

# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF QUÉBEC

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## **Order Paper and Notices**

of the Assembly

Tuesday, 9 June 2020 — No. 117 One forty p.m.

President of the National Assembly: Mr. François Paradis

## ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

## STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

- The Member for Vachon on the following subject: *Lionel Bourdon, serving the public for 55 years.*
- The Member for Bourassa-Sauvé on the following subject: Tribute to the citizens of Bourassa-Sauvé at the heart of the war against the COVID-19 pandemic.
- The Member for Saint-Jean on the following subject: Saint-Jean-Sur-Richelieu wants to take advantage of the pandemic rather than be subjected to it.
- The Member for Hull on the following subject: Our guardian angels in Hull riding.
- The Member for Abitibi-Ouest on the following subject: *Stephan Lavoie, a man of conviction and of action.*
- The Member for Prévost on the following subject: World Elder Abuse Awareness Day.
- The Member for Laviolette–Saint-Maurice on the following subject: *Tribute* to the members of the board of directors of Jeunesse en santé in La Tuque.
- The Member for René-Lévesque on the following subject: *The human chain in René-Lévesque riding*.
- The Member for Mégantic on the following subject: *Inviting Quebecers to visit Mégantic riding*.
- The Member for Johnson on the following subject: CEPS Drummond, promoting life in a time of crisis.

## STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

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## ORDERS OF THE DAY

## **BUSINESS HAVING PRECEDENCE**

## **URGENT DEBATES**

## DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

(1) The report from the Committee on Public Administration, which met on 13 and 19 February 2020, to hear the Ministère de l'Éducation et de l'Enseignement supérieur as a follow-up to recommendation 3.2 of the 40th report on accountability of the Committee on Public Administration, of the Ministère des Affaires municipales et de l'Habitation on its administrative management, and of the Société d'habitation du Québec on its administrative management and on the Auditor General of Québec's May 2019 report entitled "Accès Logis Québec Program: Operation of Buildings". The report contains observations, conclusions and 8 recommendations. Report tabled on 5 June 2020

Subject to provisions of the second paragraph of Standing Order 94, this report shall be taken into consideration not later than **20 June 2020**.

#### OTHER BUSINESS

#### I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

(**2**) 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

(3) 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

#### (4) 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

## (**5**) 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

## (6) 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

## (**7**) 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

## (8) 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** 

## (9) 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** 

#### (10)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

## (11)Bill 53

Credit Assessment Agents Act
Introduced by the Minister of Finance on **5 December 2019** 

## (**12**)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** 

## Committee Stage

## (13)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

## (14)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

#### (15)Bill 42

An Act to give effect to fiscal measures announced in the Budget Speech delivered on 21 March 2019 and to various other measures

Introduced by the Minister of Finance on 7 November 2019

Passed in principle on 19 November 2019, and

Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

## (16)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, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

## (17)Bill 55

An Act to amend the Civil Code, in particular to make civil actions for sexual aggression, violence suffered during childhood and spousal violence imprescriptible

Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 4 June 2020

Passed in principle on 5 June 2020, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

Report Stage

Passage

## II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

## (18)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

## (19)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

## (20)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

#### (21)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

#### (22)Bill 194

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

Introduced by the Member for Jonquière on 21 February 2019

## (23)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

#### (24)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

## (25)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

## (26)Bill 198

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

## (27)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

## (28)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

#### (**29**)Bill 392

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

## (**30**)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

## (31)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

#### (32)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

## (33)Bill 398

An Act to proclaim Québec Democracy Day
Introduced by the Member for Marie-Victorin on **20 February 2020** 

## (34)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

## (35)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** 

## (36)Bill 492

Right-to-Disconnect Act
Introduced by the Member for Hochelaga-Maisonneuve on **3 June 2020** 

## (37)Bill 493

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

## (38)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

## (39)Bill 496

Parliamentary Budget Officer Act Introduced by the Member for Rosemont on 14 November 2019

## (40)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

#### (41)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** 

## (42)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

## (43)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

## (44)Bill 595

An Act to create the Rent Register
Introduced by the Member for Laurier-Dorion on **4 June 2020** 

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

## III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

## (45)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

## (46)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

## V. Estimates of Expenditure

(47) The estimates of expenditure for the fiscal year ending on 31 March 2021 referred on 26 May 2020 to the standing committees for examination, with no question being put thereon, in accordance with the agreement on the gradual resumption of proceedings carried on 13 may 2020, which examination is to be held during the week beginning on 17 August 2020.

## VI. Statutory Debates

BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

## BILLS PASSED

(Bills awaiting Royal Assent)

Bill 63

Appropriation Act No. 3, 2020-2021 Passed on **26 May 2020** 

## 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).

## **Special Consultations:**

- **Bill 50**, An Act respecting the leasing of part of the water power of the Shipshaw River (Order of reference given on 12 March 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).

## 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.

## 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

## Order of reference

## **Special Consultations:**

 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 11 March 2020).

## COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE

## Order of reference

 Debate on the Supplementary Estimates No. 1 for the fiscal year ending 31 March 2020 concurred in on 17 March 2020 (order of reference given on 17 March 2020)

## **Special Consultations:**

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 (Order of reference given on 5 June 2020).

## 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 42, An Act to give effect to fiscal measures announced in the Budget Speech delivered on 21 March 2019 and to various other measures (Order of reference given on 19 November 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).
- Bill 55, An Act to amend the Civil Code, in particular to make civil actions for sexual aggression, violence suffered during childhood and spousal violence imprescriptible (Order of reference given on 5 June 2020)

## COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

## COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

## 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 44, An Act mainly to ensure effective governance of the fight against climate change and to promote electrification (Order of reference given on 19 February 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

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

## **NOTICES**

## I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

## **Government Bills**

## **Private Members' Public Bills**

(a) 5 June 2020 An Act to establish Pharma-Québec – Member for Jean-Lesage

## **Private Bills**

## II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME

(aa) An Act to improve support offered to entrepreneurs and farmers in relation to mental health -Member for Nelligan