paper No. P-234) Mr. Hudak.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Mr. Phillips moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:08 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS
Mr. Bradley moved, That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 16, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 52

ARNOTT  CROZIER  JEFFREY  MITCHELL  RUPRECHT
BALKISOON  DELANEY  KLEES  OT’TOOLE  SERGIO
BARRETT  DI COCCO  KULAR  PARSONS  SMITH
BARTOLOCCI  DOMBROWSKY  KWINTER  PATTEN  SMITHERMAN
BRADLEY  DUGUID  LEVAC  PETERS  SORBARA
BROTEN  DUNCAN  MARSALES  PETERSON  TORY
BROWNELL  DUNLOP  MARTINIUK  PHILLIPS  WATSON
BRYANT  FONSECA  McMEEKIN  RACCO  WYNNE
CANSFIELD  HARDMAN  McNEELY  RINALDI  YAKABUSKI
COLLE  HOY  MILLER  RUNCIMAN  ZIMMER

ORDRE DU JOUR
Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 130, Loi modifiant diverses lois en ce qui concerne les municipalités.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

M. Phillips propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 17 h 08, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

LUNDI 16 OCTOBRE 2006
CENT SOIXANTIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

MOTIONS
M. Bradley propose,

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
Following “Statements by the Ministry and Responses”, with unanimous consent, the House reverted to “Introduction of Bills”.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to directing the City of Greater Sudbury Council to hold a referendum / exiger que le conseil de la Ville du Grand Sudbury tienne un référendum (Sessional Paper No. P-178) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petitions relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Ms. Scott and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m. À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m. À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2006

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of remembrance to pay its respect to Canada’s fallen soldiers.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 149, An Act respecting the improvement of Highway 17, part of the TransCanada Highway. Mr. Orazietti.


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 17, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 60

Arnott  Crozier  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Sergio
Arthurs  Di Cocco  Klees  O’Toole  Smith
Balkissoon  Dombrowsky  Kular  Parsons  Smitherman
Barrett  Duguid  Kwinter  Peters  Sterling
Bentley  Duncan  Leal  Peterson  Takhar
Bradley  Elliott  Levac  Phillips  Tascona
Broten  Flynn  Matthews  Quadri  Tory
Bryant  Fonseca  Mauro  Ramal  Van Bommel
Cansfield  Gerretsen  McNeely  Runciman  Watson
Chambers  Gravelle  Meilleur  Ruprecht  Witmer
Chudleigh  Hardeman  Miller  Sandals  Wynne
Colle  Hoy  Mitchell  Scott  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 9

Bisson  Horwath  Martel  Prue  Yakabuski
DiNovo  Kormos  Murdoch  Tabuns

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.


Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to withdrawing or amending Bill 102 to ensure fairness to patients and pharmacies (Sessional Paper No. P-193) Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Balkissoon, Mr. Leal, and Mr. Ramal.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to the proposed expansion of the Navan Road Landfill site in NDC (Sessional Paper No. P-235) Mr. McNeely.

Petition relating to passing the Long-Term Care Homes Act and regulating Chinese medicine (Sessional Paper No. P-236) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 140, Loi concernant les foyers de soins de longue durée.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill 148, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting the use of seat belts, having been called,

The question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, be deferred until October 18, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.
Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.  
The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:55 p.m.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:--

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated October 18, 2006 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 288).

On motion by Mr. Sorbara, Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts, was introduced and read the first time on the following division:--

AYES / POUR - 47

Balkissoon  Caplan  Jeffrey  Parsons  Sandals
Bartolucci  Colle  Kwinter  Patten  Smith
Bentley  Crozier  Lalonde  Peters  Smitherman
Berardinetti  Delaney  Marsales  Phillips  Sorbara
Bountrogianni  Di Cocco  Matthews  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Bradley  Dombrowsky  McMeekin  Quadri  Watson
Broten  Duguid  Meilleur  Ramal  Wilkinson
Brownell  Duncan  Mitchell  Ramsay  Wynne
Bryant  Fonseca  Orazietti  Ruprecht
Cansfield  Hoy

NAYS / CONTRE - 18

Arnott  Elliott  Martiniuk  O’Ttoole  Wilson
Barrett  Hudak  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Chudleigh  Kees  Munro  Tascona  Yakabuski
Dunlop  MacLeod  Murdoch
MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 55.

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 53

Balkissoon  Colle  Kwinter  Orazietti  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Crozier  Lalonde  Parsons  Sandsals
Bentley  Delaney  Leal  Patten  Smith
Berardinetti  Di Cocco  Marsales  Peters  Smitherman
Bountrogianni  Dombrowsky  Matthews  Peterson  Sorbara
Bradley  Duguid  McGuinty  Phillips  Van Bommel
Broten  Duncan  McMeekein  Papatello  Watson
Brownell  Fonseca  Meilleur  Peterson  Wilkinson
Bryant  Gerretsen  Milloy  Ramal  Wynne
Cansfield  Hoy  Mitchell  Ramsay  Zimmer
Caplan  Jeffrey  Mossop

NAYS / CONTRE - 28

Arnott  Elliott  MacLeod  Murdoch  Tabuns
Barrett  Hampton  Marchese  O’Toole  Tascona
Bisson  Hardeman  Martel  Prue  Wilson
Chudleigh  Hudak  Martinuik  Runciman  Witmer
DiNovo  Kees  Miller  Scott  Yakabuski
Dunlop  Kormos  Munro

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS


Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Leal and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mr. O'Toole.

Petitions relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. DiNovo, Mr. Kormos, and Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2006, having been called,

The question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2006, be deferred until October 19, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, that the debate on Bill 103 this afternoon be considered one full sessional day.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

ORDRE DU JOUR
À l'appel de l'ordre du jour concernant la suite du débat ajourné sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l'accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2006 sur la législation,

La motion mise aux voix, le président par intérim, M. Prue déclare qu'à son avis les voix favorables l'emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

Le Président par intérim donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d'appel se fait entendre.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président par intérim s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2006 sur la législation, soit différé jusqu'au 19 octobre 2006.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Caplan,

Ordonné, que le débat sur le projet de loi 103 cette après-midi soit considéré comme une session complète.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 103, Loi visant à créer le poste de directeur indépendant d’examen de la police et à créer une nouvelle procédure de traitement des plaintes du public en modifiant la Loi sur les services policiers.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.
The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Barrett moved,
Second Reading of Bill 57, An Act to amend the Expropriations Act and the Human Rights Code with respect to land rights and responsibilities.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mrs. Van Bommel then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 143, An Act respecting ground current pollution in Ontario.

At 11:55 a.m., there being no further debate, pursuant to Standing Order 96(e), the Deputy Speaker suspended the proceedings until 12:00 noon.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 57, An Act to amend the Expropriations Act and the Human Rights Code with respect to land rights and responsibilities, it was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 17
Arnott Barrett Bisson Chudleigh DiNovo Hardeman Hudak Klees

MacLeod Miller Munro

Runciman Scott Tascona Yakabuski

Wilson Witmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 27
Brownell Bryant Delaney Dhillon Dombrowsky Duncan

Hoy Kwinter Lalonde Leal Levac Matthews

Milloy Mitchell Mossop Patten Ramal

Ramsay Rinaldi Ruprecht Sandsals Smith

Smitherman Sorbara Van Bommel Wilkinson Zimmer
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 143, An Act respecting ground current pollution in Ontario, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list of Private Members’ Public Business:-

Mr. Kormos, Ms. Martel and Mr. Tabuns exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Kormos assumes ballot item number 74, Ms. Martel assumes ballot item number 59 and Mr. Tabuns assumes ballot item number 64.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 143, Loi concernant la pollution causée par le courant tellurique en Ontario, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la justice.

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RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Hoy du Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 65, Loi concernant les maisons de courtage d’hypothèques, les prêteurs hypothécaires et les administrateurs d’hypothèques.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 152, Loi visant à moderniser diverses lois qui relèvent du ministère des Services gouvernementaux ou qui le touchent. L'hon. M. Phillips.

MOTIONS

VOTES DIFFÉRÉS

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2005 sur la législation, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2005 was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR – 50

Arthurs                    Chambers                    Hoy                        Mossop                        Sergio
Balkissoo                  Colle                        Jeffrey                    Peters                        Smith
Bartolucci                 Delaney                      Kular                       Phillips                      Smitherman
Bentley                    Dhillon                      Kwinter                     Pupatello                     Sorbara
Bountrogianni              Di Cocco                     Lalonde                     Qaadri                         Takhar
Bradley                    Dombrowsky                   Levac                       Racco                          Van Bommel
Broten                     Duguid                       Matthews                   Ramal                          Watson
Brownell                   Duncan                       McMeekin                   Ramsay                         Wilkinson
Bryant                     Fonseca                      Meilleur                    Rinaldi                         Wynne
Cansfield                  Gerretsen                    Milloy                      Sandals                         Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnott                     Hampton                      Kormos                      Runciman                       Tory
Barrett                    Hardeman                     Marchese                    Scott                          Wilson
Chudleigh                  Horwath                      Martel                      Tabuns                         Witmer
DiNovo                     Hudak                        Miller                      Tascona                         Yakabuski
Elliott                    Klees                        Prue                       

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding community agencies to ensure quality support and services to people who have an intellectual disability (Sessional Paper No. P-15) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.


Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Brownell, Mr. Kular, Mr. Ramal and Mr. Rinaldi.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario Pension Benefits Act to give seniors the option of transferring locked-in pension funds into an R.R.S.P. at the age of 55 (Sessional Paper No. P-238) Ms. Horwath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 50, Loi concernant la réglementation de la profession de praticienne ou de praticien en médecine traditionnelle chinoise et apportant des modifications complémentaires à certaines lois.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

Mr. Bryant moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 154, An Act to regulate zoos. Mr. Zimmer.

MOTIONS
Mr. Bradley moved,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 23, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR - 50

Arnott  Di Cocco  Kular  O’Toole  Smith
Balkissoon  Duguid  Levac  Parsons  Smithern
Bartolucci  Duncan  Marsales  Patten  Sorbara
Bentley  Dunlop  Mauro  Peters  Takhar
Bountrogianni  Elliott  McNeely  Phillips  Tory
Bradley  Fonseca  Meilleur  Racco  Watson
Broten  Hardeman  Miller  Ramsay  Wilkinson
Bryant  Hoy  Mitchell  Runciman  Witmer
Caplan  Jeffrey  Miosso  Sandals  Wynne
Crozier  Kees  Munro  Scott  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

DiNovo  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue  Tabuns
Kormos  Martel

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Delaney, Mr. Duguid, Mr. Leal and Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to considering an immediate, temporary gas price freeze and fair transparent gasoline pricing by supporting the previous Member’s Bills while international gas prices stabilize (Sessional Paper No. P-208) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to achieving a federal-provincial program to assist in further development of Ontario’s inter-provincial roads (Sessional Paper No. P-209) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Mr. Kormos and Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

The Deputy Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Administrator had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office on Thursday, October 19, 2006:-

Bill 14, An Act to promote access to justice by amending or repealing various Acts and by enacting the Legislation Act, 2006.

Bill 43, An Act to protect existing and future sources of drinking water and to make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

Le Vice-Président avise l'Assemblée qu'au nom de Sa Majesté la Reine, Son Honneur l'administrateur a eu le plaisir de sanctionner les projets de loi suivants dans son cabinet le jeudi 19 octobre 2006:-

Projet de loi 14, Loi visant à promouvoir l’accès à la justice en modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois et en édictant la Loi de 2006 sur la législation.

Projet de loi 43, Loi visant à protéger les sources existantes et futures d’eau potable et à apporter des modifications complémentaires et autres à d’autres lois.
Bill 51, An Act to amend the Planning Act and the Conservation Land Act and to make related amendments to other Acts.

Bill 89, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 140, Loi concernant les foyers de soins de longue durée.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 103, Loi visant à créer le poste de directeur indépendant d'examen de la police et à créer une nouvelle procédure de traitement des plaintes du public en modifiant la Loi sur les services policiers.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la justice.

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.
The House then adjourned at 7:10 p.m. À 19 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2006**
**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**
1:30 P.M.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**
On motion by Mrs. Bountrogianni, Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system, was introduced and read the first time on the following division:-

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The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-


**MOTIONS**

On motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting time, the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly be authorized to meet in the morning of Thursday, October 26, 2006 for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.
PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.

Petitions relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Ouellette and Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Gravelle, Mr. Kular and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. DiNovo.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to establishing a public inquiry at the City of Vaughan (Sessional Paper No. P-239) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to Green Lane landfill and First Nation (Sessional Paper No. P-240) Mr. Bisson.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MERCREDI 25 OCTOBRE 2006

CENT SOIXANTE-NEUVIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES

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The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the Report of the Integrity Commissioner, the Honourable Coulter A. Osborne, responding to the request of the Member for York West concerning Mr. Robert Runciman, MPP, Member for Leeds-Grenville (Sessional Paper No. 310).
MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley, Sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That, the Standing Committee on Social Policy be authorized to meet at the call of the Chair on Monday, October 30 and Tuesday, October 31, 2006 for the purpose of considering Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, October 25, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54

Arnott Caplan Jeffrey Munro Smith
Balkissoon Chambers Kees Orazetti Smitherman
Barrett Colle Kwinter O’Toole Sorbara
Bartolucci Crozier Levac Patten Takhar
Bentley Delaney Matthews Peters Van Bommel
Bountrogianni Di Cocco McMeekin Peterson Watson
Bradley Dombrowsky McNeely Phillips Wilkinson
Broten Duguid Meilleur Ramal Wilson
Brownell Duncan Miller Rinaldi Witmer
Bryant Fonseca Milloy Runciman Wynne
Cansfield Gerretsen Mitchell Sergio

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson Horwath Marchese Prue Tabuns
DiNovo Kormos Martel

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.


Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Berardinetti, Mr. Delaney, and Mr. Qaadri.


Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Horwath.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 69, Loi permettant l'échange de renseignements sur les organismes réglementés afin de rendre plus efficaces l’application et l’exécution de la législation de nature réglementaire et apportant des modifications corrélatives à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

CENT SOIXANTE-DIXIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 28, Loi exigeant le prélèvement et l’analyse d’échantillons de sang afin de protéger les victimes d’actes criminels, le personnel des services d’urgence, les bons samaritains et d’autres personnes et apportant des modifications corrélatives à la Loi de 1996 sur le consentement aux soins de santé et à la Loi sur la protection et la promotion de la santé.

Après quelque temps, la motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi privés.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act.

After some time, the question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

À 18 h 45, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Orazietti moved,
Second Reading of Bill 149, An Act respecting the improvement of Highway 17, part of the TransCanada Highway.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Patten then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 146, An Act to amend the Election Act.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 149, An Act respecting the improvement of Highway 17, part of the TransCanada Highway, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 146, An Act to amend the Election Act, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Ms. Wynne,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Thursday, November 2, 2006, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 14, 2006.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to expanding subway service to Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-55) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to the Spring bear hunt in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-145) Ms. Scott.

JEUDI 26 OCTOBRE 2006
CENT SOIXANTE ET ONZIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Orazietti propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 149, Loi ayant trait à l'amélioration de la route 17, qui fait partie de l'autoroute transcanadienne.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu'à midi.

Ensuite, M. Patten propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 146, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 149, Loi ayant trait à l'amélioration de la route 17, qui fait partie de l'autoroute transcanadienne, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 146, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des comptes publics.

13 H 30

MOTIONS

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de Mme Wynne,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Thursday, November 2, 2006, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 14, 2006.

PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to expanding subway service to Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-55) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to the Spring bear hunt in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-145) Ms. Scott.
Petition relating to proclaiming the month of May as “Better Speech, Language and Hearing Month” (Sessional Paper No. P-172) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Arthurs and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mrs. Elliott.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to the proposed expansion of the Navan Road Landfill site in NDC (Sessional Paper No. P-235) Mr. McNeely.

Petition relating to instructing the Thames Valley District School Board to adjust boundaries (Sessional Paper No. P-242) Mrs. Van Bommel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND DAY

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, October 30, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 51

Arnett  Caplan  Hardeman  Miller  Ruprecht
Arthurs  Colle  Hoy  Munro  Sandals
Balkissoon  Crozier  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Smitherman
Bartolucci  Delaney  Kular  O’Toole  Sorbara
Bentley  Dhillon  Kwinter  Parsons  Tascona
Bountrogianni  Di Cocco  Leal  Peters  Van Bommel
Bradley  Dombrowsky  Levac  Phillips  Watson
Broten  Duguid  Marsales  Racco  Wilson
Brownell  Elliott  Matthews  Ramal  Witmer
Bryant  Flynn  McNeely  Rinaldi  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

DiNovo  Kormos  Murdoch  Tabuns  Yakabusi
Horwath  Marchese  Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Berardinetti, Mr. Ruprecht, and Mr. Zimmer.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Mr. Yakabusi.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Ms. DiNovo, Mr. Marchese, and Mr. Prue.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2006

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mrs. Jeffrey from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 148, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting the use of seat belts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

CENT SOIXANTE-TREIZIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 152, Loi visant à moderniser diverses lois qui relèvent du ministère des Services gouvernementaux ou qui le touchent.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

MARDI 31 OCTOBRE 2006

REPORTS DES COMITÉS

Mme Jeffrey du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 148, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui concerne le port de la ceinture de sécurité.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.
MOTIONS

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 31, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 59

Arnott  Chambers  Hoy  Milloy  Ruprecht
Arthurs  Colle  Hudak  Mitchell  Sands
Balkissoon  Crozier  Jeffrey  Munro  Scott
Barrett  Delaney  Klees  Orazietti  Smith
Bartolucci  Dhillon  Kular  Patten  Sorbara
Bentley  Di Cocco  Levac  Peters  Tory
Bradley  Dombrowsky  Martiniuk  Phillips  Van Bommel
Broten  Duguid  Matthews  Pupatello  Watson
Brownell  Flynn  Mauro  Quadri  Witmer
Bryant  Fonseca  McNeely  Racco  Wynne
Cansfield  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Ramal  Zimmer
Caplan  Hardeman  Miller  Rinaldi

NAYS / CONTRE - 14

Bisson  Elliott  Marchese  O’Toole  Tabuns
Chudleigh  Horwath  Martel  Ouellette  Yakabuski
DiNovo  Kormos  Murdoch  Prue

PETITIONS

Petition relating to expanding subway service to Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-55) Mr. Berardinetti.


Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Ms. MacLeod and Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Barrett.

Petitions relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Barrett and Ms. MacLeod.


Petitions relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mr. Miller and Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 151, Loi édictant diverses mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2006 et édictant, modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 77(b), the Order for Third Reading of Bill 148, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting the use of seat belts, may be called today.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 148, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting the use of seat belts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

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CENT SOIXANTE-QUINZIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordre, Que malgré l'article 77(b) du Règlement, l'Ordre de troisième lecture du projet de loi 148, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui concerne le port de la ceinture de sécurité, soit appelé aujourd'hui.

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 148, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui concerne le port de la ceinture de sécurité.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 19 h 23, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
Wednesday, November 1, 2006

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

Bill 157, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act with respect to salaries in lieu of retirement credits. Mr. Runciman.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 1, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 55

Arnott    Cansfield    Hardeman    McMeekin    Phillips
Arthurs   Caplan       Hoy        McNeely     Pupatello
Balkissoon Chambers    Jeffrey     Miller      Ruprecht
Barrett   Chudleigh    Klees       Milloy      Tascona
Bartolucci Colle        Kular       Mossop      Tory
Bentley   Craitor      Kwinter     Munro       Van Bommel
Bonitrogianni Crozier    Leal        O’Toole     Watson
Bradley   Delaney      Marsales    Orazietti   Wilkins
Broten    Di Cocco     Martiniuk   Parsons     Wilson
Brownell  Dombrowsky  Matthews    Patten      Wynne
Bryant    Duguid       Mauro       Peters      Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 10

Bisson    Horwath      Marchese    Murdoch     Tabuns
DiNovo    Kormos       Martel      Prue         Yakabuski

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Chudleigh and Mr. Murdoch.
Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Kular, Mr. Leal, Mr. Qaadri and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. MacLeod.

Petitions relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Mr. Bisson and Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to guaranteeing affordable access to medication for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-243) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to the commitment of the McGuinty Government to the health care system (Sessional Paper No. P-244) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Tory moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the government should spend every single taxpayer dollar wisely and with respect for the taxpayers;

That, in the opinion of this House, some examples of reckless government spending include:

- $6 million to remove the “C” from OLGC;
- $219,000 to redesign the Ontario Trillium logo;
- $20 million to quietly give raises to appointees to government agencies and boards;
- $2 million for an inaccurate, partisan advertisement about health care;
- $91 million to fire nurses;
- $90 million to close or consolidate community care access centres;
- $16 million for Dalton McGuinty’s “I won’t raise your taxes” Liberal ad agency;
- $2 million for LHIN office furniture and design; and
- $55 million (at least) on Caledonia.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 13

Arnott MacLeod Munro Runciman Tory
Chudleigh Martinuk Murdoch Scott Yakabuski
Hudak Miller O’Toole

NAYS / CONTRE - 48

Arthurs Caplan Hoy Milloy Ramsay
Balkissoon Colle Jeffrey Mitchell Rinaldi
Bartolucci Craitor Leal Mossop Ruprecht
Bentley Crozier Levac Orazietti Sergio
Berardinetti Delaney Marsales Patten Smith
NAYS / CONTRE - continued

Bradley  Di Cocco  Matthews  Peters  Van Bommel
Broten  Dombrowsky  Mauro  Phillips  Watson
Brownell  Duguid  McMeekin  Quadri  Wynne
Bryant  Flynn  McNeely  Ramal  Zimmer
Cansfield  Gerretsen  Meilleur

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.  À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

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ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.  À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2006

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Ms. DiNovo moved,
A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.
Mr. Kular then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 145, An Act to proclaim the month of May as Street Safety Awareness Month.

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JEUDI 2 NOVEMBRE 2006

CENT SOIXANTE-DIX-SEPTIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES

10 H

Mme DiNovo propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 150, Loi modifiant la Loi de 2000 sur les normes d'emploi.
À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu'à midi.

Ensuite, M. Kular propose,
Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 145, Loi proclamant le mois de mai Mois de la sensibilisation à la sécurité dans les rues.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 150, An Act to amend the Employment Standards Act, 2000, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 145, An Act to proclaim the month of May as Street Safety Awareness Month, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

1:30 P.M. 13 H 30

Mr. Sorbara delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

JAMES K. BARTLEMAN

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 2nd November 2006

(Sessional Paper No. 315, Citizenship and Immigration (Supplementaries only), Finance (Supplementaries only)).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 61(a).

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:-

Yesterday, the Member for Leeds—Grenville (Mr. Runciman) introduced Bill 157, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act with respect to salaries in lieu of retirement credits.

Upon reviewing the Bill, I have determined that it would cause an expenditure of public money out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, contrary to Standing Order 56.

Accordingly, I have directed that the Bill not be printed, and that it be deleted from the Orders and Notices Paper.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be authorized to meet outside its normal meeting times for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code; and

That, the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills be authorized to meet outside its normal meeting times for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

Following remarks by Mr. Bradley, Mr. Tory, and Mr. Hampton in respect of Remembrance Day, the House observed a moment of silence.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the table a letter of resignation from Claude DesRosiers, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly (Sessional Paper No. 316).

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.
At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bill in his office:-

Bill 148, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting the use of seat belts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Delaney from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning and to make complementary amendments to the Highway Traffic Act.
the title of which is amended to read:

“An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning”.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:

**AYES / POUR - 42**

| Balkissoon | Colle | Jeffrey | Mitchell | Sandals |
| Bartolucci | Crozier | Kular | Mossop | Sergio |
| Bentley | Delaney | Kwinter | Parsons | Smith |
| Bradley | Dhillon | Leal | Peters | Smitherman |
| Broten | Di Cocco | Levac | Phillips | Van Bommel |
| Brownell | Duguid | Matthews | Quadri | Watson |
| Bryant | Duncan | McNeely | Racco | Wynne |
| Caplan | Flynn | Milloy | Ruprecht | Zimmer |

**NAYS / CONTRE - 24**

| Arnott | Dunlop | Klees | O’Toole | Tascona |
| Barrett | Elliott | Kormos | Ouellette | Tory |
| Bisson | Hardeman | MacLeod | Prue | Witmer |
| Chudleigh | Horwath | Marchese | Runciman | Yakabuski |
| DiNovo | Hudak | Miller | Tabuns | |

Ordered for Third Reading. Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

Mr. Hudak from the Standing Committee on Estimates presented the Committee’s report as follows:

Pursuant to Standing Order 61(c), the following Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) are reported back to the House as they were not selected by the Committee for consideration and are deemed to be received and concurred in:

**MINISTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION**

| 606 | Citizenship and Immigration Capital | $ | 1,000 |

**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following substitution be made to the membership of a certain Committee:

On the **Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills**:

Mr. Delaney be added.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs be authorized to meet from January 22, 2007 to January 25, 2007 and January 29, 2007 to February 1, 2007 and February 22 and February 23, 2007 for the purpose of Pre-Budget Consultations.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following changes be made to the ballot list for Private Members' Public Business:-

Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Miller exchange places in the order of precedence such that Mr. Miller assumes ballot item number 60 and Mr. Ouellette assumes ballot item number 75; and

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 60 and ballot item 62.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 14, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 66

Arnott  Delaney  Kular  O’Toole  Sergio
  Balkissoon  Dhillon  Kwinter  Ouellette  Smith
  Barrett  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Parsons  Smitherman
  Bartolucci  Duguid  Leal  Peters  Takhar
  Bentley  Duncan  Levac  Phillips  Tascona
  Bradley  Elliott  Matthews  Pupatello  Tory
  Broten  Flynn  Mauro  Quadri  Van Bommel
  Brownell  Gravelle  McNeely  Racco  Watson
  Bryant  Hardeman  Meilleur  Ramal  Wilkinson
  Caplan  Hoy  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
  Chambers  Hudak  Milloy  Ruprecht  Wynne
  Chudleigh  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Sandals  Yakabuski
  Colle  Kees  Mossop  Scott  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 7

Bisson  Horwath  Marchese  Prue  Tabuns
  DiNovo  Kormos

With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the tragic death of Constable David Mounsey from the Huron County Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police.

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.
Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to Section 23 of the Planning and Conservation Land Statute Law Amendment Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-245) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petition relating to extending the disabled person parking permit program (Sessional Paper No. P-246) Mr. O'Toole.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 69, Loi permettant l'échange de renseignements sur les organismes réglementés afin de rendre plus efficaces l’application et l’exécution de la législation de nature réglementaire et apportant des modifications corrélatives à d’autres lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

One Hundred and Eightieth Day

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts, when Bill 151 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs; and

That no deferral of the Second Reading vote shall be permitted; and
That, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs meet on Thursday, November 23, 2006 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and following Routine Proceedings for the purpose of public hearings and clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 151; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 noon on November 23, 2006. On that day, at not later than 5:00 p.m. those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Monday, November 27, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the Order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties; and

That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That the vote on Third Reading may be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to 10 minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

Ayes / Pour - 28

Bentley  Delaney  Lalonde  Qaadri  Sorbara
Bradley  Dhillon  Leal  Racco  Van Bommel
Brownell  Duguid  Levac  Sandals  Wilkinson
Caplan  Flynn  Matthews  Sergio  Wynne
Chambers  Jeffrey  McNeely  Smith  Zimmer
Crozier  Kular  Patten

Nays / Contre - 7

Barrett  Kormos  Miller  O’Toole  Yakabuski
DiNovo  MacLeod

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.  À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST DAY

PRIÈRES
1:30 P.M.

RAPPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on Charitable Gaming and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 319).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Leal from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 15, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. O’Toole.

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Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Crozier, Mr. Leal, Mr. McNeely and Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education / arrêter les hausses des frais de scolarité et améliorer l’accès et la qualité de l’éducation (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Mr. Bisson and Mr. Prue.


ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on November 14, 2006, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 51
NAYS / CONTRE - 25

Barrett  Elliott  MacLeod  O’Toole  Tabuns
Bisson  Hardeman  Marchese  Prue  Tory
Chudleigh  Hudak  Miller  Runciman  Wilson
DiNovo  Kees  Munro  Scott  Witmer
Dunlop  Kormos  Murdoch  Sterling  Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.


After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Deputy Speaker declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

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CENT QUATRE-VINGT-DEUXIÈME JOUR

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 152, Loi visant à moderniser diverses lois qui relèvent du ministère des Services gouvernementaux ou qui le touchent.

Après quelque temps, comme il n’y a plus de débat, la motion mise aux voix, le Vice-Président déclare qu’à son avis les voix favorables l’emportent et un vote par appel nominal ayant été demandé,

Le Vice-Président donne des directives pour convoquer les députés et la sonnerie d’appel se fait entendre.
During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services, be deferred until Thursday, November 16, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD DAY

Ms. Martel moved, Second Reading of Bill 30, An Act to reduce the incidence of needlestick injuries.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Miller then moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of the Environment must confirm that the region impacted by the Green Lane landfill purchase is a 'willing host', and that the Government of Ontario must guarantee that the landfill will not be in operation after the current scheduled closing date of 2018, and that the City of Toronto, acting as a 'good neighbour', must develop a comprehensive plan to ensure that the necessary policies and technologies are adopted and in place, so that as of January 1st, 2012, the City of Toronto will no longer dispose of any waste at the Green Lane landfill site.
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 30, An Act to reduce the incidence of needlestick injuries, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

The question having been put on Mr. Miller’s Resolution Number 31, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 22

Arnott
Barrett
Brownell
Chudleigh
Elliott
Hardeman
Mitchell
Leal
McMeekin
McNeely
Miller
Runciman
Leclaire
Munro
Ouellette
Ruprecht
Scott
Tascona
Wilson
Yakabuski
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 3

Delaney
Levac
Marsales

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hudak from the Standing Committee on Estimates reported the following Resolutions:-

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the following ministries and offices be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007:-

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

1001 Ministry Administration $ 24,260,900
1002 Elementary and Secondary Education 11,616,299,400
1003 Community Services I & IT Cluster 1,000

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

701 Ministry Administration $ 34,749,300
702 Adults’ Services 7,010,820,700

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

1201 Ministry Administration $ 139,502,900
1202 Tax Policy, Budget and Revenue Operations 540,035,400
1203 Economic, Fiscal, and Financial Policy 2,947,380,800
(including supplementaries)
1204 Financial Services Industry Regulation 501,000
1206 Central Agencies Information and Information Technology Cluster 1,000
1207 Results Office 3,117,200
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MINISTRY OF PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL

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Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on Child Care Activity and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 320).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 53
Bartolucci Bentley Bountrogianni Bradley Broten Brownell Bryant Cansfield Caplan Chambers Colle
Crozier Delaney Dhillon Dombrowsky Duguid Duncan Gerretsen Kornos Kular Kwinter
Levac Marsales Martel McGuinty McMeekin McNeely Meilleur Milloy Mitchell Morsop Meilleur
Parsons Peters Peterson Phillips Prue Pupatello Qaadri Racco Ramal Ramsay
Ruprecht Sandals Smith Smitherman Tabuns Takhar Watson Wilkinson Wynne Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 12
Chudleigh Elliott Hardeman Hudak Miller Munro
Ouellette Runciman Wilson Tascona Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

PETITIONS
Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to funding the regional FASD diagnostic clinic with two sites in northwestern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-218) Mr. Hampton.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to Section 23 of the Planning and Conservation Land Statute Law Amendment Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-245) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Ms. Scott.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2006

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, it was agreed that the following motion be moved without notice, that the question on this motion be put forthwith and without amendment or debate, and that if a recorded vote is requested by 5 members, the division bell shall be limited to 5 minutes.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, November 20, 2006; Tuesday, November 21, 2006; and Wednesday, November 22, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business; and

That at 9:30 p.m. on each of these days, the Speaker shall adjourn the House without motion until the next Sessional Day.
November 20, 2006

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

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With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 64.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Balkissoon, Mr. Brownell and Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Mr. Marchese.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system.

**ORDRE DU JOUR**

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 155, Loi prévoyant un référendum sur le système électoral de l’Ontario.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

ORDERS OF THE DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDRE DU JOUR

18 H 45

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY

PRAyERS

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

MARDI 21 NOVEMBRE 2006

CENT QUATRE-VINGT-SIXIÈME JOUR

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, the time for the debate on the motion relating to the Report of the Integrity Commissioner be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties in the House and;

That, at 6:00 p.m., the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and shall without further debate or amendment put every question necessary to dispose of the motion and any amendments thereto and;

That, in the case of any division required, the division bell shall be limited to 10 minutes, the Members called in once and all divisions taken in succession.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Brownell, Mr. Delaney, Mr. Leal and Mr. Zimmer.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to protecting and enhancing the learning environment of Ontario’s students (Sessional Paper No. P-249) Mr. Berardinetti.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved,

That, the Legislative Assembly accept the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated October 25, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-
And it was resolved, That, the Legislative Assembly accept the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated October 25, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

The House then adjourned at 6:11 p.m. À 18 h 11, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mrs. Dombrowsky moved,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code, that the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be authorized to meet from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and after Routine Proceedings on Wednesday November 29, 2006 to consider and complete clause-by-clause consideration of the bill; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be noon on Wednesday November 29, 2006. On November 29, 2006, at no later than 5:00 p.m., those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill and any amendments thereto. The committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Thursday November 30, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

AND IT WAS RESOLVED, THAT, the Legislative Assembly accept the Report of the Integrity Commissioner dated October 25, 2006 and approve the recommendation contained therein.

The House then adjourned at 6:11 p.m. À 18 h 11, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than Thursday November 30, 2006. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and
That upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Justice Policy, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading, which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the Order for Third Reading of the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m., as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties; and

That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That the vote on Third Reading may be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to 10 minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 36


NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Barrett  Bisson  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  Hampton  Hardeman  Horwath  Kees  Kormos  MacLeod  Marchese  Martel  Martinuk  Martinek  Murdoch  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Yakabuski

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.  À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

Projet de loi 162, Loi modifiant la Loi de 1997 sur la sécurité professionnelle et l’assurance contre les accidents du travail. Mme Horwath.

MOTIONS

Notwithstanding Standing Order 53, with unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), Mr. Tory and Mr. Murdoch exchange places in the order of precedence for Private Members’ Public Business such that Mr. Murdoch assumes ballot item number 65 and Mr. Tory assumes ballot item number 70; and

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), the requirement for notice be waived with respect to ballot item number 65.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of IBI and an ABA education program in the school system (Sessional Paper No. P-9) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Crozier.


Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to not passing Bill 43 (The Clean Water Act) until proper funding and amendments are in place (Sessional Paper No. P-222) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, an Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to enacting measures to protect homeowners from having their homes stolen as contained in Bill 136, Restore The Deed Act (Sessional Paper No. P-251) Mr. O'Toole.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Hampton moved, M. Hampton propose,

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that manufacturing and resource jobs have formed the economic foundation of prosperity and economic security for Ontario’s working families for more than a century;

That failed provincial policies are causing that foundation to crumble;

That those failed policies have led to a recession in Ontario’s manufacturing and forestry sectors and caused great hardship for Ontario’s working families;
That decisive action must be taken now to keep good-paying manufacturing and forestry jobs in Ontario; and

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario call upon the Ontario government to take immediate action to sustain jobs by providing greater institutional support to manufacturing and resource workers whose workplaces are threatened, starting with a reasonable hydro policy that can sustain jobs and the creation of a Job Protection Commissioner for Ontario – as recommended by the NDP Job Protection Act.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

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The House then adjourned at 6:05 p.m.

**ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINTH DAY**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 158, An Act to revise legislation relating to the public service of Ontario by repealing the Public Service Act, enacting the Public Service of Ontario Act, 2006 and the Ontario Provincial Police Collective Bargaining Act, 2006 and making complementary amendments to various Acts and by amending various Acts in respect of the successor rights of certain public servants.

After some time, Mr. Barrett moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-
AYES - 2  NAYS - 21
The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Barrett moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 4  NAYS - 22
The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:26 p.m.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND NINTIETH DAY

Mrs. Witmer moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should commit to a plan of action to invest in an effective capital renewal program for Ontario’s 35,000 older LTC beds (structurally classified as B and C beds) so that they meet the 1998 design standards and so that all residents can have a home to live in with the comfort and dignity they deserve.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Dunlop then moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the provincial government must:

Recognize that the County of Simcoe and the cities of Barrie and Orillia offer a superior environment and quality of life for families to live and work;

Recognize that Lake Simcoe has been an integral part of the heritage and culture of the region and that the lake generates approximately $250 million per year in economic benefit;

Recognize the development pressures that the Oak Ridges Moraine and Greenbelt legislation and Places to Grow Act have placed on the Lake Simcoe watershed;

Recognize that the protection and improvement of water quality in Lake Simcoe must be a government priority;

Recognize that the Intergovernmental Action Plan will require substantial provincial investment in infrastructure to accommodate the anticipated growth of approximately 250,000 citizens over the next 25 years;

Provide the means for adequate funding to accommodate the approved growth in the Lake Simcoe watershed;

A YES - 4  NAYS - 22
Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Barrett propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

JEU D 23 NOVEMBRE 2006
CENT QUATRE-VINGT-DIXIÈME JOUR

Mme Witmer propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should commit to a plan of action to invest in an effective capital renewal program for Ontario’s 35,000 older LTC beds (structurally classified as B and C beds) so that they meet the 1998 design standards and so that all residents can have a home to live in with the comfort and dignity they deserve.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Dunlop propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the provincial government must:

Reconnaitre que le Comté de Simcoe et les villes de Barrie et Orillia offrent un environnement et une qualité de vie supérieurs pour les familles à vivre et à travailler;

Reconnaitre que le lac Simcoe a été une partie intégrante de l'héritage et de la culture de la région et que le lac génère approximativement 250 millions de dollars par année en bénéfice économique;

Reconnaitre les pressions de développement que les législations Moraine des Collines d’Oak Ridges et Greenbelt et les Actes de Lieux à Croissance ont placés sur le bassin hydrographique du lac Simcoe;

Reconnaitre que la protection et l’amélioration de la qualité de l’eau dans le lac Simcoe doivent être une priorité gouvernementale;

Reconnaitre que le Plan d’Action Intergouvernemental nécessitera un investissement provincial substantiel dans l’infrastructure pour répondre à la croissance attendue d’environ 250 000 citoyens au cours des 25 prochaines années;

Fournir les moyens pour un financement suffisant pour accommoder la croissance approuvée dans le bassin hydrographique du lac Simcoe;
Recognize the research and reports by various stakeholder groups that have worked tirelessly to promote the need for water quality protection and improvement of the Lake Simcoe watersheds; and

Ensure that any future development must go hand in hand with comprehensive watershed planning and funded protection of the Lake Simcoe and Nottawasaga watersheds.

At 11:50 a.m., there being no further debate, pursuant to Standing Order 96(e), the Deputy Speaker suspended the proceedings until 12:00 noon.

The question having been put on Mrs. Witmer’s Resolution Number 27, it was carried on the following division:-

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The question having been put on Mr. Dunlop’s Resolution Number 29, it was carried on the following division:-

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1:30 P.M.  
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 163, An Act to provide for the direct election of the Niagara Regional Council chair. Mr. Hudak.

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DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 163, Loi prévoyant l’élection au scrutin général du président du conseil régional de Niagara. M. Hudak.


**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills be authorized to meet on Wednesday, December 6, 2006 from 3:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of conducting clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Kular and Mr. Wilkinson.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to enacting measures to protect homeowners from having their homes stolen as contained in Bill 136, Restore The Deed Act (Sessional Paper No. P-251) Mr. Tascona.


With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan, Ordered, That for the purposes of this afternoon’s debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 50, up to 50 minutes be allotted to each recognized party, and that when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the Bill; and that the Speaker shall then adjourn the House without question put.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

Pursuant to the Order of the House dated Tuesday, November 14, 2006, the Bill is Ordered for Third Reading.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following changes, to become effective on December 4, 2006, be made to the membership of the following committees:-

On the Standing Committee on Estimates:-
Mr. Craitor replaces Mr. Arthurs
Mrs. Jeffrey replaces Mr. Wilkinson

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2006
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RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Hoy du Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 151, Loi édictant diverses mesures énoncées dans le Budget de 2006 et édictant, modifiant ou abrogeant diverses lois.

Conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le mardi 14 novembre 2006, le projet de loi est ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

MOTIONS

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following changes, to become effective on December 4, 2006, be made to the membership of the following committees:-

On the Standing Committee on Estimates:-
Mr. Craitor replaces Mr. Arthurs
Mrs. Jeffrey replaces Mr. Wilkinson
On the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs:—
Ms. Matthews replaces Mrs. Sandals

On the Standing Committee on General Government:—
Mr. Dhillon replaces Mrs. Jeffrey
Mr. Peterson replaces Mr. Lalonde

On the Standing Committee on Government Agencies:—
Mr. Duguid replaces Mr. Parsons
Mrs. Mitchell replaces Mr. Wilkinson

On the Standing Committee on Justice Policy:—
Mr. Qaadri replaces Mr. Dhillon
Mr. Zimmer replaces Mr. McMeekin

On the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly:—
Mrs. Jeffrey replaces Mr. Delaney
Mr. Qaadri replaces Mr. Sergio

On the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:—
Mr. Arthurs replaces Ms. Matthews
Mrs. Sandals replaces Mr. Mauro
Ms. Smith replaces Mr. Zimmer

On the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:—
Mr. Leal replaces Mr. Craitor
Mr. Rinaldi replaces Mr. Ramal

On the Standing Committee on Social Policy:—
Mr. Mauro replaces Mr. Qaadri
Mr. Parsons replaces Ms. Wynne

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, November 27, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:—

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Dunlop  Martel  Ouellette  Tabuns

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petitions relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Delaney.


Petitions relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. Chudleigh, Ms. Horwath, Ms. Martel, Mr. Prue, Mr. Tabuns and Mrs. Witmer.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That for the purposes of this afternoon’s debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 65, up to 43 minutes be allotted to each recognized party, and that when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the Bill; and

That the Speaker shall then adjourn the House without question put.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.  À 17 h 55, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 158, An Act to revise legislation relating to the public service of Ontario by repealing the Public Service Act, enacting the Public Service of Ontario Act, 2006 and the Ontario Provincial Police Collective Bargaining Act, 2006 and making complementary amendments to various Acts and by amending various Acts in respect of the successor rights of certain public servants.

After some time, Mr. Tascona moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 7  NAYS - 22

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Tascona moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 8  NAYS - 22

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2006

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 28, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Bradley  Brownell  Cansfield  Caplan  Colle  Crosser
Kular  Delaney  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Fonseca  Gravelle  Hoy  Jeffrey  Kular
Kwinter  Leal  Levac  Marsales  Matthews  Mauro  McMeekin  McNeely  Mitchell  Sergio
Orazietti  Patten  Peters  Phillips  Papatello  Quadri  Racco  Ramal

NAYS / CONTRE - 22

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  Hardeman  Horwath  Kormos  Marchese
Martel  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  O’Toole  Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Tabuns  Tascona

PETITIONS

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Crozier.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Mauro.


Petition relating to enacting measures to protect homeowners from having their homes stolen as contained in Bill 136, Restore The Deed Act (Sessional Paper No. P-251) Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. McMeekin and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.
Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-256) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, an alarming number of murders and other violent crimes are alleged to be committed by people who were out on bail for crimes previously alleged to be committed;

That, in the opinion of this House, the government should adopt a policy to direct Crown Attorneys to oppose the making of all orders for bail for violent crimes;

That, in the opinion of this House, the government should seek a review of all orders granting bail for charges involving violent crimes;

That, in the opinion of this House, the issue of crimes alleged to be committed by people already out on bail is of increasing concern to the people of Ontario;

That, in the opinion of this House, the lack of statistics relating to bail orders and court proceedings prevents the public from obtaining an accurate picture of the functioning of the justice system; and

That, in the opinion of this House, the government should begin providing more detailed information about the justice system in order to ensure Ontarians have an accurate picture of whether the justice system is functioning well and in the best interests of public safety.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 21

Barrett  Kormos  Murdoch  Runciman  Tory
Dunlop  MacLeod  O’Toole  Scott  Wilson
Elliott  Martiniuk  Ouellette  Sterling  Witmer
Hardeman  Miller  Prue  Tascona  Yakabuski
Hudak

NAYS / CONTRE - 44

Arthurs  Duguid  Levac  Parsons  Sandals
Balkissoon  Flynn  Matthews  Patten  Sergio
Bentley  Fonseca  Mauro  Peters  Smith
Berardinetti  Gerretsen  McMeekin  Phillips  Van Bommel
Caplan  Gravelle  McNeely  Pupatello  Watson
Crozier  Hoy  Meilleur  Quadri  Wilkinson
Delaney  Jeffrey  Milloy  Racco  Wynne
Dhillon  Kular  Mitchell  Ramal  Zimmer
Dombrowsky  Leal  Orazietti  Rinaldi

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).
After two matters were considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

Après l'étude de deux questions, la motion d'ajournement des débats est réputée avoir été adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

À 18 h 20, la chambre a ensuite adjouié ses travaux.

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**ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FOURTH DAY**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system.

After some time, Mr. Barrett moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 5**  **NAYS - 32**

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Barrett moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 5**  **NAYS - 30**

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

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**CENT QUATRE-VINGT-QUATORZIÈME JOUR**

**ORDRE DU JOUR**

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 155, Loi prévoyant un référendum sur le système électoral de l'Ontario.

Après quelque temps, M. Barrett propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 5**  **CONTRE - 32**

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Barrett propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 5**  **CONTRE - 30**

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjouié ses travaux.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2006
ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Bisson from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 29, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 34

Bartolucci Colle Marsales Parsons Rinaldi
Bentley Crozier Matthews Patten Smith
Bountrogianni Dombrowsky Mauro Peters Van Bommel
Bradley Duguid McMeekin Phillips Watson
Bryant Duncan McNeely Pupatello Wynne
Cansfield Kwinter Mitchell Ramal Zimmer
Caplan Leal Orazietti Ramsay

NAYS / CONTRE - 21

Arnott Hardeman Martel O’Toole Tabuns
Barrett Horwath Martiniuk Ouellette Wilson
Bisson Kormos Miller Prue Witmer
DiNovo Marchese Murdoch Runciman Yakabuski
Elliott

During "Oral Questions", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Hamilton East (Ms. Horwath) to come to order.
The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

Comme la députée refuse d'obéir, le Président la désigne par son nom et l'ordonne de se retirer du service de l'Assemblée pour le reste du jour de session.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to insuring PSA tests through OHIP (Sessional Paper No. P-48) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. O'Toole.


Petition relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, an Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. Marchese, Mr. McMeekin and Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petitions relating to the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-256) Mr. Martiniuk and Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-258) Ms. Martel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning.

After some time, Mr. Hudak moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 10  NAYS - 35

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Hudak moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 11  NAYS - 33

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 52, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation concernant l'apprentissage des élèves jusqu'à l'âge de 18 ans et l'apprentissage équivalent.

Après quelque temps, M. Hudak propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 10  CONTRE - 35

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Hudak propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 11  CONTRE - 33
The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

At the conclusion of the debate, with unanimous consent, the following was agreed to:

That notwithstanding Standing Order 28(h), in the event of a division on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes, the division shall be deferred to Tuesday, December 5, 2006 during “Deferred Votes.”

The question having then been put, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The vote was accordingly deferred until Tuesday, December 5, 2006 during “Deferred Votes.”

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:20 p.m.
PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Arnott moved,
That, in the opinion of this House, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs should immediately begin an investigation into Ontario’s industrial and economic competitiveness, to develop an action plan to maintain and expand our domestic and international markets in the coming years.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Tabuns then moved,

The question having been put on Mr. Arnott’s Resolution Number 6, it was declared carried.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 164, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002, the Environmental Protection Act and the Occupational Health and Safety Act, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Dhillon from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee’s report as follows and moved its adoption:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:

Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Dhillon du Comité permanent de la justice présente le rapport du comité et propose l’adoption comme suit:

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:

Projet de loi 107, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne.

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:
November 30, 2006

AYES / POUR - 42

Balkissoon
Bentley
Bradley
Broten
Bryant
Cansfield
Caplan
Chambers
Colle
Delaney
Dhillon
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Flynn
Fonseca
Levac
Marsales
Matthews
McNeely
Meilleur
Milloy
Mossop
Peters
Peterson
Phillips
Pupatello
Quadri
Racco
Ramal
Ramsay
Rinaldi
Sandsals
Sergio
Smith
Van Bommel
Watson
Wyne
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnott
Chudleigh
DiNovo
Dunlop
Hardeman
Horwath
Klee
Kornos
MacLeod
Martel
Miller
Munro
Prue
Runciman
Scott
Sterling
Tabuns
Tory
Wilson
Yakubuski

Pursuant to the Order of the House of November 21, 2006, the Bill is Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth. Hon. Mrs. Chambers.

Bill 166, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to wrong-way signs and lights on controlled-access highways. Mr. Wilson.

Bill 167, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act with respect to salaries in lieu of retirement credits. Mr. Runciman.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Chudleigh, Mr. Hardeman, and Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Flynn and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 165, Loi visant à créer la charge d'intervenant provincial en faveur des enfants et des jeunes et à y pourvoir. L'hon. Mme Chambers.

Projet de loi 166, Loi modifiant le Code de la route à l'égard des panneaux et des feux indiquant une mauvaise direction sur les routes à accès limité. M. Wilson.

Projet de loi 167, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'Assemblée législative en ce qui concerne le traitement tenant lieu de droit à retraite. M. Runciman.
Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Ms. Martel, Mr. Milloy, and Mrs. Sandals.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 62, An Act to amend the Election Finances Act and the Legislative Assembly Act.

After some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:—

A Y E S - 6  N A Y S - 25

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:—

A Y E S - 5  N A Y S - 25

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2006

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Racco from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2006

CENT QUATRE-VINGT-DIX-HUITIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Racco du Comité permanent de l'assemblée législative présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr31, An Act respecting the Perimeter Institute. Mrs. Witmer.


MOTIONS

Mr. Caplan moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, December 4, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 43


NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson Horwath Kormos Prue Tabuns
The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg the indulgence of the House to take a few moments to comment and perhaps add some clarity to events of last Wednesday during Question Period.

The Member for Leeds-Grenville rose on a point of order during Question Period respecting comments that were made by the Minister Responsible for Aboriginal Affairs. In doing so, the Member requested that the Speaker review Hansard presumably with a view to determining if anything said by the Minister violated Standing Order 23, although not specifically what subsection.

Let me start by saying that my preoccupation in Question Period is and always has been to facilitate its progress with as few impediments as possible. In this regard Members will know that I have expressed some intolerance for points of order raised during the hour. Under our Standing Orders, the time taken for points of order is included in the 60 minutes allotted for Question Period. Speakers have consistently encouraged Members to, wherever possible, refrain from raising points of order until the completion of Question Period. This is usually possible unless the point of order raised relates to the process itself and needs to be corrected before we can proceed further.

This was my motivation in suggesting to the Member for Leeds-Grenville that points of order should be raised outside of the time allocated for Oral Questions. It was not my intent to “chide” the Member, but rather, in the face of what I have perceived to be general misunderstanding, to clarify for all Members why I have exhibited intolerance with respect to points of order during Question Period in the past.

Having said that, this mindfulness of the Question Period clock may have caused me to rush my response to the point of order raised by the Member for Leeds-Grenville without sufficient contemplation and explanation. I would like to take a minute to do that now.

In the course of drafting a ruling the Speaker may from time to time review Hansard in order to confirm his recollection of what was said. This was the process undertaken leading up my ruling of June 21, 2006, to which the Member made reference in an open letter to me last Wednesday. So, the Speaker may, but does not as a matter of course, review Hansard in ruling on the orderliness of language used. This is borne out in several rulings in this House, but most specifically in a ruling by Speaker Warner dated December 12, 1991 in which he said:

“…it is basically a question of order at the time when that language that is deemed unparliamentary is used, therefore, it is usually not useful to go back over a previous day’s proceedings and look to see whether or not a term was parliamentary or unparliamentary and that is because the possibility of disorder is then past.”

On the same subject, Speaker McLean had this to say on May 15, 1996:

“The Speaker cannot be expected to review Hansard and reflect upon the words spoken. The words have to be heard in the particular context in which they were spoken, to determine if they were unparliamentary or not.”

In this respect, our practice in Ontario does differ from the Federal House of Commons where the Speaker more frequently, although even there, not in every case, reviews Hansard.

That being said, I have had some opportunity to reflect upon the specific words in question and I have some concern with respect to the language used. Whether or not they are in order, I caution the Minister of Aboriginal Affairs that comments of that sort are unbecoming and make it difficult to maintain any level of decorum in this place. While I appreciate that the Minister rose in the House last Thursday to offer an explanation, his remarks the previous day were not helpful in the circumstances.

I am disturbed by such increasing use of intemperate language. There is frequently a stunning lack of regard for the traditional hallmarks of Parliamentary discourse and specifically respect for the Chair and the integrity of all Members. To engage in such behaviour is to be destructive not just to the Member or Members targeted, but to all of us and to this institution.
It seems to me that the role of Speaker has slowly and increasingly become, if you will, that of ‘referee of first resort’, instead of referee of last resort. This House frequently fails to regulate itself with maturity and temperance, but rather pushes to – and often beyond – the limits of everyday civility. In this we are not alone: very recently, the House of Commons committee on Procedure and House Affairs felt compelled to undertake meetings dedicated specifically to the issue of decorum in the House.

It is a problem for all of us. While this place is neither a church nor a classroom, demanding the level of decorum expected there, a Parliamentary Chamber nevertheless requires at least a minimum level of respect and regard for the work that we have all been elected to carry out and the manner in which we do that.

The Speaker and Members are partners in this endeavour, and for my part I will endeavour to be vigilant as we go forward and to intervene when I perceive either use of language or decorum not befitting this parliamentary institution. I urge all Members to recognize that you have a duty in the preservation of order as well.

Finally, to the Member for Leeds-Grenville, I assure you that it was not my intent to be dismissive on Wednesday last. You did as all members should, feeling aggrieved by remarks made by another member, you stood in your place and brought it to my attention.


**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario Pension Benefits Act to give seniors the option of transferring locked-in pension funds into an R.R.S.P. at the age of 55 (Sessional Paper No. P-238) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-256) Mr. Ouellette.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of November 21, 2006, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, and declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.
During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code, be deferred until Tuesday, December 5, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 5:55 p.m.

A debate arose on the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the following ministries:-

Ministry of Education;

Ministry of Community and Social Services;

Ministry of Finance (including supplementaries);

Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care;

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministries of Education; Community and Social Services; Finance; Health and Long Term Care; Health Promotion; Intergovernmental Affairs; Environment; Children and Youth Services; Energy; Municipal Affairs and Housing; Training, Colleges and Universities; Public Infrastructure Renewal and Government Notice of Motion number 258, may be called concurrently; and

That when such Orders are called, they shall be considered concurrently in a single debate; and

That the time available to 9:20 p.m. this evening shall be divided equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That at the conclusion of the debate the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Order for Concurrence in Supply for each of the ministries named above, and to dispose of Government Notice of Motion number 258; and

If a recorded vote is requested by 5 members, all divisions shall be stacked, and there shall be a single 10-minute division bell.

Pendant la sonnerie d'appel, le Président par intérim s'adresse à l'Assemblée en ces mots:-

J'ai reçu une requête du Whip en chef du gouvernement, conformément à l'article 28 h) du Règlement, que le vote sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 107, Loi modifiant le Code des droits de la personne, soit différé jusqu'au mardi 5 décembre 2006.

En conséquence, le vote est différé.

À 17 h 55, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

Il s’élève un débat sur les ordres d’adoption des budgets des dépenses des ministères suivants:-

Ministère de l’Éducation;

Ministère des Services sociaux et communautaires;

Ministère des Finances (supplémentaires inclus);

Ministère de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée;
Ministry of Health Promotion; 
Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs; 
Ministry of the Environment; 
Ministry of Children and Youth Services; 
Ministry of Energy; 
Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing; 
Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities; 
Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal; and

And, on the motion by Mr. Caplan,
That the Minister of Finance be authorized to pay the salaries of civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of supply for the period commencing January 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2007.

Payments for the period from January 1, 2007 to March 31, 2007 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2006-2007 fiscal year, and payments for the period from April 1, 2007 to June 30, 2007 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2007-2008 fiscal year.

After some time, the question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Education, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Community and Social Services, it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Finance (including supplementaries); it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.
The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health Promotion; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of the Environment; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Children and Youth Services; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Energy; it was declared carried. 

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing; it was declared carried. 

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère de la Santé et des Soins de longue durée, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère de la Promotion de la santé, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère des Affaires intergouvernementales, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère de l’Environnement, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère des Services à l’enfance et à la jeunesse, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère de l’Énergie, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

En conséquence, le budget des dépenses est adopté.

La motion portant sur l’ordre d’adoption du budget des dépenses du ministère des Affaires municipales et du Logement, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.
And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities; it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal; it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on Government Notice of Motion number 258, it was declared carried,

And it was,

Resolved, that the Minister of Finance be authorized to pay the salaries of civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of supply for the period commencing January 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2007.

Payments for the period from January 1, 2007 to March 31, 2007 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2006-2007 fiscal year, and payments for the period from April 1, 2007 to June 30, 2007 to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of supply for the 2007-2008 fiscal year.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:52 p.m.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2006
TWO HUNDREDTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2006 Annual Report of the Auditor General of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 328).
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, immediately preceding Oral Questions on Thursday, December 7, 2006, the House shall suspend during pleasure to receive a 10-minute Address from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor; and

That immediately following His Honour’s retirement from the Chamber, Oral Questions shall commence.

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 57

Arthurs  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Broten  Brownell  Bryant  Cansfield  Caplan  Chambers

Colle  Crozier  Delaney  Dhillon  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Duncan  Fonseca  Gravelle  Hoy  Jeffrey  Kular

Kwinter  Leal  Matthews  Mauro  McGuinty  McMeekin  McNeely  Meilleur  Millroy  Mitchell  Mossop

Parsons  Patten  Peters  Peterson  Phillips  Pupatello  Quadri  Ramal  Ramsay  Rinaldi  Ruprecht

Sandals  Sergio  Smith  Smitherman  Sorbara  Takhar  Van Bommel  Watson  Wilkinson  Wynne  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE – 28

Arnott  Barrett  Bisson  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott

Hampton  Hardeman  Horwath  Hudak  Klees  Kormos

MacLeod  Martel  Martinuk  Miller  Munro  O’Toole

Ouellette  Prue  Runciman  Scott  Sterling  Tabuns

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.
The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code, was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to approving the extension of Highway 417 through Arnprior to Renfrew (Sessional Paper No. P-225) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, an Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.


Petition relating to funding the regional FASD diagnostic clinic with two sites in northwestern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-218) Mr. Hampton.

Petition relating to committee consideration of Bill 38 on Consumer Reporting (Sessional Paper No. P-160) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting the regional FASD diagnostic clinic with two sites in northwestern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-218) Mr. Hampton.

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Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. Prue.
Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to delaying any decision on the future development of the Lakeview Generation Station (Sessional Paper No. P-262) Mr. Peterson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of November 14, 2006, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, and declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts, be deferred until Wednesday, December 6, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 5:50 p.m.
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mr. Parsons from the Standing Committee on Social
Policy presented the Committee’s Report which was
read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as
amended:-

Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts
administered by or affecting the Ministry of
Government Services.

Ordered for Third Reading.

DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading
of Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget
measures and to enact, amend or repeal various
Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54

Arthurs    Balkissoon    Bartolucci    Bentley    Berardinetti    Bountrogianni    Bradley    Broten    Brownell    Cansfield    Caplan
Chambers    Colle    Crozier    Delaney    Dhillon    Dombrowsky    Duncan    Flynn    Fonseca    Gerretsens    Gravelle
Hoyle    Jeffrey    Kular    Kwinter    Marsales    Matthews    McGuinty    McMeekin    McNeely    Meilleur    Mitchell
Mossop    Parsons    Patten    Peters    Peterson    Phillips    Pupatello    Ramal    Ramsay    Rinaldi    Ruprecht
Sandals    Sergio    Smith    Smitherman    Takhar    Van Bommel    Watson    Wilkinson    Wynne    Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 27

Arnott    Barrett    Bisson    Chudleigh    DiNovo    Horwath
Hudak    Klees    Kormos    MacLeod    Marchese    Martel
Martiniuk    Miller    Munro    Murdoch    O’Toole    Ouellette    Prue    Runciman    Scott    Sterling    Tabuns    Tory    Wilson    Witmer    Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and
was passed.
Following remarks by Ms. Pupatello, Mrs. Witmer and Ms. Horwath, the House observed a moment of silence in remembrance of the tragic events at the University of Montreal, Quebec on December 6, 1989.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to protecting the rights of volunteer firefighters (Sessional Paper No. P-5) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to keeping the Rideau Regional Centre open as a home for people with developmental disabilities (Sessional Paper No. P-90) Ms. Martel.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to adopting the Assessment Reforms in Bill 75, the Homestead Act (Sessional Paper No. P-234) Mr. Hudak.

Petitions relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Mr. Bisson and Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the TTC contract at Bombardier in Thunder Bay (Sessional Paper No. P-263) Mr. Mauro.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Ms. Mossop.

Petition relating to the Glencolton Farm (Sessional Paper No. P-265) Mr. Murdoch.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2006  
TWO HUNDRED AND SECOND DAY  

PRAYERS  
10:00 A.M.  

Mr. Murdoch moved,  

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should immediately form an all-party task force to examine the issues surrounding raw milk and that the all-party task force report its findings to the House before the end of the spring session.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Dhillon then moved,  

Second Reading of Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies.

The question having been put on Mr. Murdoch’s Resolution Number 32, it was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 7  
Barrett  
Chudleigh  
Klees  
Klees  
Martiniuk  
Murdoch  
Runciman  
Wilson

NAYS / CONTRE - 35  
Arthurs  
Bisson  
Broten  
Brownell  
Bryant  
Cansfield  
Delaney  
Dombrowsky  
Duguid  
Fonseca  
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Miller

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

1:30 P.M.  

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-  

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table a Report of the Integrity Commissioner made pursuant to the MPP Compensation Reform Act, 2001 (Sessional Paper No. 331).
MOTIONS

On motion by Mr. Bradley, Sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills be authorized to meet after Routine Proceedings this afternoon for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

On motion by Mr. Bradley, Sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Order for Second Reading of Bill 83, An Act to amend the Child and Family Services Act and the Coroners Act to better protect the children of Ontario, standing in the name of Mr. Jackson, be discharged and the Bill withdrawn; and

That the Order referring Bill 96, An Act to amend the Education Act, to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills, standing in the name of Ms. Wynne, be discharged and the Bill withdrawn; and

That the Order referring Bill 71, An Act to promote the use of automated external heart defibrillators, to the Standing Committee on Social Policy, standing in the name of Mr. Crozier, be discharged and the Bill withdrawn.

Pursuant to the Order of the House dated December 5, 2006, immediately before "Oral Questions" the Speaker suspended the House during pleasure.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took his seat upon the Throne.

The Speaker addressed His Honour as follows:-

"May it please your Honour: The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario here assembled has Resolved to receive your Honour’s gracious Address."

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor addressed the Legislative Assembly and was then pleased to retire.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Sergio and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to requiring Hydro One Networks Inc. to make improvements in line maintenance and forestry management in the region of Parry Sound–Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-230) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, an Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to enacting measures to protect homeowners from having their homes stolen as contained in Bill 136, Restore The Deed Act (Sessional Paper No. P-251) Mr. Tascona.

Petitions relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Ms. MacLeod and Ms. Mossop.
Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 158, An Act to revise legislation relating to the public service of Ontario by repealing the Public Service Act, enacting the Public Service of Ontario Act, 2006 and the Ontario Provincial Police Collective Bargaining Act, 2006 and making complementary amendments to various Acts and by amending various Acts in respect of the successor rights of certain public servants.

There being no further debate, the question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:20 p.m.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2006
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mrs. Munro from the Standing Committee on Government Agencies presented the Committee's Report on Agencies, Boards and Commissions: The Liquor Control Board of Ontario and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 335).

On motion by Mrs. Munro,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 170, An Act to name the last Saturday in September in each year Outdoor Heritage Day in Ontario. Mr. Parsons.

MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That Standing Order 87, concerning notice of committee hearings, be waived with respect to consideration of Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena's Place, by the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills on Wednesday, December 13, 2006.
Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, December 11, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 64

Arnott  Crozier  Klees  Munro  Smith
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Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Kwinter  Parsons  Sterling
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Levac  Patten  Tascona
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Colle  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Sandals

NAYS / CONTRE - 10

Bisson  Horwath  Marchese  Murdoch  Prue
DiNovo  Kormos  Martel  Ouellette  Tabuns


PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to maintaining and preserving the Banting homestead (Sessional Paper No. P-21) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to Ontario’s Early Learning and Child Care Agreement (Sessional Paper No. P-119) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to treating workplace harassment as a health and safety issue and passing Bill 45 (Sessional Paper No. P-201) Ms. Horwath.


Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario Pension Benefits Act to give seniors the option of transferring locked-in pension funds into an R.R.S.P. at the age of 55 (Sessional Paper No. P-238) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Mr. Bisson.

Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Ms. Marsales.
Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to re-establishing education services for rural students (Sessional Paper No. P-266) Mr. Mauro.

Petition relating to endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) (Sessional Paper No. P-267) Mr. O'Toole.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning.

After some time, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-
I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning, be deferred until December 12, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2006

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

Mr. Sorbara delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Administrator signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

R. ROY MCMURTRY

The Administrator of the Government transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, December 12, 2006.

(Sessional Paper No. 336, Office of the Assembly (Supplementary)).

Ordered, That the message of the Administrator together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 62(c).

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REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Flynn from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.
Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts. Hon. Mr. Smitherman.

Bill 172, An Act to amend the Municipal Act, 2001 to provide for the direct election of the Durham Regional Council chair. Mr. Ouellette.

During "Introduction of Bills", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Niagara Centre (Mr. Kormos) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

On motion by Mrs. Bountrogianni, Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act, was introduced and read the first time on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 78

Arnott  Crozier  Leal  O'Toole  Smith
Arthurs  Delaney  Levac  Ouellette  Smitherman
Balkissoon  Di Cocco  MacLeod  Parsons  Sorbara
Barrett  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Peters  Sterling
Bartolucci  Duguid  Martiniuk  Peterson  Takhar
Bentley  Duncan  Matthews  Phillips  Tascona
Bountrogianni  Elliott  Mauro  Pupatello  Tory
Bradley  Flynn  McMeekin  Quadri  Van Bommel
Broten  Fonseca  McNeeley  Ramal  Watson
Brownell  Gravelle  Meilleur  Ramsay  Wilkinson
AYES / POUR - Continued

Bryant  Hardeman  Miller  Rinaldi  Wilson
Cansfield  Hoy  Milloy  Runciman  Witmer
Caplan  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht  Wynne
Chambers  Kees  Mossop  Sands  Yakabuski
Chudleigh  Kular  Munro  Sergio  Zimmer
Colle  Kwinter  Murdoch

NAYS / CONTRE – 4

DiNovo  Hampton  Martel  Tabuns

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That an humble address be presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council as follows:-

“We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, request the appointment of Dr. George Pasut as the Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health for the Province of Ontario as provided in Section 81(1) of the Health Protection and Promotion Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter H.7 and Section 28(l) of the Interpretation Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter I.11, to hold office for a six month term, having all the same powers and duties of the Chief Medical Officer of Health under the Health Protection and Promotion Act.”

And that the address be engrossed and presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council by the Speaker.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, December 12, 2006, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 76

Arnott  Crozier  Kwinter  O’Toole  Sergio
Arthurs  Delaney  Leal  Ouellette  Smith
Balkissoon  Di Cocco  Levac  Parsons  Smitherman
Barrett  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Patten  Sterling
Bartolucci  Duguid  Martinik  Peters  Takhar
Bentley  Duncan  Matthews  Peterson  Tascona
Bountrogianni  Elliott  Mauro  Phillips  Tory
Bradley  Flynn  McMeekin  Pupatello  Van Bommel
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Brownell  Gravelle  Meilleur  Ramal  Wilkinson
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Caplan  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Runciman  Wynne
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Chudleigh  Kular  Munro  Sands  Zimmer
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The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning, was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR – 61**

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**NAYS / CONTRE – 27**

| Arnott           | Horwath       | Martiniuk     | Ouellette     | Tascona   |
| Barrett          | Hudak         | Miller        | Prue          | Tory      |
| Chudleigh        | Kees          | Munro         | Scott         | Wilson    |
| DiNovo           | MacLeod       | Murdoch       | Sterling      | Witmer    |
| Elliott          | Marchese      | O’Toole       | Tabuns        | Yakabuski |
| Hardeman         | Martel        |               |               |           |

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

With unanimous consent, “Oral Questions” continued past 4:00 p.m., notwithstanding Standing Order 30(b).

With unanimous consent, it was agreed that, notwithstanding Standing Order 77(b), the Order for Third Reading of Bill 124 may be called this afternoon.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That with respect to this afternoon’s debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions, up to 30 minutes shall be allotted to the Government, and the remaining time available to 5:55 p.m. shall be divided equally among the Official Opposition and the Third Party at which time the Speaker shall interrupt the debate and put every question remaining to dispose of the motion for Third Reading of Bill 124 and that in the case of any division, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:50 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 124, Loi prévoyant des pratiques d’inscription équitables dans les professions réglementées de l’Ontario.

Après quelque temps, la motion est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 17 h 50, la chambre a ensuite adjouréné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services having been read,

There being no further debate, the question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

DEUX CENT SIXIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

À l'appel de l'ordre du jour concernant la suite du débat adjourné sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 152, Loi visant à moderniser diverses lois qui relèvent du ministère des Services gouvernementaux ou qui le touchent,

Comme il n’y a plus de débat, la motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et en conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2006

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.  

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that, pursuant to Standing Order 69(b), the House Leader of the Third Party, the Member for Niagara Centre, has notified the Clerk of his intention to file notice of a reasoned amendment to the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act.

The Order for Second Reading of Bill 173 may therefore not be called today.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

Pursuant to Standing Order 62(c), the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the Office of the Assembly before the Standing Committee on Estimates are reported back to the House as they were not selected by the Committee for consideration, and are deemed to be received and concurred in.

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the following office, not having been selected for consideration, were deemed to be received and concurred in:-

OFFICE OF THE ASSEMBLY
Office of the Assembly  

$ 578,000

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee's First Report 2006 and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 342).

On motion by Ms. Horwath,  

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Mme Horwath du Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi d’intérêt privé présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills as amended:-

Bill Pr31, An Act respecting the Perimeter Institute.


Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on the Ontario Student Assistance Program and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 341).

On motion by Mr. Sterling, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mrs. Munro from the Standing Committee on Government Agencies presented the Committee's Report on Agencies, Boards and Commissions: Hydro One and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 340).

On motion by Mrs. Munro, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts. Hon. Mr. Sorbara.

Bill 175, An Act to amend the Pension Benefits Act to allow transfers of locked-in pension funds to registered retirement income funds. Ms. Horwath.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-


Projet de loi 175, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les régimes de retraite pour permettre le transfert de caisses de retraite immobilisées à des fonds enregistrés de revenu de retraite. Mme Horwath.
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,


Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to supporting the Fair Access to Regulated Professions Act, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-202) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Leal.


Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) (Sessional Paper No. P-267) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to withdrawing the Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-268) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to reversing the decision to seize a domesticated deer (Sessional Paper No. P-269) Ms. MacLeod.

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 158, An Act to revise legislation relating to the public service of Ontario by repealing the Public Service Act, enacting the Public Service of Ontario Act, 2006 and the Ontario Provincial Police Collective Bargaining Act, 2006 and making complementary amendments to various Acts and by amending various Acts in respect of the successor rights of certain public servants, having been called,
There being no further debate, the question having been put, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the time for the debate on Government Notice of Motion number 277 be apportioned equally among the recognized Parties in the House and;

That at 5:50 p.m. the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and shall without further debate or amendment put every question necessary to dispose of the motion and any amendments thereto and;

That in the case of any division required, the division bell shall be limited to 10 minutes, the Members called in once and all divisions taken in succession.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That, notwithstanding Standing Order 6(a), the House shall continue to meet until Thursday, December 21, 2006, at which time the Speaker shall adjourn the House without motion until Monday, March 19, 2007.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 47

Arnot 
Arthurs 
Balkissoon 
Berardinetti 
Bradley 
Brownell 
Bryant 
Cansfield 
Colle 
Crozier

Delaney 
Di Cocco 
Flynn 
Fonseca 
Gerretsen 
Hoy 
Hudak 
Kular 
Leal 
Levac

MacLeod 
Marsales 
Martiniuk 
Matthews 
Mauro 
McMeekin 
MeNeely 
Miller 
Mitchell

Munro 
O'Toole 
Patten 
Phillips 
Qadri 
Ramal 
Ramsay 
Rinaldi 
Runciman

Ruprecht 
Sandals 
Sergio 
Smith 
Smitterman 
Van Bommel 
Watson 
Wilkinson 
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 6

Bisson 
DiNovo 

Horwath 
Kormos 
Marchese

Kormos 
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Martel
Mr. McMeekin moved, M. McMeekin propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should commit to the promotion, development and support of the co-operative model of business as one that should be replicated to provide stronger communities, increased social responsibility and continued economic growth, and

That, the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade commit to investigating the establishment of a Co-operative Secretariat to support the co-operative model of business.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Milloy then moved, Ensuite, M. Milloy propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario:

Recognize the safety benefits of wearing an approved helmet by those using bicycles, in-line skates, skateboards, scooters and similar devices;

Acknowledge that the original intent of legislative changes made by this Legislature to Ontario’s Highway Traffic Act in 1993 was that all cyclists should wear an approved helmet regardless of age;

Make helmet use mandatory for all cyclists in Ontario by repealing the regulation which exempts cyclists over the age of 18 from these legislative changes;

Explore legislative measures to make helmet use mandatory for those using other muscular-powered devices such as in-line skates, skateboards and scooters;

Take into account those who cannot wear a helmet because to do so would interfere with his or her religious beliefs or practices;

Instruct the Ministry of Health Promotion, in conjunction with the Ministry of Transportation and other relevant Ministries and stakeholders to develop a comprehensive education and safety campaign aimed at encouraging helmet use by those using bicycles, in-line skates, skateboards, scooters and similar devices;

Ensure any safety campaign also address broader safety issues related to bicycles, in-line skates, skateboards, scooters and similar devices including the role and responsibility of communities in ensuring the safety of all those using such devices as well as the special responsibility of motorists to ensure the safety of cyclists and others on our roadways.

The question having been put on Mr. McMeekin’s Resolution Number 33, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 40
The question having been put on Mr. Milloy’s Resolution Number 34, it was declared carried. La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 34 de M. Milloy est déclarée adoptée.

1:30 P.M. 13 H 30

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2005 Annual Report of the Chief Election Officer of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 339).

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that, pursuant to Standing Order 69(c), the House Leader of the Third Party, the Member for Niagara Centre, has filed notice of a reasoned amendment to the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act.

The Order for Second Reading of Bill 173 may therefore not be called today.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to considering an immediate, temporary gas price freeze and fair transparent gasoline pricing by supporting the previous Member’s Bills while international gas prices stabilize (Sessional Paper No. P-208) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to enacting measures to protect homeowners from having their homes stolen as contained in Bill 136, Restore The Deed Act (Sessional Paper No. P-251) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to ensuring that new provincial monies received by the TTC go towards addressing transit shortcomings in Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-270) Mr. Berardinetti.
Petition relating to passing Bill 131 that would create a Peace Officers’ Memorial Day in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-271) Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to returning the “cost to operator” provision thereby guaranteeing affordable access to medication for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-272) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system, be deferred until Monday, December 18, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bryant moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 3:40 p.m.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2006  
TWO HUNDRED AND NINTH DAY

PRAYERS  
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Ms. Wynne,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice for ballot item 69 and 70 be waived.

Ms. Wynne moved,  

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, December 18, 2006 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 55


NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson  DiNovo  Hampton  Horwath  Marchese  Prue  Martel  Tabuns

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system, was carried on the following division:-

VOTES DIFFÉRÉS

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 155, Loi prévoyant un référendum sur le système électoral de l'Ontario, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 58

Arnott  Colle  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Arthurs  Crozier  Kular  Munro  Sandsals
Balkissoon  Delaney  Kwinter  Orazietti  Smith
Barrett  Dhillon  Levac  Parsons  Smitherean
Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Marsales  Patten  Sorbana
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Martinuik  Peters  Takhar
Berardinetti  Duguid  Mauro  Phillips  Van Bommel
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Bryant  Fonseca  Meilleur  Ramsay  Wynne
Cansfield  Hardeman  Miller  Runciman  Zimmer
Chambers  Hoy  Milloy

NAYS / CONTRE - 11

Bisson  Elliott  Marchese  Prue  Tabuns
DiNovo  Horwath  Martel  Sterling  Yakabuski
Dunlop

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Balkissoon.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.


Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to funding the regional FASD diagnostic clinic with two sites in northwestern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-218) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Mr. Kormos.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the Kenora Thistles Championship (Sessional Paper No. P-274) Mr. Hampton.

Petition relating to increasing funding for the Ontario Focused Intervention Partnership (Sessional Paper No. P-275) Mr. Ruprecht.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND TENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Ms. Horwath) declared her opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities, be deferred until December 19, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.
The House then adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

À 20 h 25, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2006
TWO HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table an Order in Council appointing Dr. George Pasut as Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health for a six month term commencing on December 13, 2006, pursuant to an Address of this Assembly on December 12, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. 346).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mrs. Munro from the Standing Committee on Government Agencies presented the Committee's Report on Agencies, Boards and Commissions: The Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 348).

On motion by Mrs. Munro,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 178, An Act to amend the Courts of Justice Act with respect to truth and transparency in the justice system. Mr. Tory.

Bill 179, An Act to provide for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in Ontario. Mr. Tabuns.
The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 51**

- Balkissoon
- Bartolucci
- Bentley
- Bountrogianni
- Bradley
- Broten
- Bryant
- Caplan
- Chambers
- Colle
- Crozier
- Delaney
- Dhillon
- Di Cocco
- Dombrowsky
- Duguid
- Duncan
- Flynn
- Fonseca
- Gerretsen
- Jeffrey
- Kular
- Leal
- Marsales
- Mauro
- McMinty
- McMeekin
- McNeely
- Meilleur
- Milloy
- Mitchell
- Kular
- Mossop
- Orazietti
- Parsons
- Patten
- Peters
- Phillips
- Pupatello
- Racco
- Ramsey
- Rinaldi
- Ruprecht
- Sergio
- Smith
- Takhar
- Van Bommel
- Watson
- Wilkinson
- Wynne
- Zimmer

**NAYS / CONTRE - 24**

- Arnott
- Barrett
- Bisson
- DiNovo
- Dunlop
- Elliott
- Hardeman
- Horwath
- Hudak
- Kees
- Kormos
- MacLeod
- Marchese
- Martel
- Martinuk
- Miller
- Munro
- O’Toole
- Prue
- Runciman
- Tabuns
- Tory
- Wilson
- Witmer

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 130, Loi modifiant diverses lois en ce qui concerne les municipalités, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. Martiniuk.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to ending the claw back of the National Child Benefit Supplement (Sessional Paper No. P-253) Mr. Parsons.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to delaying any decision on the future development of the Lakeview Generation Station (Sessional Paper No. P-262) Mr. Peterson.

Petition relating to endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) (Sessional Paper No. P-267) Mr. O’Toole.
Petition relating to setting up a collection program for empty pop cans and tetra packs (Sessional Paper No. P-276) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to returning Bam Bam, the deer to the Straby family no later than December 25, 2006 (Sessional Paper No. P-277) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to supporting adult literacy initiatives (Sessional Paper No. P-278) Mr. Sergio.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief NDP Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act, be deferred until Wednesday, December 20, 2006.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:20 p.m.
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 180, An Act to amend the Film Classification Act, 2005. Mr. Tabuns.

MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following committees be authorized to meet during the Winter Adjournment in accordance with the schedule of meeting dates agreed by the Whips of the recognized parties and tabled with the Clerk of the Assembly to examine and enquire into the following matters:-

Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs to consider matters relating to pre-budget consultations 2007;

Standing Committee on Government Agencies for up to five days for agency review pursuant to its terms of reference as set out in Standing Order 106(e); and

Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly to consider Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system;

Standing Committee on Public Accounts for up to four days pursuant to its terms of reference as set out in Standing Order 106(g);

And that the committees be authorized to release their reports during the Winter Adjournment by depositing a copy of any report with the Clerk of the Assembly, and upon the resumption of the meetings of the House the Chairs of such committees shall bring any such reports before the House in accordance with the Standing Orders.

DEFERRED VOTES
The deferred vote on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 72

Arnott
Arthurs
Balkissoon
Barrett
Bartolucci

Dhillon
Di Cocco
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Duncan

MacLeod
Marsales
Martinuk
Matthews
Mauro

Orazietti
O’Toole
Ouellette
Parsons
Patten

Scott
Sergio
Smith
Smitherman
Sorbara
AYES / POUR – Continued

Bentley  Flynn  McGuinty  Peters  Takhar
Berardinetti  Fonseca  McMeekin  Phillips  Tory
Bountrogianni  Gerretsen  McNeely  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Bradley  Hudak  Meilleur  Qaadri  Wilkinson
Broten  Jeffrey  Miller  Ramal  Wilson
Bryant  Klees  Milloy  Ramsay  Witmer
Chambers  Kular  Mitchell  Ruprecht  Wynne
Colle  Kwinter  Morsop  Sandals  Yakabuski
Crozier  Leal  Murdoch  Sands  Zimmer
Delaney  Levac

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Bisson  Hampton  Kormos  Prue  Tabuns
DiNovo  Horwath  Martel

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to ensuring that any strategy to fight gun violence includes funding for youth programs (Sessional Paper No. P-42) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing operating funding to Long Term Care homes (Sessional Paper No. P-136) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to supporting the establishment of a bi-national group to consider alternatives to proposed border requirements (Sessional Paper No. P-150) Mr. Arthurs.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to adopting the Assessment Reforms in Bill 75, the Homestead Act (Sessional Paper No. P-234) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to mandating that Ontario have a climate change plan based on Kyoto targets (Sessional Paper No. P-279) Mr. Tabuns.

Petition relating to blocking the construction of the Portlands Energy Centre and invest instead in energy efficiency, conservation, alternative and renewable power (Sessional Paper No. P-280) Mr. Tabuns.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPP's Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act, that the Order referring Bill 173 to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly be discharged, and the bill be Ordered for Third Reading, which Order may then be immediately called; and

That, when the Order for Third Reading is called, the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of this stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 66


NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Bisson DiNovo Hampton Horwath Kormos Martel Tabuns

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 28, An Act to require the taking and analysing of blood samples to protect victims of crime, emergency service workers, good Samaritans and other persons and to make consequential amendments to the Health Care Consent Act, 1996 and the Health Protection and Promotion Act.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le Président par intérim, M. Prue avise l'Assemblée qu'au nom de Sa Majesté la Reine, Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur a eu le plaisir de sanctionner les projets de loi suivants dans son cabinet:-

Projet de loi 28, Loi exigeant le prélèvement et l'analyse d'échantillons de sang afin de protéger les victimes d'actes criminels, le personnel des services d'urgence, les bons samaritains et d'autres personnes et apportant des modifications corrélatives à la Loi de 1996 sur le consentement aux soins de santé et à la Loi sur la protection et la promotion de la santé.
Bill 50, An Act respecting the regulation of the profession of traditional Chinese medicine, and making complementary amendments to certain Acts. 

Bill 52, An Act to amend the Education Act respecting pupil learning to the age of 18 and equivalent learning.

Bill 65, An Act respecting mortgage brokerages, lenders and administrators.

Bill 107, An Act to amend the Human Rights Code.

Bill 124, An Act to provide for fair registration practices in Ontario’s regulated professions.

Bill 130, An Act to amend various Acts in relation to municipalities.

Bill 151, An Act to enact various 2006 Budget measures and to enact, amend or repeal various Acts.

Bill 152, An Act to modernize various Acts administered by or affecting the Ministry of Government Services.


The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2006
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mrs. Sandals moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration should designate the City of Guelph as one of Ontario’s Immigrant Gateway cities so that Guelph can be marketed provincially and internationally as an Immigrant Gateway to enable Guelph to attract the investment and jobs which will ensure its future prosperity.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

With unanimous consent, notwithstanding Standing Order 69(a), Mr. Tory then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 178, An Act to amend the Courts of Justice Act with respect to truth and transparency in the justice system.

The question having been put on Mrs. Sandals’s Resolution Number 42, it was declared carried.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of 178, An Act to amend the Courts of Justice Act with respect to truth and transparency in the justice system, it was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 17

Barrett  Hudak  O’Toole  Ruprecht  Wilson
Chudleigh  Klees  Patten  Scott  Witmer
Elliott  MacLeod  Runciman  Tory  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Miller

NAYS / CONTRE - 26

Arthurs  Fonseca  Matthews  Mossop  Sandals
Brownell  Jeffrey  McMeekin  Quadri  Smith
Bryant  Kwinter  McNeely  Racco  Van Bommel
Delaney  Leal  Milloy  Ramal  Wilkinson
Dhillon  Levac  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Zimmer
Flynn
MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That the following committee be authorized to meet during the Winter Adjournment:-

Standing Committee on Justice Policy for the purpose of public hearings and clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act, at the call of the Chair.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Runciman,
Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize February 7, 2007 as Safer Internet Day as part of ongoing efforts to combat internet crimes against children.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to enacting a minimum standard of 3.5 hours of nursing care for each nursing home resident per day (Sessional Paper No. P-228) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mrs. Munro.

Petition relating to continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely (Sessional Paper No. P-255) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to ensuring that new provincial monies received by the TTC go towards addressing transit shortcomings in Scarborough (Sessional Paper No. P-270) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting adult literacy initiatives (Sessional Paper No. P-278) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to not implementing a 31% increase in pay for MPPs (Sessional Paper No. P-281) Mr. Prue.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the second time and Ordered for Third Reading:-

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place.


Bill Pr31, An Act respecting the Perimeter Institute.

With unanimous consent, the following Bills were read the third time and were passed:-

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place.
Bill Pr31, An Act respecting the Perimeter Institute.

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on December 20, 2006, the Speaker put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 77

Arthurs  Crozier  Kular  Munro  Sergio
Balkissoon  Delaney  Kwinter  O’Toole  Smith
Barrett  Dhillon  Leal  Peters  Smitherman
Bartolucci  Di Cocco  Levac  Peterson  Sorbara
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Phillips  Sterling
Berardinetti  Duguid  Martinuk  Pupatello  Takhar
Bountrogianni  Duncan  Matthews  Qaadri  Tory
Bradley  Elliott  McGuinty  Racco  Van Bommel
Broten  Flynn  McMeekin  Ramal  Watson
Brownell  Fonseca  McNeely  Ramsay  Wilkinson
Bryant  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Rinaldi  Wilson
Cansfield  Hardeman  Miller  Runciman  Witmer
Caplan  Hoy  Milloy  Ruprecht  Wynne
Chambers  Hudak  Mitchell  Sandals  Yakabuski
Chudleigh  Jeffrey  Mossop  Scott  Zimmer
Colle  Klees

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

DiNovo  Horwath  Martel  Prue  Tabuns
Hampton  Kormos

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.
At 3:50 p.m. the House then adjourned until 1:30 p.m. on Monday, March 19, 2007.

À 3 h 50, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux jusqu'au lundi 19 Mars 2007 à 13 h 30.

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2007
LUNDI 19 MARS 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH DAY
DEUX CENT QUATORZIÈME JOUR
PRAYERS
PRIÈRES
1:30 P.M.
13 H 30

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that the Acting Clerk has received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table three certificates of by-elections in the Electoral Districts of Markham, Burlington and York South-Weston.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF MARKHAM - MICHAEL CHAN
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mrs. Deborah Deller
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mrs. Deller:

A Writ of Election dated the Tenth day of January, 2007, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario and was addressed to Judi McIntyre, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Markham, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Markham in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Tony C. Wong who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Markham, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Markham on the Eighth day of February, 2007, Michael Chan has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 16th day of February, 2007, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS
CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER

Toronto, March 8, 2007

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF BURLINGTON - JOYCE SAVOLINE
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mrs. Deborah Deller
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mrs. Deller:
A Writ of Election dated the Tenth day of January, 2007, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and was addressed to Jean Schemmer, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Burlington, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Burlington in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Cam Jackson who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Burlington, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in Burlington on the Eighth day of February, 2007, Joyce Savoline has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 16th day of February, 2007, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS

Toronto, March 8, 2007

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ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF YORK SOUTH-WESTON - PAUL FERREIRA
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

Mrs. Deborah Deller
Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly
Room 104
Legislative Building
Queen's Park
Toronto, Ontario
M7A 1A2

Dear Mrs. Deller:

A Writ of Election dated the Tenth day of January, 2007, was issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and was addressed to Kenneth H. Paterson, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of York South-Weston, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of York South-Weston in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Joseph Cordiano who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of York South-Weston, has resigned his seat. This is to certify that, a poll having been granted and held in York South-Weston on the Eighth day of February, 2007, Paul Ferreira has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the 16th day of February, 2007, which is now lodged of record in my office.

JOHN L. HOLLINS
CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER

Toronto, March 8, 2007

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Michael Chan, Member for the Electoral District of Markham, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Joyce Savoline, Member for the Electoral District of Burlington, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took her seat.

Paul Ferreira, Member for the Electoral District of York South-Weston, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.
March 19, 2007  453

REPORTS BY COMMITTEE

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee’s Report on Pre-budget Consultation 2007 and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 391).

On motion by Mr. Hoy,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 78

Arnot Crozier Kees Parsons Scott
Arthurs Delaney Kular Patten Sergio
Balkissoon Dhillon Lalone Peters Smith
Barrett Di Cocco Levac Peterson Smitherman
Bartolucci Dombrowsky MacLeod Phillips Sorbara
Bentley Duguid Marsales Pupatello Sterling
Berardinetti Duncan Martinuik Quadri Takhar
Bountrogianni Dunlop Matthews Racco Tascona
Bradley Flynn McMeekin Ramal Tory
Broten Fonseca McNeely Ramsay Van Bommel
Brownell Gerretsen Meilleur Rinaldi Watson
Bryant Graville Miller Runciman Wilkinson
Cansfield Hardeman Mitchell Ruprecht Wynne
Caplan Hoy Orazietti Sands Yakabuski
Chambers Hudak O'Toole Savoline Zimmer
Chan Jeffrey Ouellette

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Bisson Ferreira Kormos Martel Tabuns
DiNovo Horwath Marchese Prue

And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.
En conséquence, le projet de loi est ordonné pour la troisième lecture.
Mr. Parsons from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:--

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:--

Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:--

AYES / POUR - 78

Arnott Crozier Klees Parsons Scott
Arthurs Delaney Kular Patten Sergio
Balkissoon Dhillon Lalonde Peters Smith
Barrett Di Cocco Levac Peterson Smitherman
Bartolucci Dombrowsky MacLeod Phillips Sorbara
Bentley Duguid Marsales Pupatello Sterling
Berardinetti Duncan Martinuk Quadri Takhar
Bountrogianni Dunlop Matthews Racco Tascona
Bradley Flynn McMeekin Ramal Tory
Broten Fonseca McNeely Ramsay Van Bommel
Brownell Gerretsen Meilleur Rinaldi Watson
Bryant Gravelle Miller Runciman Wilkinson
Cansfield Hardeman Milloy Ruprecht Wynne
Caplan Hoy Orazietti Sands Yakabuski
Chambers Hudak O'Toole Savoline Zimmer
Chan Jeffrey Ouellette

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Bisson Ferreira Kormos Martel Tabuns
DiNovo Horwath Marchese Prue

And the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.


On motion by Mr. Sterling, Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.
Mr. Berardinetti from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-


Ordered for Third Reading.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the Acting Clerk received the Reports on Intended Appointments dated February 26 and March 1, 2007 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Reports are deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper Nos. 382 and 386).

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that during the adjournment, the following Report was tabled:-

On February 27, 2007, a report of the Ombudsman of Ontario made pursuant to Section 11 of the Ombudsman Act entitled “Adding insult to Injury” an investigation into the treatment of victims by the Criminal Injuries Compensation Board (Sessional Paper No. 383).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 181, An Act to proclaim Martin Luther King Jr. Day.  Mr. Klees.

Bill 182, An Act to name February in each year Black History Month.  Mr. Balkissoon.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of Private Members’ Public Business:

Mr. Kormos and Mr. Ferreira exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Kormos assumes ballot item 78 and Mr. Ferreira assumes ballot item 74.

Mr. Balkissoon and Mr. Duguid exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Balkissoon assumes ballot item 72 and Mr. Duguid assumes ballot item 73.
And that, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot items 71, 72, 73 and 74.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) (Sessional Paper No. P-267) Mrs. Savoline.

Petition relating to passing Bill 131 that would create a Peace Officers’ Memorial Day in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-271) Mr. Levac.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Bisson.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Deputy Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

The Deputy Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office on Thursday, December 21, 2006:-

Bill 173, An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act, the MPPs Pension Act, 1996 and the Executive Council Act.

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting Sheena’s Place.


Bill Pr31, An Act respecting the Perimeter Institute.


ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 165, Loi visant à créer la charge d'intervenant provincial en faveur des enfants et des jeunes et à y pourvoir.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
Mr. Caplan delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

JAMES K. BARTLEMAN

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.


(Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 62(c).

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts. Hon. Mr. Ramsay.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 20, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 48

Balkissoon  Chan  Fonseca  Milloy  Ruprecht
Bentley  Colle  Gravelle  Mitchell  Sergio
Bountrogianni  Crozier  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Smith
Bradley  Delaney  Kular  Patten  Smitherman
Broten  Dhillon  Kwinter  Peters  Van Bommel
Brownell  Di Cocco  Leal  Peterson  Watson
Bryant  Dombrowsky  Levac  Pupatello  Wilkinson
Cansfield  Duguid  Marsales  Racco  Wynne
Caplan  Duncan  McNeely  Ramsay  Zimmer
Chambers  Flynn  Meilleur 
NAYS / CONTRE - 27

Arnott  Horwath  Martel  Ouellette  Tabuns
Bisson  Hudak  Martiniuk  Prue  Tascona
DiNovo  Hudak  Miller  Runciman  Tory
Elliott  Kees  Munro  Savoline  Wilson
Ferreira  MacLeod  O'Toole  Sterling  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Marchese

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, an Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Levac and Mr. Patten.

Petition relating to endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) (Sessional Paper No. P-267) Mr. O'Toole.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Arnott and Ms. Martel and Mr. McMeekin.

Petitions relating to allocating funding for affordable and supportive housing in Ontario’s 2007 provincial budget and re-assume financial responsibility for the cost and repair of the current social housing stock (Sessional Paper No. P-283) Mr. Ferreira and Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to increasing the Ontario Disability Support Program payments on an annual basis to ensure it covers the cost of living increase incurred by ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-284) Mr. Hardeman.

Petition relating to changing legislation to provide for mandatory prison sentences for convictions of homicide caused by street racing (Sessional Paper No. P-285) Ms. Horwath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After two matters were considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

À 18 h, la motion portant «Que la présente Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant» est réputée avoir été proposée conformément à l'article 37 b) du Règlement.

Après l'étude de deux questions, la motion d'ajournement des débats est réputée avoir été adoptée.

À 18 h 23, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

Pursuant to Standing Order 62(c), the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the Office of the Assembly before the Standing Committee on Estimates are reported back to the House as they were not selected by the Committee for consideration, and are deemed to be received and concurred in.

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the following office, not having been selected for consideration, were deemed to be received and concurred in:-

OFFICE OF THE ASSEMBLY
Office of the Assembly $1,330,300

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 21, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

AYES / POUR - 48

Arthurs  Chambers  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Rinaldi
Balkissoon  Chan  Hoy  Milloy  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Colle  Kular  Mitchell  Sands
Bentley  Crozier  Kwinter  Mossop  Smith
Berardinetti  Delaney  Lalonde  Orazietti  Smitherean
Bradley  Di Cocco  Leal  Patten  Van Bommel
Brownell  Dombrowsky  Marsales  Peters  Watson
Bryant  Duguid  Matthews  Phillips  Wynne
Cansfield  Duncan  Mauro  Pupatello  Zimmer
Caplan  Fonseca  McNeely

NAYS / CONTRE - 21

Arnott  Hudak  Marchese  Munro  Runciman
Bisson  Kees  Martel  O’Toole  Savoline
DiNovo  Kormos  Martinuk  Ouellette  Tabuns
Ferreira  MacLeod  Miller  Prue  Yakabuski
Hardeman

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, M. Bradley,

Ordered, That each party be allowed to speak for up to five minutes on a motion regarding the commemoration of the 200th Anniversary of the Abolition of the Slave Trade Act, 1807, following which the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the motion without further debate or amendment.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Colle, it was, M. Colle, il est,

Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly recognizes that the 25th of March 2007, marks the 200th anniversary of the passage by the British Parliament of ‘An Act for the Abolition of the Slave Trade, 1807’;

To acknowledge that this trade in human beings was an affront to the core values of our society, to our sense of justice and our reverence for human dignity and freedom;

To acknowledge that the slave trade and slavery is at the historical root of and has contributed to the social and economic inequality that continues to affect people of African descent;

To acknowledge that this legislation contributed greatly to the passage in 1834 of the first Act to abolish slavery throughout the British Empire;

To honour the memory of those who suffered and died as a result of slavery or resisting enslavement and those who fought for its abolition in Ontario and around the world;

To recall with sorrow that slavery was practised on Ontario’s soil;
To recall that in 1793 – a mere two years after its establishment – Upper Canada, as Ontario was then known, passed ‘An Act to prevent the further introduction of Slaves, and to limit the Term of Contracts for Servitude within this Province,’ and that this Act was the first to limit slavery in the British Empire although it did not end enslavement;

To recall also with pride the role that Ontarians later played in the Underground Railroad, which was in operation roughly from 1815-1865, and the courage of those who helped enslaved Africans escape from the United States to freedom in our province;

To acknowledge that this day has been designated by the United Nations as the International Day for the Commemoration of this event.

The Legislative Assembly of the province of Ontario, on behalf of the people of Ontario:

Joins Parliaments and governments around the world in marking this event of global historic significance;

Condemns racism and reaffirms our belief in diversity, inclusion and equality;

Condemns bonded labour and any and all forms of slavery and human trafficking that continue to exist under various guises around the world today.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to identity theft (Sessional Paper No. P-113) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Crozier, Mr. Hampton and Mr. Klees.

Petitions relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Ms. DiNovo, Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to working with Hershey to reverse the decision to close the Smith Falls plant, fund infrastructure projects, complete the four-laning of Highway 7 and the reconstruction of Highway 15, postpone the closure of Rideau Regional Centre, create a fund to attract investment to Eastern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-287) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 2007

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Marchese moved, Second Reading of Bill 185, An Act to amend the Condominium Act, 1998.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Balkissoon then moved, Second Reading of Bill 182, An Act to name February in each year Black History Month.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 185, An Act to amend the Condominium Act, 1998, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 182, An Act to name February in each year Black History Month, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly.
The Speaker addressed the House as follow:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table a copy of an Order in Council appointing Deborah Deller as Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, commencing March 21, 2007 (Sessional Paper No. 394).

PETITIONS

PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to supporting public education (Sessional Paper No. P-139) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to supporting adult literacy initiatives (Sessional Paper No. P-278) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Ferreira, Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Lalonde, Mr. Martiniuk and Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mrs. Elliott and Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to Shehrazad Non-Profit Housing Inc. (Sessional Paper No. P-291) Mr. Milloy.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

ORDRE DU JOUR

With unanimous consent, at 3:09 p.m., the sitting was suspended until 4:00 p.m.

Mr. Sorbara moved, seconded by Mr. McGuinty, That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government, and in doing so presented his 2007 Budget and Budget papers / Budget de l’Ontario de 2007 et les Documents budgétaires (Sessional Paper No. 400).

And a debate having ensued, it was, Un débat s'ensuit et
On motion by Mr. Runciman, Sur la motion de M. Runciman,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned. Il est ordonné que le débat soit ajourné.

Pursuant to Standing Order 57(a), the House reverted to "Introduction of Bills".

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters. Hon. Mr. Sorbara.
Mr. Sorbara delivered to the Speaker a message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by the Speaker and is as follows:-

**JAMES K. BARTLEMAN**

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March 2007 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.


(Sessional Paper No. 401, Citizenship and Immigration, Community and Social Services, Economic Development and Trade, Finance, Health and Long-Term Care, Health Promotion, Municipal Affairs and Housing, Public Infrastructure Renewal, Research and Innovation, Tourism, Training, Colleges and Universities, and Transportation (Supplementary)).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 62(c).

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

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**MONDAY, MARCH 26, 2007**

**TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH DAY**

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table a report of the Ombudsman of Ontario made pursuant to Section 11 of the Ombudsman Act entitled “A Game of Trust,” an investigation into the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation’s protection of the public from fraud and theft (Sessional Paper No. 412).
The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

Pursuant to Standing Order 62(c), the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration, the Ministry of Community and Social Services, the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade, the Ministry of Finance, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, the Ministry of Health Promotion, the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, the Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal, the Ministry of Research and Innovation, the Ministry of Tourism, the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities, and the Ministry of Transportation before the Standing Committee on Estimates are deemed to be passed by the Committee and are deemed to be reported to and received by the House.

Pursuant to Standing Order 61(c), the reported Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration, the Ministry of Economic Development and Trade, the Ministry of Research and Innovation, the Ministry of Tourism, and the Ministry of Transportation, not selected for consideration, are deemed to be concurred in.

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the following ministries were deemed to be passed by the Standing Committee on Estimates and were deemed to be reported to and received by the House:

**MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Adults’ Services $ 105,316,500

**MINISTRY OF FINANCE**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Economic, Fiscal, and Financial Policy $ 615,000

**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Acute and Emergency Health Services $ 183,750,000
- Community and Mental Health $ 35,000,000
- Health Capital $ 9,900,000

**MINISTRY OF HEALTH PROMOTION**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Ministry of Health Promotion $ 14,880,000

**MINISTRY OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HOUSING**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Local Government $ 11,000,000
- Affordable Housing $ 127,115,000

**MINISTRY OF PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE RENEWAL**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Infrastructure and Growth Management Planning/Ministry Administration $ 72,000,000

**MINISTRY OF TRAINING, COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES**
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)
- Postsecondary Education $ 25,200,000

Accordingly, the Supplementary Estimates (2006-2007) of the following ministries, not selected for consideration, were deemed to be received and concurred in:-
MINISTRY OF CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

Citizenship and Immigration Capital $19,895,000

MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TRADE
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

Economic Development and Trade $20,001,000

MINISTRY OF RESEARCH AND INNOVATION
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

Research and Innovation $2,000

MINISTRY OF TOURISM
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

Tourism Capital $17,800,000

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION
(SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES ONLY)

Policy, Planning and Standards $336,122,200
Provincial Highways Management $28,433,000

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007. Hon. Mr. Sorbara.

Bill 189, An Act to proclaim April 24 Armenian Genocide Memorial Day. Mr. Duguid.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the March 30, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death, to the Standing Committee on Social Policy be discharged and the bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly;

The December 7, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies, to the Standing Committee on General Government be discharged and the bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly;

The November 30, 2006 Order of the House referring Bill 164, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002, the Environmental Protection Act and the Occupational Health and Safety Act, to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills be discharged and the bill be referred instead to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly; and
That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly be authorized to meet from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday mornings to consider Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death; Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies; and Bill 164, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002, the Environmental Protection Act and the Occupational Health and Safety Act.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, March 26, 2007, Tuesday, March 27, 2007 and Wednesday, March 28, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 50

Balkissoon Crozier Hoy Meilleur Ramsay
Bentley Delaney Jeffrey Mossop Rinaldi
Berardinetti Dhillion Kular Parsons Sands
Bontrogianni Di Cocco Kwinter Patten Smith
Bradley Dombrowsky Levac Peters Smitherman
Broten Duguid Marsales Peterson Sorbara
Bryant Duncan Matthews Phillips Takhar
Caplan Flynn Mauro Pupatello Van Bommel
Chan Fonseca McMeekin Racco Wynne
Colle Gerretsen McNeely Ramal Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnott Hardeman Marchese Murdoch Tascona
Barrett Horwath Martel O’Toole Tory
DiNovo Hudak Martinuk Prue Witmer
Dunlop Kormos Miller Savoline Yakabuski
Ferreira MacLeod Munro

PETITIONS

Petition relating to amending the Ontario School Boards’ Education Act to divert waste from Ontario high school classrooms and cafeterias (Sessional Paper No. P-168) Mr. Patten.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Ms. DiNovo, Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. O’Toole, Mr. Ouellette, and Mr. Zimmer.

Petition relating to allocating funding for affordable and supportive housing in Ontario’s 2007 provincial budget and re-assume financial responsibility for the cost and repair of the current social housing stock (Sessional Paper No. P-283) Mr. Zimmer.
Petition relating to increasing the Ontario Disability Support Program payments on an annual basis to ensure it covers the cost of living increase incurred by ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-284) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to working with Hershey to reverse the decision to close the Smith Falls plant, fund infrastructure projects, complete the four-laning of Highway 7 and the reconstruction of Highway 15, postpone the closure of Rideau Regional Centre, create a fund to attract investment to Eastern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-287) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

After some time,

Mr. Tory moved that the motion moved by the Minister of Finance on March 22, 2007 "That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government," be amended by deleting the words following the words "That this House" and substituting thereto the following:-

"recognize that the budgetary policy put forward by the Minister of Finance continues the McGuinty government's legacy of broken promises and demands more and more from taxpayers while delivering less and less, and that this House condemns the McGuinty government for:

Saying anything and paying anything that they think will get them elected;

Increasing spending by more than $20 billion since coming to office - an increase of $750,000 every hour they've been in office - and having no results to show for it;

Increasing spending by more than $20 billion since coming to office and still failing to keep a huge number of campaign commitments including, but not limited to:

• The broken promise to not raise taxes;
• The broken promise to close coal-fired electricity plants by 2007;
• The broken promise to balance the budget every year;
• The broken promise to not add to the waste of taxpayers' dollars;
• The broken promise to provide children with autism the support and treatment they need;
• The broken promise to stop school closings;
• The broken promise to ensure 75% of students meet or exceed the provincial standard on province-wide tests within their first mandate;
• The broken promise to implement a hard cap of 20 students for early grades;
• The broken promise to provide a new funding formula for rural and northern schools;
• The broken promise to cap hydro rates at 4.3 cents per kilowatt hour until 2006;
• The broken promise to make the Ministry of Agriculture a lead ministry;
• The broken promise to eliminate barriers to foreign-trained professionals within one year;
• The broken promise to spend $6,000 more per year for individuals in long-term care;
• The broken promise to unclog emergency rooms;
• The broken promise to divert 60% of municipal solid waste by 2005;
• The broken promise to roll back tolls on Highway 407;
• The broken promise to build 20,000 new affordable housing units;
• The broken promise to create tens of thousands of new child care spaces; and
• The broken promise to tackle gridlock.

Continuing this government's ad-hoc, one-off approach to funding key priorities, including a $50 million last minute handout to Magna when less than 24 hours later it was announced they were part of a $4.7 billion bid to purchase Daimler Chrysler;

Referring to tax relief as nothing but "trinkets and baubles" for hardworking Ontario taxpayers, yet maintaining the government's long-standing practice of rushing money out the door at fiscal year-end to fund pet projects;

Failing to provide tax relief to middle-class Ontarians despite manufactured deficits and massive spending increases over and above what was contained in their 2003 election platform;

Overseeing the loss of more than 120,000 manufacturing jobs in the province and failing to respond to a motion passed in this House calling for a comprehensive jobs strategy; and

Failing to provide the strong leadership to make the important decisions that will deliver results to the people of Ontario.

Therefore, the Government has lost the confidence of this House.”

On motion by Mr. Bisson,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mrs. Bountrogianni moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST DAY

DEUX CENT Vingt ET UNIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

 Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

ORDRE DU JOUR

 Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 171, Loi visant à améliorer les systèmes de santé en modifiant ou en abrogeant divers textes de loi et en édictant certaines lois.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 2007

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the following change, effective immediately, be made to the membership of the following Committee:-

On the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:-

Mr. Lalonde replaces Mr. Arthurs.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Ms. DiNovo and Mr. Lalonde.

Petitions relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Ms. DiNovo, Ms. Horwath, Ms. Martel, Mr. Ouellette and Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to working with Hershey to reverse the decision to close the Smith Falls plant, fund infrastructure projects, complete the four-laning of Highway 7 and the reconstruction of Highway 15, postpone the closure of Rideau Regional Centre, create a fund to attract investment to Eastern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-287) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to amending Bill 38 to include other issues relating to identity theft for consideration before a committee (Sessional Paper No. P-294) Mr. Ruprecht.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

At 6:00 p.m., the question "That this House do now adjourn" was deemed to have been proposed pursuant to Standing Order 37(b).

After one matter was considered, the question was deemed to have been adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Gerretsen,

Ordered, That notwithstanding any Standing Order, the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministries of Community and Social Services (Supplementaries only); Finance (Supplementaries only); Health and Long-Term Care (Supplementaries only); Health Promotion (Supplementaries only); Municipal Affairs and Housing (Supplementaries only); Public Infrastructure Renewal (Supplementaries only); Training, Colleges and Universities (Supplementaries only); and Order G188, Second Reading of Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007, may be called concurrently; and

That when such Orders are called, they shall be considered concurrently in a single debate; and

That the time available to 9:20 p.m. this evening shall be divided equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That at the conclusion of the debate the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Order for Concurrence in Supply for each of the ministries named above, and to dispose of all remaining stages of Bill 188; and

If a recorded vote is requested by 5 members, all divisions shall be stacked, and there shall be a single 10 minute division bell.

A debate arose on the Orders for Concurrence in Supply for the following ministries:-
Ministry of Community and Social Services (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Finance (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Health Promotion (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal (Supplementaries only);

Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities (Supplementaries only); and

On the motion for Second Reading of Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007.

After some time, the question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Community and Social Services (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Finance (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.
The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Health Promotion (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the Order for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities (Supplementaries only), it was declared carried.

And Supply was accordingly concurred in.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007, it was declared carried.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007, was then read the third time and was passed.
Mr. Sorbara moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Lalonde, Mr. O’Toole, and Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mrs. Elliott and Mrs. Savoline.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to the Health Care Consent Act (Sessional Paper No. P-295) Mr. Martiniuk.
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Mr. Duguid moved, M. Duguid propose, That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services should request the Chief Firearms Officer to conduct a study to identify ways of better regulating ammunition which includes consideration of additional mechanisms to further restrict and/or ban the sale and possession of ammunition for hand guns and to share relevant findings with Federal and Provincial/Territorial partners.
A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Ferreira then moved, Ensuite, M. Ferreira propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Legislative Assembly of Ontario call on the Government of Ontario to move expeditiously to establish and implement a comprehensive landlord licensing program, to ensure minimum standards for rental accommodation throughout Ontario, with the following features:

The program would be fully integrated with existing municipal property standards by-laws and Part XIV (Maintenance Standards of the Residential Tenancies Act, 2006);

Administration and enforcement would be the responsibility of the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, and could be assigned to individual municipalities by agreement;

Landlords would be required to obtain a licence for each residential complex containing more than 10 residential units;

Annual licence fees would be paid into special funds dedicated to supporting program administration and enforcement;

Residential complexes would be regularly inspected and work orders would be issued to ensure compliance with minimum standards;

Repeated failure to comply with work orders would be dealt with by a rent escrow system, whereby tenants in the affected residential complex would pay part of their rent into a special account, administered by the landlord licensing program and used to ensure that repairs are carried out;

Serious infractions would result in prosecution and substantial fines could be imposed on conviction; and

That the Government of Ontario report back to the Legislature on the implementation of this program during the spring 2007 sitting.

The question having been put on Mr. Duguid’s Resolution Number 49, it was declared carried.

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 49 de M. Duguid est déclarée adoptée.

The question having been put on Mr. Ferreira’s Resolution Number 52, it was lost on the following division:-

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 52 de M. Ferreira est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

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San
Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 193, An Act to amend the Environmental Protection Act with respect to the stewardship of products and of the packages or containers used for products. Mr. Miller.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot items 77 and 78.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to allocating funding for affordable and supportive housing in Ontario’s 2007 provincial budget and re-assume financial responsibility for the cost and repair of the current social housing stock (Sessional Paper No. P-283) Mr. O'Toole and Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to working with Hershey to reverse the decision to close the Smith Falls plant, fund infrastructure projects, complete the four-laning of Highway 7 and the reconstruction of Highway 15, postpone the closure of Rideau Regional Centre, create a fund to attract investment to Eastern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-287) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to mandating and subsidizing Citizens for Lifelong Learning programs (Sessional Paper No. P-296) Mr. Berardinetti.

Petition relating to supporting Bill 156 to reclassify the double-crested cormorant (Sessional Paper No. P-297) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 2, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee’s Report. Pursuant to Standing Order 109(b), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 420).

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 194, An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day.  Mr. Klees.

Bill 195, An Act to proclaim Family Day.  Mr. O’Toole.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 2, 2007, Tuesday, April 3, 2007 and Wednesday, April 4, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

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NAYS / CONTRE - 20

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Ouellette
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PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to Toronto Community Housing (Sessional Paper No. P-196) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mrs. Savoline.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to supporting Bill 156 to reclassify the double-crested cormorant (Sessional Paper No. P-297) Mr. Miller, Mr. Ouellette, and Mr. Parsons.

Petition relating to FirstOntario Credit Union Limited (Sessional Paper No. P-298) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to a second compulsory Physical Education credit for secondary schools (Sessional Paper No. P-299) Mr. Craitor.
Petition relating to increasing the funding provided to Long Term Care facilities for Raw Food and Dietary Labour (Sessional Paper No. P-300) Mr. Craitor.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the House sit beyond 6:00 p.m. for the purpose of completing consideration of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth; and Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts; following which, notwithstanding any other Order of the House, the Speaker shall adjourn the House until 1:30 p.m. on April 3, 2007; and that this afternoon be considered one full sessional day of debate on Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

The following Bill was read the second time:

Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The following Bill was read the second time:

Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

The House then adjourned at 6:01 p.m.
**TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 2007**  
**TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**  
1:30 P.M.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 196, An Act to amend the Income Tax Act to provide for a tax credit for expenses incurred in using public transit. Mr. O'Toole.


On motion by Mr. Craitor, Bill 199, An Act to amend the Liquor Control Act to permit the sale of VQA wine and Ontario microbrewery beer at convenience stores, was introduced and read the first time on the following division:-

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Petition relating to eliminating the province’s health tax (Sessional Paper No. P-182) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to Toronto Community Housing (Sessional Paper No. P-196) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to permitting the sale of domestic wines and beers in local convenience stores (Sessional Paper No. P-232) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Crozier.

Petition relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to supporting Bill 156 to reclassify the double-crested cormorant (Sessional Paper No. P-297) Mr. Crozier.

Petition relating to a second compulsory Physical Education credit for secondary schools (Sessional Paper No. P-299) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mrs. Elliott and Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Murdoch.

ORDERS OF THE DAY


After some time, Mr. Runciman moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 7  NAYS - 25

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Runciman moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 8  NAYS - 38

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 2007

PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated April 4, 2007 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 422).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 200, An Act to provide for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in Ontario. Mr. Bisson.

PETITIONS
Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to passing the Bill that will amend the Ontario School Boards’ Cafeteria Food Guidelines (Sessional Paper No. P-154) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to a second compulsory Physical Education credit for secondary schools (Sessional Paper No. P-299) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Balkissoon, Mr. Fonseca and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petitions relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Hardeman, Mr. Martiniuk, Mr. O’Toole, Mr. Ouellette and Ms. Scott.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
ORDRE DU JOUR

Opposition Day
Jour de l'opposition

Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Premier has failed to ensure the highest level of integrity and responsibility for his ministers, the most recent example being when lottery-playing Ontario citizens were ripped off and the Minister responsible sat idly by and did nothing;

That, in the opinion of this House, the McGuinty government as a whole has breached the faith of the people of Ontario, has failed to protect their interests, failed to address the urgent issues facing them and their pocketbooks, and failed to deliver meaningful results; and

That, in the opinion of this House, the Premier should start upholding standards of integrity, responsibility, and accountability.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

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The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m. À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.
April 4 and 5, 2007  

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND DAY

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Ouellette moved,

Second Reading of Bill 172, An Act to amend the Municipal Act, 2001 to provide for the direct election of the Durham Regional Council chair.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mrs. Munro then moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should establish an independent commission to devise and carry out a plan for the commemoration of the bicentennial of the War of 1812; that this commission should include among its members representatives of groups dedicated to the preservation of Canada’s military history and heritage as well as representatives of Ontario communities that are the sites of battles or other significant events of the war; and that the Government of Ontario should work with the Government of Canada and other Governments to commemorate the War of 1812 during its bicentennial and afterwards as an important tourism and educational experience.

DEUX CENT TREnte ET UNIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 187, Loi concernant les mesures budgétaires, l’affectation anticipée de crédits et d'autres questions.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

JEUDI 5 AVRIL 2007

DEUX CENT TREnte-DEUXIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES

10 H

M. Ouellette propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 172, Loi modifiant la Loi de 2001 sur les municipalités pour prévoir l'élection au scrutin général du président du conseil régional de Durham.

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, Mme Munro propose,
The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 172, An Act to amend the Municipal Act, 2001 to provide for the direct election of the Durham Regional Council chair, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on Mrs. Munro’s Resolution Number 50, it was declared carried.

1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

Bill 201, An Act to provide protection for minors participating in amateur sports. Mr. Ouellette.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:

Mr. Bisson and Mr. Kormos exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Kormos assumes ballot item number 77 and Mr. Bisson assumes ballot item number 78.

The House expressed its condolence on the death of Mel Swart, Member for the Electoral District of Welland from September 18, 1975 to June 8, 1977 and Member for the Electoral District of Welland-Thorold from June 9, 1977 to June 30, 1988.

Following remarks by Mr. Bradley, Mrs. Witmer, and Mr. Hampton in commemoration of the Battle of Vimy Ridge, the House observed a moment of silence.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Ms. DiNovo.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Arthurs, Mr. Delaney, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Fonseca, and Mr. Kular.
Petitions relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Hardeman, Mrs. Savoline, and Mr. Wilson.

ORDERS OF THE DAY
With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-
On motion by Mr. Phillips,
That any recorded divisions on the Budget motion be deferred until Tuesday, April 10, 2007, at Deferred Votes.

Debate was resumed on the Amendment to the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.

After some time, the amendment to the motion having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) declared his opinion that the Nays had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,
Pursuant to the agreement made earlier, the vote was deferred to Tuesday, April 10, 2007.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-
Bill 202, An Act to create a right of passage along the shoreline of the Great Lakes.  Mr. Craitor.

MOTIONS
Mr. Bradley moved,
That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 10, 2007, and Wednesday, April 11, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 60**

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**DEFERRED VOTES**

The deferred vote on the amendment to the motion that this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government, as follows:-

That the motion moved by the Minister of Finance on March 22, 2007 "That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government," be amended by deleting the words following the words "That this House" and substituting thereto the following:-

"recognize that the budgetary policy put forward by the Minister of Finance continues the McGuinty government's legacy of broken promises and demands more and more from taxpayers while delivering less and less, and that this House condemns the McGuinty government for:

Saying anything and paying anything that they think will get them elected;

Increasing spending by more than $20 billion since coming to office - an increase of $750,000 every hour they've been in office - and having no results to show for it;

Increasing spending by more than $20 billion since coming to office and still failing to keep a huge number of campaign commitments including, but not limited to:
• The broken promise to not raise taxes;
• The broken promise to close coal-fired electricity plants by 2007;
• The broken promise to balance the budget every year;
• The broken promise to not add to the waste of taxpayers' dollars;
• The broken promise to provide children with autism the support and treatment they need;
• The broken promise to stop school closings;
• The broken promise to ensure 75% of students meet or exceed the provincial standard on province-wide tests within their first mandate;
• The broken promise to implement a hard cap of 20 students for early grades;
• The broken promise to provide a new funding formula for rural and northern schools;
• The broken promise to cap hydro rates at 4.3 cents per kilowatt hour until 2006;
• The broken promise to make the Ministry of Agriculture a lead ministry;
• The broken promise to eliminate barriers to foreign-trained professionals within one year;
• The broken promise to spend $6,000 more per year for individuals in long-term care;
• The broken promise to unclog emergency rooms;
• The broken promise to divert 60% of municipal solid waste by 2005;
• The broken promise to roll back tolls on Highway 407;
• The broken promise to build 20,000 new affordable housing units;
• The broken promise to create tens of thousands of new child care spaces; and
• The broken promise to tackle gridlock.

Continuing this government's ad-hoc, one-off approach to funding key priorities, including a $50 million last minute handout to Magna when less than 24 hours later it was announced they were part of a $4.7 billion bid to purchase Daimler Chrysler;

Referring to tax relief as nothing but "trinkets and baubles" for hardworking Ontario taxpayers, yet maintaining the government's long-standing practice of rushing money out the door at fiscal year-end to fund pet projects;

Failing to provide tax relief to middle-class Ontarians despite manufactured deficits and massive spending increases over and above what was contained in their 2003 election platform;

Overseeing the loss of more than 120,000 manufacturing jobs in the province and failing to respond to a motion passed in this House calling for a comprehensive jobs strategy; and

Failing to provide the strong leadership to make the important decisions that will deliver results to the people of Ontario.

Therefore, the Government has lost the confidence of this House.”

was lost on the following division:-
The Main motion, having then been put, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 62

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bartolucci
Bentley
Bountrogianni
Bradley
Broten
Brownell
Bryant
Cansfield
Caplan
Chambers
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Colle
Craitor
Crozier
Delaney
Dhillon
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Duncan
Flynn
Fonseca
Gerretsen
Gravelle
Hoy

Jeffrey
Kular
Kwinter
Lalonde
Leal
Levac
Matthews
Mauro
McGuinty
McMeekin
McNeely
Meilleur
Milloy

Milloy
Mitchell
Mossop
Orazietti
Parsons
Patten
Peters
Phillips
Pupatello
Quadri
Racco
Ramo
Ramsay
Rinaldi
Ruprecht
Sandsals
Sergio
Smith
Smithman
Sorbara
Takhar
Van Bommel
Watson
Wynne

AYES / POUR - 62

NAYS / CONTRE - 27

Arnott
Barrett
Chudleigh
DiNovo
Dunlop
Elliott

Ferreira
Hardeman
Horwath
Hudak
Klees
MacLeod

Martel
Martiniuk
Miller
Munro
O’Toole
Prue

Prue
Runciman
Savoline
Scott
Sterling
Tabuns
Tascona
Tory
Witmer
Yakabuski

And it was,

Resolved, That this House approves in general the Budgetary Policy of the Government.
PETITIONS

Petitions relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to ensuring Dickinson Square remains a public place (Sessional Paper No. P-198) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petition relating to ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities (Sessional Paper No. P-254) Ms. MacLeod.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petitions relating to a second compulsory Physical Education credit for secondary schools (Sessional Paper No. P-299) Mr. Craitor, Mr. Kular, and Mr. Leal.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 187, Loi concernant les mesures budgétaires, l'affectation anticipée de crédits et d'autres questions.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 155, Loi prévoyant un référendum sur le système électoral de l'Ontario.
After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor together with the Estimates accompanying same be deemed to be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates pursuant to Standing Order 58.
With unanimous consent, the House observed a moment of silence in respect of the death in Afghanistan of Canadian soldier Corporal Brent Poland, of the 2nd Battalion, Royal Canadian Regiment.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to permitting the sale of domestic wines and beers in local convenience stores (Sessional Paper No. P-232) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Ms. DiNovo.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Crozier, Mr. Leal and Mrs. Van Bommel.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Dunlop and Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Opposition Day

Mr. Hampton moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the 2007 Ontario budget fails to address the pressing need for border infrastructure in the Windsor Region, and;

That, in the opinion of this House, the McGuinty Government must immediately commit to funding the Windsor-Detroit corridor infrastructure including tunneled access to the next border crossing and guarantee that there will be no toll roads.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 15**

Arnott  
Bisson  
Chudleigh  
DiNovo  
Elliott  
Ferreira  
Hampton  
Horwath  
Kormos  
Martel  
Martiniuk  
Munro  
O'Toole  
Savoline  
Tabuns

**NAYS / CONTRE - 48**

Arthurs  
Balkissoon  
Bartolucci  
Berardinetti  
Bountrogianni  
Brownell  
Cansfield  
Caplan  
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Craitor  
Crozier  
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Rinaldi  
Sandsals  
Sergio  
Smith  
Takhar  
Van Bommel  
Watson  
Wynne  
Zimmer
The House then adjourned at 5:45 p.m.  
À 17 h 45, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

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**TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH DAY**  
**DEUX CENT TREnte-SIXIÈME JOUR**

**6:45 P.M.**  
**18 H 45**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**  
**ORDRE DU JOUR**

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters, when Bill 187 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs; and

That the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on April 25, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and following Routine Proceedings until 6:00 p.m., if needed for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill and that the Committee be further authorized to meet on May 1, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and following Routine Proceedings for the purpose of clause by clause consideration of the bill; and

That the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 p.m. on April 27, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 1, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 2, 2007. In the event that the committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That at 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be on the day that the order for Third Reading of the bill is called as the first government order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That no deferral of the Second Reading vote pursuant to Standing Order 28(h) shall be permitted; and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, except in the case of any vote deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h), the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

Un débat s’ensuit et après quelque temps, la motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 36

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bartolucci
Berardinetti
Brownell
Caplan
Chan
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Craitor
Fonseca
Gerretsen
Kular
Lalonde
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Levac
Marsales
Matthews
Mauro
McNeely
Meilleur
Milloy
Mitchell
Mossop
Orazietti
Parsons
Quadri
Ramal
Ramsay
Rinaldi
Ruprecht
Sandals
Sergio
Smith
Smitherman
Van Bommel
Watson

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Arnott
Barrett
Bisson
Dunlop
Elliott
Martiniuk
Munro
O’Toole
Savoline

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 2007

JEUDI 12 AVRIL 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

DEUX CENT TRENTSEPTIÈME JOUR

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

Mr. Kormos moved,


A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Bisson then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 200, An Act to provide for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in Ontario.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 192, An Act to amend the Labour Relations Act, 1995, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR – 27

Bisson
Bradley
Dhillon
DiNovo
Duguid
Flynn
Hampton
Hardeman
Horwath
Hoy
Jeffrey
Kormos
Lalonde
Leal
Levac
Martel
Matthews
McMeekin
McNeely
Milloy
Patten
Ruprecht
Sandals
Sergio
Tabuns
Zimmer
NAYS / CONTRE – 6

Arthurs Balkissoon
Chudleigh Kwinter Qaadri Smitherman

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 200, An Act to provide for the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions in Ontario, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy.

1:30 P.M. 13 H 30

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 204, An Act respecting the observance of Remembrance Day and to make related amendments and repeals to other Acts. Mr. Tascona.

PETITIONS PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to stopping tuition fee hikes and improving access and quality in Post-Secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-241) Ms. DiNovo.

Petition relating to the Ministry of Natural Resources (Sessional Paper No. P-257) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to delaying any decision on the future development of the Lakeview Generation Station (Sessional Paper No. P-262) Mr. Peterson.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Kormos and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to allocating funding for affordable and supportive housing in Ontario’s 2007 provincial budget and re-assume financial responsibility for the cost and repair of the current social housing stock (Sessional Paper No. P-283) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Hardeman.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario's water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 205, An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act, 2002 with respect to payday loans. Mr. Tascona.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 16, 2007, and Tuesday, April 17, 2007 for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 42

Balkissoon  Caplan  Gravelle  McMeekin  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Chambers  Jeffrey  McNeely  Sandals
Bentley  Chan  Kular  Meilleur  Sergio
Berardinetti  Colle  Kwinter  Mitchell  Smith
Bradley  Craitor  Lalonde  Parsons  Smitherman
Broten  Dhillon  Marsales  Patten  Watson
Brownell  Dombrowsky  Matthews  Phillips  Wynne
Bryant  Duguid  Mauro  Racco  Zimmer
Cansfield  Flynn

NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Ferreira  Kormos  Ouellette  Tascona
Chudleigh  Hardeman  Miller  Prue  Tory
DiNovo  Horwath  Munro  Savoline  Witmer
Dunlop  Hudak  Murdoch  Scott  Yakabuski
Elliott  Klees  O’Toole  Tabuns

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley, Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Bradley,

Ordered, That pursuant to Section 76(5) of the Commodity Futures Act, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs be authorized to review the January 2007 Report of the Ontario Commodity Futures Act Advisory Committee (Sessional Paper No. 417); and

That the Committee be authorized to report to the House its opinions, observations and recommendations concerning amendments to the Commodity Futures Act.

Following remarks by Mr. Kwinter, Mr. Tory and Mr. Ferreira, the House observed a moment of silence in commemoration of Yom ha-Shoah – Holocaust Memorial Day.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to not approving the expansion of the Carp landfill (Sessional Paper No. P-146) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mr. Craitor.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario Pension Benefits Act to give seniors the option of transferring locked-in pension funds into an R.R.S.P. at the age of 55 (Sessional Paper No. P-238) Ms. DiNovo.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.
Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Prue.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Milloy.

Petition relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Milloy.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to appealing the Ontario Court decision allowing more than two legal parents (Sessional Paper No. P-301) Mr. Murdoch.

Petitions relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. O'Toole and Mrs. Savoline.

Petitions relating to starting construction of the Spadina-York Subway extension during the year 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-304) Mr. Racco, Mrs. Sandals and Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to rebuilding or replacing the Shewfelt Bridge (Sessional Paper No. P-305) Mrs. Van Bommel.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Tory moved,

That the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly shall meet for the purposes of an inquiry. The terms of reference of this inquiry include but are not limited to: an investigation into the flow of information between the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation, the Minister and Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal and the Premier’s Office regarding the issues of fraud and other irregularities within Ontario’s provincial lottery system, including documentary and viva voce evidence, and a review of the actions taken and the actions which might more appropriately have been taken to protect the interests of the citizens of Ontario and restore their faith and confidence in the integrity of Ontario’s lottery system;

That the Committee for the purpose of this referral is to be chaired by a member of the Official Opposition;

That the subcommittee of the Committee be composed of one representative from each party plus the Chair;

That the subcommittee shall have the ultimate decision-making power with respect to the calling of witnesses and any other procedural aspects of the proceedings and all matters arising relevant to the execution of the terms of reference of the Committee. A minimum list of witnesses will be determined by the House Leaders; additional witnesses to be determined by the subcommittee;

That there shall be a Committee counsel hired and directed by the subcommittee paid for by the Legislative Assembly;

That the subcommittee can through Speaker’s warrant compel the attendance of any person to attend and give evidence;

That the subcommittee can through Speaker’s warrant require any person to produce in evidence such documents and things as the subcommittee may specify;
That the members of the Committee and/or their counsel shall be permitted to obtain production and review of any document or thing and disclosure of any viva voce evidence necessary and ancillary to the purpose of this investigation;

That prior to the commencement of the Committee hearings the subcommittee may require the attendance of any person or production of any document for the purpose of a preliminary examination for discovery;

That the Legislative Assembly Committee has priority over all other Committees with respect to its sitting time and in any event, the Committee shall not sit as a Committee for the purposes of this matter prior to the 1st day of May, 2007. The Committee shall complete its investigation and file its report on this matter no later than the 30th day of June, 2007;

That the Legislative Assembly Committee be authorized to meet at the call of the Chair and notwithstanding prorogation;

That any witness compelled to appear before the Committee may attend with counsel and shall be required to give testimony upon oath pursuant to section 59 of the Legislative Assembly Act; and

That the Committee may if requested permit any portion of its proceedings to occur in camera.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 29

Arnott    Barrett    Bisson    Chudleigh    DiNovo    Dunlop
          Elliott    Ferreira    Hardeman    Horwath    Hudak    Kees
          Kormos     Marchese    Martiniuk    Miller      Munro    Murdoch
          O'Toole    Ouellette   Prue        Runciman    Savoline  Scott
          Sterling   Tory        Wilson      Witmer     Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 48

Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Bountrogianni  Bradley  Brownell  Bryant  Caplan  Chan
           Crainthorpe  Dhillon  Dombrowsky  Duguid  Flynn  Fonseca  Gerretsen  Gravelle  Jeffrey  Kalar
           Kormos     Marchese    Martiniuk    Miller      Munro    Murdoch
           O'Toole    Ouellette   Prue        Runciman    Savoline  Scott
           Sterling   Tory        Wilson      Witmer     Yakabuski

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

**TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH DAY**  **DEUX CENT TRENTE-NEUVIÈME JOUR**

6:45 P.M.  **18 H 45**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Mr. Bradley moved,

**ORDRE DU JOUR**

M. Bradley propose,
That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario’s electoral system, when Bill 155 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the third reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 31

Balkissoon Crozier Jeffrey Milloy Sandals
Bentley Dombrowsky Lalonde Mitchell Smith
Berardinetti Duguid Leal Mossop Smitherman
Bountrogianni Flynn Matthews Racco Van Bommel
Bradley Fonseca McNeely Ramal Watson
Brownell Gravelle Meilleur Ruprecht Zimmer
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NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Elliott Kormos Murdoch Scott Yakabuski
Ferreira Miller Ouellette Sterling

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m. À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 2007
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TWO HUNDRED AND FORTIETH DAY
DEUX CENT QUARANTIÈME JOUR

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 207, An Act to require bilingual signs in provincial parks, parks under the control of the Niagara Parks Commission and at major provincial tourist attractions. Mr. Lalonde.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 207, Loi exigeant l'érection de panneaux bilingues dans les parcs provinciaux, dans les parcs sous le contrôle de la Commission des parcs du Niagara et à l'emplacement d'importantes attractions touristiques provinciales. M. Lalonde.
On motion by Mr. Kormos, Bill 208, An Act to amend the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act respecting the Speaker of the Assembly, was introduced and read the first time on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 68

Arnott  Di Cocco  Klees  Murdoch  Sandals
Balkissoon  DiNovo  Kormos  O`Toole  Savoline
Bartolucci  Dombrowsky  Kwinter  Parsons  Sergio
Bentley  Duguid  Lalonde  Patten  Smith
Bradley  Duncan  Marsales  Peters  Tabuns
Broten  Dunlop  Martinuk  Prue  Tascona
Bryant  Elliott  Matthews  Quadri  Van Bommel
Cansfield  Ferreira  Mauro  Racco  Watson
Chambers  Flynn  McNeeley  Ramal  Wilson
Chan  Fonseca  Meilleur  Rinaldi  Witmer
Chudleigh  Gravelle  Miller  Runciman  Wynne
Colle  Hardeman  Mitchell  Ruprecht  Yakabuski
Delaney  Horwath  Mosrop  
Dhillon  Hudak  Munro  

NAYS / CONTRE - 1

Smitherman

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


Bill 213, An Act to recognize sign language as an official language in Ontario. Mr. Parsons.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Order of the House dated April 11, 2007 allocating time for proceedings on Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters, and the Order of the House dated April 16, 2007 allocating time for proceedings on Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario`s electoral system, shall be modified to the extent necessary to provide for the following:-

The Orders for Second Reading of Bill 187 and Third Reading of Bill 155 shall be called consecutively at the outset of Orders of the Day today; and

Any required divisions on these bills shall be deferred and taken in succession, the Members called in once, the division bells limited to 10 minutes, and the Chamber doors unlocked for 30 seconds between the two divisions; and
All the other provisions of the two time allocation Orders shall otherwise continue to apply; and

This afternoon’s debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario’s water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act, shall be considered a full sessional day for the purposes of Standing Order 46.

Following remarks by Mr. McGuinty, Mr. Tory and Mr. Hampton, the House observed a moment of silence to commemorate the life of June Callwood.

PETITIONS

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Delaney, Mr. Flynn and Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Hardeman.


Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on April 11, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 55

Bartolucci  Colle  Jeffrey  Milloy  Rinaldi
Bentley  Crozier  Kular  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Bountrogianni  Delaney  Kwinter  Mossop  Sandals
Bradley  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Orazietti  Sergio
Broten  Dombrowsky  Leal  Patten  Smith
Brownell  Duguid  Marsales  Peters  Smitherman
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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on April 16, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario's water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 198, Loi visant à modifier la Loi sur les ressources en eau de l'Ontario afin d'assurer la sauvegarde et la durabilité des eaux de l'Ontario, à apporter des modifications connexes à la Loi de 2002 sur la salubrité de l'eau potable et à abroger la Loi sur le contrôle des transferts d'eau.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 184, Loi visant à protéger les espèces en péril et à apporter des modifications connexes à d'autres lois.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

The House then adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

À 21 h 20, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

DEUX CENT QUARANTE ET UNIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR
PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Hudak from the Standing Committee on Estimates presented the Committee’s report as follows:

Pursuant to Standing Order 59, your Committee has selected the Estimates (2007-2008) of the following ministries and offices for consideration:

Office of the Premier 8 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Public Infrastructure Renewal 7 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Natural Resources 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Children and Youth Services 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of the Attorney General 8 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs 7 hrs. 00 mins.
Ministry of Energy 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of the Environment 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Culture 7 hrs. 30 mins.
Ministry of Health Promotion 7 hrs. 30 mins.

Pursuant to Standing Order 60, the Estimates (2007-2008) of the following ministries and offices not selected for consideration are deemed passed by the Committee and reported to the House in accordance with the terms of the Standing Order and are deemed to be received and concurred in:

ONTARIO SECRETARIAT FOR ABORIGINAL AFFAIRS

2001 Ontario Secretariat for Aboriginal Affairs $ 28,365,000

CABINET OFFICE

401 Cabinet Office $ 14,401,300

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

701 Ministry Administration $ 34,083,300
702 Adults’ Services 7,327,629,800

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY SAFETY AND CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

2601 Ministry Administration $ 136,255,400
2603 Policing Services 150,977,500
2604 Ontario Provincial Police 790,521,800
2605 Correctional Services 715,096,400
2606 Justice Technology Services 55,159,800
2607 Agencies, Boards and Commissions 5,081,000
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1601 Ministry Administration $ 22,352,700
1602 Pay Equity Commission 4,040,200
1603 Labour Relations 21,694,900
1604 Occupational Health and Safety 84,911,800
1605 Employment Rights and Responsibilities 27,589,800

OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

1701 Office of the Lieutenant Governor $ 1,130,200

MINISTRY OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS AND HOUSING

1901 Ministry Administration $ 27,738,900
1902 Local Government 27,728,100
1903 Land Use Planning and Building Regulation 15,980,500
1904 Affordable Housing 803,072,700

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT AND MINES

2201 Ministry Administration $ 10,075,200
2202 Northern Development 623,623,200
2203 Mines and Minerals 43,789,200

MINISTRY OF RESEARCH AND INNOVATION

4301 Research and Innovation $ 371,135,400

MINISTRY OF REVENUE

3201 Tax Revenue $ 525,106,400

MINISTRY OF SMALL BUSINESS AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

3101 Small Business and Entrepreneurship $ 26,347,900

MINISTRY OF TOURISM

3801 Ministry Administration $ 5,021,300
3802 Tourism 71,865,900
3804 Tourism Capital 48,154,300

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION

2701 Ministry Administration $ 51,314,500
2702 Policy and Planning 896,234,600
2703 Road User Safety 150,233,100
2704 Provincial Highways Management 1,519,311,100
2705 Economics and Transportation Cluster 55,839,200

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 215, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les droits des aveugles. M. Martiniuk.
Bill 216, An Act to promote the purchase of mass transit vehicles that are made in Canada. Mr. Mauro.

MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,
Ordered, That the following change be made to the membership of the following committee:-

On the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly:-
Mr. Fonseca replaces Mr. Peterson.

PETITIONS
Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Mr. Ferreira.

Petition relating to delaying any decision on the future development of the Lakeview Generation Station (Sessional Paper No. P-262) Mr. Peterson.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mrs. Savoline.

Petition relating to starting construction of the Spadina-York Subway extension during the year 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-304) Mr. Duguid.

Petition relating to supporting the York subway expansion and rejecting Howard Hampton and the NDP’s desire to kill it (Sessional Paper No. P-308) Mr. Balkissoon.

Petition relating to passing Bill 150, the NDP’s Living Wage Bill (Sessional Paper No. P-309) Mr. Ferreira.

Petition relating to repealing Regulation 505/06 under the Day Nurseries Act in the District of Parry Sound (Sessional Paper No. P-310) Mr. Miller.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario’s water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act.

The Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 155, An Act to provide for a referendum on Ontario's electoral system.

Bill 188, An Act to authorize the expenditure of certain amounts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2007.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY APRIL 19, 2007

PRAYERS

10:00 A.M.

With unanimous consent, the House suspended from 10:03 a.m. to 10:11 a.m.

Mrs. Savoline moved, Mme Savoline propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care should immediately identify Burlington’s Joseph Brant Memorial Hospital for inclusion on the Ministry’s Capital Projects Priorities List; and the McGuinty government should then release to the proud people of Burlington the $40 million needed for the Joseph Brant hospital renewal project.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.
Mr. Wilson then moved, Ensuite, M. Wilson propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Ontario Liberal Government should provide Stevenson Memorial Hospital with the required $1.4 million in new funding over the next three years so that it can re-open its birthing unit and ensure that enough obstetricians and health care providers can be recruited to supply a stable and ongoing service for expectant mothers in New Tecumseth, Adjala-Tosorontio and Essa.

The question having been put on Mrs. Savoline’s Resolution Number 57, it was lost on the following division:-

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 57 de Mme Savoline est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

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The question having been put on Mr. Wilson’s Resolution Number 55, it was lost on the following division:-

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 55 de M. Wilson est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

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**1:30 P.M.**

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to providing access to Velcade and other intravenous cancer chemotherapy drugs (Sessional Paper No. P-7) Ms. Martel.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.
Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to starting construction of the Spadina-York Subway extension during the year 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-304) Mr. Balkissoon.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
Ordered, That in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be authorized to meet Wednesday, April 25, 2007 and Thursday, April 26, 2007 after Routine Proceedings and to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment for the purpose of conducting public hearings on Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

Mr. Caplan moved, M. Caplan propose,
That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 23, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

Arthurs  Chambers  Gerretsen  Mauro  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Chan  Hoy  McNeely  Smith
Bartolucci  Colle  Jeffrey  Orazietti  Smitherman
Bentley  Crozier  Kular  Parsons  Sorbara
Berardinetti  Delaney  Kwinter  Patten  Takhar
Broten  Dhillon  Lalone  Peters  Watson
Brownell  Dombrowsky  Levac  Phillips  Wynne
Cansfield  Flynn  Marsales  Ramsay  Zimmer
Caplan  Fonseca  Matthews  Rinaldi

NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnott  Ferreira  Martel  Prue  Tabuns
Chudleigh  Hardeman  Martiniuk  Runciman  Tory
DiNovo  Kormos  Miller  Savoline  Witmer
Elliott  Marchese  O'Toole  Scott  Yakabuski

PETITIONS

Petition relating to amending the Children’s Law Reform Act to emphasize the importance of children’s relationships with their parents and grandparents (Sessional Paper No. P-205) Mrs. Elliott.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Flynn and Ms. Smith.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Dunlop and Mrs. Elliott.

Petitions relating to a bill entitled Endangered Species Act, 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-306) Mr. Miller, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. O'Toole, Mr. Ouellette, and Ms. Scott.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Mr. Bentley moved, M. Bentley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts, when Bill 184 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the second reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government; and

That the Standing Committee on General Government shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on May 2, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and May 7, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill; and

That the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 p.m. on May 8, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 9, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 10, 2007. In the event that the committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on General Government, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and
That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:

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The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

**Prayers**

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table a Special Report of the Environmental Commissioner of Ontario concerning the Ministry of the Environment and the Ministry of Natural Resources entitled “Doing Less with Less: How shortfalls in budget, staffing and in-house expertise are hampering the effectiveness of MOE and MNR” (Sessional Paper No. 434).

**Introduction of Bills**

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:

Bill 217, An Act to establish a deposit and return system for batteries. Mr. Miller.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 24, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 51

Arthurs Crozier Hoy McMeekin Ruprecht
Balkissoon Delaney Jeffrey McNeely Sands
Bartolucci Dhillon Kular Mitchell Sergio
Bentley Di Cocco Kwinter Mossop Smith
Bradley Dombrowsky Lalonde Orazietti Smitherman
Broten Duguid Leal Patten Takhar
Bryant Duncan Levac Peters Van Bommel
Cansfield Flynn Marsales Phillips Watson
Caplan Fonseca Matthews Ramal Wilkinson
Chan Gravelle Mauro Rinaldi Wynne
Craitor

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Chudleigh Hardeman Martel O’Toole Scott
DiNovo Horwath Martiniuk Ouellette Tabuns
Dunlop Hudak Miller Prue Tascona
Elliott Kees Munro Savoline Yakabuski
Ferreira Kormos Murdoch

PETITIONS

Petition relating to funding the treatment of the occult sub-type of macular degeneration with photodynamic therapy for all patients (Sessional Paper No. P-108) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to consideration for a full-service passport office in the City of Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-163) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to supporting the Ombudsman having the power to probe decisions and investigate complaints concerning the Children’s Aid Societies (Sessional Paper No. P-211) Ms. Horwath.


Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Klees, Mr. Leal and Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to allocating funding for affordable and supportive housing in Ontario’s 2007 provincial budget and re-assume financial responsibility for the cost and repair of the current social housing stock (Sessional Paper No. P-283) Mr. Dunlop.

Petition relating to appealing the Ontario Court decision allowing more than two legal parents (Sessional Paper No. P-301) Mr. Murdoch.
Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to passing Bill 150, the NDP’s Living Wage Bill (Sessional Paper No. P-309) Ms. Horwath.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario’s water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act, when Bill 198 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy; and

That the Standing Committee on Justice Policy shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Wednesday, May 9, 2007 and Thursday, May 10, 2007 following Routine Proceedings until 6:00 p.m. if needed for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill and that the Committee be further authorized to meet on May 16, 2007 following Routine Proceedings for the purpose of clause by clause consideration of the bill; and
That the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 pm on Monday May 14, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 16, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 17, 2007. In the event that the committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Justice Policy, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That on the day the order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate up to 5:50 p.m. or 9:20 p.m. as the case may be, shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That no deferral of the Second Reading vote pursuant to Standing Order 28(h) shall be permitted; and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, except in the case of any vote deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h), the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was declared carried.

Mr. Peters moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:08 p.m.
INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 25, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Bisson  Chudleigh  DiNovo  Elliott  Ferreira  Horwath  Hudak  Klees  Kormos  MacLeod  Marchese  Martel  Martiniuk  Miller  Munro  Murdoch  Prue  Savoline  Scott  Sterling  Tabuns  Witmer  Yakabuski

PETITIONS

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Chudleigh.

Petition relating to holding open and transparent public consultations on site selection for the new Humber River Regional Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-311) Mr. Ferreira.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Speaker interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

À 16 heures, conformément à l’article 30 b) du Règlement, le Président interrompt les délibérations et passe à l’ordre du jour.
ORDERS OF THE DAY
A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

DEUX CENT QUARANTE-NEUVIÈME JOUR
À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on April 23, 2007, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.
The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario's water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on April 24, 2007, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 41

Arthurs  Balkissoon  Bartolucci  Bentley  Berardinetti  Broten  Brownell  Caplan  Chan

Chudleigh  Colle  Di Cocco  Duncan  Ferreira  Flynn  Fonseca  Horwath

Kormos  Leal  Levac  Marchese  Marsales  Martiniuk  Matthews  Mauro

McMeekin  Miller  Mitchell  Mossop  Munro  Orazietti  Peters  Qaadri

Ramal  Ruprecht  Sands  Savoline  Smith  Van Bommel  Wilkinson  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.
Mr. Fonseca moved,
That, in the opinion of this House, the Legislative Assembly of Ontario affirms that its commitment to students in the public education system is so strong that it opposes any attempt to take public money and hand it over to private schools.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Ouellette then moved,
Second Reading of Bill 201, An Act to provide protection for minors participating in amateur sports.

The question having been put on Mr. Fonseca’s Resolution Number 58, it was declared lost.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 201, An Act to provide protection for minors participating in amateur sports, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

1:30 P.M.

With unanimous consent, following remarks by Mr. Peters, Mrs. Witmer, and Ms. Horwath, the House observed a moment of silence in remembrance of Worker Memorial Day.

During "Oral Questions", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Leeds–Grenville (Mr. Runciman) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

During "Oral Questions", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Erie–Lincoln (Mr. Hudak) to come to order.

Pendant la période des «Questions orales», le Président demande (à plusieurs reprises) au député de Leeds–Grenville, M. Runciman de se comporter.

Comme le député refuse d’obéir, le Président le désigne par son nom et l’ordonne de se retirer du service de l’Assemblée pour le reste du jour de session.

Pendant la période des «Questions orales», le Président demande (à plusieurs reprises) au député de Erie–Lincoln, M. Hudak de se comporter.
The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to extending the GO transit tunnel beyond St. Clair Avenue West (Sessional Paper No. P-23) Mr. Ruprecht.

Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to amending the Ontario Pension Benefits Act to give seniors the option of transferring locked-in pension funds into an R.R.S.P. at the age of 55 (Sessional Paper No. P-238) Ms. Horwath.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal, Mr. Marchese and Mr. Rinaldi.

Petition relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mrs. Mitchell.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to starting construction of the Spadina-York Subway extension during the year 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-304) Mr. Sergio.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to the Black Cultural Heritage Program (Sessional Paper No. P-312) Mr. Marchese.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 212, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation en ce qui concerne le comportement, la discipline et la sécurité.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l’article 9 du Règlement, la motion d’ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.
MONDAY, APRIL 30, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 67, An Act to amend various Acts to require a declaration with respect to the donation of organs and tissue on death.

Ordered for Third Reading.

MOTIONS
With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice for ballot items 6 and 7 be waived.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, April 30, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 39

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bentley
Bradley
Brownell
Bryant
Cansfield
Caplan
Chan
Crozier
Delaney
Di Cocco
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Duncan
Flynn
Fonseca
Hoy
Kwinter
Lalonde
Marsales
Matthews
Mauro
Meilleur
Mitchell
Orazietti
Parsons
Peters
Pupatello
Ramal
McMeekin
Ruprecht
Sandals
Smitherman
Takhar
Watson
Wynne
Zimmer
NAYS / CONTRE - 22

Arnott  Horwath  Martel  Murdoch  Scott
DiNovo  Kees  Martiniuk  O’Toole  Tabuns
Dunlop  Kormos  Miller  Ouellette  Tory
Elliott  MacLeod  Munro  Prue  Yakabuski
Hardeman  Marchese

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Hardeman and Mr. Parsons.

Petition relating to working with Hershey to reverse the decision to close the Smith Falls plant, fund infrastructure projects, complete the four-laning of Highway 7 and the reconstruction of Highway 15, postpone the closure of Rideau Regional Centre, create a fund to attract investment to Eastern Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-287) Mr. Sterling.

Petition relating to appealing the Ontario Court decision allowing more than two legal parents (Sessional Paper No. P-301) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to changing the provisions of the flexible part-time agreement (FPT) (Sessional Paper No. P-313) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to making the cost of living for ODSP recipients more affordable and helping them by giving a Christmas bonus (Sessional Paper No. P-314) Mr. Milloy.

Petition relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. McMeekin.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

Opposition Day  Jour de l'opposition

Mr. Tory moved,  M. Tory propose,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration is the fourth McGuinty cabinet minister to fall under the cloud of scandal;

That, in the opinion of this House, this scandal is a direct result of his failure to ensure the highest level of scrutiny over grants paid out of a year-end slush fund;

That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration should be expected to be able to answer the most basic questions about these grants, such as on what basis the money was granted and what accountability measures are in place to ensure that the money is used for its intended purpose;

That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration should table the list of the “hundreds” of groups to whom he spoke about these grants;

That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration should table the written criteria he used to determine how the grants were allocated; and
That, in the opinion of this House, the Minister of Citizenship and Immigration should table any written correspondence between his office and any groups that have received funding outside of existing formal government programs, including any and all application documents.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 26**

- Arnott
- Bisson
- Chudleigh
- Dunlop
- Elliott
- Hardeman
- Horwath
- Hudak
- Kees
- Kormos
- MacLeod
- Marchese
- Martiniuk
- Miller
- Munro
- Murdoch
- O’Toole
- Ouellette
- Prue
- Runciman
- Savoline
- Scott
- Sterling
- Tory
- Wilson
- Yakabuski

**NAYS / CONTRE - 46**

- Arthurs
- Balkissoon
- Bentley
- Bountrogianni
- Bradley
- Brownell
- Bryant
- Caplan
- Chan
- Colle
- Delaney
- Dhillon
- Di Cocco
- Dombrowsky
- Duncan
- Flynn
- Fonseca
- Gerretsen
- Gravelle
- Hoy
- Jeffrey
- Lalonde
- Marsales
- Matthews
- Mauro
- McMeekin
- McNeely
- Milloy
- Mitchell
- Mossop
- Orazietti
- Parsons
- Peters
- Phillips
- Quadri
- Ramal
- Ramsay
- Rinaldi
- Sands
- Smith
- Takhar
- Van Bommel
- Watson
- Wilkinson
- Wynne
- Zimmer

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.  

**TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND DAY**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.
TUESDAY, MAY 1, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Duncan,

Ordered, That the following change, effective immediately, be made to the membership of the following committee:-

On the Standing Committee on General Government:-

Mr. Racco replaces Mr. Peterson.

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DEUX CENT CINQUANTE-TROISIÈME JOUR

PRÈRIES
13 H 30

MOTIONS

Avec le consentement unanime, sur la motion de M. Duncan,

Ordered, That the following change, effective immediately, be made to the membership of the following committee:-

On the Standing Committee on General Government:-

Mr. Racco replaces Mr. Peterson.

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Duncan,

Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(d), the following change be made to the ballot list of private members’ public business:-

Mr. Milloy and Ms. Mossop exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Milloy assumes ballot item 16 and Ms. Mossop assumes ballot item 7;

Mr. Gravelle and Mr. Mauro exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Gravelle assumes ballot item 68 and Mr. Mauro assumes ballot item 14;

Mr. Ferreira and Ms. Martel exchange places in order of precedence such that Mr. Ferreira assumes ballot item 9 and Ms. Martel assumes ballot item 74; and

That, pursuant to Standing Order 96(g), notice be waived for ballot item 8.

Mr. Duncan moved, M. Duncan propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 1, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 50

Arthurs
Balkissoon
Bartolucci
Bentley
Broten
Brownell
Bryant
Cansfield
Chan
Crozier
Delaney
Dhillon
Di Cocco
Dombrowsky
Duguid
Duncan
Flynn
Fonseca
Gerretsen
Gravelle
Hoy
Jeffrey
Kular
Kwinter
Lalonde
Leal
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Marsales
Matthews
Mauro
McMeekin
McNeely
Mitchell
Mossop
Parsons
Peters
Phillips
Quadri
Racco
Ruprecht
Sandals
Sergio
Smith
Smitherman
Sorbara
Van Bommel
Watson
Wilkinson
Wynne
Zimmer
NAYS / CONTRE - 22

Arnott        Ferreira        Kormos        Martiniuk        Runciman
Bisson        Hardeman        MacLeod        Miller          Savoline
Chudleigh     Horwath         Marchese       Munro          Witmer
DiNovo        Hudak           Martel         Murdoch        Yakabuski
Elliott       Klees

PETITIONS

Petition relating to appealing the Ontario Court decision allowing more than two legal parents (Sessional Paper No. P-301) Mr. Murdoch.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Bisson moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES - 10   NAYS - 35

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Bisson moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES - 4     NAYS - 32

The House then adjourned at 6:20 p.m.
May 1, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH
DAY

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DEUX CENT CINQUANTE-
QUATRIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M.  18 H 45

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety, when Bill 212 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government; and

That, the Standing Committee on General Government shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on May 14, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon and May 16, 2007 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill; and

That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 p.m. on May 23, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 28, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 29, 2007. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on General Government, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which Order may be called on that same day; and

That, on the day the Order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate shall be one hour, and the time shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That, when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That, there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arose and, after some time, Mr. Tabuns moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 5  NAYS - 29

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps, M. Tabuns propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

POUR - 5  CONTRE - 29
The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Tabuns moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 8  NAYS - 29**

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Bradley’s motion was carried on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 31**

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**NAYS / CONTRE - 6**

| Barrett | Miller | Tabuns | Tascona | Yakabuski |

The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2007**

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee’s report as follows and moved its adoption:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-
AYES / POUR - 43

Arthurs  Caplan  Kwinter  Peters  Sergio
Balkissoon  Chan  Levac  Phillips  Smith
Bartolucci  Crozier  Marsales  Quadri  Sorbara
Bentley  Dhillon  Mauro  Racco  Takhar
Bountrogianni  Di Cocco  McMeekin  Ramal  Watson
Broten  Fonseca  McNeely  Rinaldi  Wilkinson
Brownell  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Ruprecht  Wynne
Bryant  Hoy  Mitchell  Sandsals  Zimmer
Cansfield  Kular  Orazietti

NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnott  Dunlop  MacLeod  Murdoch  Savoline
Barrett  Ferreira  Marchese  O’Toole  Sterling
Bisson  Hudak  Martiniuk  Prue  Tascona
Chudleigh  Kees  Miller  Runciman  Yakabuski
DiNovo  Kormos  Munro

Pursuant to the Order of the House of April 11, 2007, the Bill is Ordered for Third Reading.

MOTIONS

Mr. Gerretsen moved, M. Gerretsen propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 2, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 48

Arthurs  Caplan  Kular  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Chambers  Kwinter  Orazietti  Sandsals
Bartolucci  Chan  Levac  Patten  Smith
Bentley  Crozier  Marsales  Peters  Sorbara
Bountrogianni  Dhillon  Mauro  Phillips  Takhar
Bradley  Di Cocco  Mcguinty  Quadri  Watson
Broten  Dombrowsky  McMeekin  Racco  Wilkinson
Brownell  Fonseca  McNeely  Ramal  Wynne
Bryant  Gerretsen  Meilleur  Rinaldi  Zimmerman
Cansfield  Hoy  Milloy

NAYS / CONTRE - 26

Arnott  Elliott  MacLeod  Murdoch  Scott
Barrett  Ferreira  Marchese  O’Toole  Sterling
Bisson  Horwath  Martiniuk  Prue  Tabuns
Chudleigh  Kees  Miller  Runciman  Tascona
DiNovo  Kormos  Munro  Savoline  Yakabuski

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The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

Members will have noted that I have been attempting to guide them in the parliamentary manner of asking and responding to questions.

To this end, as discussed in *House of Commons Practice and Procedure*, “any Member participating in debate must address the Chair, not the House, a particular Minister or Member, the galleries, or the television audience.” By doing this, Members are less apt to engage in direct heated exchanges and personal attacks when their comments are directed to the Chair rather than to another Member. If a Member directs remarks towards another Member, not the Speaker, he or she will be called to order and may be asked to rephrase the remarks.

I will point out that this manner of conducting proceedings is commonplace in parliaments based on the Westminster model, including all those throughout Canada, and is not a novel concept. Indeed, Ontario’s unfortunate current practice is well at odds not only with our not-so-distant past, but with all those other parliaments I have alluded to.

Because this method has fallen by the wayside, I have provided on each Member’s desk an excellent illustration from the House of Commons of Canada to guide all Members. I strongly believe that if this Assembly can return to this impersonal tone in Question Period and in debate in general, that we can retrieve some of the lost dignity that has been suffered here.

I have mentioned a number of times recently my profound respect for the institution of parliament, and for the unique role the Speaker plays. For my part, I will be rigorous in attempts to maintain order and decorum and I look forward to the cooperation of all Members.

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. Delaney.

Petitions relating to demanding Mr. Tory to apologize to the House (Sessional Paper No. P-316) Mr. Fonseca and Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to preserving Ontario’s Gas Wells (Sessional Paper No. P-317) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to extending full collective bargaining rights to part-time college workers (Sessional Paper No. P-318) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to the restoration of the Point Clark lakeshore (Sessional Paper No. P-319) Mrs. Mitchell.

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At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.}

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À 16 heures, conformément à l’article 30 b) du Règlement, le président par intérim, M. Prue interrompt les délibérations et passe à l’ordre du jour.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 11  NAYS - 40

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 7  NAYS - 38

The House then adjourned at 6:06 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 174, Loi édictant la Loi de 2006 sur les impôts et apportant des modifications complémentaires et autres à diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 11  CONTRE - 40

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 7  CONTRE - 38

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 6  NAYS - 30

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 6  NAYS - 24

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Prue moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:

AYES - 4  NAYS - 23

DEUX CENT CINQUANTE-SIXIÈME JOUR

18 H 45

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 218, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale et la Loi sur le financement des élections et apportant des modifications connexes à d'autres lois.

Après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 6  CONTRE - 30

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 6  CONTRE - 24

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Prue propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:

POUR - 4  CONTRE - 23
The House then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.  
À 21 h 30, la chambre a ensuite ajouté ses travaux.

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**THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2007**  
**TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY**

**PRAYERS**  
**10:00 A.M.**

Mr. Hampton moved,

Second Reading of Bill 126, An Act to provide for a Job Protection Commissioner.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mrs. Van Bommel moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, our farmers and the agri-food industry play a vital role in the Ontario economy and this Assembly reaffirms its strong and unwavering support for the supply management system that helps stabilize incomes for Ontario farm families and ensures a stable supply of Ontario-produced food for families around the world to enjoy.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 126, An Act to provide for a Job Protection Commissioner, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

The question having been put on Mrs. Van Bommel’s Resolution Number 59, it was carried on the following division:-

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1:30 P.M.  

The Speaker delivered the following ruling:

Yesterday, the Member for Erie-Lincoln raised a point of order concerning the language contained in a certain petition. The Government House Leader and the Chief Government Whip also spoke to the point of order.

Having carefully reviewed the petition in question, I can only concur with the Member for Erie-Lincoln that it is not temperate in its language and not respectful in its request.

This petition is not unique, in the sense that other petitions have been used recently as attacks on other Members, as I might add, have various Members’ Statements.

The general tone and tenor of debate and language in the House – most recently exemplified by the petition challenged yesterday by the Member for Erie-Lincoln – causes me great concern, and I have addressed this several times.

All of these tactics, in combination, represent an erosion and a lowering of the Legislative Assembly for the expediency of partisan gain. I am not suggesting that the Assembly is not a partisan forum – it most certainly is – but I am suggesting that legitimate partisan interplay needs to come about in a manner that is respectful of the dignity of this place and that accords to each Member the respect that is owed by virtue of his or her membership here.

With respect to the specific petition at issue, it is my decision that it is not acceptable for presentation in the House and will not be accepted. Going forward, I have asked the Table to be especially vigilant of all petitions, having regard for my general level of concern about decorum and temperance in language.

During “Petitions”, we in effect allow the public to come directly into this place in order to make a respectful request. The House does not dignify itself if it receives a petition attacking one of its own Members, nor does the Member presenting it serve the greater interests of this institution.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES  

Mr. Berardinetti from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:

Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS  

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 221, An Act to amend the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 with respect to firefighters and certain related occupations. Hon. Mr. Peters.

With unanimous consent, the following Bill was read the second time:-

Bill 221, An Act to amend the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 with respect to firefighters and certain related occupations.

Ordered for Third Reading.

PÉTITIONS

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petitions relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Berardinetti, Mr. Klees, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petitions relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. Arthurs and Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to extending full collective bargaining rights to part-time college workers (Sessional Paper No. P-318) Mr. Ferreira.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 218, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale et la Loi sur le financement des élections et apportant des modifications connexes à d'autres lois.

Après quelque temps, M. Prue propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant: -

AYES - 9  NAYS - 29
The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Prue moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 6  NAYS - 26

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Wilson moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 3  NAYS - 17

The House then adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 7, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:-


Ordered for Third Reading.

MOTIONS
Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 7, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 31

Balkissoon  Di Cocco  Kwinter  Milloy  Sandals
Bentley  Dombrowsky  Levac  Mitchell  Smitherman
Bradley  Duguid  Marsales  Orazietti  Sorbara
AYES / POUR - Continued

Broten
Caplan
Delaney
Dhillon

Hoy
Jeffrey
Kular

Matthews
McMeekin
McNeely

Peters
Phillips
Ruprecht

Van Bommel
Watson
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NAYS / CONTRE - 17

Arnott
Bisson
Chudleigh
DiNovo

Elliott
Ferreira
Kormos
Martel

Miller
Munro
O’Toole

Ouellette
Savoline
Tabuns

Tascona
Witmer
Yakabuski

The Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bill in his office on Friday, May 4, 2007:-

Bill 221, An Act to amend the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997 with respect to firefighters and certain related occupations.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to OHIP coverage for all forms of Macular Degeneration (Sessional Paper No. P-16) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to appealing the Ontario Court decision allowing more than two legal parents (Sessional Paper No. P-301) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to upholding the standards of integrity, responsibility and accountability and demand the resignation of David Caplan, the minister responsible for the lottery system (Sessional Paper No. P-303) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to changing the provisions of the flexible part-time agreement (FPT) (Sessional Paper No. P-313) Mr. Kormos.


Petition relating to passing Bill 100, and supporting legislation that will protect minors from access to sexually explicit goods and services (Sessional Paper No. P-322) Mr. O’Toole.

Petition relating to adopting the Dieticians of Canada (Ontario Region) Report and Recommendations (Sessional Paper No. P-323) Mrs. Van Bommel.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES - 11  NAYS - 34

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Chudleigh moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES - 11  NAYS - 32

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Ferreira moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:–

AYES - 8  NAYS - 32

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 174, Loi édictant la Loi de 2006 sur les impôts et apportant des modifications complémentaires et autres à diverses lois.

Après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:–

POUR - 11  CONTRE - 34

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Chudleigh propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:–

POUR - 11  CONTRE - 34

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Ferreira propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:–

POUR - 8  CONTRE - 32

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bentley moved, M. Bentley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts, when Bill 218 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly; and

That, the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Thursday, May 17, 2007 from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., if needed for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill and that the Committee be further authorized to meet on Monday, May 28, 2007 following Routine Proceedings for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of the bill; and
That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 23, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 28, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 29, 2007. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading which order may be called on that same day; and

That, on the day the Order for Third Reading for the bill is called, the time available for debate shall be one hour, and the time shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That, when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That, there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising and, after some time, Mr. Sterling moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:

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**TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2007**

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**TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH DAY**

**DEUX CENT SOIXANTIÈME JOUR**

### PRAYERS

1:30 P.M.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 8, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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At the call for “Oral Questions”, due to a malfunction of the audio system, the Speaker suspended proceedings for 10 minutes.

Upon the House resuming, with unanimous consent, it was agreed that, notwithstanding Standing Order 30(b), Routine Proceedings would continue past 4:00 p.m. to conclusion, but not past 5:00 p.m.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Duguid.

Petitions relating to increasing long-term care operating funding in 2007 and 2008 and introducing a capital renewal and retrofit program (Sessional Paper No. P-282) Mr. Arthurs and Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to working with Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain hospital and community-based lab services at the existing facilities in Bracebridge and Huntsville, including restoration of lab services that have recently been contracted out to hospitals in Sudbury and Barrie (Sessional Paper No. P-290) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to repealing Regulation 505/06 under the Day Nurseries Act in the District of Parry Sound (Sessional Paper No. P-310) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to energy conservation campaign logo (Sessional Paper No. P-327) Mr. Yakabuski.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

After some time, Mr. Ferreira moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 13  NAYS - 33

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Ferreira moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 10  NAYS - 32

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Tabuns moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES - 6  NAYS - 34

ORDRE DU JOUR

Le débat reprend sur la motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 174, Loi édictant la Loi de 2006 sur les impôts et apportant des modifications complémentaires et autres à diverses lois

Après quelque temps, M. Ferreira propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

POUR - 13  CONTRE - 33

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Ferreira propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

POUR - 10  CONTRE - 32

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. Tabuns propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

POUR - 6  CONTRE - 34
The House then adjourned at 6:10 p.m. À 18 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST DAY DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-ET-UNIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M. 18 H 45

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 1, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

Arthurs  Dhillon  Jeffrey  Miller  Rinaldi
Barrett  Dombrowsky  Kormos  Mitchell  Runciman
Bisson  Duguid  Kular  Murdoch  Sandals
Bradley  Ferreira  Lalonde  Orazietti  Smith
Brownell  Flynn  Leal  Parsons  Tascona
Chambers  Fonseca  Levac  Patten  Van Bommel
Chan  Gerretsen  MacLeod  Peters  Wilkinson
Crozier  Gravelle  Matthews  Prue  Wynne
Delaney  Hoy  McNeely  Ramal

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on General Government.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 7, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 44

Dhillon  Jeffrey  Miller  Rinaldi
Dombrowsky  Kormos  Mitchell  Runciman
Duguid  Kular  Murdoch  Sandals
Ferreira  Lalonde  Orazietti  Smith
Flynn  Leal  Parsons  Tascona
Fonseca  Levac  Patten  Van Bommel
Gerretsen  MacLeod  Peters  Wilkinson
Gravelle  Matthews  Prue  Wynne
Hoy  McNeely  Ramal

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales.
AYES / POUR - 35

Arthurs  Delaney  Gravelle  Matthews  Peters
Bountrogianni  Dhillon  Hoy  McNeely  Ramal
Bradley  Dombrowsky  Jeffrey  Miller  Rinaldi
Brownell  Duguid  Kular  Mitchell  Sandals
Chambers  Flynn  Lalonde  Orazietti  Smith
Chan  Fonseca  Leal  Parsons  Van Bommel
Crozier  Gerretsen  Levac  Patten  Wilkinson

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Barrett  Dhillon  Hoy  McNeely  Peters
Bisson  Ferreira  Jeffrey  Miller  Ramal
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Kormos  MacLeod  Lalonde  Orazietti  Sandals
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Murdoch  Prue  Levac  Patten  Van Bommel
Prue  Runciman  Patten  Wilkinson  Wilkinson
Runciman

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time
and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on
the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was
declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2007

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Social Policy be authorized to meet on Monday, May 14, 2007 between 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 9, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.
The question being put on the motion, it was
carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 38

Balkissoon    Caplan    Duncan    Mitchell    Ruprecht
Bartolucci    Chan      Flynn     Peters     Smith
Bentley       Crozier   Hoy       Phillips   Smitherman
Berardinetti  Delaney   Lalonde   Pupatello  Van Bommel
Bradley       Dhillon   Marsales  Quadri     Watson
Broten        Di Cocco  Matthews  Ramal      Wilkinson
Brownell      Dombrowsky McMeekin Rinaldi   Wynne
Cansfield     Duguid    Milloy

NAYS / CONTRE - 20

Arnot          Kees      Miller    Ouellette  Scott
Bisson         Koros     Munro     Prue       Tabuns
DiNovo         Marchese  Murdoch   Runciman   Witmer
Dunlop         Martel    O’Toole   Savoline   Yakabuski

PETITIONS

Petition relating to faith-based schools in Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-151) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending
sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge
Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mr. Ouellette.

Petitions relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307)
Mr. O’Toole, Mrs. Savoline, and Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to preserving Ontario’s Gas Wells (Sessional Paper No. P-317) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to extending full collective bargaining rights to part-time college workers (Sessional
Paper No. P-318) Mr. Marchese.

Petition relating to passing Bill 185, The Condominium Amendment Act (Sessional Paper No. P-328) Mr.
Marchese.

Pétition ayant rapport au droit à la négociation collective pour les travailleuses et travailleurs à temps
partiel des collèges de l’Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-329) Mr. Marchese.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of
Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures,
interim appropriations and other matters.

After some time, Mr. Hudak moved the adjournment
of the debate, which motion was lost on the
following division:-

AYES – 9    NAYS – 30

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant
troisième lecture du projet de loi 187, Loi
concernant les mesures budgétaires,
l’affectation anticipée de crédits et d’autres
questions.

Après quelque temps, M. Hudak propose
l’ajournement du débat et cette motion est
rejetée par le vote suivant:-

POUR – 9   CONTRE – 30
The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. Hudak moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 5  NAYS - 31**

The debate continued and after some time, pursuant to the Order of the House of April 11, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, and declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Acting Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters, be deferred until May 10, 2007.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

The House then adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

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**TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD DAY**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

6:45 P.M.  18 H 45

Mr. Watson moved, M. Watson propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, when Bill 174 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Second Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment and at such time the bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs; and

That, the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs shall be authorized to meet, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, on Tuesday, May 15, 2007 after Routine Proceedings for the purpose of conducting public hearings on the bill; and
That, the deadline for filing amendments to the bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16, 2007. No later than 5:00 p.m. on May 17, 2007 those amendments which have not yet been moved shall be deemed to have been moved, and the Chair of the Committee shall interrupt the proceedings and shall, without further debate or amendment, put every question necessary to dispose of all remaining sections of the bill, and any amendments thereto. The Committee shall be authorized to meet beyond the normal hour of adjournment until completion of clause-by-clause consideration. Any division required shall be deferred until all remaining questions have been put and taken in succession with one 20 minute waiting period allowed pursuant to Standing Order 127(a); and

That, the Committee shall report the bill to the House not later than May 28, 2007. In the event that the Committee fails to report the bill on that day, the bill shall be deemed to be passed by the Committee and shall be deemed to be reported to and received by the House; and

That, upon receiving the report of the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs, the Speaker shall put the question for adoption of the report forthwith, and at such time the bill shall be ordered for Third Reading, which Order may be called on that same day; and

That, on the day the Order for Third Reading of the bill is called, the time available for debate shall be one hour, and the time shall be apportioned equally among the Recognized Parties; and

That, when the time allotted for debate has expired, the Speaker shall interrupt the proceedings and put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That, there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, Mr. O'Toole moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 8 NAYS - 31**

The debate continued and, after some time, Mr. O'Toole moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 7 NAYS - 33**

The debate continued and, after some time, Ms. DiNovo moved the adjournment of the debate, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 6 NAYS - 31**

The debate continued and, after some time, Ms. DiNovo moved the adjournment of the House, which motion was lost on the following division:-

**AYES - 7 NAYS - 30**

After some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

**AYES - 7 NAYS - 30**

Un débat s'ensuit et après quelque temps, M. O'Toole propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 8 CONTRE – 31**

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, M. O'Toole propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 7 CONTRE – 33**

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, Mme DiNovo propose l'ajournement du débat et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 6 CONTRE – 31**

Le débat se poursuit et après quelque temps, Mme DiNovo propose l'ajournement des débats de l'Assemblée et cette motion est rejetée par le vote suivant:-

**POUR - 7 CONTRE - 30**

Après quelque temps, la motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 30

Arthurs  Duguid  Leal  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Flynn  Levac  Patten  Sandals
Bartolucci  Gerretsen  Marsales  Qaadri  Sergio
Berardinetti  Hoy  McMeekin  Racco  Watson
Caplan  Jeffrey  McNeely  Ramal  Wilkinson
Chan  Lalonde  Milloy  Rinaldi  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 8

Arnott  Hudak  Munro  O’Toole  Savoline
DiNovo  Marchese  Murdoch

The House then adjourned at 9:45 p.m.  À 21 h 45, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 2007  DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-QUATRIÈME JOUR

TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS  PRIÈRES
10:00 A.M.  10 H

Mr. Ramal moved,  M. Ramal propose,

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.  À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ms. Mossop then moved,  Ensuite, M’me Mossop propose,

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 108, An Act to monitor the prescribing of certain drugs, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.  La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 108, Loi visant à surveiller la prescription de certains médicaments, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 220, Loi proclamant le Jour de Lincoln Alexander, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi d’intérêt privé.
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Flynn from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of April 23, 2007, the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Hoy from the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 222, An Act to amend the Education Act with respect to fundraising. Mr. Marchese.

M. Hoy du Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 203, Loi modifiant le Code de la route et la Loi de 2001 sur les recours pour crime organisé et autres activités illégales et apportant des modifications corrélatives à d'autres lois.

Ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:-

On motion by Mr. Bradley,

Ordered, That the Order for Third Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth, be discharged and the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Justice Policy; and

M. Flynn du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 184, Loi visant à protéger les espèces en péril et à apporter des modifications connexes à d’autres lois.

Conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le 23 avril 2007, le projet de loi est, en conséquence, ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 222, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation en ce qui a trait aux activités de financement. M. Marchese.

Avec le consentement unanime, la motion suivante est proposée sans préavis:-

Sur la motion de M. Bradley,
That, in addition to its regularly scheduled meeting times, the Standing Committee on Justice Policy be authorized to meet on Monday, May 14, 2007 between 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54


NAYS / CONTRE - 23

Arnott Chudleigh DiNovo Elliott Ferreira Hardeman Hudak Kormos MacLeod Marchese Martel Miller Munro Ouellette Prue Runciman Savoline Scott Tabuns Prue Tascona Tory Wilson Witmer

PAIRS: Crozier and Murdoch

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to establishing an evening bus route for the Simcoe Muskoka Catholic School Board (Sessional Paper No. P-20) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to endorsing the Frederick Banting Homestead Preservation Act (Sessional Paper No. P-95) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to supporting and funding the ongoing service delivery of the Peel Community Mediation Service through Inter-Cultural Neighbourhood Social Services (Sessional Paper No. P-137) Mr. Wilkinson.
Petition relating to stopping repairs, securing funding and constructing a new facility for St. Paul’s Elementary School (Sessional Paper No. P-207) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Ms. Scott.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal and Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Rinaldi.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, having been read,

Pursuant to the Order of the House passed on May 9, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Tascona) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 48

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Berardinetti
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McMeekin
McNeely
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Mitchell
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Smitherman
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NAYS / CONTRE - 3

Ferreira
Kormos
Prue

PAIRS: Crozier and Murdoch

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Finance and Economic Affairs.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une deuxième fois et renvoyé au Comité permanent des finances et des affaires économiques.
Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 14, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 161, An Act respecting employment agencies, the title of which is amended to read:-

“An Act respecting temporary help agencies”.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Berardinetti from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

Ordered for Third Reading.
Mr. Parsons from the Standing Committee on Social Policy presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

Ordered for Third Reading.

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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-


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**MOTIONS**

Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 14, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal.
Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to changing the decision to cut mental health and addiction services from Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-302) Mr. O'Toole.

Petition relating to Bill 204, The Remembrance Day Observance Act, 2007 (Sessional Paper No. P-331) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to Highway 17/174 and its widening from the City of Clarence-Rockland to the City of Ottawa / Route 17/174 et de procéder à son élargissement de la cité de Clarence-Rockland à la ville d’Ottawa (Sessional Paper No. P-332) Mr. Lalonde.

Petitions relating to including one senior level credit course in Parenting education (Sessional Paper No. P-333) Mr. Delaney and Mr. Fonseca.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-SIXIÈME JOUR

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

ORDRE DU JOUR

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act, when Bill 103 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the Bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the Bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

Un débat s’ensuit et après quelque temps, la motion est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 30

Balkissoon  Duguid  Levac  Mossop  Ruprecht
Berardinetti  Duncan  Marsales  Patten  Sandsals
Bradley  Fonseca  Matthews  Peters  Smith
Brownell  Hoy  McNeely  Quadri  Van Bommel
Chan  Jeffrey  Milloy  Ramal  Watson
Delaney  Leal  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 9

Dunlop  Horwath  Martel  Miller  Savoline
Elliott  Kormos  Martiniuk  Ouellette

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.
The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 9:05 p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 225, An Act to make the month of November Bone Marrow Awareness Month. Mr. Crozier.

MOTIONS

Mr. Caplan moved,
That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 15, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

M. Caplan propose,
La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

M. Bradley propose que l'Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.
Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 21 h 05, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

MARDI 15 MAI 2007
DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-SEPTIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

DEPOT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 224, Loi traitant des prêts sur salaire. Mme DiNovo.
Projet de loi 225, Loi visant à désigner le mois de novembre Mois de la sensibilisation au don de moelle osseuse. M. Crozier.
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During "Oral Questions", the Speaker repeatedly requested the Member for Timmins-James Bay (Mr. Bisson) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

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**PETITIONS**

Petitions relating to disabled person parking permits (Sessional Paper No. P-29) Mr. Crozier, Mr. Levac and Mr. Parsons.

Petition relating to removing the 14.7 cents per litre provincial gas tax (Sessional Paper No. P-117) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to including one senior level credit course in Parenting education (Sessional Paper No. P-333) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to introducing legislation on construction of mega hog operations, bio-digesters and ethanol plants (Sessional Paper No. P-334) Mr. Lalonde.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 103, An Act to establish an Independent Police Review Director and create a new public complaints process by amending the Police Services Act having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 14, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 74

Arthurs    Di Cocco    Kular    Munro    Sandals
Balkissoon Dombrowsky Kwinter Orazietti Scott
Barrett    Duncan    Lalonde O’Toole Sergio
Bentley    Dunlop    Levac    Parsons Smith
Bradley    Elliott    MacLeod Patten Smith
Broten     Ferreira  Marchese Peters Sorbara
Brownell   Flynn     Martel Phillips Sterling
Bryant     Fonseca   Matthews Prue Tascona
Caplan     Gerretsen Mauro    Quadri  Tory
Chambers   Hardeman  McNeely Racco Van Bommel
Chan       Hoy       Meilleur Ramal Wilkinson
Chudleigh  Hudak    Miller Ramsay Wynne
Crozier    Jeffrey   Milloy Rinaldi Yakabuski
Delaney    Klees     Mitchell Runciman Zimmer
Dhillon    Kormos    Mossop Ruprecht

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
6:45 P.M. 18 H 45

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts, when Bill 69 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) repeatedly requested the Member for Ottawa Centre (Mr. Patten) to come to order.

The Member having refused was named by the Acting Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the sessional day.

The debate continued and, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

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Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.
The House then adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

À 20 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Berardinetti from the Standing Committee on Justice Policy presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario's water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of Tuesday, April 24, 2007, the Bill was Ordered for Third Reading.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that today the Clerk received the Report on Intended Appointments dated May 16, 2007 of the Standing Committee on Government Agencies. Pursuant to Standing Order 106(e)(9), the Report is deemed to be adopted by the House (Sessional Paper No. 461).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-


MERCIREDI 16 MAI 2007
DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-NEUVIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
13 H 30

RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS

M. Berardinetti du Comité permanent de la justice présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 198, Loi visant à modifier la Loi sur les ressources en eau de l'Ontario afin d'assurer la sauvegarde et la durabilité des eaux de l'Ontario, à apporter des modifications connexes à la Loi de 2002 sur la salubrité de l'eau potable et à abroger la Loi sur le contrôle des transferts d'eau.

Conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le mardi 24 avril 2007, le projet de loi est ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:-

Projet de loi 226, Loi modifiant la Loi de 2000 sur les normes d'emploi en ce qui a trait au congé militaire. M. Martiniuk.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:


**MOTIONS**

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:

**AYES / POUR - 48**

Balkissoon Colle Hoy Patten Smith
Bartolucci Crozier Kwinter Peters Smitherman
Bentley Delaney Leal Phillips Sorbara
Berardinetti Di Cocco Levac Pupatello Takhar
Boutrogianni Dombrowsky Matthews Qaadri Van Bommel
Bradley Duguid Mauro Racco Watson
Broten Duncan McMeekin Ramal Wilkinson
Cansfield Flynn McNeely Ruprecht Wynne
Caplan Fonseca Meilleur Sandals Zimmer
Chan Gerretsen Patten

**NAYS / CONTRE - 21**

Arnott Hardeman Marchese Munro Scott
Bisson Kees Marchese Prue Tascona
Chudleigh Kormos Martinuk Prue Tory
Elliott MacLeod Miller Runciman Yakabuski
Ferreira

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to increasing the Ontario Disability Support Program payments on an annual basis to ensure it covers the cost of living increase incurred by ODSP recipients (Sessional Paper No. P-284) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to adopting the Dieticians of Canada (Ontario Region) Report and Recommendations (Sessional Paper No. P-323) Mr. Fonseca.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.
ORDERS OF THE DAY

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts, having been read,

In accordance with the Order of the House passed on May 15, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) put the question forthwith on the motion which question was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 54

Balkissoo  
Bartolucci  
Bentley  
Bisson  
Bountrogianni  
Bradley  
Cansfield  
Caplan  
Chan  
Colle  
Crozier  
Delaney  
Dhillon  
Di Cocco  
Dombrowsky  
Duguid  
Duncan  
Ferreira  
Fonseca  
Gerretsen  
Hoy  
Kormos  
Kular  
Kwinter  
Lalonde  
Leal  
Levac  
Marchese  
Matthews  
McMeekin  
McNeely  
Milloy  
Mitchell  
Mossop  
Kular  
Kwinter  
Lalonde  
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Marchese  
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McMeekin  
McNeely  
Milloy  
Rinaldi  
Ruprecht  
Parsons  
Patten  
Peters  
Phillips  
Pupatello  
Van Bommel  
Takhar  
Wynne  
Zimmer

NAYS / CONTRE - 16

Arnott  
Dunlop  
Elliott  
Hardeman  
Hudak  
Klees  
Martiniuk  
Miller  
Munro  
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O’Toole  
Runciman  
Savoline  
Scott  
Tascona  
Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of April 23, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, which motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 62

Arnott  
Balkissoo  
Bartolucci  
Bentley  
Berardinetti  
Bountrogianni  
Bradley  
Dhillon  
Di Cocco  
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Dombrowsky  
Duncan  
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Elliott  
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Kormos  
Kular  
Kwinter  
Levac  
Marchese  
McGuinty  
Mossop  
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O’Toole  
Patten  
Patterson  
Phillips  
Quadri  
Sandals  
Savoline  
Sergio  
Smith  
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Sterling  
Tabuns
AYES / POUR - Continued

Broten  Ferreira  McMeekin  Racco  Tascona
Bryant  Flynn  McNeely  Ramal  Van Bommel
Cansfield  Fonseca  Miller  Ramsay  Wilkinson
Caplan  Gerretsen  Milloy  Rinaldi  Wynne
Colle  Hardeman  Mitchell  Runciman  Zimmer
Crozier  Hoy  

NAYS / CONTRE - 5

Bisson  Martiniuk  Murdoch  Scott  Yakabuski

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Ms. Di Cocco moved,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 46 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes, when Bill 140 is next called as a Government Order the Speaker shall put every question necessary to dispose of the Third Reading stage of the bill without further debate or amendment; and

That there shall be no deferral of any vote allowed pursuant to Standing Order 28(h); and

That, in the case of any division relating to any proceedings on the bill, the division bell shall be limited to ten minutes.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 27

Arthurs  Gerretsen  Milloy  Ramal  Smith
Balkissoon  Hoy  Mitchell  Rinaldi  Smitherman
Berardinetti  Leal  Mossop  Ruprecht  Van Bommel
Colle  Levac  Orazietti  Sandals  Wilkinson
Di Cocco  McMeekin  Quadri  Sergio  Zimmer
Flynn  McNeely  

NAYS / CONTRE - 7

Arnott  Elliott  Martiniuk  O’Toole  Savoline
Bisson  Hudak  

18 H 45
Ms. Di Cocco moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Mr. Hardeman moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the government must do more to protect Ontario jobs and as a first step should repeal the section of Bill 187, An Act respecting budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters, 2007, that imposes a 13% tax on diamond mines.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Ferreira then moved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should, on a priority basis:

• Increase access to public GO Transit service to all communities served by the Georgetown South Rail Corridor;
• Revive the previous GO Transit Expansion Environmental Assessment requiring only one additional track to expand GO service on the Georgetown South Rail Corridor; and
• Separate all GO Transit aspects of the current Georgetown South Rail Corridor Environmental Assessment from all aspects of the private, high-speed Air-Rail Link Blue 22 Environmental Assessment.

The question having been put on Mr. Hardeman’s Resolution Number 64, it was lost on the following division:-

**AYES / POUR - 21**

Arnott  
Bisson  
Chudleigh  
DiNovo  
Elliott  
Ferreira  
Hampton  
Hardeman  
Hudak  
Marchese  
Martel  
Miller  
Munro  
Prue  
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Tascona  
Wilson  
Witmer  
Yakabuski

**NAYS / CONTRE - 24**

Balkissoon  
Bradley  
Chan  
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NAYS / CONTRE - Continued

Delaney  |  Jeffery  |  Milloy  |  Rinaldi  |  Wilkinson
Dombrowsky | Lalonde  | Mitchell | Ruprecht |

The question having been put on Mr. Ferreira’s Resolution Number 61, it was declared carried.

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 61 de M. Ferreira est déclarée adoptée.

1:30 P.M.  13 H 30

At the call for “Members’ Statements”, due to a malfunction of the audio system, the Speaker suspended proceedings for 10 minutes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS  DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 228, An Act to require advance notice of gasoline price increases. Mr. Tascona.

Projet de loi 228, Loi exigeant que soit donné un préavis en cas d’augmentation du prix de l’essence. M. Tascona.

Bill 229, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act with respect to muffler noise. Mr. Ruprecht.

Projet de loi 229, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui a trait au bruit émanant de silencieux. M. Ruprecht.

PETITIONS  PÉTITIONS


Petition relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal.

Petition relating to providing the required $1.4 million in new funding to Stevenson Memorial Hospital (Sessional Paper No. P-288) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. Fonseca.

Petition relating to including one senior level credit course in Parenting education (Sessional Paper No. P-333) Mr. Flynn.

ORDERS OF THE DAY  ORDRE DU JOUR

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

Il s’élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 165, Loi visant à créer la charge d’intervenant provincial en faveur des enfants et des jeunes et à y pourvoir.
The Acting Speaker (Mr. Milloy) informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, His Honour the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following bills in his office:-

Bill 69, An Act to allow for information sharing about regulated organizations to improve efficiency in the administration and enforcement of regulatory legislation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.


Bill 184, An Act to protect species at risk and to make related changes to other Acts.

Bill 187, An Act respecting Budget measures, interim appropriations and other matters.

The debate continued and, after some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.
Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

The motion having been put, was carried on the following division:-

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Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 9, 2007, the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Sterling from the Standing Committee on Public Accounts presented the Committee's Report on the Ontario Health Insurance Plan and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 466).

On motion by Mr. Sterling,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mrs. Munro from the Standing Committee on Government Agencies presented the Committee's Report on Agencies, Boards and Commissions: Workplace Safety and Insurance Board and moved the adoption of its recommendations (Sessional Paper No. 465).

On motion by Mrs. Munro,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.
MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, the following motion was moved without notice:

On motion by Mr. Bradley, Sur la motion de M. Bradley,
Ordered, That notwithstanding Standing Order 96(g), notice for ballot item 12 be waived.

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,
That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, May 28, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

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Watson
Van Bommel
Wynne
Zimmer
Ruprecht
Sandals
Smith
Smitherman
Takahar

NAYS / CONTRE - 24

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Chudleigh
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Duguid
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Runciman
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Tory
Witmer

PETITIONS

Petition relating to Toronto Community Housing (Sessional Paper No. P-196) Mr. Ferreira.

Petition relating to withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections (Sessional Paper No. P-248) Mr. Murdoch.

Petition relating to funding the eight million dollar shortfall for Lakeridge Health (Sessional Paper No. P-286) Mr. Ouellette.

Petition relating to increasing the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to permit continued operation of community laboratory services (Sessional Paper No. P-289) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to eliminating Greater Toronto Area pooling (Sessional Paper No. P-292) Mr. Racco.

Petition relating to providing adequate increases in the operating budget of Muskoka Algonquin Healthcare to maintain current health services and to allocate more long-term care beds (Sessional Paper No. P-293) Mr. Miller.
Petition relating to Highway 17/174 and its widening from the City of Clarence-Rockland to the City of Ottawa / Route 17/174 et de procéder à son élargissement de la cité de Clarence-Rockland à la ville d’Ottawa (Sessional Paper No. P-332) Mr. Lalonde.

Petition relating to re-opening the Grimsby MTO office (Sessional Paper No. P-335) Mr. Hudak.

Petition relating to the doctor shortage in Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-336) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to anti-idling bylaws (Sessional Paper No. P-337) Mr. McMeekin.

Petition relating to public transit links between Haldimand County and Norfolk County communities (Sessional Paper No. P-338) Mr. Barrett.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.

After some time, pursuant to Standing Order 9, the motion for the adjournment of the debate was deemed to have been made and carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

ORDRE DU JOUR

Il s'élève un débat sur la motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 171, Loi visant à améliorer les systèmes de santé en modifiant ou en abrogeant divers textes de loi et en édictant certaines lois.

Après quelque temps, conformément à l'article 9 du Règlement, la motion d'ajournement du débat est réputée avoir été proposée et adoptée.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

18 H 45
During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28 (h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts, be deferred until Tuesday, May 29, 2007.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bentley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:10 p.m.

Pendant la sonnerie d’appel, le Président par intérim s’adresse à l’Assemblée en ces mots:-


En conséquence, le vote est différé.

M. Bentley propose que l’Assemblée ajourne les débats maintenant.

Cette motion, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée.

À 19 h 10, la chambre a ensuite adjourné ses travaux.

TUESDAY, MAY 29, 2007

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that, pursuant to Section 28 of the Auditor General Act, I have today laid upon the Table the audited financial statements of the Office of the Auditor General for the year ended March 31, 2006. (Sessional Paper No. 265) (Tabled September 19, 2006).

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES

Mr. Brownell from the Standing Committee on General Government presented the Committee’s Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety.

M. Brownell du Comité permanent des affaires gouvernementales présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu’il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 212, Loi modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation en ce qui concerne le comportement, la discipline et la sécurité.
Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 1, 2007, the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. McMeekin from the Standing Committee on the Legislative Assembly presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:-

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill as amended:-

Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 7, 2007, the Bill was accordingly Ordered for Third Reading.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills:-

Bill Pr36, An Act to revive 716056 Ontario Limited. Mr. Miller.

Bill Pr37, An Act respecting St. Andrew's Congregation of The United Church of Canada at Toronto. Mr. Zimmer.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 230, An Act to amend the Business Corporations Act to provide protections against executive compensation abuse. Mr. Prue.

MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 29, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

M. McMeekin du Comité permanent de l'Assemblée législative présente le rapport du comité qui est lu comme suit et adopté:-

Votre comité propose qu'il soit permis de faire rapport sur le projet de loi suivant avec des amendements:-

Projet de loi 218, Loi modifiant la Loi électorale et la Loi sur le financement des élections et apportant des modifications connexes à d'autres lois.

Conformément à l'ordre adopté par l'Assemblée le 7 mai 2007, le projet de loi est, en conséquence, ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés, lus une première fois et renvoyés au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi d’intérêt privé:-

Bill Pr36, Loi pour faire revenir 716056 Ontario Limited. M. Miller.

Bill Pr37, Loi respectant l'assemblée de St. Andrew's Congregation de l'Église Unie du Canada à Toronto. M. Zimmer.

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 230, Loi modifiant la Loi sur les sociétés par actions afin de prévoir des protections contre l'indemnisation abusive des membres de la direction. M. Prue.

MOTIONS

M. Bradley propose,

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-
AYES / POUR - 53

Arthurs  Colle  Hoy  Milloy  Ruprecht
Balkissoon  Crozier  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Sandsals
Bartolucci  Delaney  Kular  Parsons  Smith
Bentley  Dhillon  Kwinter  Patten  Smithersman
Bradley  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Peters  Takhar
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Cansfield  Fonseca  Mauro  Ramsay  Wynne
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Chan  Gravelle  McNeely

NAYS / CONTRE - 15

Arnott  Ferreira  MacLeod  O'Toole  Tabuns
Chudleigh  Horwath  Martel  Ouellette  Tascona
DiNovo  Kormos  Miller  Prue  Wilson

DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 203, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act and the Remedies for Organized Crime and Other Unlawful Activities Act, 2001 and to make consequential amendments to other Acts, was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 89

Arnott  Crozier  Kormos  Murdoch  Savoline
Arthurs  Delaney  Kular  Orazietti  Scott
Balkissoon  Dhillon  Kwinter  O’Toole  Smith
Barrett  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Ouellette  Smithersman
Bartolucci  Dombrowsky  Levac  Parsons  Sterling
Bentley  Duguid  MacLeod  Patten  Tabuns
Bisson  Duncan  Marchese  Peters  Takhar
Bountrogianni  Dunlop  Marsales  Phillips  Tascona
Bradley  Elliott  Martel  Prue  Tory
Broten  Ferreira  Matthews  Pupatello  Van Bommel
Brownell  Gerretsen  Mauro  Quadri  Watson
Bryant  Gravelle  McGuinty  Racco  Wilkinson
Cansfield  Hardeman  McMeekin  Ramal  Wilson
Caplan  Horwath  Meilleur  Ramsay  Witter
Chambers  Hoy  Miller  Rinaldi  Wynne
Chan  Hudak  Milloy  Ruprecht  Yakabuski
Chudleigh  Jeffrey  Mitchell  Ruprecht  Zimmer
Colle  Klees  Munro  Sandals

NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
PETITIONS

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to social services agencies serving cities within the 905 Belt (Sessional Paper No. P-315) Mr. Delaney.

Petition relating to the doctor shortage in Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-336) Mr. Miller.

At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Opposition Day

Mr. Tory moved, M. Tory propose,

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that Ontario is facing a crisis when it comes to job losses;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that this crisis is evidenced by the following sampling of newspaper headlines:-

“It’s tragic – it really is; MPP concerned about trend of manufacturing jobs fleeing area,” Brantford Expositor, Thursday, May 10, 2007;

“MTD Plant Closes; Kitchener loses 400 more jobs,” Kitchener-Waterloo Record, Saturday, May 12, 2007;

“Manufacturing sector suffers as leaders fiddle;,” Welland Tribune, Monday, April 16, 2007;

“Sweet job market turning sour,” National Post, Tuesday, March 13, 2007;

“Ontario fares poorly in employment report,” Toronto Star, Friday, January 26, 2007;

“Region struck hard by manufacturing job losses,” Ottawa Citizen, Friday, February 23, 2007;

“City mill faces grim outlook...,” Hamilton Spectator, Wednesday, February 28, 2007;

“That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that these headlines represent just a fraction of the 137,000 manufacturing jobs lost in this province since the start of 2005;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that 13,000 of these manufacturing jobs were lost in April 2007 alone;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that this is a situation that is untenable;
That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that, at a time when we are losing well-paying manufacturing jobs, policies like the job killing diamond tax must be repealed;

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario recognize that the McGuinty Liberals have still failed to act on the motion introduced by the Official Opposition and passed by this House on December 8, 2005, calling for the creation of a comprehensive jobs plan; and

That the Legislative Assembly of Ontario call once again on the McGuinty Liberals to bring forward a comprehensive jobs plan to spur job creation throughout the province in general and in the manufacturing sector in particular.

A debate arising, after some time, the motion was lost on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 24
Barrett
Chudleigh
Dunlop
Ferreira
Horwath

Hudak
Kees
MacLeod
Marchese
Martiniuk

Miller
Munro
Murdoch
O’Toole
Ouellette

Runciman
Savoline
Scott
Sterling
Tascona

Tory
Wilson
Witmer
Yakabuski

NAYS / CONTRE - 41
Arthurs
Bradley
Brownell
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Delaney

Dombrowsky
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The House then adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

À 18 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

6:45 P.M.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth.

After some time, there being no further debate, the question having been put, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Arnott) declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,
The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 165, An Act to establish and provide for the office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth, be deferred until Wednesday, May 30, 2007.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Bradley moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

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**WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 2007**

**TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY**

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**PRAYERS**

1:30 P.M.

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I beg to inform the House that I have laid upon the Table the 2006 Annual Report of the Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. 468) (Tabled May 29, 2007).

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**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 231, An Act to provide fair access to vote for snowbirds, students, military personnel and other Ontarians abroad. Mr. Hudak.

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**DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI**

Le projet de loi suivant est présenté et lu une première fois:-

Projet de loi 231, Loi visant à offrir un accès équitable au scrutin aux retraités migrateurs, aux étudiants, au personnel militaire et aux autres Ontariens et Ontariennes qui sont à l’étranger. M. Hudak.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bentley moved,

M. Bentley propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 30, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 43

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| Barrett | Hudak | MacLeod | Miller | Yakabuski |
| Chudleigh | | | |

DEFERRED VOTES

La motion, mise aux voix, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

AYES / POUR - 77

| Arnott | Colle | Horwath | McNeely | Ruprecht |
| Arthurs | Crozier | Hoy | Meilleur | Sandals |
| Balkissoon | Delaney | Hudak | Miller | Savoline |
| Barrett | Di Cocco | Klees | Munro | Scott |
| Bartolucci | DiNovo | Kular | Orazietti | Sergio |
| Bentley | Dombrowsky | Kwinter | Patten | Smith |
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| Bryant | Ferreira | Marchese | Quadri | Watson |
| Cansfield | Flynn | Marsales | Ramal | Witmer |
| Caplan | Fonseca | Martiniuk | Ramsay | Wynne |
| Chambers | Gerretsen | Mauro | Rinaldi | Yakabuski |
| Chan | Gravelle | McMeekin | Runciman | Zimmer |
| Chudleigh | Hardeman | | |

NAYS / CONTRE - 0
And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

**PETITIONS**

Petition relating to the four-laning of Highway 35 (Sessional Paper No. P-40) Ms. Scott.

Petition relating to enacting Bill 25, An Act that will preserve the gravesites of the former Premiers of Ontario (Sessional Paper No. P-250) Mr. Brownell.

Petitions relating to supporting the Regulation of Zoos Act (Sessional Paper No. P-264) Mr. Leal and Ms. Matthews.

Petition relating to the Health Care Consent Act (Sessional Paper No. P-295) Mr. Arnott.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Yakabuski.

Petition relating to including one senior level credit course in Parenting education (Sessional Paper No. P-333) Mr. Flynn.

Petition relating to anti-idling bylaws (Sessional Paper No. P-337) Mr. McMeekin.

Petition relating to Hydro Ottawa (Sessional Paper No. P-339) Mr. McNeely.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

The Order of the Day for Third Reading of Bill 140, An Act respecting long-term care homes, having been called, and the motion for Third Reading having been moved,

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 16, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) put the question forthwith on the motion, which question was carried on the following division:-

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**NAYS / CONTRE - 19**

| Arnott | DiNovo | Hudak | Miller | Scott |
| Barrett | Dunlop | MacLeod | Munro | Witmer |
| Bisson | Ferreira | Martel | Runciman | Yakabuski |
| Chudleigh | Hardeman | Martiniuk | Savoline | |
And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario’s water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act, having been read,

At 5:50 p.m., pursuant to the Order of the House of April 24, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, and declared his opinion that the Ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Acting Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Acting Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario’s water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act, be deferred until Thursday, May 31, 2007.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:50 p.m.
A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts.

With unanimous consent, it was agreed that, notwithstanding the Order of the House dated May 9, 2007, the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 174 may be deferred pursuant to Standing Order 28(h).

After some time, pursuant to the Order of the House of May 9, 2007, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, and declared his opinion that the ayes had it, and a recorded vote having been demanded,

The Deputy Speaker directed that the Members be called in, for which purpose the division bells were rung.

During the ringing of the bells, the Deputy Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I have received a request from the Chief Government Whip, under Standing Order 28(h), that the vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts, be deferred until Thursday, May 31, 2007.

Therefore the vote is accordingly deferred.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 7:25 p.m.
THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY

PRAYERS
10:00 A.M.

Mr. Racco moved,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario support the efforts of the City of Vaughan, the Vaughan Health Care Foundation and the Central Local Health Integration Network as they work towards creating a hospital in the City of Vaughan.

A debate arising, at 11:00 a.m., further proceedings were reserved until 12:00 noon.

Mr. Crozier then moved,

Second Reading of Bill 225, An Act to make the month of November Bone Marrow Awareness Month.

The question having been put on Mr. Racco’s Resolution Number 63, it was declared carried.

The question having been put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 225, An Act to make the month of November Bone Marrow Awareness Month, it was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and with unanimous consent, the Bill was Ordered for Third Reading.

I beg to inform the House that, further to my communication to occupants of the Legislative Precinct yesterday, I have now received the results of secondary testing on the Assembly’s potable water supply. Members may know that secondary testing is done to verify the integrity of the preliminary readings.

I am pleased to report that these secondary readings are all within acceptable levels and allay concerns raised by the earlier testing.

Notwithstanding these updated results, I have ordered the precautionary measures implemented yesterday to remain in place.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

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JEUDI 31 MAI 2007
DEUX CENT SOIXANTE-DIX-HUITIÈME JOUR

PRIÈRES
10 H

M. Racco propose,

À 11 h, la suite du débat est réservée jusqu’à midi.

Ensuite, M. Crozier propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 225, Loi visant à désigner le mois de novembre Mois de la sensibilisation au don de moelle osseuse.

La motion, mise aux voix, sur la résolution numéro 63 de M. Racco, est déclarée adoptée.

La motion portant deuxième lecture du projet de loi 225, Loi visant à désigner le mois de novembre Mois de la sensibilisation au don de moelle osseuse, mise aux voix, est déclarée adoptée et le projet de loi est en conséquence lu une deuxième fois et avec le consentement unanime, le projet de loi est ordonné pour la troisième lecture.

INTRODUCTION DES PROJETS DE LOI

Les projets de loi suivants sont présentés et lus une première fois:

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Bill 233, An Act to amend the Labour Relations Act, 1995 with respect to bargaining units in certified trades. Mr. Kormos.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That an humble address be presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council as follows:-

“To the Lieutenant Governor in Council:

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario request the appointment of a person to be named by agreement of the panel of Members of this Assembly currently struck for that purpose, chaired by the Honourable Michael Brown and composed of Mr. Patten, Mrs. Witmer and Ms. Martel, as the Chief Medical Officer of Health for the Province of Ontario as provided in Section 81(1) of the Health Protection and Promotion Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter H.7 to hold office under the terms and conditions of the said Act commencing on the date to be determined by the aforementioned panel.”

And that the address be engrossed and presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council by the Speaker.

MOTIONS

With unanimous consent, on motion by Mr. Caplan,

Ordered, That an humble address be presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council as follows:-

“To the Lieutenant Governor in Council:

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, request the extension of the appointment of Dr. George Pasut as the Acting Chief Medical Officer of Health for the Province of Ontario as provided in Section 81(1) of the Health Protection and Promotion Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter H.7 and Section 28(1) of the Interpretation Act, R.S.O. 1990, Chapter I.11, to hold office until December 31, 2007 or until the Legislative Assembly appoints a permanent Chief Medical Officer of Health, whichever is earlier, having all the same powers and duties of the Chief Medical Officer of Health under the Health Protection and Promotion Act.”

And that the address be engrossed and presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council by the Speaker.
Ordered, That an humble address be presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council as follows:-

“To the Lieutenant Governor in Council:

We, Her Majesty’s most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario request the appointment of a person to be named by agreement of the panel of Members of this Assembly currently struck for that purpose, chaired by the Honourable Michael Brown and composed of Ms. Smith, Mr. Sterling and Mr. Prue, as the Integrity Commissioner for the Province of Ontario as provided in Section 23 of the Members’ Integrity Act, 1994, S.O. 1994, Chapter 38, to hold office under the terms and conditions of the said Act commencing on the date to be determined by the aforementioned panel.”

And that the address be engrossed and presented to the Lieutenant Governor in Council by the Speaker.

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DEFERRED VOTES

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 174, An Act to enact the Taxation Act, 2006 and make complementary and other amendments to other Acts was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 65

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NAYS / CONTRE - 7

DiNovo
Hampton
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Marchese
Martel
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Prue

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

The deferred vote on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 198, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act to safeguard and sustain Ontario's water, to make related amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002 and to repeal the Water Transfer Control Act was carried on the following division:-

La motion portant troisième lecture du projet de loi 174, Loi édictant la Loi de 2006 sur les impôts et apportant des modifications complémentaires et autres à diverses lois, mise aux voix sur le vote différé, est adoptée par le vote suivant:-

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Nays / CONTRE - 7

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Hampton
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En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.
AYES / POUR - 71

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Wynne
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NAYS / CONTRE - 0

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed. En conséquence, ce projet de loi est lu une troisième fois et adopté.

PETITIONS

Petition relating to ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately (Sessional Paper No. P-12) Mr. Wilson.

Petition relating to increasing the funding provided to Long Term Care facilities for Raw Food and Dietary Labour (Sessional Paper No. P-300) Mr. Fonseca.

Petition relating to a bill entitled An Act to proclaim Pope John Paul II Day (Sessional Paper No. P-307) Mr. Klees.

Petition relating to changing the provisions of the flexible part-time agreement (FPT) (Sessional Paper No. P-313) Ms. Horwath.

Petition relating to including one senior level credit course in Parenting education (Sessional Paper No. P-333) Mr. Kular.

Petition relating to the doctor shortage in Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-336) Mr. Miller.

Petition relating to anti-idling bylaws (Sessional Paper No. P-337) Mr. McMeekin.

Petition relating to Bill 228 on gas price increase (Sessional Paper No. P-340) Mr. Tascona.

Petition relating to cost of meals for citizens in long-term care facilities (Sessional Paper No. P-341) Mr. Hardeman.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

Debate was resumed on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 171, An Act to improve health systems by amending or repealing various enactments and enacting certain Acts.
After some time, the motion was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 2007
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH DAY

PRAYERS
1:30 P.M.

REPORTS BY COMMITTEES
Ms. Horwath from the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills presented the Committee's First Report 2007 and moved its adoption (Sessional Paper No. 470).

On motion by Ms. Horwath,
Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS
The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:-

Bill 234, An Act to amend the Municipal Act, 2001 to name Civic Holiday Simcoe Day. Mr. Barrett.

Bill 235, An Act to establish the Ontario Social Assistance Rates Board. Mr. McMeekin.

Bill 236, An Act to amend the Liquor Licence Act and the Liquor Control Act. Mr. Arnott.
MOTIONS

Mr. Bradley moved, M. Bradley propose,

That notwithstanding any other Order of the House, pursuant to Standing Order 9(c)(i), the House shall meet from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, June 4, 2007, for the purpose of considering government business.

The question being put on the motion, it was carried on the following division:-

AYES / POUR - 46

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Balkissoon  Crozier  Hoy  Mitchell  Ruprecht
Bartolucci  Delaney  Jeffrey  Mossop  Sandals
Bentley  Dhillon  Kwinter  Parsons  Smith
Berardinetti  Di Cocco  Lalonde  Peters  Smitherman
Bradley  Dombrowsky  Levac  Phillips  Takhar
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NAYS / CONTRE - 24

Arnott  Hardeman  Martel  O’Toole  Tabuns
Barrett  Horwath  Martinuk  Ouellette  Tascona
Bisson  Kees  Miller  Prue  Wilson
Elliott  Kormos  Munro  Runciman  Yakabuski
Ferreira  MacLeod  Murdoch  Savoline

The Speaker addressed the House as follows:-

I would like to bring to the attention of the members of the House the following appointments that have been made to the list of officers who serve this House:

Effective May 22, 2007, Lisa Freedman assumed new responsibilities as Clerk of Journals and Procedural Research. Effective today, Tonia Grannum assumes responsibilities as Clerk of Committees and will serve at the Table in a permanent capacity.

I am certain that all members will join with me in congratulating Ms. Freedman and Ms. Grannum as they assume their new duties. Congratulations and welcome.


PETITIONS

Petition relating to Toronto Community Housing (Sessional Paper No. P-196) Mr. Ferreira.

Petition relating to delaying any decision on the future development of the Lakeview Generation Station (Sessional Paper No. P-262) Mr. Peterson.


Petition relating to the doctor shortage in Muskoka (Sessional Paper No. P-336) Mr. Miller.
At 4:00 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 30(b), the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) interrupted the proceedings and called Orders of the Day.

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 212, An Act to amend the Education Act in respect of behaviour, discipline and safety.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 1, 2007, the Deputy Speaker (Mr. Crozier) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, which motion was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 5:20 p.m.
A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 218, An Act to amend the Election Act and the Election Finances Act and make related amendments to other Acts.

Pursuant to the Order of the House of May 7, 2007, the Acting Speaker (Mr. Prue) interrupted the proceedings and put the question, which motion was carried on the following division:-

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And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

Mr. Caplan moved, That the House do now adjourn.

The question, having been put on the motion, was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 8:05 p.m.
PROCLAMATION

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

A Proclamation be issued proroguing the Second Session of the Thirty-Eighth Parliament of the Province of Ontario for the actual dispatch of business at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 2007.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE JAMES K. BARTLEMAN
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GIVEN at Toronto, Ontario, on June 4, 2007.

BY COMMAND

GERRY PHILLIPS
for
Chair of the Management Board of Cabinet

ELIZABETH DEUX, par la grâce de Dieu, Reine du Royaume-Uni, du Canada et de ses autres royaumes et territoires, Chef du Commonwealth, Défenseur de la Foi.

Qu'une proclamation soit lancée pour proroger la deuxième session de la trente-huitième législature de la province de l'Ontario en vue d'expédier les affaires parlementaires, à 10 h 30, le mardi 5 juin 2007.

TÉMOIN:

L'HONOURABLE JAMES K. BARTLEMAN
LIEUTENANT GOUVERNEUR DE NOTRE PROVINCE DE L'ONTARIO

FAIT à Toronto (Ontario) le 4 juin 2007.

PAR ORDRE

GERRY PHILLIPS
pour
Président du Conseil de gestion du gouvernement
PROCLAMATION

(Great Seal of Ontario) PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

WE DO HEREBY DISSOLVE the present Legislative Assembly and call a new Legislative Assembly of Our Province.

WE DO ORDER to issue writs for general election of members to serve in the new Legislative Assembly, bearing the date of September 10, 2007.

WE DO DECLARE that the day for the close of nominations and the grant of a poll, where required shall be September 18, 2007.

WE DO FURTHER DECLARE that polling day, where a poll is granted, shall be October 10, 2007.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE DAVID C. ONLEY
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GIVEN at Toronto, Ontario, on September 10, 2007.

BY COMMAND

GERRY PHILLIPS
for
Chair of the Management Board of Cabinet

David C. Onley

PROVINCE DE L’ONTARIO

ELIZABETH DEUX, par la grâce de Dieu, Reine du Royaume-Uni, du Canada et de ses autres royaumes et territoires, Chef du Commonwealth, Défenseur de la Foi.

NOUS DISSOLVONS PAR LES PRÉSENTES l’Assemblée législative actuelle de Notre Province et convoquons une nouvelle Assemblée législative de ladite Province.

NOUS ORDONNONS la délivrance de décrets pour la tenue d’une élection générale des membres qui composeront la nouvelle Assemblée législative, lesdits décrets devant porter la date du 10 septembre 2007.

NOUS DÉCLARONS que le jour désigné pour la clôture des mises en candidature et la décision de tenir un scrutin, au besoin, sera le 18 septembre 2007.

NOUS DÉCLARONS ÉGALEMENT que le jour du scrutin, dans tous les bureaux de vote désignés, sera le 10 octobre 2007.

TÉMOIN:

L’HONORABLE DAVID C. ONLEY
LIEUTENANT-GOUVERNEUR DE NOTRE PROVINCE DE L’ONTARIO

FAIT à Toronto (Ontario) le 10 septembre 2007.

PAR ORDRE

GERRY PHILLIPS
pour
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Bill 8, Children's Law Reform Amendment Act, 2005 / Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi portant réforme du droit de l'enfance. Mr. Craitor (Niagara Falls). First Reading carried October 18, 2005. Second Reading debated and carried on division November 24. Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.


Bill 17, Trustee Statute Law Amendment Act, 2005 / Loi de 2005 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne les fiduciaires. Mr. Klees (Oak Ridges). First Reading carried November 1, 2005.


Bill 19, Education Amendment Act (Community Involvement), 2005 / Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation (participation communautaire). Mr. Fonseca (Mississauga East). First Reading carried November 2, 2005. Second Reading debated and carried on division November 24. Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.


Bill 22, Developmental Services Amendment Act, 2005 / Loi de 2005 modifiant la Loi sur les services aux personnes ayant une déficience intellectuelle. Mr. Dunlop (Simcoe North). First Reading carried November 3, 2005.


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Bill 61, Trillium Gift of Life Network Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur le Réseau Trillium pour le don de vie. Mr. Kormos (Niagara Centre). First Reading carried February 16, 2006.


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Bill 73, Christopher's Law (Sex Offender Registry) Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi Christopher sur le registre des délinquants sexuels. Mr. Martinuk (Cambridge). First Reading carried March 1, 2006. Second Reading debated and carried on division April 20. Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.


Bill 83, Kevin's Law (Child and Family Services Statute Law Amendment), 2006 / Loi Kevin de 2006 modifiant des lois en ce qui concerne les services à l'enfance et à la famille. Mr. Jackson (Burlington). First Reading carried March 28, 2006. Order for Second Reading discharged and Bill withdrawn pursuant to the Order of the House December 7.

Bill 84, Carcinoid Cancer and Neuroendocrine Tumours Awareness Month Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 sur le Mois de la sensibilisation au cancer carciñoïde et aux tumeurs neuroendocriniennes. Mr. Craitor (Niagara Falls). First Reading carried March 28, 2006.


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Bill 88, Ombudsman Amendment Act (Children's Aid Societies), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'ombudsman (sociétés d'aide à l'enfance). Ms. Horwath (Hamilton East). First Reading carried April 5, 2006.


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Bill 94, Education Amendment Act (Community Involvement), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation (participation communautaire). Mr. Klees (Oak Ridges). First Reading carried April 6, 2006.


Bill 96, Education Amendment Act (School Waste Reduction), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'éducation (réduction des déchets dans les écoles). Ms. Wynne (Don Valley West). First Reading carried April 6, 2006. Second Reading debated and carried on division May 10. Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills. Discharge the order of referral to Committee and Bill withdrawn pursuant to the Order of the House December 7.


Bill 99, Pension Benefits Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur les régimes de retraite. Mr. Levac (Brant). First Reading carried April 11, 2006.


Bill 109, Residential Tenancies Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 sur la location à usage d'habitation. Hon. Mr. Gerretsen (Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing). First Reading carried May 3, 2006. Second


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Bill 122, Street Racing Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 sur les courses de rue. Mr. Klees (Oak Ridges). First Reading carried June 7, 2006.


Bill 131, Peace Officers' Memorial Day and Memorial Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 sur le Jour de commémoration des agents de la paix et le monument commémoratif à leur mémoire. Mr. Levac (Brant). First Reading carried June 19, 2006.

Bill 132, MPPs Pension Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 sur le régime de retraite des députés. Mr. Sterling (Lanark–Carleton). First Reading carried June 21, 2006. Bill Ruled out of order and removed from the Orders and Notices Paper June 22.


Bill 134, Retail Sales Tax Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur la taxe de vente au détail. Mr. Ouellette (Oshawa). First Reading carried June 22, 2006.


Bill 138, Emergency Management Statute Law Amendment Act, 2004 / Loi de 2004 modifiant des lois en ce qui a trait à la gestion des situations d'urgence (Committee Bill). Primary Sponsor: Mr. Dhillon Standing Committee on Justice Policy. Secondary Sponsors: Ms. Laurel Broten, Mrs. Liz Sandals, Mr. John Wilkinson, Mr. Wayne Arthurs, Mr. Jim Brownell, Mr. David Zimmer. First Reading carried November 1, 2004. [Continued from the First Session as a Bill of the Second Session by Order of the House dated June 13, 2005.]


Bill 144, Legislative Assembly Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l’Assemblée législative. Mr. Kormos (Niagara Centre). First Reading carried October 5, 2006.


Bill 146, Election Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi électorale. Mr. Patten (Ottawa Centre). First Reading carried October 10, 2006. Second Reading debated and carried October 26. Ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

Bill 147, Education Amendment Act (School Waste Reduction), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l’éducation (réduction des déchets dans les écoles). Mr. Patten (Ottawa Centre). First Reading carried October 11, 2006.


Bill 157, Legislative Assembly Amendment Act (Salary in Lieu of Retirement Credit), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'Assemblée législative (traitement tenant lieu de droit à retraite). Mr. Runciman (Leeds–Grenville). First Reading carried November 1, 2006. Bill Ruled out of order and removed from the Orders and Notices Paper November 2.


Bill 167, Legislative Assembly Amendment Act (Salary in Lieu of Retirement Credit), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur l'Assemblée législative (traitement tenant lieu de droit à retraite). Mr. Runciman (Leeds–Grenville). First Reading carried November 30, 2006.


Bill 175, Pension Benefits Amendment Act (Unlocking Pension Funds), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur les régimes de retraite (déblocage de fonds des caisses de retraite). Ms. Horwath (Hamilton East). First Reading carried December 13, 2006.

Bill 176, Municipal Amendment Act (By-laws re Absentee Landlords), 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur les municipalités (règlements municipaux concernant les locateurs absents). Mr. Tabuns (Toronto–Danforth). First Reading carried December 18, 2006.


Bill 180, Film Classification Amendment Act, 2006 / Loi de 2006 modifiant la Loi sur le classement des films. Mr. Tabuns (Toronto–Danforth). First Reading carried December 20, 2006.


Bill 208, Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Amendment Act (Speaker of the Assembly), 2007 / Loi de 2007 modifiant la Loi sur l'accès à l'information et la protection de la vie privée (président de l'Assemblée). Mr. Kormos (Niagara Centre). First Reading carried on division April 17, 2007.


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1. **Mr. Martiniuk** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Government Services provide the details if Christopher Hyashi or Kelly Jackson have received any monies, compensation or funds, directly or indirectly from the “Ontario Athletics Commissioners” office during the past two years. If so, please provide the dates and amounts of said monies.

   **Date Tabled:** October 13, 2005  
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2. **Mr. Martiniuk** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Government Services provide the details if the Toronto Police Association Boxing Match held in September of each year is regulated.

   **Date Tabled:** October 13, 2005  
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3. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation please provide a current update on the eastward expansion of the proposed Highway 407, including the timetable for the Environmental Assessment and other aspects of the assessment process.

   **Date Tabled:** October 17, 2005  
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4. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation please explain what steps the Ministry will be taking to fill the estimated 70 vacancies among Transportation Enforcement Officers (TEOs) to ensure the full complement of these officers is available for roadside inspections to keep our highways safe.

   **Date Tabled:** October 17, 2005  
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5. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation review and give details concerning his Ministry’s action plan to ensure GTA Transit systems are integrated.

   **Date Tabled:** October 17, 2005  
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6. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation please provide an update on this government’s promise to roll back the Highway 407 tolls, including the legal expenses and other associated costs.

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7. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy please explain the Ministry’s position regarding the recommendations from the Nuclear Waste Management Organization draft study report, including the Ministry’s position regarding compensation for “host communities”.

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8. **Mr. Bisson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing please indicate when the promised review of the previous government’s disastrous Social Housing Reform Act will start.

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28. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance provide an individual breakdown, by category of funding (healthcare, daycare, etc.), of all existing federal funding agreements with the Province of Ontario, by year, for the current and all future years covered by the agreements, including whether the funds are applied to a fiscal or calendar year.

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29. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance, in reference to page A4 of the September 28, 2005 edition of the Toronto Star, where the Minister of Finance was reported to have said that the revised 2004/2005 deficit numbers came from $700 million in increased revenue and $700 million from savings, provide a detailed outline, by Ministry and program, as to how this $700 million in savings and $700 million in revenue were calculated.

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30. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance, in reference to page 2 of the Ontario Liberal Party’s Auto Insurance Election Platform entitled “Lower Rates for a Change”, which committed that

“Drivers will be able to reduce their premiums by up to an additional 10% if they:

- Choose to have a higher deductible for collision coverage
- Reduce their level of coverage so they’re not over-insured when their auto policy is combined with other policies
- No longer carry income replacement insurance that far exceeds their needs – for example, if they are on a fixed income that is not dependant on work”,

indicate which of these specific commitments has been kept.

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31. **Mr. Hudak** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance indicate the total cost (including wage increases, benefits and job guarantees), by year, to the provincial government of each of the recent labour agreements that have been reached with the LCBO, OPSEU, education sector (elementary, secondary and colleges), and the health sector (nurses and doctors).

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33. **Mr. Runciman** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services indicate if PWEU no longer has a mandate to work in the GTA given that its mandate is comparable to the Anti-Guns & Gangs Task Force and that its membership contains personnel from the same police services.

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36. **Mr. Runciman** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment assure many residents of rural Ontario who continue to believe that the government intends to require the installation of meters on rural wells to protect water tables, that no such initiative will occur.

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43. **Mr. Tascona** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing explain why the Greenbelt Foundation Board, which was given a one-time $25 million provincial grant to cover start-up and on-going costs, was not appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, as opposed to being appointed by the Minister, and therefore not subject to review by the Standing Committee on Government Agencies.

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44. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment please respond with the Ministry’s position on legislation requiring a person to obtain a Certificate of Approval from the Director (subject to the testing, recording and reporting requirements that the Director sees fit) before spreading or storage sewage sludge, other biosolids, and products derived from them.

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45. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Public Safety and Security please indicate the Ministry’s position on the sale of replica firearms, along with the Ministry’s future plans to control and regulate look-alike weapons in Ontario.

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46. **Mr. Runciman** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Children and Youth Services indicate the occupancy rates in secure and open custody young offender facilities as of September 1, 2004 and September 1, 2005.

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47. Mr. O’Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please explain this government’s commitment to keeping rural schools open and advise how communities such as Hampton, in Durham Riding, can protect their local school from plans to close the building and re-locate students as young as junior kindergarten to a larger, K-8 facility.

Date Tabled: November 14, 2005  
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48. Mr. Tascona – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please provide the Simcoe County District School Board operational expenditures and the number of elementary and secondary students for the Board’s current fiscal year.

Date Tabled: November 21, 2005  
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49. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide information on what steps have been taken to educate the public about Bill 191, the Highway Traffic Act Amendment Act (Emergency Vehicle Safety), 2002.

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50. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide the full cost of adding additional pavement markings and paving the westbound shoulder on Highway 89 at the Nottawasaga Inn entrance and the 10th Sideroad / 6th Line Intersection in the Town of New Tecumseth.

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51. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy please detail the government’s plans to improve the now extended operation of coal plants in Ontario in light of concerns outlines in the draft report of the National Round Table on the Environment and the Economy.

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52. **Ms. Scott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment please provide details of the government’s plans to address the environmental impacts of its Ethanol policy, in order for small business owners to prepare for this significant change to petroleum sales and storage regulation. Specifically, how has the Minister attended to the risk of contaminating ground and drinking water due to the corrosive properties of the Ethanol-blend fuel in fibreglass tanks, as well as the potential for clogged filters of General Motors model cars, and the fuel consumption resulting from the scarcity of blended fuel in rural areas that cannot be mixed with pure gasoline.

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53. **Ms. Scott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities please specify the specific date when international students, who are attending post-secondary institutions in Ontario, will be eligible to access employment opportunities outside of the campuses which they are registered in as full or part-time students.

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55. **Ms. Scott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please provide details of the government’s plans to provide sustainable funding for the procurement of teaching resources and curriculum material for high school students with special needs and for high school students intending to enter the work force and/or apprenticeship training following obtainment of their Ontario Secondary School Diploma.

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56. **Ms. Scott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please indicate if individual schools in the province of Ontario will be provided with detailed funding information prior to September 1, 2005, and prior to the start date of all subsequent school years, in order for school administrators to be able to responsibly plan, offer school programs and purchase appropriate supplies and equipment to effectively meet the needs of students.

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57. **Ms. Scott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please indicate if the government will be allocating funding as of September 1, 2005 to Lindsay College and Vocational Institute to specifically sustain the running of a pilot project known as “Shift in Time”, a program that enables students to recover credits they had failed to complete during the previous semester.

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91. **Mr. Arnott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism outline in detail the Government’s plans to address the dramatic decline in tourist travel from the United States as reported by Statistics Canada in October 2005.

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92. **Mr. Arnott** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please explain why the $128 million tourism recovery program, initiated by the previous Government and continued for a time under the current Government, has not been maintained, and indicate how much the Provincial Government is spending to assist the tourism sector with marketing dollars so that it can continue to rebound from the negative international perceptions created by SARS, 9/11, mad cow disease and the West Nile virus.

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94. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance provide a date when he or his Deputy Minister Colin Anderson will be available to meet with Simcoe–Grey constituents from the Collingwood Condominium Ratepayers Association as requested in my letters dated August 19, 2005 and September 19, 2005 and would they also provide details as to why they have not responded to this request in a timely manner.

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95. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General indicate whether or not he received any personal briefing involving his Deputy (Murray Segal- who was one of the Crowns originally involved in the notorious plea bargain with Homolka) with respect to the intended Crown conduct and content of the original 810.2 hearing in relation to Homolka prior to it commencing.

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96. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General indicate whether the issue of calling expert oral evidence was raised by him, or with him, and whether he was aware that Ms. Homolka’s lawyers were calling such expert oral evidence, and if the calling of expert oral evidence was discussed, why it was not pursued as response to the expert oral evidence provided by Ms. Homolka’s lawyers.

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97. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General indicate whether or not he stressed the importance of this case to his Deputy and the Crown Prosecutors assigned to the case to ensure that every available resource necessary was utilized in its hearing.

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98. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General indicate whether since the ruling of November 30, 2005 he has directed any inquiries of the Deputy and the Ministry seeking explanations for not having called expert oral evidence at the original hearing and if so, what the response has been and whether, as Attorney General, he is satisfied with and endorses the response of explanation provided.

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99. Mr. Arnott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please give a complete account of actions that the Provincial Government has taken to address the pending requirement that travellers, including US and Canadian, may require passports to enter the United States.

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100. Mr. Arnott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please provide statistical estimates of how many tourists who drive to Canada to visit from the United States are passport carriers.

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101. Mr. Arnott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please outline the steps that the Provincial Government intends to take to address the US passport issue in the next six months.

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102. Mr. Arnott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please indicate whether or not the Provincial Government has conducted or plans to conduct an economic impact study of the passport issue with respect to the effect on Ontario’s tourism sector and the economy generally and provide a status report.

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103. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources please indicate the number of nuisance bears killed by both police and individual citizens during 2004 and 2005.

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104. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services please indicate the number of nuisance bears killed by both police and individual citizens during 2004 and 2005.

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105. Mr. Sterling – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care please list all hospital redevelopment funding announced since October 2, 2003, including the hospital location, the announcement date, the total cost of project, the percentage coming from the province, the number of beds to be added and the current status.

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106. Mr. Sterling – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care please list all bed closures since June 8, 1995, including the date announced, the date closed and the location.

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113. **Mr. Tascona** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy explain why the price of gasoline increases from 81.1¢ per litre in Barrie on December 5, 2005 to 93.1¢ per litre on December 6, 2005.

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114. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide all of the data indicating the number of vehicle accidents that have occurred on Highway 26 from Wasaga Beach to Collingwood since 1988 that includes the total number of fatalities.

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116. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide a list of the entire transportation infrastructure projects that the ministry has undertaken in the electoral district of Simcoe-Grey, including the total amount of money spent on each project, since December 1, 2003.

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118. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide the information on what firm has been retained to complete the engineering work for the completion of the detailed design of the second phase of Highway 26 from Wasaga Beach to Collingwood.

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119. **Mr. Chudleigh** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long Term Care please list all hospitals closed in the province of Ontario since June 8th, 1995, including date of closure, size of hospital by bed count and the date the closure was announced.

**Date Tabled:** February 13, 2006  
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120. **Mr. Chudleigh** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Public Infrastructure Renewal state clearly the date upon which construction of the new hospital in Oakville, announced on September 19, 2005, will begin.

**Date Tabled:** February 13, 2006  
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121. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services please indicate the costs incurred to the provincial government for security at the Darlington and Pickering Nuclear Generating Stations.

**Date Tabled:** February 14, 2006  
**Date Interim Answer was Tabled (if applicable):** N/A  
**Date Final Answer was Tabled:** April 25, 2006

122. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care please indicate the cost of the new Lakeridge Health Oshawa additions and renovations and the cost of the new regional cancer treatment centre to be built at the Lakeridge Health site in Oshawa.

**Date Tabled:** February 14, 2006  
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123. **Mr. Kormos** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General provide the number of people currently enrolled in the Ontario Witness Protection and Relocation Program for each year from 1990 to 2005.

**Date Tabled:** February 28, 2006  
**Date Interim Answer was Tabled (if applicable):** May 2, 2006  
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124. **Mr. Kormos** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General provide the total annual funding for the Ontario Witness Protection and Relocation Program, including disaggregating the funding for the program coming from the Attorney General’s office and the amount of funding coming from the Ontario Provincial police, from 1995 to 2005.

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125. **Mr. Kormos** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General provide the average cost per participant per year in Ontario’s Witness Protection and Relocation Program for each year since 1995.

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126. **Mr. Kormos** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General provide the number of full identification changes completed under the Ontario Witness Protection and Relocation Program in each of the past five years.

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127. **Mr. Jackson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide a list of all hospitals that experienced a specific change in status between 26 June 1995 and 22 October 2003? Would the Minister please indicate on the list the name of the hospital, the city or town in which the hospital was located, whether or not the hospital operated under the Public Hospitals Act or the Private Hospitals Act, whether the hospital was closed, vacated, sold, or merged or amalgamated with another hospital? In the case of hospitals merged or amalgamated would the Minister indicate the original corporate name of the hospital, the name and location of the hospital with which it was merged, as well as the new corporate name of the hospital.

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128. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide the operation and direct costs associated with operating the Ontario Government Pharmaceutical and Medical Supply Service.

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129. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Culture provide a complete list of all provincial historical sites in Ontario, including, but not limited to, the physical address, cultural significance, and date it was deemed to be a historical site.

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130. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Premier – Would the Premier provide a list of the names and place of residence of all of the provincial appointments made by order-in-council between June 30, 1995 and March 1, 2006 from the former electoral district of Simcoe West and the current electoral district of Simcoe–Grey.

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131. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Agriculture provide a date when an announcement will be made on the disbursement of funds from the Ethanol Growth Fund.

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132. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide details as to why he has not responded to a letter written to him by Mr. Russell Weston of Beeton concerning incidents of mismanagement at the Supply and Financial Services Branch of the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care dated December 16, 2005, along with letters he wrote to Deputy Minister Ron Sapsford on September 1, 2005, September 21, 2005, November 1, 2005 and Assistant Deputy Minister Maureen Adamson on October 4, 2005 in addition to explaining why a telephone call I made to Assistant Deputy Minister Adamson on January 25, 2006 went unreturned.

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133. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources please indicate what number of female bears (sows) were harvested during the fall hunt for the past 3 years.

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134. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources please indicate what number of female bears (sows) were harvested in the Fall for the period of 5 years prior to the cancellation of the Spring hunt. How many males (boars) were harvested in that same 5 year period.

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136. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care indicate if the Minister is prepared to accept the recommendation of the United Counties of Leeds and Grenville to limit the Leeds–Grenville and Lanark Health Unit budget increase to a maximum of five percent increase for the 2006 budget.

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137. Mr. Runciman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services undertake to review the actions of OSPCA officials and their response to allegations of animal cruelty related to an incident on March 23, 2006 at the farm of Shawn Carmichael, near Shanly, Ontario.

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138. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources provide a complete breakdown of allocation of fines collected from hunting and fishing infractions, and specifically, what percentage of those revenues from fines are being put towards conservation programs in Ontario.

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139. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide, beginning with April 2006, a month-by-month detailing of the phase-out plan for each of the four coal-fired generating stations still online, with exact dates for closure.

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140. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide the details regarding how long each of the four coal-fired generating stations currently online will be held on stand-by after their phase out, and what the daily costs associated with each plant will be to keep them in stand-by.

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141. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy give an accurate estimate of how many kilowatt hours of coal-fired electricity will be imported from the United States per month during the period of April 1st to September 30th for each year from 2006 to 2025, and what the cost of those imports are expected to be for each of those months.

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142. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide the details of the fixed-price contracts that the government entered into for the gas-fired generation plants in Sarnia and Brampton, including price paid per kilowatt hour, their duration and terms, escalation clauses, costs on a per-hour basis to maintain them in stand-by, and the amount of supply they are expected to reliably generate on a daily basis.

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143. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy please provide the cost on a per hour basis of maintaining gas-fired generation plants on stand-by during peak times while we import coal-generated electricity from the United States, and the number of hours since Oct 2003 that gas plants have been on standby, by month for each plant.

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144. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide details of the fixed-price contracts entered into by the government with each of the Erie Shores, Kingsbridge, and Melancthon wind projects, including price paid per kilowatt hour, duration and terms of the contract, and the percentage of capacity each are expected to reliably operate at.

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145. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide details about the current status, timeline for implementation, and procedure for measuring and documenting the energy saved for each of the seven Conservation and Demand Management programs listed on page 121 of the 2006 Ontario Budget, as well as how much energy has been saved to date for each of the programs initiated in June 2005 and January 2006.

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146. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy divulge which electricity generation projects listed in the 2006 Ontario Budget are physically underway, what their current status is, what their timeline for construction completion is, what their timeline for being online and fully functional is, and which projects are still only on paper.

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147. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide a list of communities that will be unable to access the Standard Offer Program because of their current inability to access the electricity grid as small independent generators.

Date Tabled: April 20, 2006
Date Interim Answer was Tabled (if applicable): N/A
Date Final Answer was Tabled: June 6, 2006

148. Mr. Tascona – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation indicate if he would consider alternatives to traditional guard rails and concrete barriers on Canal Road in Bradford and King City due to soft muck soils and narrow shoulders, such as the steel guard rail bent beam designed by Bradford resident Ron Coffey and undertake a pilot project.

Date Tabled: April 20, 2006
Date Interim Answer was Tabled (if applicable): N/A
Date Final Answer was Tabled: June 7, 2006

149. Mr. Tascona – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation undertake to expedite a project involving a drainage scheme that would relocate most of the existing north and south canals, improving flood protection and incidentally creating a life-saving berm between the road and the water and fund such a project involving Canal Road in Bradford and King City.

Date Tabled: April 20, 2006
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150. Mr. Tascona – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation indicate if the Minister is prepared to provide alternative routes and exits for commuters using Canal Road in Bradford and King City, which include widening Highway 400, improving the unsafe interchange at Highways 400 and 88, adding a second interchange in the Bradford area and constructing the Highways 400 and 404 link and undertake to build and fund such alternatives to relieve the residents of Bradford from paying the price for congested roads, high costs of maintenance and loss of life.

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151. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment provide a copy of the Report on Harbourview CSL Berm, Reference Number 3480-6NJP8T.

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177. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Northern Development and Mines provide me with a list of projects funded for each of the ridings in Northern Ontario from all programs, and agencies of the ministry. Could this information please be provided for each of the following years, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, and 2005-2006.

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179. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism provide me with a list of projects funded for each of the ridings in Northern Ontario. Could this information please be provided for each of the following years, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, and 2005-2006.

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180. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities provide me with a list of projects funded for each of the ridings in Northern Ontario. Could this information please be provided for each of the following years, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, and 2005-2006.

Date Tabled: May 1, 2006
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181. Mr. Bisson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide me with a list of projects funded for each of the ridings in Northern Ontario. Could this information please be provided for each of the following years, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, and 2005-2006.

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182. Mr. Tascona – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance indicate whether Credit Unions will be allowed to retail insurance products from within their branches and will an approved list of subsidiaries be allowed to expand to include an insurance brokerage firm.

Date Tabled: May 3, 2006  
Date Interim Answer was Tabled: N/A  
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183. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Research and Innovation provide the total amount of money spent by the Government of Ontario to advertise in the April 2006 issue of Biotechnology Focus.

Date Tabled: May 11, 2006  
Date Interim Answer was Tabled: N/A  
Date Final Answer was Tabled: October 4, 2006

184. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide a map of the exact location of the graveyard that he says is delaying the re-alignment of Highway 26 from Stayner to Collingwood.

Date Tabled: May 11, 2006  
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185. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Labour provide a list of the stakeholders that have been notified in writing of his ministry’s consultation on mandatory coverage under the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act.

Date Tabled: May 11, 2006  
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186. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Labour explain how the ministry is notifying Ontarians of the consultations on mandatory coverage under the Workplace Safety and Insurance Act.

Date Tabled: May 11, 2006  
Date Interim Answer was Tabled: N/A  
Date Final Answer was Tabled: September 26, 2006

187. Mrs. Witmer – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care identify how many nurses have been hired to full-time positions since October 2003 and where they are employed.

Date Tabled: May 17, 2006  
Date Interim Answer was Tabled: N/A  
Date Final Answer was Tabled: October 3, 2006
188. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please outline the current status of the provincial government’s plan to eliminate Calculus from the Grade 12 program. What specific efforts have been made or will be made to ensure that Grade 12 Calculus is subsequently removed from pre-admission requirements at the post secondary level.

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189. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment please indicate what specific plans are in place for the provincial government to meet the established waste diversion target of 60% (residential) by 2008.

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194. **Mr. O’Toole** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Environment please take action to accelerate the establishment of a policy or legislation to regulate and control the application of paper-fibre biosolids in accordance with citizens’ long-standing concerns regarding the protection of the environment in Ontario. Would the Minister please communicate your action plan, regulation review and other direction from the Ministry in a written response to the public.

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200. Mr. O’Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide a full and detailed accounting of the “Cool Savings Rebate” incentive program following the termination of its mandate, including how many homeowners participated in the incentive program, the cost of the rebates to the government, and a projection of the amount of energy saved.

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215. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy outline which electricity generation projects, as listed on page 119 of the 2006 Ontario Budget, will be online by September 2007 and what percentage of their total operating capacity they will be operating at, and also outline for each project listed their current status of construction.

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216. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide a list of the groups met with in each of the 12 communities visited in February 2006 as part of the public consultations on the OPA Supply Mix Advice Report, and also provide a notion as to the degree to which input from each of these meetings influenced the government’s final decision in its response to the report.

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217. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation provide the total number of accidents and total number of fatalities along Highway 17 from Arnprior to Deep River since October 2003, and also provide the total dollar cost of emergency crews responding to these accidents during this time.

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219. **Mr. Yakabuski** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide details of developments that have occurred since October 27, 2005, with respect to the Clean Energy Transfer Initiative with Manitoba, specifically what consultations have taken place concerning long and short term procurement, whether further consultations are planned at this point, and also outline a monthly timetable for the remainder of 2006 that will detail the actions and deadlines the Minister will adhere to, to ensure the first 150 MW of electricity are fully online by year’s end.

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222. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy please provide the costs incurred to print and distribute the *Our Energy, Our Future* pamphlet, costs incurred to prepare and distribute communications to Ontario households regarding conservation programmes such as *Every Kilowatt Counts* and *Cool Savings*, as well as costs incurred regarding any other promotional materials produced and distributed concerning the government’s conservation initiatives.

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223. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy provide details concerning meetings the Minister engaged in with natural gas stakeholders between March 16, 2006, and June 13, 2006 concerning the decision to halt the conversion of the Thunder Bay coal plant to natural gas, and describe the status of conversion the plant was at as of June 13, 2006, including gas pipeline construction and contracts, costs for those conversion and construction steps to date, and costs due to buy-outs of contracts, legal fees to annul contracts, and any other costs associated with reversing those conversion steps taken.

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226. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources and responsible for Aboriginal Affairs advise how many reserves are under a drinking water/boil water advisory and what specific actions have been taken by the province to improve water quality on these reserves.

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227. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources and responsible for Aboriginal Affairs advise how much money has been allocated from the MNR budget for resolving the dispute in Caledonia.

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245. Mr. Klees – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education please provide a breakdown of the number of portable classrooms that are in use by each school board by school and attach a timeframe to each providing the age of the portables and how long they have been in use at each school.

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246. Mr. Klees – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education provide a breakdown of the number of staff that are providing service in each department of the ministry and compare it over the last four years (2004-2006). Specifically, provide a four-year breakdown of the staff complement in the Student Success Secretariat, the Numeracy & Literacy Secretariat, and the Communications Branch.

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265. Mr. Chudleigh – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance provide an itemized total of the costs to Ontario taxpayers of creating the new Ministry of Small Business and Entrepreneurship, including but not limited to specifics like printing costs for new letterhead and signage.

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281. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing provide details on the public consultation, including how information was communicated to the public and the list of people and/or organizations who participated, that was done on the proposed change to the Municipal Act, contained in Bill 130, which would allow Council meetings to be closed to the public if at the meeting there is nothing that materially advances the business or decision-making of the council.

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283. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing provide the impact of drawing out the Municipal-Provincial Fiscal and Service Delivery Review by providing a breakdown (by dollar figure and percentage) of property tax increases in each riding in Ontario for each of the last three years.

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284. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing provide the plans and proposed terms for the Provincial-Municipal Fiscal and Service Delivery Review, including the timelines, opportunities for public input, budget, list of any sub-committees or working groups, the date that the report is due and what revisions have been made to reflect the legislature’s desire to have the review completed expeditiously. October 18, 2006.

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285. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing table all the draft scripts, storyboards and other advertising materials that have been rejected by the Auditor General as not meeting the standards of the Government Advertising Act.

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286. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing provide detailed financial statements (or detailed estimates if statements are not available) for the Social Housing Service Corporation from 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006, including a list of the costs of any advertising or promotion done by this agency. For outside contracts please include the purpose, the person or company who was awarded the contract, the estimated and the actual cost and a full description of the work carried out or the product delivered and the details of the RFP.

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287. Mr. Hardeman – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing provide a detailed breakdown of the $17,010,280 in services that were purchased by the Ministry in 2005-2006 including for any outside contracts. For outside contracts please include the purpose, the length or timeline, the person or company who was awarded the contract, the estimated and the actual cost and a full description of the work carried out or the product delivered and the details of the RFP.

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288. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide a list of the number of new long-term care beds provided to the County of Simcoe between 1990 and 1995, and from 1995 to 2003 and from 2003 to present.

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289. Mr. Wilson – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources provide a detailed explanation as to why the ministry is declaring the Nottawasaga River between Highway 90 and Highway 89 a catch and release zone for rainbow trout and provide a list of who was consulted about this decision.

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290. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Attorney General explain what the ministry is doing to address the shortage of Family Court time in Collingwood.

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295. **Mr. Wilson** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education confirm whether the Minister would ever allow Elmvale District High School to close.

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Date Tabled: October 19, 2006
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304. Mrs. Witmer – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide the average daily cost of an inpatient stay in an acute care bed, a long-term care bed and a chronic care bed.

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306. Mrs. Witmer – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care table all the draft scripts, storyboards and other advertising materials that have been rejected by the Auditor General in 2006 and 2005 as not meeting the standards of the Government Advertising Act.

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307. Mrs. Witmer – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide details of spending to date for the Health Force Ontario Strategy by its three components as outlined in the Ministry’s press release of May 3, 2006. (1. Creating four new roles in areas of high need; 2. Setting up a one-stop centre for internationally educated health professionals to obtain the information they need to work in Ontario; 3. Establishing a marketing and recruitment centre including a comprehensive job portal).

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308. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment table all the draft scripts, storyboards and other advertising materials that have been rejected by the Auditor General as not meeting the standards of the Government Advertising Act.

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315. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance table the quantity of cigarettes, cigars, pipe tobacco and other products subject to the tobacco tax that were taxed, the tax rate for each product and the total tax revenue for each product for the fiscal years 1994-1995 through 2005-2006.

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316. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance restate the 2005-2006 Budget’s Medium Term Fiscal Plan and Outlook (Table on page 34) 2005-2006 Operating Expense (Table A4 on page 74) and Capital Expense (Table A5) on the new BPS Consolidation financial reporting basis used in the 2006-2007 Budget.

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317. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance restate the entire 2006-2007 Budget’s Medium Term Fiscal Plan (Table on page 46), and Total Expense (Table A4 on page 95) on a pre-BPS Consolidation financial reporting basis as it uses in those tables for the fiscal years 2002-2003 through 2004-2005. The restatement in Table A4 should include the budgeted amount for 2005-2006 in addition to the actual amount.

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318. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Finance restate the 2005-2006 Public Accounts of Ontario’s Schedules 1, 2 and 3 (pp 69-72) on both strictly a pre-BPS consolidation basis and a post-BPS consolidation basis.

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319. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Public Infrastructure Renewal table details for all 100 or more hospital projects, cancer program sites, MRI sites, CT sites and 36 long-term care projects mentioned on pp 2-3 of the Ministry’s ReNew Ontario Progress Report 2006 including when the projects were first announced by any previous government; announced by the current government; timeframes for groundbreaking, construction and expected project completion date; the provincial share of funding; the local share of funding; total costs of the projects; when the provincial share of funding will flow to the operator of the site; and the financing model used such as 3P, AFP, etc.

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320. **Mr. Runciman** – Enquiry of the Premier – Would the Premier indicate why he has failed to respond to a letter dated June 7, 2006 from the MPP for Leeds–Grenville asking if the government plans to act on the wish of the Legislature and create an Eastern Ontario Secretariat.

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326. Mr. O'Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation indicate the cost of chartering municipal buses and other expenses incurred by the taxpayers of Ontario (local, provincial and federal) for the Ministry announcement of transit funding to municipalities on October 13, 2006.

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327. Mr. O'Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation table an estimated cost for establishing the Greater Toronto Transportation Authority (GTTA) along with an explanation of how the Authority will be funded.

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328. Mr. O'Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Transportation review the concerns raised by Clarington Council and citizens to advise what steps will be taken to install noise barriers at Highway 401 in Bowmanville.

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329. Ms. DiNovo – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Housing and Municipal Affairs provide the exact number of occupied affordable housing units built by his Government that rent in the 300 to 400 dollar range.

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330. Mr. Tory – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Energy table all the draft scripts, storyboards and other advertising materials that have been rejected by the Auditor General as not meeting the standards of the Government Advertising Act.

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335. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Northern Development and Mines provide the amount of government funding that has been spent on the advertisement and administration of the ‘Northern Ontario Grow Bonds’ since 2003, including how many Grow Bonds have been sold each year since 2003 and how the revenues raised have been distributed in each riding in Northern Ontario each year since 2003.

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336. **Mr. Miller** – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care provide information on the average wait time to process and receive Northern Health Travel Grant applications for the years 2006 through 2003, in addition to information regarding the budget for NHTG staff to administer the program and dollars available for applicants.

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338. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister Responsible for Aboriginal Affairs table the names of all dedicated projects for aboriginal capital infrastructure since 2003 as well as the budgets for these projects for the years 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 and a list of first nations communities which have received funding under these projects since 2003.

Date Tabled: November 16, 2006
Date Interim Answer was Tabled (if applicable): N/A
Date Final Answer was Tabled: May 8, 2007

339. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources provide a detailed list of the Fish and Wildlife programs that are funded through Special Purposes Account and the amount of funding provided for each of these programs for each of 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2006.

Date Tabled: November 16, 2006
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Date Final Answer was Tabled: March 21, 2007

340. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources provide information on the total number of FTE conservation officers in the province, including the office location and number of conservation officers assigned at each of these locations for the past 5 years.

Date Tabled: November 16, 2006
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Date Final Answer was Tabled: March 21, 2007

341. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Natural Resources provide a detailed breakdown of the costs for advertising, educational materials and staffing for programs at Parks Ontario for the years 2002, 2003, 2004 and 2005.

Date Tabled: November 16, 2006
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Date Final Answer was Tabled: March 21, 2007

342. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister Responsible for Aboriginal Affairs provide a list of the costs of policing, police accommodation and meals; consultant and arbitrator salaries and accommodations; reconstruction, repair and addition of infrastructure, utility costs and any related miscellaneous expenses incurred in connection with the Caledonia occupation.

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### 343. Mr. Miller – Enquiry of the Ministry

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### 344. Mr. Hudak – Enquiry of the Ministry

Would the Chair of Management Board provide the number of FTE’s, the number of PTE’s, the number of temporary contract positions and the total payroll and benefit costs for each Ontario Government Ministry for each of the fiscal years 2001-2002, 2002-2003, 2003-2004, 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and estimates of each for 2006-2007.

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Would the Minister of Energy provide the number of FTE’s, the number of PTE’s, the number of temporary contract positions, and the total payroll and benefit costs for each of: Ontario Power Generation, Hydro One, the Independent Electricity System Operator/Independent Electricity Market Operator, the Ontario Energy Board and the Ontario Power Authority for each of the years 2002-2006 and estimates of each for 2007.

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Would the Minister of Transportation please advise what steps the Ministry is taking in response to citizens and to organizations such as the United Senior Citizens of Ontario who are asking that seatbelts be required on motor coaches and school buses in Ontario.

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356. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Education explain if the loss of the school nurse program in our schools is a result of funding cutbacks in either education or healthcare.

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357. Ms. MacLeod – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Children and Youth Services please indicate when she first received a report from the Auditor General showing misuse of funds at any Children’s Aid Society and will she please table any documents referring to the Auditor’s Report.

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358. Mr. Yakabuski – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Health and Long-Term Care please provide the complete costs for Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) annual reports to include a listing of the costs of producing and distributing each of the annual reports, for both English and French versions, including any other associated costs.

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359. Mr. Tory – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Premier please table all documents and correspondence between the Government of Ontario and Advertising Standards Canada with respect to wait times advertisements that ran on television and in print during the months of September and October 2006 and were found to be in violation of the Canadian Code of Advertising Standards. This should include notes from meetings, notes from cell phone calls, letters, and e-mails.

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360. Mr. Arnott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Tourism please provide a list of all of the recipients of funding under the TEMPP program (or its equivalent) over the past 12 months, where the event is located, and how much each applicant received.

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475. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment confirm that the Ministry of the Environment has eliminated all regional well inspectors, and there are presently no well inspectors in Ontario, according to the new Environmental Commissioner Special Report on the 24th of April 2007.

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477. Ms. Scott – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of the Environment provide a copy of the Ministry policy, which requires all staff to immediately report all events of any matter that addresses a drinking water related incident, known as a Water Complaint Notification.

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478. Mr. O’Toole – Enquiry of the Ministry – Would the Minister of Training, Colleges and Universities explain what is being done to ensure recent graduates from paralegal training programs are not excluded from registering as paralegals as a result of new regulations contained in Bill 14.

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No. P–12:  Ensuring the re-development of Highway 26 is completed immediately

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No. P–14:  Restoring the former municipal structure of the City of Kawartha Lakes

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Ms. MacLeod  
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Mr. Kormos  
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Mrs. Munro  

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| Mr. Hoy | T – May 3, 2006 | R – July 4, 2006 |

No. P–171: Implementing a population-based colorectal cancer screening program and funding Oxaliplatin and Avastin

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No. P–239: Establishing a public inquiry at the City of Vaughan

| Mr. Prue | T – October 24, 2006 | R – December 20, 2006 |

No. P–240: Green Lane landfill and First Nation

| Mr. Bisson | T – October 24, 2006 | No response; Session prorogued |

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| Mr. Bisson | T – November 15, 2006 | R – March 22, 2007 |

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| Ms. Smith | T – April 23, 2007 | No response; Session prorogued |

| Mr. Zimmer | T – October 31, 2006 | No response; Session prorogued |
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No. P–242: Instructing the Thames Valley District School Board to adjust boundaries

| Mrs. Van Bommel | T – October 26, 2006 | R – May 3, 2007 |

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Mr. Berardinetti  T – November 1, 2006  R – March 20, 2007

Mr. Chudleigh  T – November 14, 2006  R – March 27, 2007
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No. P–246: Extending the disabled person parking permit program
Mr. O’Toole  T – November 14, 2006  R – May 3, 2007


No. P–248: Withdrawing the proposed Long-Term Care Homes Act or removing the offending sections
Mrs. Munro  T – December 21, 2006  R – May 3, 2007
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Mr. Tascona  T – May 7, 2007  No response; Session prorogued

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Mr. Berardinetti  T – November 21, 2006  R – May 3, 2007

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T – December 5, 2006  R – March 27, 2007
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No. P–254: Ensuring that the Ottawa-Carleton District School Board continues with plans to build a new Grade 7 to 12 school to serve the Longfields and Davidson Heights communities

Ms. MacLeod T – November 27, 2006 R – May 3, 2007
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No. P–255: Continuing to permit the use of the pedestrian walkway over Mary Lake dam indefinitely

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No. P–265: Glencolton Farm

Mr. Murdoch T – December 6, 2006 R – March 27, 2007

No. P–266: Re-establishing education services for rural students

Mr. Mauro T – December 11, 2006 R – May 3, 2007

No. P–267: Endorsing a comprehensive strategy to address Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)

Mr. O’Toole T – December 11, 2006 R – March 20, 2007
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Mr. Martiniuk T – December 13, 2006 R – May 3, 2007

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No. P–271: Passing Bill 131 that would create a Peace Officers’ Memorial Day in Ontario

Mr. Levac  
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Mr. Miller  
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Mr. Rinaldi  
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Mr. Hampton  
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No. P–275: Increasing funding for the Ontario Focused Intervention Partnership

Mr. Ruprecht  
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Mr. Ruprecht  
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No. P–278: Supporting adult literacy initiatives

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Mr. Tabuns  
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No. P–280: Blocking the construction of the Portlands Energy Centre and invest instead in energy efficiency, conservation, alternative and renewable power

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