

# **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 Jean-Talon on the following subject: 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Mount Sinai Hospital.
- The Member for Mirabel on the following subject: *The Fondation-Soleil of the Centre d'accueil Saint-Benoît de Mirabel.*
- The Member for Mont-Royal on the following subject: *Québec businesses* take the lead in clean technology.
- The Member for Drummond on the following subject: *Homage to Mr. Martin Dupont, director general of the Société de développement économique de Drummondville.*
- The Member for Lotbinière on the following subject: Congratulate Mrs. Maude Deshaies on her award at the Festival international de la poésie de Trois-Rivières.
- The Member for Pontiac on the following subject: *Québec's family physician* of the year, Dr. Ruth Vander Stelt.
- The Member for Bourget on the following subject: Congratulations to the finalists and award recipients of the very first edition of the Visa Entrepreneurial contest.
- The Member for Lévis on the following subject: Le Grenier food bank.
- The Member for Nicolet-Yamaska on the following subject: *Homage to Mr. Denis Villeneuve.*
- The Member for Montmagny-L'Islet on the following subject: Congratulations to the City of Montmagny for the Animation et Promotion award received from the Fondation Rues principales.

# STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

# **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

# **PRESENTING** (a)

- (a) Papers
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# **ORAL ANSWERS TO PETITIONS**

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## **ORAL QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

# **DEFERRED DIVISIONS**

Motion presented by the Member for Mercier under S.O. 97:

THAT the National Assembly demand that the Government respond in a positive way to the claims of the World March of Women by protecting the accessibility, the universality and the quality of all of the public services, particularly the health and social services network and the education network, in order to counter the negative impact that their privatization, their cost and their underfinancing have on the right of women to equality and on social solidarity in Québec.

# MOTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE

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## Part 2 ORDERS OF THE DAY

# **BUSINESS HAVING PRECEDENCE**

## **URGENT DEBATES**

# DEBATES ON REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

# **OTHER BUSINESS**

#### I. Government Bills

# General Consultation

Passage in Principle

(1) 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** 

(**2**) 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** 

(**3**) Bill 79

An Act to amend the Mining Act

Introduced by the Minister for Natural Resources and Wildlife 2 December 2009

Report from the Committee on Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources (hearings) tabled 21 September 2010

Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Johnson **29 September 2010** 

(**4**) 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

(5) Bill 89

An Act to amend the Environment Quality Act in order to reinforce compliance

Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks 15 April 2010

(6) Bill 92

An Act to amend the Election Act with regard to electoral representation Introduced by the Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions 25 March 2010

Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Gaspé 11 May 2010

(**7**) Bill 94

An Act to establish guidelines governing accommodation requests within the Administration and certain institutions

Introduced by the Minister of Justice 24 March 2010

(8) Bill 103

An Act to amend the Charter of the French language and other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister of Culture, Communications and the Status of Women and Minister responsible for the application of the Charter of the French language 2 June 2010

Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled 29 September 2009

Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Rimouski 6 October 2010

(9) Bill 107

An Act respecting the Agence du revenu du Québec Introduced by the Minister of Revenue 8 June 2010 Report from the Committee on Public Finance (hearings) tabled **29 September 2009** 

# (**10**)Bill 110

An Act to amend the occupational health and safety plan to grant greater protection to certain domestics Introduced by the Minister of Labour **4 June 2010** 

#### (11)Bill 114

An Act to increase the powers of oversight of the Chief Electoral Officer Introduced by the Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions and Access to Information **6 October 2010** 

#### (**12**)Bill 116

An Act concerning the acquisition of cars for the Montréal subway Introduced by the Minister of Transport **6 October 2010** 

Committee Stage

## (13)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

# (**14**)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

# (15)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

## (**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 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

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (hearings) tabled 15 April 2010

Passed in principle 13 May 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

# (18)Bill 93

An Act to amend the Election Act with regard to political party financing rules and to amend other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions 25 March 2010

Passed in principle 15 April 2010, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

# (**19**)Bill 104

An Act to abolish certain councils and the government air service fund Introduced by the Minister responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor 12 May 2010 Passed in principle **25 May 2010**, and Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

#### (**20**)Bill 109

Municipal Ethics and Good Conduct Act Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 10 June 2010 Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (hearings) tabled 22 September 2010 Passed in principle **23 September 2010**, and Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

#### Report Stage

## (21)Bill 96

An Act to amend the Taxation Act, the Act respecting the Québec sales tax and other legislative provisions Introduced by the Minister of Revenue 11 May 2010 Passed in principle 26 May 2010 Report from the Committee on Public Finance tabled **30 September 2010** 

#### (22)Bill 112

An Act authorizing the making of collective agreements with a term of more than three years in the public and parapublic sectors Introduced by the Minister responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor 22 September 2010 Passed in principle 23 September 2010 Report from the Committee on Public Finance tabled **5 October 2010** 

## Passage

# II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

# (23)Bill 190

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

#### (24)Bill 191

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

## (25)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

#### (26)Bill 193

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

#### (27) Bill 194

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

#### (28)Bill 196

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

## (29)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** 

## (30)Bill 391

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

# (31)Bill 393

An Act to amend the Public Administration Act to require government departments and bodies to publish monthly reports of their expenditures Introduced by the Member for Shefford **29 April 2010** 

#### (32)Bill 394

An Act respecting the Agence québécoise du cancer Introduced by the Member for La Peltrie **14 April 2010** 

# (**33**)Bill 395

An Act to govern the accessibility and universality of health services in Québec Introduced by the Member for Mercier **27 April 2010** 

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

# III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

Passage in Principle

Passage

# **IV.** Government Motions

(**34**)23 September 2010

Motion by the Minister of International Relations:

THAT, pursuant to section 22.3 of the *Act respecting the Ministère des Relations internationales,* the National Assembly ratify the Agreement on Social Security between the Gouvernement du Québec and the Government of the Federal Republic of Germany, signed in Québec City on 20 April 2010.

In compliance with section 22.3 of the Act respecting the Ministère des Relations internationales, this motion cannot be debated before 3 October 2010.

# V. Estimates of Expenditure

## VI. Statutory Debates

# BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

(**35**)5 October 2010

Motion by the Member for Mercier :

THAT the National Assembly demand that the Government respond in a positive way to the claims of the World March of Women by protecting the accessibility, the universality and the quality of all of the public services, particularly the health and social services network and the education network, in order to counter the negative impact that their privatization, their cost and their underfinancing have on the right of women to equality and on social solidarity in Québec.

Division deferred on 6 October 2010

Part 3

# **BILLS PASSED**

(Bills not yet given 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**

# **Statutory Order**

- Hearing on the modernization projects regarding Montreal's university medical centres.
- Hearing with the Deputy Minister of Justice concerning judicial activities support in courthouses.
- Hearing with the Deputy Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities concerning the selection of qualified immigrant workers (Chapter 3, *Report of the Auditor General of Québec to the National Assembly for 2010-2011 Volume I*)

# COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

# Order of initiative

- Oil supply security.

# COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

# Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 109**, Municipal Ethics and Good Conduct Act (Order of reference given on 23 September 2010).

# Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Régie du logement.

# **COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION**

# **Order of reference**

General Consultation:

- **Bill 82**, Cultural Heritage Act (Order of reference given on 22 September 2010).

#### 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 104**, An Act to abolish certain councils and the government air service fund (Order of reference given on 25 May 2010).

# Order of initiative

- Indexation of the public and parapublic sector pension plans.

## **COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS**

# **Order of reference**

General Consultation:

 Bill 94, An Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure to prevent improper use of the courts and promote freedom of expression and citizen participation in public debate (Order of reference given on 25 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 93, An Act to amend the Election Act with regard to political party financing rules and to amend other legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 15 April 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.

## Order of initiative

 Hearing of Mr. Pierre Marc Johnson concerning the orientations expressed by the Government of Québec to the federal Government on the subject of a proposed free-trade agreement between Canada and the European Union as well as concerning the current state of negotiations and the issues raised by this proposal.

# 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

## **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).
- Examination of the 2009-2010 annual report of the Centre régional de santé et de services sociaux de la Baie-James (referred 30 September 2010).
- Examination of the 2009-2010 annual report of the Lanaudière Health and Social Services Agency (referred 5 October 2010).

# **COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

# **Order of reference**

# 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).
- 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 (Order of reference given on 13 May 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 Kativik Environmental Quality Commission.
- 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.

Consideration of petitions:

- Petition 1245-20100429 respecting a project for a railway network to serve various regions of Québec, the TransQuébec Express.

# **SELECT COMMITTEE ON DYING WITH DIGNITY**

## **Order of reference**

General Consultation:

- Dying with dignity (Order of reference given on 9 December 2009).

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) 6 October 2010

An Act to put a stop to election contributions in the name of another – *Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions and Access to Information.* 

# **Private Members' Bills**

# **Private Bills**

#### Interpellations

**(b)** 30 September 2010

Interpellation by the Member for Verchères to the Minister of Public Security on the following subject : *The situation of public security in Québec*.

(c) 30 September 2010

Interpellation by the Member for Crémazie to the Minister responsible for Seniors on the following subject : *The situation of Québec seniors*.

(**d**) 30 September 2010

Interpellation by the Member for Borduas to the Minister of Culture, Communications and the Status of Women on the following subject : *The situation of the French language in Québec*.

# II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME

(aa)Interpellation by the Member for Marie-Victorin to the Minister responsible for Canadian Intergovernmental Affairs and the Canadian Francophonie on the following subject : *Canadian intergovernmental relations*.