

# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

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# **Order Paper and Notices**

of the Assembly

Thursday, 26 September 2019 — No. 64 Nine forty a.m.

President of the National Assembly: Mr. François Paradis

#### Part 1

#### **ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS**

#### STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

- The Member for Huntingdon on the following subject: Serge Bouchard: exceptional public works manager of the year in Québec!
- The Member for Westmount-Saint-Louis on the following subject: *Tribute to the organization Rue des femmes on its 25th anniversary.*
- The Member for Dubuc on the following subject: *Tribute to Daniel Gagnon*.
- The Member for Saint-Laurent on the following subject: *Underline National School Support Staff Day*.
- The Member for Papineau on the following subject: *Tribute*, 50th anniversary of the Club de l'âge d'or de Templeton.
- The Member for René-Lévesque on the following subject: *Tribute to Jean-Pierre De Champlain*.
- The Member for Chicoutimi on the following subject: Mr. Jean Delisle's service in the tennis community in Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean
- The Member for Sainte-Marie-Saint-Jacques on the following subject: *The environment and young people*.
- The Member for Granby on the following subject: The Club Optimiste de Granby is celebrating its 50th anniversary!
- The Member for Laporte on the following subject: *Underline the 75th anniversary of the Cercle de Fermières Notre-Dame-de-Foy.*

# STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

PRESENTING (a) Papers

- (b) Reports from committees
- (c) Petitions

#### **ORAL ANSWERS TO PETITIONS**

# COMPLAINTS OF BREACH OF PRIVILEGE OR CONTEMPT AND PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS

# **ORAL QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

#### **DEFERRED DIVISIONS**

Amendment proposed by the Member for Vaudreuil to the report from the Committee on Institutions on Bill 25, An Act to amend mainly the Firearms Registration Act (handed in under Standing Order 252).

Report from the Committee on Institutions on Bill 25, An Act to amend mainly the Firearms Registration Act.

Motion moved by the Leader of the Third Opposition Group under Standing Order 97:

THAT the National Assembly oppose the National Energy Corridor project proposed by the Conservative Party of Canada, which would allow the federal government to impose the construction of an oil pipeline on Québec territory, without Québec's consent.

#### MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE

# NOTICES OF PROCEEDINGS IN COMMITTEES

#### INFORMATION ON THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY

#### Part 2

# **ORDERS OF THE DAY**

#### **BUSINESS HAVING PRECEDENCE**

#### **URGENT DEBATES**

#### **DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES**

(1) Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment, which held public hearings on 12, 13, 14 and 15 August 2019 within the framework of special consultations on the order of initiative on the issues of recycling and local recovery of glass. The report contains 9 recommendations.

Report tabled on 19 September 2019

Subject to the provisions of the second paragraph of Standing Order 94, this report shall be taken into consideration not later than **4 October 2019** 

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

# I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

#### (2) Bill 18

An Act to amend the Civil Code, the Code of Civil Procedure, the Public Curator Act and various provisions as regards the protection of persons Introduced by the Minister of Families on 10 April 2019
Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations (consultations) tabled on 25 September 2019

#### (**3**) Bill 27

An Act respecting mainly government organization as regards the economy and innovation

Introduced by the Minister of Economy and Innovation on 12 June 2019

#### (4) 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

#### (**5**) Bill 31

An Act to amend mainly the Pharmacy Act to facilitate access to certain services

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services on 13 June 2019

#### **(6)** Bill 32

An Act mainly to promote the efficiency of penal justice and to establish the terms governing the intervention of the Court of Québec with respect to applications for appeal

Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 13 June 2019

#### (7) Bill 34

An Act to simplify the process for establishing electricity distribution rates Introduced by the Minister of Energy and Natural Resources on 12 June 2019

Report from the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources (consultations) tabled on **24 September 2019** 

#### (**8**) 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

#### (9) Bill 37\*

An Act mainly to establish the Centre d'acquisitions gouvernementales and Infrastructures technologiques Québec

Introduced by the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **18 September 2019** 

<sup>\*</sup> Recommendation of the Lieutenant-Governor

#### (10)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** 

#### Committee Stage

#### (11)Bill 5

An Act to amend the Education Act and other provisions regarding preschool education services for students 4 years of age

Introduced by the Minister of Education and Higher Education on 14 February 2019

Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (consultations) tabled on 5 June 2019

Passed in principle on 14 June 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

#### (12)Bill 15

An Act respecting the Société de développement et de mise en valeur du Parc olympique

Introduced by the Minister of Tourism 28 May 2019

Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (consultations) tabled on 17 September 2019

Passed in principle on 19 September 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Labour and the Economy

# (13)Bill 16

An Act mainly to regulate building inspections and divided co-ownership, to replace the name and improve the rules of operation of the Régie du logement and to amend the Act respecting the Société d'habitation du Québec and various legislative provisions concerning municipal affairs

Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing on 3 April 2019

Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (consultations) tabled on 14 May 2019

Passed in principle on 16 May 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

#### (14)Bill 17

An Act respecting remunerated passenger transportation by automobile Introduced by the Minister of Transport on 20 March 2019

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (consultations) tabled on 14 May 2019

Passed in principle on 5 June 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

#### (15)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

#### (16)Bill 28

An Act to allow the establishment of certain health and social services measures related to the Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec health region's special geographic status

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services on 7 June 2019 Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (consultations) tabled on 17 September 2019

Passed in principle on 24 September 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services

#### (17)Bill 29

An Act to amend the Professional Code and other provisions in particular in the oral health and the applied sciences sectors

Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 5 June 2019

Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultations) tabled on 17 September 2019

Passed in principle on 24 September 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

#### (18)Bill 33

An Act to amend the Labour Code concerning the maintenance of essential services in public services and in the public and parapublic sectors

Introduced by the Minister of Labour, Employment and Social Solidarity on 14 June 2019

Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (consultations) tabled on 19 September 2019

Passed in principle on 24 September 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Labour and the Economy

#### (19)Bill 36

An Act to amend the Companies Act concerning participation in and decision making at meetings of legal persons without share capital

Introduced by the Minister of Finance on 19 September 2019

Passed in principle on 25 September 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

# Report Stage

#### (20)Bill 25

An Act to amend mainly the Firearms Registration Act

Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on 14 May 2019

Report from the Committee on Institutions (consultations) tabled on 17 September 2019

Passed in principle on 17 September 2019, and

Report from the Committee on Institutions tabled on **24 September 2019** (Amend. handed in under Standing Order 252)

Division deferred on 26 September 2019

#### Passage

#### (21)Bill 2

An Act to tighten the regulation of cannabis

Introduced by the Minister for Health and Social Services on 5 December 2018

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (consultations) tabled on 21 February 2019

Passed in principle on 14 May 2019

Report (amended) from the Committee on Health and Social Services adopted on 24 September 2019

Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Viau on 25 September 2019

# (22)Bill 14

An Act to facilitate the public administration's digital transformation Introduced by the Minister for Digital Transformation on 4 April 2019 Report from the Committee on Public Finance (consultations) tabled on 16 May 2019

Passed in principle on 4 June 2019

Report (amended) from the Committee on Public Finance adopted on 18 September 2019

#### II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

#### (23)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

#### (24)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

#### (25)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

#### (26)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

# (27)Bill 194

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

Introduced by the Member for Jonquière on 21 February 2019

#### (28)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

#### (29)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

#### (30)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

#### (31)Bill 198

An Act to facilitate disclosure of wrongdoings Introduced by the Member for Rosemont on **9 May 2019** 

#### (32)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

# (33)Bill 390

An Act to replace the Act respecting the Amicale des anciens parlementaires du Québec

Introduced by the Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière on 18 April 2019

#### (34)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

# (35)Bill 392

An Act respecting the selection of Québec senators Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on 9 May 2019

#### (**36**)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

#### (37)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

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)

#### 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 on chapter 5 entitled "Computer Recovery" and chapter 7 entitled
   "Information Technology Contracts Follow-Up on a Special Audit" of the Auditor General of Québec's May 2018 report.
- Hearing of the Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux on its annual management report and financial commitments.
- Hearing of the Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement supérieur on its annual management report and financial commitments.

# COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

# 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.

#### Order of initiative

 Examine the impact of pesticides on public health and the environment, as well as current and future innovative alternative practices in the agriculture and food sectors, in recognition of the competitiveness of Québec's agri-food sector.

# COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

# Order of reference

# **Consideration of Bills**:

Bill 16, An Act mainly to regulate building inspections and divided coownership, to replace the name and improve the rules of operation of the Régie du logement and to amend the Act respecting the Société d'habitation du Québec and various legislative provisions concerning municipal affairs (Order of reference given on 16 May 2019).

# Statutory order

 Examination of the report on the implementation of the Municipal Ethics and Good Conduct Act.

# Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

# Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Hearing the Commission municipale du Québec.

# Order of initiative

 Continue the order of initiative on access to local financial services in the regions.

# COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

# Order of reference

# Consideration of Bills:

 Bill 5, An Act to amend the Education Act and other provisions regarding preschool education services for students 4 years of age (Order of reference given on 14 June 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**

# Order of reference

# **Special Consultations:**

- **Bill 27**, An Act respecting mainly government organization as regards the economy and innovation (Order of reference given on 17 September 2019).

# Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 15, An Act respecting the Société de développement et de mise en valeur du Parc olympique (Order of reference given on 19 September 2019).
- Bill 33, An Act to amend the Labour Code concerning the maintenance of essential services in public services and in the public and parapublic sectors (Order of reference given on 24 September 2019).

#### **COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE**

# Order of reference

# **Special Consultations**:

 Bill 36, An Act to amend the Companies Act concerning participation in and decision making at meetings of legal persons without share capital (Order of reference given on 25 September 2019).

#### 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 36, An Act to amend the Companies Act concerning participation in and decision making at meetings of legal persons without share capital (Order of reference given on 25 September 2019).

# Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

# Interpellation:

 By the Member for La Pinière to the Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on the following subject: The CAQ Government's improvised management of the files under the responsibility of the Secrétariat du Conseil du trésor (notice given on 19 September 2019).

#### **COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS**

# Order of reference

# Consideration of Bills:

 Bill 29, An Act to amend the Professional Code and other provisions in particular in the oral health and the applied sciences sectors (Order of reference given on 24 September 2019).

# **COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS**

# **COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

#### Order of reference

# **Special Consultations:**

- **Bill 31**, An Act to amend mainly the Pharmacy Act to facilitate access to certain services (Order of reference given on 24 September 2019).

# Consideration of Bills:

 Bill 28, An Act to allow the establishment of certain health and social services measures related to the Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec health region's special geographic status (Order of reference given on 24 September 2019).

# **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 17**, An Act respecting remunerated passenger transportation by automobile (Order of reference given on 5 June 2019).

# 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

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

#### Part 6

# **NOTICES**

# I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

#### **Government Bills**

(a) 24 September 2019

An Act amending certain Acts establishing public sector pension plans – Minister Responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor

#### **Private Members' Public Bills**

**(b)** 24 September 2019

An Act to establish the gradual electrification of Québec's vehicle fleet – *Member for Sainte-Marie – Saint-Jacques* 

#### **Private Bills**

# II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME

- (aa) An Act to amend mainly the Education Act with regard to school organization and governance *Minister of Education and Higher Education*
- (**bb**) Interpellation by the Member for Îles-de-la-Madeleine to the Minister Responsible for the French Language on the following subject: *The need to strengthen Bill 101*.