



**Legislative Assembly
Province of Alberta**

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Second Session

Twenty-Ninth Legislature

Thursday, November 3, 2016

The Speaker took the Chair at 9:00 a.m.

Government Bills and Orders

Second Reading

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

Bill 25 Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act — Hon. Ms Phillips

A debate followed.

Mr. Panda, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, moved that the motion for Second Reading of Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, be amended by deleting all the words after “that” and substituting the following:

Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship in accordance with Standing Order 74.2.

Debate adjourned on the amendment, Mr. Panda speaking.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Government Motion 24 agreed to on November 1, 2016, the Assembly adjourned at 10:45 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.

ROUTINE

Members' Statements

Ms Goehring, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Castle Downs, made a statement regarding Remembrance Day and the need to live honourably in order to repay the debt owed to Albertans and Canadians who have lost their lives or their physical and mental health fighting in armed conflicts.

Mr. Smith, Hon. Member for Drayton Valley-Devon, made a statement regarding the Clean Energy Technology Centre, a business incubator in Drayton Valley, and two companies it supports that are finding commercial uses for waste products.

Mr. Rosendahl, Hon. Member for West Yellowhead, made a statement regarding a collaboration between Epoch Energy and the Town of Hinton to develop a geothermal source of heat and electricity in the area.

Mr. Carson, Hon. Member for Edmonton-Meadowlark, made a statement recognizing November 2016 as the 125th anniversary of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and its continuing work to improve training, safety, and employment opportunities for its members.

Ms McKittrick, Hon. Member for Sherwood Park, made a statement recognizing December 3, 2016, as the International Day of Persons with Disabilities, and regarding several new inclusive, accessible recreational facilities in Sherwood Park.

MLA Cortes-Vargas, Hon. Member for Strathcona-Sherwood Park, made a statement regarding GSS Integrated Energy Ltd., an Alberta-based company that reduces greenhouse gas emissions by capturing and reusing waste heat.

Introduction of Bills (First Reading)

Upon recommendation of Her Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, and notice having been given:

Bill 27 Renewable Electricity Act (\$) — Hon. Ms McCuaig-Boyd

Tabling Returns and Reports

Hon. Ms Larivee, Minister of Municipal Affairs:

Report, undated, entitled "Home Again: Recovery after the Wood Buffalo Wildfire," prepared by the Government of Alberta

Sessional Paper 323/2016

Mrs. Aheer, Hon. Member for Chestermere-Rocky View:

Report dated August 2016 entitled “How Alberta’s Carbon Emission Cap Will Reduce Oil Sands Growth,” prepared by the Fraser Institute, relating to comments made by Mrs. Aheer during Second Reading debate of Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, on November 3, 2016

Sessional Paper 324/2016

Mr. MacIntyre, Hon. Member for Innisfail-Sylvan Lake:

Financial Post website article dated December 19, 2013, entitled “Vivian Krause: Forest Ethics’ cash pipeline,” relating to comments made by Mr. MacIntyre during Second Reading debate of Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, on November 3, 2016

Sessional Paper 325/2016

Privilege – Media Events and a News Release Concerning Bill 27, Renewable Electricity Act

Mr. Rodney, Hon. Member for Calgary-Lougheed, raised a purported question of privilege under Standing Order 15(5) regarding two media events and a news release issued by the Government that referenced Bill 27, Renewable Electricity Act (\$), even though the Bill had not been introduced in the Assembly at the time.

The Speaker heard from Hon. Mr. Mason and Mr. Cooper.

The Speaker stated that he would defer further debate on the purported question of privilege until Monday, November 7, 2016.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

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Second Reading

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Bill 25 Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act — Hon. Ms Phillips

Debate continued on the referral amendment introduced by Mr. Panda, Hon. Member for Calgary-Foothills, on November 3, 2016, that the motion for Second Reading of Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, be amended by deleting all the words after “that” and substituting the following:

Bill 25, Oil Sands Emissions Limit Act, be not now read a Second time but that the subject matter of the Bill be referred to the Standing Committee on Resource Stewardship in accordance with Standing Order 74.2

A debate followed.

Debate adjourned on the amendment.

Adjournment

Pursuant to Standing Order 4(2), the Assembly adjourned at 4:30 p.m. until Monday, November 7, 2016, at 1:30 p.m.

Hon. Robert E. Wanner,
Speaker

Title: Thursday, November 4, 2016