

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

FIRST SESSION

FORTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

Order Paper and Notices

of the Assembly

Thursday, 6 December 2018 — No. 7 *Nine forty a.m.*

President of the National Assembly: Mr. François Paradis

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

- The Member for Laviolette–Saint-Maurice on the following subject: *Tribute to Sylvie Gervais of Enfant Nature.*
- The Member for D'Arcy-McGee on the following subject: *Tribute to Mrs. Sara Weinberg.*
- The Member for Chambly on the following subject: *Tribute to Royal Adam, FADOQ de Chambly.*
- The Member for Jean-Talon on the following subject: Underline the 5th season of Ensemble classique A piacere's Christmas concert.
- The Member for Johnson on the following subject: Underline the 50th anniversary of Centre sportif d'Acton Vale.
- The Member for Mercier on the following subject: Mark the passing of Mr. Pierre Allard.
- The Member for Argenteuil on the following subject: Passing of the Mayor of Grenville, Luc Grondin.
- The Member for Îles-de-la-Madeleine on the following subject: *Tribute to the Îles-de-la-Madeleine emergency responders*.
- The Member for Dubuc on the following subject: *Underline the 25th anniversary* of Soupière de La Baie.
- The Member for Montarville on the following subject: *Télé-Québec*, 50 years of emotions and wonderment.

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

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MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

BUSINESS HAVING PRECEDENCE

(1) Resuming the debate, adjourned on **5 December 2018**, on the motion by the Premier, -That this Assembly approves the general policy of the Government,

And on the motions stating a grievance moved by:

The Leader of the Official Opposition:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government for its lack of rigour and for calling into question the accounting principles used by the Ministère des Finances and validated by the Auditor General, thereby undermining citizens' confidence in our institutions and jeopardizing sound management of the State.

The Leader of the Second Opposition Group:

THAT the National Assembly censure the Government for its lack of concrete, detailed, quantified commitments to improve the services offered to Quebecers.

The Leader of the Third Opposition Group:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for its weak environmental protection guidelines, particularly with regard to fighting climate change and reducing greenhouse gas emissions.

The Member for Rimouski:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Government for its lack of concrete, detailed, quantified commitments to fight poverty in Québec.

The Member for Sherbrooke:

THAT the National Assembly censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for its lack of an overall vision and coherence with regard to early education and early childhood educational services.

The Member for Saint-Laurent:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government, which refuses to listen to early childhood and education partners regarding the impact that kindergarten classes for all four-year-old children would have on the childcare services and education networks.

The Member for Pontiac:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government for choosing ideology over science and ignoring public health experts regarding the minimum age for the purchase and possession of cannabis.

The Member for Saint-Henri–Sainte-Anne:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government, which refuses to recognize that the number one issue for Québec's economic development is the human resources shortage.

The Member for Jonquière:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Government for its refusal to commit to attaining the 2020 greenhouse gas reduction target.

The Member for Laurier-Dorion:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for its intention to lower immigration targets over the coming years.

The Member for Marguerite-Bourgeoys:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government, which is completely abandoning the most vulnerable members of our society and ignoring the social services needs of citizens and community organizations at a time when it has major budgetary surpluses.

The Member for Rouyn-Noranda–Témiscamingue:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for failing to announce measures supporting the ecological conversion of the agricultural sector.

The Member for René-Lévesque:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Government for its lack of willingness to support our regions, in particular eastern Québec, and the lack of clear, tangible commitments to promote their development.

The Member for Verdun:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government, which has left Québec's cultural milieu with no response as to maintaining the sums linked to Québec's cultural policy launched by the previous government.

The Member for D'Arcy-McGee:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the CAQ Government and the Premier for lacking a humanist vision of the future of government relations with the First Nations and the Inuit, with whom we share Québec's territory.

The Member for Rosemont:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for the absence of any concrete commitment to reinvest in public services.

The Member for Mercier:

THAT the National Assembly severely censure the Coalition avenir Québec Government for its project to create a fixed third link between Lévis and Québec City.

URGENT DEBATES

DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

OTHER BUSINESS

I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

(2) Bill 1

An Act to amend the rules governing the appointment and dismissal of the Anti-Corruption Commissioner, the Director General of the Sûreté du Québec and the Director of Criminal and Penal Prosecutions Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on **29 November 2018**

(**3**) Bill 2

An Act to tighten the regulation of cannabis Introduced by the Minister for Health and Social Services on **5 December 2018**

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

Passage in Principle

Passage

IV. Government Motions

- V. Estimates of Expenditure
- VI. Statutory Debates

BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

Part 3

BILLS PASSED

(Bills awaiting Royal Assent)

PROCEEDINGS IN COMMITTEES

The detailed calendar of the proceedings of each committee is available on the Internet site of the Assembly

COMMITTEE ON THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE

COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

<u>Questions already placed</u> on the Order Paper are published each Wednesday

(2) Mr. Tanguay (LaFontaine) – 6 December 2018 To the Premier

Since 15 January 2015, the website transparence.gouv.qc.ca has allowed citizens to have access to all public agendas of Cabinet members and, since 1 April 2015, to information relating to meetings with non-government representatives.

At present, the website transparence.gouv.qc.ca is still not functional, that is, there is no information available regarding CAQ ministers, not even public agendas, which previously were to be posted daily.

Yet, the Premier committed to being at the head of a transparent government. When his party was in the opposition, the Member for Borduas and current House Leader stated the following:

"[Translation] When we say that we are a transparent government, it is important to match words with actions. When we speak of the government's transparency, I think it's important to truly practice what we preach".

Consequently:

Will the Premier commit to keeping the website transparence.gouv.qc.ca and at least post the information that was posted there since 2015?

Will he immediately post the information relating to Cabinet members' public activities since 18 October 2018?

Retroactively to 18 October 2018, will the Premier post the information relating to meetings requested by non-government representatives in which Cabinet Members participate and do so no later than 1 January 2019, as provided for in the established procedure?

NOTICES

I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

Government Bills

- (a) 5 December 2018 An Act to establish a single school tax rate – *Minister of Finance*.
- **(b)** 5 December 2018

An Act to ratify the Agreement relating to the concept of parliamentary group, to the conduct of proceedings in the Assembly and in parliamentary committees as well as to budgetary aspects for the duration of the 42nd Legislature – Government House Leader and Minister of Immigration, Diversity and Inclusiveness, Official Opposition House Leader, Member for Rimouski, Member for Gouin.

Private Members' Public Bills

(c) 5 December 2018

An Act to amend the Act respecting the National Assembly to prescribe the publication of information on the use of the amounts granted to Members in the performance of their duties – *Member for Gouin*.

(d) 5 December 2018

An Act to exclude child support payments from income calculation under various social laws – *Member for Sherbrooke*.

Private Bills

II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME