

Order Paper and Notices

of the Assembly

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President of the National Assembly: Mr. Yvon Vallières

QUÉBEC

Part 1

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

- The Member for La Pinière on the following subject: Mark the 90th anniversary of the birth of Paul Gérin-Lajoie.
- The Member for Mirabel on the following subject: *The Maison des jeunes d'Oka*.
- The Member for Anjou on the following subject: *Mark the Semaine des travailleuses et travailleurs sociaux.*
- The Member for Ungava on the following subject: The 44th edition of the Festival Folifrets of Chibougameau Baie James.
- The Member for Shefford on the following subject: *Take note of the homage paid to three "women of action" at the Soirée des orchidées 2010.*
- The Member for Jean-Talon on the following subject: *Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month.*
- The Member for Champlain on the following subject: *The Semaine québécoise des adultes en formation.*
- The Member for Fabre on the following subject: *Mark the Semaine québécoise des adultes en formation.*
- The Member for Nicolet-Yamaska on the following subject: *The Réserve mondiale de la biosphere du Lac-St-Pierre*.
- The Member for Montmagny-L'Islet on the following subject: *Celebrate the* 40 years of the Centre communautaire Normandie.

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URGENT DEBATES

DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

(1) Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain, which, on 20 January 2010, held public hearings within the framework of special consultations on the draft regulation on the safety of residential swimming pools and then examined the said draft regulation. The report contains 10 recommendations.

Report tabled 23 March 2010

Subject to the provisions of the second paragraph of Standing Order 94, this report shall be taken into consideration not later than **7** April 2010.

OTHER BUSINESS

I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

(2) Bill 38

An Act to amend the Act respecting educational institutions at the university level and the Act respecting the Université du Québec with respect to governance

Introduced by the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports 16 June 2009

Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled 6 October 2009

(**3**) Bill 54

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Agence de l'efficacité énergétique and the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie

Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife 10 June 2009

(**4**) Bill 79

An Act to amend the Mining Act Introduced by the Minister for Natural Resources and Wildlife **2 December 2009** (5) Bill 82

Cultural Heritage Act Introduced by the Minister of Culture, Communications and the Status of Women **18 February 2010**

* Recommendation of the Lieutenant-Governor

(6) Bill 84

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Régie de l'énergie as regards the reliability of electric power transmission

Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife 10 March 2010

(**7**) Bill 87

An Act respecting the legal publicity of enterprises Introduced by the Minister of Revenue **16 March 2010**

(8) Bill 88

An Act to amend the Environment Quality Act as regards residual materials management and to amend the Regulation respecting compensation for municipal services provided to recover and reclaim residual materials Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks **17 March 2010**

(9) Bill 90

An Act concerning Parc national du Mont-Orford Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks **23 March 2010**

Committee Stage

(10)Bill 16

An Act to promote action by the Administration with respect to cultural diversity

Introduced by the Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities 18 March 2009

Passed in principle 22 September 2009

Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations (hearings) tabled 21 October 2009

(**11**)Bill 44

An Act to amend the General and Vocational Colleges Act with respect to governance Introduced by the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports 16 June

2009

Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled 6 October 2009

Passed in principle 27 October 2009, and

Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

(12)Bill 48

Code of ethics and conduct of the Members of the National Assembly Introduced by the Government House Leader and Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions 14 May 2009 Reports from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled 11 June 2009 and 8 October 2009 Passed in principle **25 November 2009**, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

(13)Bill 58

An Act to amend the Act respecting land use planning and development and other legislative provisions concerning metropolitan communities

Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 18 June 2009

Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (hearings) tabled 16 February 2010

Passed in principle 17 February 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(14)Bill 64

An Act giving effect to the Economic Statement delivered on 14 January 2009, to the Budget Speech delivered on 19 March 2009 and to certain other budget statements

Introduced by the Minister of Revenue 5 November 2009

Passed in principle 9 February 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

(15)Bill 67

An Act respecting the Institut national d'excellence en santé et en services sociaux

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 12 November 2009 Passed in principle 26 November 2009, and

Referred to the Committee on Health and Social Services

(16)Bill 71

An Act to again amend the Highway Safety Code and other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister of Transport 3 December 2009

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (hearings) tabled 10 March 2010

Passed in principle 11 March 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

(17)Bill 83

An Act to provide a framework for mandatory state financing of certain legal services Introduced by the Minister of Justice 10 February 2010

Passed in principle 11 March 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

Report Stage

(18)Bill 77

An Act to amend the Cadastre Act and the Civil Code Introduced by the Minister for Natural Resources and Wildlife 24 November 2009

Passed in principle 11 February 2010

Report from the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources tabled 23 March 2010

(Amend. under S.O. 252)

Passage

II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

(19)Bill 190

An Act to provide a framework for appointments to certain senior positions Introduced by the Member for Shefford **25 March 2009**

(20)Bill 191

An Act to amend the Auditor General Act Introduced by the Member for Shefford **25 March 2009**

(21)Bill 192

An Act to amend the Act to ensure the enlargement of Parc national du Mont-Orford, the preservation of the biodiversity of adjacent lands and the maintenance of recreational tourism activities in order to bring the excluded lands back within the boundaries of the park Introduced by the Member for Berthier **7** April 2009

(22)Bill 193

An Act to amend the Transport Act Introduced by the Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière **8 April 2009**

(23)Bill 194

An Act to amend the Health Insurance Act Introduced by the Member for La Peltrie **29 April 2009**

(24)Bill 196

Québec Public Sector Employees Disclosure Protection Act Introduced by the Member for Richelieu **29 April 2009**

(25)Bill 198

An Act to exclude child support payments from income calculation under various social laws Introduced by the Member for Marguerite-D'Youville **14 May 2009**

(26)Bill 390

An Act to proclaim Ukrainian Famine and Genocide (Holodomor) Memorial Day

Introduced by the Member for Rosemont 25 November 2009

(27)Bill 391

An Act to assert the fundamental values of the Québec nation Introduced by the Member for Charlevoix **24 November 2009**

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

(28)Bill 216

An Act respecting Ville de Rimouski Introduced by the Member for Rimouski **12 November 2009**, and Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

Passage in Principle

Passage

IV. Government Motions

V. Estimates of Expenditure

VI. Statutory Debates

BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

(29)23 March 2010

Motion by the Member for Shefford :

THAT the Committee on Public Administration hear Mr. Marc Bellemare before the conclusion of the current sessional period on the financing of political parties and that, for this purpose, it afford him parliamentary immunity.

Part 3

BILLS PASSED

(Bills not yet given Royal Assent)

Bill 57

Sustainable Forest Development Act (*modified title*) Adopted **23 March 2010**

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

Statutory Order

- Hearing on the modernization projects regarding Montreal's university medical centres.
- Hearing of the Public Protector concerning its 2008-2009 annual management report.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Order of reference

General Consultation:

- **Bill 79**, An Act to amend the Mining Act (Order of reference given on 16 March 2010).

COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 58, An Act to amend the Act respecting land use planning and development and other legislative provisions concerning metropolitan communities (Order of reference given on 17 February 2010).
- **Bill 216**, An Act respecting Ville de Rimouski (Order of reference given on 12 November 2009).

Statutory Order

- Hearing of the Commission de la capitale nationale du Québec.

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Régie du logement.

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 44**, An Act to amend the General and Vocational Colleges Act with respect to governance (Order of reference given on 27 October 2009).

Order of initiative

 Examine the phenomenon of dropping out of school while focussing on valuing education and on the actions implemented in the various regions of Québec.

Statutory order

 Hearing of the head officers of the educational institutions at the university level, pursuant to section 4.2 of the Act respecting educational institutions at the university level.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY

Statutory Order

 Examination of the financial statements and of the 2007-2008 and 2008-2009 annual reports of the Fonds de développement et de reconnaissance des compétences de la main-d'œuvre.

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Commission des partenaires du marché du travail.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

 Bill 64, An Act giving effect to the Economic Statement delivered on 14 January 2009, to the Budget Speech delivered on 19 March 2009 and to certain other budget statements (Order of reference given on 9 February 2010).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Interpellation:

- By the Member for Rousseau to the Minister of Finance on the following subject : *The budgetary situation of Québec* (notice given on 18 March 2010).

Order of initiative

- Indexation of the public and parapublic sector pension plans.

COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- **Bill 83**, An Act to provide a framework for mandatory state financing of certain legal services (Order of reference given on 9 March 2010).

Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 48, Code of ethics and conduct of the Members of the National Assembly (Order of reference given on 25 November 2009).
- Bill 83, An Act to provide a framework for mandatory state financing of certain legal services (Order of reference given on 11 March 2010).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

- Hearing of the Public Protector.

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

 Examine the policy directions, activities and management of the Commission des services juridiques.

COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 16**, An Act to promote action by the Administration with respect to cultural diversity (Order of reference given on 22 September 2009).

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

 Bill 67, An Act respecting the Institut national d'excellence en santé et en services sociaux (Order of reference given on 26 November 2009). Consideration of Bills:

 Bill 67, An Act respecting the Institut national d'excellence en santé et en services sociaux (Order of reference given on 26 November 2009).

Statutory Order

- Examination of the 2005-2006 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Montréal; Laval; Lanaudière (decision of the Committee on Social Affairs on 13 May 2009).
- Examination of the 2006-2007 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Montréal; Laval; Lanaudière; Laurentides; Montérégie (decision of the Committee on Social Affairs on 13 May 2009).
- Examination of the 2007-2008 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Montréal; Laval; Lanaudière; Laurentides; Montérégie (decision of the Committee on Social Affairs on 13 May 2009).
- Examination of the 2008-2009 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies : Chaudière-Appalaches, Lanaudière and Montréal (deferred 6 October 2009); Baie-James, Laval, Montérégie and Outaouais (deferred 7 October 2009); Bas-Saint-Laurent, Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec (deferred 8 October 2009); Estrie and Laurentides (deferred 20 October 2009).
- Examination of the 2008-2009 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (referred 10 February 2010).

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

 Document entitled "Vers un développement durable de la pratique " (Order of reference given on 9 February 2010).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 71**, An Act to again amend the Highway Safety Code and other legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 11 March 2010).

Order of initiative

- The lake situation in Québec regarding cyanobacteria.

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Examine the policy directions, activities and management of the Bureau d'audiences publiques sur l'environnement.
- Examine the policy directions, activities and management of the Kativik Environmental Quality Commission.
- Examine the policy directions, activities and management of the Commission des transports du Québec.
- Examine the policy directions, activities and management of the Panel of Experts on Auto Insurance Contributions of the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec.

SELECT COMMITTEE ON DYING WITH DIGNITY

Part 5

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

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

(29) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) – 27 November 2009 To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 22 April 2005, in the 2005-2006 Budget, your government announced \$205M to support the shift in the forest sector.

- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?

(30) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) – **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Notural Baseverage and Wildliff

To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 17 October 2005, in connection with the shift in Québec's forest industry, your government announced an investment of more than \$450M over a three-year period in response to the action plans submitted by the regions.

- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?
- (31) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 28 March 2006, in connection with the Forest Intervention Plan, your government announced a series of initiatives totalling \$925M to revitalize Québec's forest industry.

- 1. How many and which initiatives were financed?
- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?
- (32) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 20 October 2006, your government announced that the government plan included four components and that the investments totalled \$721.8 million. The news release stated the following:

"The government plan is composed of four components and the investments total \$721.8M. These four components are as follows:

- \$54.8M in support to workers;

- \$45M in support to communities;
- an investment of \$197M in a new forest management approach;

- the maintaining of a \$425M envelope intended for financing business modernization projects with certain adjustments, particularly by waiving the requirement to obtain countervailing duties as security".
- 1. Could you provide details of the projects that were financed for each of these components?
- 2. How much of this money was spent?
- 3. How many jobs were created?
- 4. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?
- (33) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 10 May 2007, in the work plan for the eight following months, your government announced \$60M.

- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?
- (34) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

On 19 March 2009, in the 2009-2010 Budget, your government set aside \$65M over a two-year period for silvicultural operations and new market development in Québec's budget.

- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project?

(35) Mr. Trottier (Roberval) – **27 November 2009** To the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife:

In May 2009, with Ottawa, your government granted \$200M for silvicultural operations.

- 1. How much of this money was spent?
- 2. How many jobs were created?
- 3. Could you provide details on the number of jobs created and the money spent per project and region?
- 40) Mr. St-Arnaud (Chambly) **9 March 2010** To the Minister of Public Security :

As of 9 March 2010, arrest warrants have been issued with respect to how many persons in Québec for being unlawfully at large?

- 1. How many of these warrants, issued in 2003, have not yet been executed ?
- 2. How many of these warrants, issued in 2004, have not yet been executed ?
- 3. How many of these warrants, issued in 2005, have not yet been executed ?
- 4. How many of these warrants, issued in 2006, have not yet been executed ?
- 5. How many of these warrants, issued in 2007, have not yet been executed ?
- 6. How many of these warrants, issued in 2008, have not yet been executed ?
- 7. How many of these warrants, issued in 2009, have not yet been executed?

41) Mr. St-Arnaud (Chambly) – **18 March 2010** To the Minister of Public Security :

As at 16 March 2010:

- 1. How many cells were there in each of the detention centres ?
- 2. What was the accommodation capacity of each of the detention centres in Québec ?
- 3. How many persons were detained in each of the detention centres in Québec ?
 - (a) For each of the detention centres in Québec, how many of these prisoners were being held in temporary modular buildings ?
- 4. What was the percentage of persons accused of a crime out of the total number of prisoners in all detention centres in Québec ?

Part 6

NOTICES

I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

Government Bills

(a) 23 March 2010

An Act to amend the Election Act with regard to electoral representation – *Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions*.

(b) 23 March 2010

An Act to amend the Election Act with regard to political party financing rules and to amend other legislative provisions – *Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions*.

(c) 23 March 2010

An Act to establish guidelines governing accommodation requests within the Administration and certain institutions – *Minister of Justice*.

Private Members' Bills

(d) 11 March 2010

An Act to amend the Public Administration Act to require government departments and bodies to publish monthly reports of their expenditures – *Member for Shefford*.

Private Bills

II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME