
Tuesday, May 24, 2005.

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Haché, Member for Nigadoo-Chaleur, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by the residents of Miramichi urging the government to demand that CGC process synthetic gypsum locally and if it fails to comply, that the contract be tendered to a company that will create jobs in the Belledune area. (Petition 38)

Mr. Kenny, Member for Bathurst, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Minto area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers. (Petition 39)

Mr. V. Boudreau, Member for Shediac—Cap-Pelé, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Acadian Peninsula area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers. (Petition 40)

Mr. A. LeBlanc, Member for Saint John Lancaster, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Saint John area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers. (Petition 41)

Mr. Ouellette, Member for Grand Falls Region, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Grand Falls area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers. (Petition 42)

Mr. Paulin, Member for Restigouche West, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Bathurst area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers.
(Petition 43)

Mr. R. Boudreau, Member for Campbellton, laid upon the table of the House a petition signed by residents of the Campbellton area urging that the government transfer home support services from the Department of Family and Community Services to the Department of Health and Wellness; increase funding for home support services; and increase wages and benefits for home support workers.
(Petition 44)

Mr. Sherwood from the Standing Committee on Private Bills presented the first report of the Committee for the session, which was read and is as follows:

May 24, 2005.

To The Honourable
The Legislative Assembly of
The Province of New Brunswick

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Private Bills begs leave to submit this, their First Report of the Session.

Your Committee met on May 24, 2005, in the Legislative Assembly Chamber and had under consideration:

Bill 46, *An Act to Amend An Act Respecting The Certified General Accountants' Association of New Brunswick*

which it recommends to the favourable consideration of the House.

And your Committee begs leave to make a further report.

I move, seconded by Mr. MacDonald, that the report be concurred in by the House.

(Sgd. :) Mr. Milton Sherwood, M.L.A.
Chairman.

Mr. Speaker put the question on the motion of concurrence in the report of the Committee and it was resolved in the affirmative.

Hon. E. Robichaud laid upon the table of the House a document entitled *Belledune Area Health Study Summary Report February 2005*.

Mr. Albert gave Notice of Motion 92 that on Tuesday, May 31, 2005, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Landry:

That an address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that he cause to be laid upon the table of the House the breakdown of costs paid or payable by the Acadie-Bathurst Authority and the province of New Brunswick as a result of the lawsuit by the town of Caraquet, the Amis de l'Hôpital, and Fernand Rioux concerning the Hôpital de l'Enfant-Jésus in Caraquet, including the costs (salaries and expenses) of the Crown prosecutors, lawyer or lawyers, administration, employees, and civil servants involved.

Mr. Jamieson gave Notice of Motion 93 that on Tuesday, May 31, 2005, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. S. Graham:

That an address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, praying that he cause to be laid upon the table of the House all correspondence, e-mails, reports, studies and any other documents related to handling fees for refundable containers internal to the Department of the Environment and Local Government as well as with the Executive Council Office, other government departments, and stakeholders.

Hon. Mr. Green, the Government House Leader, announced that following the two hours reserved for Private Members' Motions, it was the intention of the government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to begin consideration of the estimates for the Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission and those related to the Department of Education.

Pursuant to Notice of Motion 83, Mr. V. Boudreau moved, seconded by Mr. Lamrock:

BE IT RESOLVED that the Select Committee on Health Care be given the mandate to receive public input, including frontline health professionals, regarding the impacts of the Provincial Health Plan.

And the question being put, a debate ensued.

And the debate being ended and the question being put, Motion 83 was negatived on the following recorded division:

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| Mr. McGinley | Mr. Branch | Mr. Foran |
| Mr. Jamieson | Mr. Albert | Mr. Kennedy |
| Mr. MacIntyre | Mr. Ouellette | Mr. A. LeBlanc |
| Mr. Allaby | Ms. Robichaud | Mr. Paulin |
| Mr. S. Graham | Mr. Lamrock | Mr. R. Boudreau |
| Mr. Haché | Mr. Murphy | Mr. Brewer |
| Mr. Armstrong | Mr. Kenny | Mr. V. Boudreau |
| Mr. Landry | Mr. Arseneault | |

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| Hon. Ms. Blaney | Mr. Sherwood | Hon. Mr. Huntjens |
| Hon. E. Robichaud | Hon. Mr. Steeves | Mr. Malley |
| Hon. Mr. Mesheau | Hon. Ms. Dubé | Mr. Williams |
| Hon. Mr. Volpé | Hon. Ms. Poirier | Mr. Carr |
| Hon. Mr. Lord | Hon. Mr. Ashfield | Mr. MacDonald |
| Hon. Mr. Green | Hon. Mr. Fitch | Mr. Stiles |
| Hon. D. Graham | Hon. Ms. Fowlie | Mr. Holder |
| Hon. Mr. Mockler | Hon. P. Robichaud | Mr. C. LeBlanc |
| Hon. Ms. MacAlpine | Hon. Mr. Alward | |

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

And after some time Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. Holder, the Chairman, 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, and asked leave to sit again.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, Mr. Speaker then 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.

And then 6 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned.

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

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| Documents requested in Notice of Motion 61 | May 20, 2005 |
| Documents requested in Notices of Motions 74, 82 | May 18, 2005 |
| Documents requested in Notice of Motion 87 | May 13, 2005 |