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**President of the National Assembly:
Mr. François Paradis**

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I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

(1) Bill 30

An Act to recover amounts owed to the State
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and
Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **14 June 2019**

(2) Bill 39

An Act to establish a new electoral system
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Democratic Institutions,
Electoral Reform and Access to Information on 25 September 2019
Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultations) tabled on
11 February 2020

(3) Bill 49

An Act to amend the Act respecting elections and referendums in
municipalities, the Municipal Ethics and Good Conduct Act and various
legislative provisions
Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing on
13 November 2019

- (4) Bill 56
An Act to recognize and support caregivers and to amend various legislative provisions
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Seniors and Informal Caregivers on **11 June 2020**, and
Referred to the Committee on Citizen Relations
- (5) Bill 60
An Act to amend the Public Service Act and other provisions
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **12 June 2020**
- (6) Bill 61
An Act to restart Québec's economy and to mitigate the consequences of the public health emergency declared on 13 March 2020 because of the COVID-19 pandemic
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on 3 June 2020
Report from the Committee on Public Finance (consultations) tabled on 11 June 2020
Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for La Pinière on **12 June 2020**
- (7) Bill 64
An Act to modernize legislative provisions as regards the protection of personal information
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Democratic Institutions, Electoral Reform and Access to Information on 12 June 2020, and
Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultations) tabled on **30 September 2020**
- (8) Bill 65
An Act to amend mainly the Environment Quality Act with respect to deposits and selective collection
Introduced by the Minister of the Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change on **24 September 2020**

(9) Bill 66

An Act respecting the acceleration of certain infrastructure projects
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and
Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **23 September 2020**

(10) Bill 67

An Act to establish a new development regime for the flood zones of lakes
and watercourses, to temporarily grant municipalities powers enabling them
to respond to certain needs and to amend various provisions
Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing on
30 September 2020

Committee Stage

(11) Bill 23

An Act respecting the names and responsibilities of certain ministers and
government departments and to enact the Act respecting the Ministère des
Forêts, de la Faune et des Parcs
Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and
Chair of the Conseil du trésor on 18 April 2019
Passed in principle on **19 September 2019**, and
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

(12) Bill 45

An Act concerning mainly the appointment and the terms of office of
coroners and of the Chief Coroner
Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on 30 October 2019
Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultation) tabled on
15 September 2020
Passed in principle on **23 September 2020**, and
Referred to the Committee on Institutions

(13) Bill 46

An Act to amend the Natural Heritage Conservation Act and other provisions

Introduced by the Minister of the Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change on 14 November 2019

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (consultations) tabled on 24 September 2020

Passed in principle on **30 September 2020**, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

(14) Bill 50

An Act respecting the leasing of part of the water power of the Shipshaw River

Introduced by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources on 6 February 2020

Report from the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources (consultations) tabled on 15 September 2020

Passed in principle on **17 September 2020**, and

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources

(15) Bill 51

An Act mainly to improve the flexibility of the parental insurance plan in order to promote family-work balance

Introduced by the Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Solidarity on 28 November 2019

Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (consultations) tabled on 24 September 2020

Passed in principle on **29 September 2020**, and

Referred to the Committee on Labour and the Economy

(16) Bill 52

An Act to strengthen the complaint examination process of the health and social services network, in particular for users receiving services from private institutions

Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Seniors and Informal Caregivers on 3 December 2019

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (consultations) tabled on 10 March 2020

Passed in principle on **17 September 2020**, and

Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services

(17) Bill 53

Credit Assessment Agents Act

Introduced by the Minister of Finance on 5 December 2019

Report from the Committee on public finance (consultation) tabled on 15 September 2020

Passed in principle on **17 September 2020**, and

Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

Report Stage

(18) Bill 35

An Act to modernize certain rules relating to land registration and to facilitate the dissemination of geospatial information

Introduced by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources on 19 September 2019

Report from the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources (consultations) tabled on 17 September 2020

Passed in principle on 22 September 2020

Report from the the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources tabled on **29 September 2020**

Passage

(19) Bill 44

An Act mainly to ensure effective governance of the fight against climate change and to promote electrification

Introduced by the Minister of the Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change on 31 October 2019

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (consultations) tabled on 6 February 2020

Passed in principle on 19 February 2020

Report (amended) from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment adopted on 24 September 2020

Resuming the debate adjourned on **30 September 2020**

II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

(20) Bill 190

An Act to exclude child support payments from income calculation under various social laws

Introduced by the Member for Sherbrooke on **7 December 2018**

(21) Bill 191

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

Introduced by the Member for Gouin on **6 December 2018**

(22) Bill 192

An Act to recognize the Members' oath to the people of Québec as the sole oath required for Members to take office

Introduced by the Member for Jean-Lesage on **28 February 2019**

(23) Bill 193

An Act to establish a budgetary shield to protect education, child and youth protection services

Introduced by the Member for Joliette on **7 February 2019**

(24) Bill 194

An Act to ensure compliance with Québec's climate change-related obligations

Introduced by the Member for Jonquière on **21 February 2019**

(25) Bill 195

An Act to amend the Act respecting the National Assembly to extend the scope of the right to payment of expenses for counsel

Introduced by the Member for Chomedey on **11 April 2019**

(26) Bill 196

An Act to amend the Act respecting safety in sports to establish a Passe-Sports register to collect data on the state of health of persons under 18 years of age following a concussion

Introduced by the Member for Marquette on **11 April 2019**

(27) Bill 197

An Act to amend the Consumer Protection Act to fight planned obsolescence and assert the right to repair goods

Introduced by the Member for Chomedey on **9 April 2019**

(28) Bill 198

An Act to facilitate disclosure of wrongdoings

Introduced by the Member for Rosemont on **9 May 2019**

(29) Bill 199

An Act to amend the Environment Quality Act to establish a right of citizen initiative in environmental matters and reinforce the powers and independence of the Bureau d'audiences publiques sur l'environnement

Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **25 September 2019**

(30) Bill 391

An Act to amend the Environment Quality Act in order to assert the primacy of Québec's jurisdiction in this area

Introduced by the Member for Jonquière on **30 May 2019**

(31) Bill 392

An Act respecting the selection of Québec senators

Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **9 May 2019**

(32) Bill 393

An Act to affirm Québec's participation in the appointment process for Québec Supreme Court of Canada judges

Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **16 May 2019**

(33) Bill 396

An Act to amend the Civil Code to provide that an action for damages for bodily injury resulting from a sexual aggression, from childhood violence or from the violent behaviour of a spouse or former spouse cannot be prescribed during the lifetime of the author of the act

Introduced by the Member for Sherbrooke on **12 June 2019**

(34) Bill 397

An Act to reinforce oversight of the processes to select, renew a term of or dismiss directors of municipal police forces

Introduced by the Member for Vaudreuil on **14 November 2019**

(35) Bill 398

An Act to proclaim Québec Democracy Day

Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **20 February 2020**

(36) Bill 399

An Act to establish a presumption of consent to organ or tissue donation after death

Introduced by the Member for Pontiac on **5 November 2019**

(37) Bill 490

An Act to establish the gradual electrification of Québec's vehicle fleet

Introduced by the Member for Sainte-Marie–Saint-Jacques on
26 September 2019

(38) Bill 492

Right-to-Disconnect Act

Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **3 June 2020**

(39) Bill 493

Interculturalism Act

Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **30 October 2019**

(40) Bill 495

An Act to authorize the recording of sound and images during the public sittings of a municipal council or the public meetings of a council of a metropolitan community

Introduced by the Member for Verdun on **20 November 2019**

(41) Bill 496

Parliamentary Budget Officer Act

Introduced by the Member for Rosemont on **14 November 2019**

(42) Bill 497

An Act to amend the Charter of human rights and freedoms in order to strengthen the protection of seniors' rights and create the office of Seniors Ombudsperson

Introduced by the Member for Rimouski on **4 December 2019**

(43) Bill 590

An Act to amend the Charter of the French language to establish free French instruction services for every person who resides in Québec

Introduced by the Member for Jacques-Cartier on **4 December 2019**

(44) Bill 591

An Act to amend the Charter of the French language to define the circumstances under which an employer may make knowledge of a language other than the official language a requirement for access to employment or a position

Introduced by the Member for Matane-Matapédia on **12 February 2020**

(45) Bill 594

An Act to improve the quality of care through the setting of ratios in certain institutions governed by the Act respecting health services and social services

Introduced by the Member for Pontiac on **26 May 2020**

(46) Bill 595

An Act to create the Rent Register

Introduced by the Member for Laurier-Dorion on **4 June 2020**

(47) Bill 596

An Act to establish Pharma-Québec

Introduced by the Member for Jean-Lesage on **15 September 2020**

(48) Bill 597

An Act to improve support offered to entrepreneurs and farmers in relation to mental health

Introduced by the Member for Nelligan on **10 June 2020**

(49) Bill 598

An Act to authorize the holder of a restaurant sales liquor permit to sell, for takeout or delivery, spirit-based alcoholic beverages

Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **12 June 2020**

(50) Bill 599

An Act to respect sexual orientation and gender identity

Introduced by the Member for Westmount–Saint-Louis on **22 September 2020**

(51) Bill 690

An Act to amend the Charter of the French language to specify that it applies to private enterprises operating in an area of federal jurisdiction

Introduced by the Member for Jean-Lesage on **24 September 2020**

(52) Bill 691

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Ministère des Transports to maintain air transportation services in certain regions of Québec

Introduced by the Member for Mont-Royal–Outremont on **30 September 2020**

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

(53) Bill 209

An Act respecting Ville de Saint-Tite

Introduced by the Member for Maskinongé on **4 December 2019**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(54) Bill 210

An Act respecting the subdivision of a lot located in the Maison Roussil
protection area in Terrebonne and partly in the Maison Bélisle protection
area in Terrebonne

Introduced by the Member for Masson on **4 December 2019**, and
Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

Passage in Principle

Passage

IV. Government Motions

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VI. Statutory Debates

BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

Part 3

BILLS PASSED

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Part 4

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

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

- Hearing of the Auditor General of Québec on her 2018–2019 annual management report and financial commitments.
- Hearing of the Secrétariat du Conseil du trésor on the Report on the application of the *Public Administration Act*.
- Hearing of the Public Curator on Chapter 6 of the Auditor General of Québec’s November 2019 report entitled “Protection of Incapacitated Persons Under Public Protective Supervision”.
- Hearing of the Ministère des Transports on Chapter 2 of the Auditor General of Québec’s November 2019 report entitled “Activities of the Centre de gestion de l’équipement roulant”.
- Hearing on the Public Protector’s special report entitled “Give children born in Québec whose parents have a precarious migratory status access to the Québec Health Insurance Plan”.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Order of reference

- Examination of Hydro-Québec's Strategic Plan 2020-2024 (Order of reference given on 5 December 2019).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 50**, An Act respecting the leasing of part of the water power of the Shipshaw River (Order of reference given on 17 September 2020).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Examination of the policy directions, activities and management of the Régie de l'énergie.

COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 209**, An Act respecting Ville de Saint-Tite (Order of reference given on 4 December 2019).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Hearing the Commission municipale du Québec.

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 210**, An Act respecting the subdivision of a lot located in the Maison Roussil protection area in Terrebonne and partly in the Maison Bélisle protection area in Terrebonne (Order of reference given on 4 December 2019).

Statutory order

- Hearing the heads of educational institutions at the university level.

Order of initiative

- Future of the news media.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 51**, An Act mainly to improve the flexibility of the parental insurance plan in order to promote family-work balance (Order of reference given on 29 September 2020)

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 23**, An Act respecting the names and responsibilities of certain ministers and government departments and to enact the Act respecting the Ministère des Forêts, de la Faune et des Parcs (Order of reference given on 19 September 2019).
- **Bill 53**, Credit Assessment Agents Act (Order of reference given on 19 September 2020).

COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 45**, An Act concerning mainly the appointment and the terms of office of coroners and of the Chief Coroner (Order of reference given on 23 September 2020)

COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- **Bill 56**, An Act to recognize and support caregivers and to amend various legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 15 September 2020).

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 52**, An Act to strengthen the complaint examination process of the health and social services network, in particular for users receiving services from private institutions (Order of reference given on 17 September 2020).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Interpellation

by the Member for Rimouski to the Minister Responsible for Seniors and Informal Caregivers, on the following subject: *The need to hold an independent public inquiry into the management of the COVID-19 pandemic in CHSLDs* (notice given on 24 September 2020).

Order of initiative

- The alarming increase in the use of psychostimulants in children and young people in connection with attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD).

[COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT](#)

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 46**, An Act to amend the Natural Heritage Conservation Act and other provisions (Order of reference given on 30 September 2020)

[SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF MINORS](#)

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- Creating a portrait of the sexual exploitation of minors in Québec, including the consequences on the transition to adulthood (Order of reference given on 14 June 2019).

Part 5

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

Questions already placed on the Order Paper
are published each Wednesday

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NOTICES

I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

Government Bills

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II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME