

Daily sitting 60

Tuesday, May 6, 2014

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Killen, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the Fourth Report of the Committee which was read and is as follows:

May 6, 2014

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 Fourth Report of the session.

Your Committee met on April 30, 2014, and had under consideration the following Bill:

Bill 64, *An Act Respecting the Rothesay Common*;

which it recommends to the favourable consideration of the House.

And your Committee begs leave to make a further report.

I move, seconded by the Member for Petitcodiac, that the report be concurred in by the House.

(Sgd.): Carl Killen, M.L.A.
Chair

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

The following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

By Hon. Mr. Flemming, Q.C.,

Bill 80, *An Act to Amend the Enforcement of Money Judgments Act*.

Bill 81, *An Act to Amend An Act Respecting the Enforcement of Money Judgments Act*.

By Hon. Mr. Lifford,

Bill 82, *An Act to Amend the Franchises Act*.

By Hon. Ms. Stultz,

Bill 83, *An Act to Amend the Procurement Act*.

By Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud,

Bill 84, *An Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act*.

By Hon. Mr. Higgs,

Bill 85, *Teachers' Pension Plan Act*.

By Mr. Steeves,

Bill 86, *An Act Respecting Floor Crossing*.

The required two hours' notice having been given the previous sitting day of April 25, 2014, Mr. Speaker invited Mr. Fraser and Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud to speak on the question of privilege. Having heard the arguments, Mr. Speaker took the matter under advisement.

With leave of the House, Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud moved, seconded by Mr. Fraser: (Motion 59)

THAT, in addition to the existing sitting hours prescribed in Standing Rule 29(1) and by Special Order of the House adopted November 6, 2013, the House shall sit on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., and Thursday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.;

THAT this Special Order shall come into effect on Tuesday, May 6, 2014, and remain in effect until the adjournment of the House on Thursday, May 8, 2014.

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

Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud gave notice that on Wednesday, May 7, 2014, Bills 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85 and 86 would be called for second reading.

Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud, Government House Leader, announced that following third reading, it was the intention of government that Bills 77, 78 and 79 be called for second reading; following which the House would resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole to consider Bills 31, 32, 33, 47, 51, 57, 39, 69, 59, 62, 71, 76 and 70.

The following Bill was read a third time:

Bill 30, *An Act to Amend the Tobacco Tax Act*.

Ordered that the said Bill does pass.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 77, *An Act to Amend the Financial and Consumer Services Commission Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 77 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 77, *An Act to Amend the Financial and Consumer Services Commission 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 78, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Internal Services Agency Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 78 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 78, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Internal Services Agency 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 79, *An Act to Amend the Agricultural Development Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 79 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 79, *An Act to Amend the Agricultural Development Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole with Mr. Urquhart in the chair.

At 5.28 o'clock p.m., Mr. Urquhart declared a recess and left the chair.

5.34 o'clock p.m.

The Committee resumed with Mr. Betts in the chair.

At 6 o'clock p.m., Mr. Betts left the chair to resume again at 7 o'clock p.m.

7 o'clock p.m.

The Committee resumed with Mr. C. Landry in the chair.

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

That the Committee had directed that he report the following Bills as agreed to:

Bill 31, *An Act to Amend the Gasoline and Motive Fuel Tax Act.*
Bill 32, *An Act to Amend the Revenue Administration Act.*
Bill 39, *An Act to Amend the Small Business Investor Tax Credit Act.*
Bill 47, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Liquor Corporation Act.*
Bill 51, *An Act Respecting Members' Pensions.*
Bill 57, *An Act to Amend the Financial Corporation Capital Tax Act.*
Bill 59, *An Act to Amend the Public Works Act.*
Bill 62, *An Act to Amend the Interjurisdictional Support Orders Act.*
Bill 70, *An Act to Amend the Gas Distribution Act, 1999.*
Bill 71, *An Act to Repeal the Statute of Frauds.*
Bill 76, *An Act to Amend the Mental Health Services Act.*

And that the Committee had directed that he report the following Bills as amended:

Bill 33, *An Act to Amend the Real Property Tax Act.*
Bill 69, *An Act to Amend the Small Business Investor Tax Credit 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.

And then 10 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:

Documents requested in Notice of Motion 40	April 28, 2014
Annual Report 2012-2013	
New Brunswick Highway Corporation	May 2, 2014