

Daily sitting 2

Wednesday, November 6, 2013

8.30 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Speaker introduced the new Chaplain for the session, Rev. Daniel Walton, pastor of Jemseg Baptist Church.

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Mr. Speaker introduced the new pages for the session: Lindsay Hodd, Musquash; Connor Jay, Winsloe, Prince Edward Island; Phoebe Marmura Brown, Fredericton; Alex Robichaud, Laval, Québec.

The returning pages are: Brian Cooke, Back Bay; Julie Frigault, Moncton; Ben Graham, Jacksonville; Danielle LaPointe, Kars; Andrew MacDougall, Burton; Jack Simpson, Fredericton; Samuel Titus, Fredericton.

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Mr. Doucet, Member for Charlotte-The Isles, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of residents and visitors of Deer Island urging the government to upgrade the soon to be retired John E. Rigby 18 car ferry to a larger vessel with no less than a 24 car capacity. (Petition 1)

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

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It was agreed by unanimous consent to extend the time allotted for Oral Questions by fifteen minutes.

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The following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

By Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud,

Bill 2, *Lobbyists' Registration Act*.

Bill 3, *An Act to Amend the Crown Lands and Forests Act*.

Bill 4, *An Act to Amend the Fish and Wildlife Act*.

By Hon. Mr. Higgs,

Bill 5, *An Act to Amend the Tobacco Tax Act*.

By Hon. Ms. Blais, Q.C.,

Bill 6, *An Act to Amend the Early Childhood Services Act*.

By Mr. Bernard LeBlanc,

Bill 7, *An Act to Amend the Environmental Trust Fund Act*.

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Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud gave notice that on Friday, November 8, 2013, Bills 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 would be called for second reading.

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With leave of the House, Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud moved, seconded by Mr. Fraser: (Motion 1)

THAT notwithstanding Standing Rule 29(1), the time for the daily meeting and adjournment of the sitting of the Assembly on Fridays shall be as follows:

Friday 9.00 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.

THAT this Special Order shall remain in effect during the remainder of the Fourth Session of the Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly.

And the question being put, it was resolved in the affirmative.

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With leave of the House, Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud moved, seconded by Mr. Fraser: (Motion 2)

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Crown Corporations be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Doucet for Mr. Bertrand LeBlanc, and the name of Mr. Albert for Mr. Fraser;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Estimates be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Boudreau for Mr. Bertrand LeBlanc, the name of Mr. Kenny for Mr. D. Landry, and the name of Mr. Bernard LeBlanc for Mr. Doucet;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Health Care be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Doucet for Mr. Fraser;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Law Amendments be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Bertrand LeBlanc for Mr. D. Landry;

That the membership of the Legislative Administration Committee be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Bertrand LeBlanc for Mr. Collins, and the name of Mr. Boudreau for Mr. Melanson;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Legislative Officers be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Albert for Mr. Kenny;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Private Bills be amended by substituting the name of Mr. D. Landry for Mr. Haché;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Procedure be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Fraser for Mr. Bernard LeBlanc, and the name of Mr. Melanson for Mr. Albert;

That the membership of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Boudreau for Mr. Doucet, and the name of Mr. Collins for Mr. Bernard LeBlanc;

That the membership of the Select Committee on Point Lepreau be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Doucet for Mr. Collins, and the name of Mr. Bernard LeBlanc for Mr. Kenny; and

That the membership of the Select Committee on Legislative Reform be amended by substituting the name of Mr. Boudreau for Mr. Fraser.

And the question being put, it was resolved in the affirmative.

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And then, 10.52 o'clock a.m., the House adjourned.