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Wednesday, June 12, 2019

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

During Oral Questions, Mr. Speaker interrupted the proceedings and requested that Hon. Mr. Cardy withdraw the phrase “misled the House”, which he did.

Following Oral Questions, Mr. Arseneault rose on a point of order and submitted that the phrase “buying votes” was unparliamentary. Mr. Speaker took the matter under advisement.

Mr. Arseneault, Opposition House Leader, gave notice that on Thursday, June 13, 2019, Opposition Members’ Business would be considered in the following order: Motion 51, 59 and 47.

Mr. Savoie, Government House Leader, announced that following third reading, it was the intention of government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider Bills 23 and 18.

The following Bills were read a third time:

Bill 35, *Cooperatives Act*.  
Bill 36, *Credit Unions Act*.

Ordered that the said Bills do pass.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole with Ms. LeBlanc in the chair.

At 11.29 a.m. the Committee recessed. At 11.36 a.m. the Committee resumed.

At 12.06 p.m. the Committee recessed. At 1.11 p.m. the Committee resumed.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that the Chair report Bill 23, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act* as amended, it was resolved in the negative on the following recorded division:

## YEAS - 16

Mr. Arseneault	Mr. Kenny	Mr. K. Chiasson
Mr. Melanson	Mr. Coon	Mr. Horsman
Mr. Landry	Ms. Mitton	Mr. Lowe
Ms. Rogers	Ms. Thériault	Mr. McKee
Mr. Harvey	Mr. LePage	
Ms. Harris	Mr. Arseneau	

## NAYS - 22

Hon. Mr. Holder	Hon. Ms. Anderson-Mason	Hon. Mr. Urquhart
Mr. Savoie	Hon. Mr. Stewart	Hon. Mr. Oliver
Hon. Mr. Higgs	Hon. Mr. Cardy	Mr. Northrup
Hon. Mr. Steeves	Mr. DeSaulniers	Mr. Fitch
Hon. Ms. Shephard	Hon. Mr. Wetmore	Mr. Fairgrieve
Mr. Austin	Hon. Ms. M. Wilson	Mr. Crossman
Ms. Conroy	Hon. Mr. Carr	
Hon. Ms. S. Wilson	Hon. Mr. Holland	

At 3 p.m. the Committee recessed. At 3.15 p.m. the Committee resumed.

At 3.28 p.m. the Committee recessed. At 3.34 p.m. the Committee resumed.

At 4 p.m. the Committee recessed. At 4.12 p.m. the Committee resumed.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Ms. LeBlanc, the Chair, after requesting that Mr. Speaker revert to Presentations of Committee Reports, reported:

That the Committee had directed that she report the following Bill as amended:

Bill 18, *An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act*.

And that the Committee had directed that she report the following Bill as not agreed to as amended:

Bill 23, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act*.

And the Committee asked leave to make a further report.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, 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.

Accordingly, Mr. Speaker advised the House that Bill 23 would be removed from the Order and Notice Paper.

And then, 5.11 p.m., the House adjourned.

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

Response to Petitions 9, 10	June 10, 2019
Report of the Auditor General of New Brunswick 2019, Volume I, Performance Audit	June 11, 2019