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Jeudi  
28 novembre 2019

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**9:00 A.M.  
PRAYERS**

**9 H  
PRIÈRES**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

**ORDRE DU JOUR**

Mr. Calandra moved,

M. Calandra propose,

That, pursuant to Standing Order 47 and notwithstanding any other Standing Order or Special Order of the House relating to Bill 116, An Act to enact the Mental Health and Addictions Centre of Excellence Act, 2019 and the Opioid Damages and Health Costs Recovery Act, 2019, when the Bill 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

That at such time the Bill shall be ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy; and

That the Clerk of the Committee, in consultation with the Committee Chair, be authorized to arrange the following with regard to Bill 116:

That the Standing Committee on Social Policy be authorized to meet on Friday, December 6, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. for the purpose of public hearings; and

That the deadline for requests to appear be Wednesday, December 4, 2019 at 9:00 a.m.; and

That the Clerk of the Committee provide a list of all interested presenters to each member of the Sub-committee and their designate following the deadline for requests to appear by 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 4, 2019; and

That each member of the Sub-committee or their designate provide the Clerk of the Committee with a prioritized list of presenters to be scheduled, chosen from the list of all interested presenters received by the Clerk by 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 4, 2019 and

That each witness will receive up to 5 minutes for their presentation followed by 8 minutes divided equally amongst the recognized parties for questioning, and 2 minutes for the Independent Member; and

That the deadline for filing written submissions be Friday, December 6, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.; and

That the deadline for filing amendments to the Bill with the Clerk of the Committee shall be Monday, December 9, 2019 at 12:00 p.m.; and

That the Standing Committee on Social Policy be authorized to meet on Tuesday, December 10, 2019 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. and from 2:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for the purpose of clause-by-clause consideration of the Bill; and

That on Tuesday, December 10, 2019 at 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. At this time, the Chair shall allow one 20-minute waiting period pursuant to Standing Order 129(a); and

That the Committee shall report the Bill to the House no later than Wednesday, December 11, 2019. In the event that the Committee fails to report the Bill on that day, the Bill shall be deemed 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 that same day; and

That notwithstanding Standing Order 81(c), the Bill may be called for Third Reading more than once in the same sessional day; and

That in the event of any division relating to any proceedings on the Bill, the division bell shall be limited to 20 minutes; and

That Third Reading debate be limited to two hours, with 50 minutes for the Government, 50 minutes for the Official Opposition, and 20 minutes for the Independents.

Debate arose and after some time,

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps,

The question was then put.

La question a ensuite été mise aux voix.

Vote deferred.

Le vote est différé.

At 10:09 a.m., the Government House Leader indicated that no further morning business would be called and therefore the House recessed.

À 10 h 09, le leader parlementaire du gouvernement a indiqué que l'ordre du jour de la séance du matin étant épuisé, la Chambre suspendait ses travaux.

**10:30 A.M.**

**10 H 30**

The House expressed its condolence on the death of John Roxborough Smith, Member for the Electoral District of Hamilton Mountain from October 17, 1967 to June 8, 1977.

**ORAL QUESTIONS**

**QUESTIONS ORALES**

**DEFERRED VOTES**

**VOTES DIFFÉRÉS**

Motion for allocation of time on Bill 116, An Act to enact the Mental Health and Addictions Centre of Excellence Act, 2019 and the Opioid Damages and Health Costs Recovery Act, 2019.

Carried on the following division:-

Adoptée par le vote suivant :-

**AYES / POUR - 59**

Anand	Fullerton	Miller (Parry Sound—Muskoka)	Sandhu
Baber	Ghamari	Mitas	Scott
Babikian	Gill	Mulroney	Skelly
Bailey	Harris	Oosterhoff	Smith (Bay of Quinte)
Barrett	Hogarth	Pang	Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha)
Bouma	Kanapathi	Park	Surma
Calandra	Karahalios	Parsa	Tangri
Cho (Scarborough North)	Ke	Pettapiece	Thanigasalam
Cho (Willowdale)	Khanjin	Phillips	Thompson
Clark	Kusendova	Piccini	Tibollo
Coe	Lecce	Rasheed	Triantafilopoulos
Crawford	Martin	Rickford	Walker
Downey	McDonell	Roberts	Yakabuski
Dunlop	McKenna	Romano	Yurek
Elliott	McNaughton	Sabawy	

**NAYS / CONTRE - 34**

Andrew	Fife	Mamakwa	Singh (Brampton Centre)
Armstrong	Fraser	Mantha	Singh (Brampton East)

## NAYS / CONTRE - Continued

Arthur	French	Monteith-Farrell	Stevens
Begum	Gélinas	Morrison	Stiles
Bell	Glover	Rakocevic	Tabuns
Berns-McGown	Hassan	Sattler	Taylor
Bisson	Hatfield	Schreiner	Vanthof
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Burch	Lindo		

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The House recessed at 12:04 p.m.

À 12 h 04, la Chambre a suspendu la séance.

**1:00 P.M.**

**13 H**

**REPORTS BY COMMITTEES**

**RAPPORTS DES COMITÉS**

Pursuant to the Order of the House dated May 28, 2019, Mr. Tabuns 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 be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2020:-

**MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE**

1401	Ministry Administration	\$	117,449,400
1402	Health Policy and Research		797,572,900
1403	eHealth and Information Management		447,954,800
1405	Ontario Health Insurance		21,525,860,200
1406	Population and Public Health		1,289,809,000
1411	Local Health Integration Networks and Related Health Service Providers		29,529,245,600
1412	Provincial Programs and Stewardship		4,380,178,500
1413	Information Systems		161,290,200
1407	Health Capital		1,809,052,400

**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

1001	Ministry Administration	\$	20,016,000
1002	Elementary and Secondary Education		27,003,165,200
1003	Community Services Information and Information Technology Cluster		56,014,600
1004	Child Care and Early Years		2,206,571,700

**MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION**

2701	Ministry Administration	\$	69,825,700
2702	Policy and Planning		5,103,335,600
2703	Road User Safety		150,776,800
2704	Provincial Highways Management		2,822,931,200
2705	Labour and Transportation Cluster		59,136,200

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

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

Bill 154, An Act to proclaim Stop Cyberbullying in Ontario Day. Mr. Rasheed.

**DÉPÔT DES PROJETS DE LOI**

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

Projet de loi 154, Loi proclamant la Journée pour l'élimination de la cyberintimidation en Ontario. M. Rasheed.

**MOTIONS**

With unanimous consent,

On motion by Mr. Calandra,

Ordered, That the requirement for notice be waived for ballot item number 91 in the Order of Precedence on the ballot list draw of July 11, 2018 for Private Members' Public Business.

**MOTIONS**

Avec le consentement unanime,

Sur la motion de M. Calandra,

Il est ordonné que l'obligation de donner avis fasse l'objet d'une exemption pour le billet de député numéro 91 dans l'ordre de priorité du tirage au sort tenu le 11 juillet 2018 pour les des affaires d'intérêt public émanant des députés.

**PETITIONS**

The Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-13) Ms. Armstrong and Miss Taylor.

Alzheimer's disease (Sessional Paper No. P-44) Mr. Hatfield.

Memorial honouring war veterans (Sessional Paper No. P-68) Ms. Hogarth.

Intervention d'urgence 911 (Document parlementaire n° P-103) M. Mantha.

Highway of Heroes tree campaign (Sessional Paper No. P-110) Mr. Mantha.

Post secondary education (Sessional Paper No. P-130) Mr. Rakocevic.

Amending Ontario Regulation 493/17 for pet-friendly spaces in small businesses (Sessional Paper No. P-161) Mrs. Tangri.

Animal welfare (Sessional Paper No. P-178) Ms. Hogarth.

Polar Bear Express (Sessional Paper No. P-183) Mr. Bourgouin.

**PÉTITIONS****PRIVATE MEMBERS' PUBLIC BUSINESS**

Mr. Coe moved,

Second Reading of Bill 123, An Act to amend the Highway Traffic Act respecting electric vehicle charging stations.

Debate arose and after some time,

Carried on the following division:-

**AFFAIRES D'INTÉRÊT PUBLIC ÉMANANT DES DÉPUTÉS**

M. Coe propose,

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 123, Loi modifiant le Code de la route en ce qui concerne les stations de recharge pour véhicules électriques.

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps,

Adoptée par le vote suivant :-

## AYES / POUR - 88

Anand	Fife	Martin	Sarkaria
Andrew	Fraser	McDonell	Sattler
Armstrong	Fullerton	McKenna	Schreiner
Baber	Gates	McNaughton	Simard
Babikian	Ghamari	Miller (Parry Sound—Muskoka)	Singh (Brampton Centre)
Bailey	Glover	Mitas	Singh (Brampton East)
Barrett	Gretzky	Monteith-Farrell	Skelly
Begum	Hardeman	Morrison	Smith (Bay of Quinte)
Bell	Harris	Oosterhoff	Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha)
Berns-McGown	Hassan	Pang	Stevens
Bisson	Hatfield	Park	Stiles
Bouma	Hogarth	Parsa	Surma
Bourgouin	Kanapathi	Pettapiece	Tabuns
Calandra	Karahalios	Phillips	Tangri
Cho (Scarborough North)	Ke	Piccini	Taylor
Cho (Willowdale)	Kernaghan	Rakocevic	Thanigasalam
Clark	Khanjin	Rasheed	Triantafilopoulos
Coe	Kusendova	Rickford	Vanthof
Coteau	Lecce	Roberts	Walker
Crawford	Lindo	Romano	West
Downey	Mamakwa	Sabawy	Yarde
Dunlop	Mantha	Sandhu	Yurek

## NAYS / CONTRE - 0

Referred to the Standing Committee on Regulations and Private Bills.

Renvoyé au Comité permanent des règlements et des projets de loi d'intérêt privé.

Ms. McKenna moved,

M<sup>me</sup> McKenna propose,

Second Reading of Bill 152, An Act to proclaim Occupational Safety and Health Day.

Deuxième lecture du projet de loi 152, Loi proclamant la Journée de la sécurité et de la santé au travail.

Debate arose and after some time,

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps,

Carried on the following division:-

Adoptée par le vote suivant :-

## AYES / POUR - 58

Anand	Fraser	McKenna	Romano
Baber	Fullerton	McNaughton	Sabawy
Babikian	Ghamari	Miller (Parry Sound—Muskoka)	Sandhu
Bailey	Hardeman	Mitas	Sarkaria
Barrett	Harris	Oosterhoff	Simard
Bouma	Hogarth	Pang	Skelly
Calandra	Jones	Park	Smith (Bay of Quinte)
Cho (Scarborough North)	Kanapathi	Parsa	Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha)
Cho (Willowdale)	Karahalios	Pettapiece	Surma
Clark	Ke	Phillips	Tangri
Coe	Khanjin	Piccini	Thanigasalam
Coteau	Kusendova	Rasheed	Triantafilopoulos
Crawford	Lecce	Rickford	Walker
Downey	Martin	Roberts	Yurek
Dunlop	McDonell		

## NAYS / CONTRE - 30

Andrew	Gates	Mantha	Stevens
Armstrong	Glover	Monteith-Farrell	Stiles
Begum	Gretzky	Morrison	Tabuns
Bell	Hassan	Rakocevic	Taylor
Berns-McGown	Hatfield	Sattler	Vanthof
Bisson	Kernaghan	Singh (Brampton Centre)	West
Bourgouin	Lindo	Singh (Brampton East)	Yarde
Fife	Mamakwa		

Referred to the Standing Committee on Social Policy.

Renvoyé au Comité permanent de la politique sociale.

Ms. Singh (Brampton Centre) moved,

M<sup>me</sup> Singh (Brampton Centre) propose,

Private Members' Notice of Motion No. 84:-

Avis de motion émanant des députés n° 84 :-

That, in the opinion of this House, the Ministry of Education should commit to a fully independent, comprehensive public investigation of the charges of anti-Black racism within the Peel District School Board, and to presenting its findings and plan for action to the House, detailing the resources to be allocated to address this long-standing systemic issue.

Debate arose and after some time,

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps,

Carried on the following division:-

Adoptée par le vote suivant :-

## AYES / POUR - 89

Anand	Fraser	Martin	Sarkaria
Andrew	Fullerton	McDonell	Sattler
Armstrong	Gates	McKenna	Schreiner
Baber	Ghamari	McNaughton	Simard
Babikian	Glover	Miller (Parry Sound—Muskoka)	Singh (Brampton Centre)
Bailey	Gretzky	Mitas	Singh (Brampton East)
Barrett	Hardeman	Monteith-Farrell	Skelly
Begum	Harris	Morrison	Smith (Bay of Quinte)
Bell	Hassan	Oosterhoff	Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha)
Berns-McGown	Hatfield	Pang	Stevens
Bisson	Hogarth	Park	Stiles
Bouma	Jones	Parsa	Surma
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Calandra	Karahalios	Phillips	Tangri
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Coteau	Lecce	Roberts	Walker
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Downey	Mamakwa	Sabawy	Yarde
Dunlop	Mantha	Sandhu	Yurek
Fife			

## NAYS / CONTRE - 0



**ORDERS OF THE DAY****ORDRE DU JOUR**

Motion, as amended, regarding amendments to the Standing Orders.

Debate resumed and after some time,

Mr. Bisson moved adjournment of the debate.

Lost on the following division:-

AYES - 18    NAYS - 54

Le débat a repris et après quelque temps,

M. Bisson propose l'ajournement du débat.

Rejetée par le vote suivant :-

POUR - 18    CONTRE - 54

The Acting Speaker (Ms. French) informed the House of the following changes in the Order of Precedence for Private Members' Public Business:-

On the ballot list draw of November 4, 2019:

Mr. Barrett assumes ballot item number 3;

Miss Mitas assumes ballot item number 32.

La présidente suppléante (M<sup>me</sup> French) a informé la Chambre des changements suivants dans l'ordre de priorité des affaires d'intérêt public émanant des députés :-

Debate resumed and after some time,

Mr. Bisson moved,

That the motion be amended by deleting everything after the first "That" in the first paragraph and replacing with:

"a Select Committee on Modernizing the Standing Orders be appointed to consider and report to the House its observations and recommendations with respect to proposed changes to the Standing Orders that would better serve the democratic interests of the people of Ontario; and

That in developing its strategy and recommendations, the Committee shall focus on the following:

- Measures that reflect the Government's right to carry out its agenda and opposition parties' responsibility to hold the Government to account; and

That the Committee shall have the authority to call for persons, papers and things, and generally shall have such duties and powers as are required to carry out its mandate; and

That the Committee be composed of five members from the Government, one of which shall be the Chair, two members of the Official Opposition, one Liberal Independent member and one Green Independent member; and

That the Committee shall meet at the call of the Chair; and

That the Committee shall report back to the House by no later than February 28, 2020; and

That in exercising his discretion under Standing Orders 31(c), 37(i) and 98(a)(iv) the Speaker shall recognize Independent members for the duration of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Parliament as follows:

- During Members' Statements: one per day
- During Oral Questions: two questions per day, each followed by one supplementary
- During Private Members' Public Business: 5 minutes for each item of business, which may be shared."

Debate arose and after some time,

Il s'élève un débat et après quelque temps,

Mr. Bisson moved adjournment of the House.

M. Bisson propose l'ajournement de la Chambre.

Lost on the following division:-

Rejetée par le vote suivant :-

AYES - 17 NAYS - 47

POUR - 17 CONTRE - 47

Debate resumed and after some time the House adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

Le débat a repris et après quelque temps, à 18 h, la Chambre a ajourné ses travaux.

le président

**TED ARNOTT**

Speaker

**PETITIONS TABLED PURSUANT TO  
STANDING ORDER 39(a)**

**PÉTITIONS DÉPOSÉES  
CONFORMÉMENT À L'ARTICLE  
39 a) DU RÈGLEMENT**

Drug consumption and treatment services site in Peterborough (Sessional Paper No. P-164) (Tabled November 28, 2019) Mr. Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha).

**RESPONSES TO WRITTEN  
QUESTIONS**

**RÉPONSES AUX QUESTIONS ÉCRITES**

Final Answers to Question Number: 137.

**RESPONSES TO PETITIONS**

**RÉPONSES AUX PÉTITIONS**

Ontario Disability Support Program (Sessional Paper No. P-5):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Hatfield.

The Long-Term Care Homes Act (Sessional Paper No. P-13):  
(Tabled May 30, 2019) Ms. Armstrong.  
(Tabled June 6, 2019) M<sup>me</sup> Gélinas.  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Hatfield.

Toronto municipal elections (Sessional Paper No. P-18):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Ms. French.

Affordable housing (Sessional Paper No. P-32):  
(Tabled June 4, 2019) Ms. Bell.  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Hatfield.

Hunting and trapping of the eastern hybrid wolf (Sessional Paper No. P-71):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Bailey.  
(Tabled May 29, 2019) Mrs. Fee.  
(Tabled May 28, 30, 2019) Mr. Harris.  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. McDonell.  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Oosterhoff.  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Smith (Peterborough—Kawartha).

Office of the Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth (Sessional Paper No. P-84):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Ms. French.

Independent facilitation services (Sessional Paper No. P-105):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Hatfield.

Child care funding (Sessional Paper No. P-139):  
(Tabled May 27; June 5, 2019) Ms. Begum.  
(Tabled May 27, 2019) Ms. Karpoche.

Abuse awareness and prevention (Sessional Paper No. P-142):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Mr. Mantha.

Community use of schools fund (Sessional Paper No. P-143):  
(Tabled May 28, 2019) Ms. Stiles.

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