

Daily sitting 45

Wednesday, April 29, 2015

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Oliver, Member for Kings Centre, laid upon the table of the House a petition in opposition to the closure of Norton Elementary School. (Petition 80)

Mr. Coon, Member for Fredericton South, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislative Assembly to establish a facility for adults with autism; provide access to mental health services for autistic children; and appoint a committee of the Legislature to hold hearings on autism services. (Petition 81)

Mr. Steeves, Member for Moncton Northwest, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the government to provide a new school or an extension to Northrup Frye School. (Petition 82)

Pursuant to Standing Rule 44(4), Ms. Dubé, Opposition House Leader, gave notice that on Thursday, April 30, 2015, Opposition Members' Business would be considered in the following order: Bill 11; Motion 33, 27 and 31.

On motion of Mr. Albert, seconded by Hon. Mr. Boudreau:

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Standing Rule 109, the following estimates be referred to the Standing Committee on Estimates and Fiscal Policy:

Department of Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fisheries;
Department of Environment and Local Government;
Department of Human Resources;
Department of Tourism, Heritage and Culture.

Mr. Albert, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to consider the Supplementary Estimates 2013-2014, Volume I.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Supply with Mr. Bernard LeBlanc in the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Mr. Bernard LeBlanc, the Chair, after requesting that Mr. Speaker revert to Presentations of Committee Reports, reported that the Committee had had under consideration the matters referred to them, had made some progress therein, had passed several items, and asked leave to sit again.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.2, Mr. Speaker put the question on the motion deemed to be before the House, that the report be concurred in, and it was resolved in the affirmative.

The following are the items reported:

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES 2013-2014, VOLUME I

RESOLVED, that there be granted to Her Majesty sums not exceeding the following to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2014:

ORDINARY ACCOUNT	Voted (\$)
GENERAL GOVERNMENT	
Revenue Sharing Agreements with First Nations	2,959,658.59
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY	
Public Security and Corrections	4,643,241.14
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE	
Administration	875,593.26
Policy, Planning and Strategic Development	588,007.63
Maintenance	4,174,360.42
Winter Maintenance	2,232,695.21
New Brunswick Highway Corporation	254,331.75
Voted	8,124,988.27

The said items were concurred in by the House.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to revert to Introduction of Bills.

The following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

By Hon. Mr. Melanson,

Bill 24, *Supplementary Appropriations Act 2013-2014 (1)*.

Mr. Speaker announced that pursuant to Standing Rule 42.3(1), Bill 24 was ordered for second and third reading forthwith.

The following Bill was read a second time:

Bill 24, *Supplementary Appropriations Act 2013-2014 (1)*.

The following Bill was read a third time:

Bill 24, *Supplementary Appropriations Act 2013-2014 (1)*.

Ordered that the said Bill does pass.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to sit past the noon recess.

And then, 12.07 p.m., the House adjourned.

The following document, having been deposited with the Clerk of the House, was deemed laid upon the table of the House pursuant to Standing Rule 39:

Annual Report 2014

Office of the Consumer Advocate for Insurance April 28, 2015