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Province of New Brunswick

Hon. Graydon Nicholas Lieutenant-Governor

Speaker: Hon. Roy Boudreau

Tuesday, April 6, 2010

Fourth Session of the 56th Legislative Assembly Fredericton, New Brunswick

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1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

The Honourable the Premier delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, and the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker, all the Members standing, and is as follows:

Fredericton, N.B. April 6, 2010.

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

I thank you for your Address and beg to assure you that I entertain the fullest confidence that in all your deliberations you will be guided by a most earnest desire to promote the happiness and prosperity of the people of this province.

(Sgd.:) Graydon Nicholas. Lieutenant-Governor.

Mr. Fraser, Member for Miramichi-Bay du Vin, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of residents of the Miramichi area urging the government to provide full-time MRI services to the Miramichi Regional Health Authority. (Petition 248)

During Statements by Members, it was agreed by unanimous consent to extend the allotted time to allow Members to make certain remarks on the occasion of Mr. Jamieson's last day in the Legislative Assembly.

The following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

By Hon. Mr. Foran,

Bill 54, An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act.

By Hon. Mr. Byrne,

Bill 55, An Act to Amend the Financial Corporation Capital Tax Act.

At 2.56 o'clock p.m., Mr. Speaker declared a recess and left the chair.

3.07 o'clock p.m.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. B. LeBlanc gave Notice of Motion 62 that on Friday, April 9, 2010, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Fraser:

WHEREAS Route 11 is part of the National Highway System; and WHEREAS Route 11 is included in the Atlantic Canada Transportation Strategy; and

WHEREAS efficient movement of goods and service on Route 11 is very important to economic development of northern New Brunswick; and

WHEREAS the current two-lane Route 11 cannot as effectively promote economic growth in northern New Brunswick; and

WHEREAS strategic development of ports and major economic opportunities require modern, four-lane highway support;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Legislature unanimously call upon the federal government to partner with New Brunswick in upgrading Route 11 into a four-lane highway.

Hon. Mr. Byrne, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 37, 38, 49, 40, 45, 35 and 26 be called for second reading; following which, the House would resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider Bills 36, 43, 39, 22, 31, 32 and 33.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 37, *Civil Forfeiture Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, due to the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair as Acting Speaker.

And after some further time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 37 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative on the following recorded division:

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Hon. Ms. Schryer Hon. Mr. Byrne	Hon. Mr. Albert Mr. MacIntyre	Ms. Dubé Mr. Alward
Hon. V. Boudreau	Ms. Lavoie	Mr. Robichaud
Hon. Mr. Arseneault	Ms. Robichaud	Mr. Steeves
Hon. Mr. Keir	Mr. Fraser	Mr. Harrison
Hon. Mr. Stiles	Hon. Mr. Doucet	Mr. Jody Carr
Hon. D. Landry	Hon. Mr. Foran	Mr. D. Graham
Mr. McGinley	Hon. Mr. Collins	Mr. Williams
Hon. Mr. Doherty	Ms. MacAlpine-Stiles	Mr. Betts
Hon. Mr. Brewer	Mr. A. LeBlanc	Mr. C. LeBlanc
Hon. Mr. Lamrock	Mr. Paulin	Mr. Olscamp
Mr. B. LeBlanc	Mr. Kennedy	Mr. C. Landry
Hon. Mr. Miles	Mr. Fitch	Mr. Northrup

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Accordingly, Bill 37, *Civil Forfeiture Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 38, *An Act to Amend the Management of Seized and Forfeited Property Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 38 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 38, An Act to Amend the Management of Seized and Forfeited Property Act, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 49, *Early Learning and Childcare Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Mr. Fraser resumed the chair.

And after some further time, Ms. Robichaud, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair as Acting Speaker.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 49 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 49, *Early Learning and Childcare Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 40, *An Act to Amend the Higher Education Foundation Act*, a debate arose thereon

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 40 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 40, *An Act to Amend the Higher Education Foundation Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 45, *Loan Act* 2010, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 45 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 45, *Loan Act 2010*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 35, *An Act to Amend the Public Service Labour Relations Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 35 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 35, *An Act to Amend the Public Service Labour Relations Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 26, *An Act to Amend the Medical Services Payment Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker interrupted proceedings and announced that the ordinary time of daily adjournment had arrived.

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 upon the Table of the House, pursuant to Standing Rule 39:

March 26, 2010
March 25, 2010
March 30, 2010
March 31, 2010