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# **Order Paper and Notices**

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President of the National Assembly: Mr. Jacques Chagnon

**QUÉBEC** 

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- The Member for Ungava on the following subject: 30 years for "Elles du Nord".
- The Member for Chauveau on the following subject: Mr. André Cloutier.
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(1) Report from the Select Committee on Dying with Dignity, which, on 7, 8, 9, 10, 24, 28, 29 and 30 September, on 12, 13, 14, 15, 22 and 26 October, on 2, 11, 19, 25 and 26 November 2010, on 31 January 2011, and on 1, 3, 4, 9, 10, 14, 15 and 17 February as well as on 22 March 2011, held public hearings within the framework of a general consultation on the issue of dying with dignity. The report contains 24 recommendations.

Report tabled 22 March 2012

By leave of the Assembly to set aside Standing Order 94, this report shall be taken into consideration not later then **17 May 2012**.

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

#### I. Government Bills

General Consultation

Passage in Principle

#### (**2**) Bill 4

An Act to allow municipalities to grant a tax credit to certain owners of residential immovables affected by a significantly higher than average increase in value

Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 22 March 2011

Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Verchères 2 May 2012

## (**3**) Bill 19

An Act to establish a temporary electoral representation regime and to suspend certain provisions of the Election Act

Introduced by the Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions and Access to Information 12 May 2011

#### (4) Bill 36

An Act to amend the Act respecting health services and social services as regards joint procurement

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 15 November 2011

#### **(5)** Bill 37

An Act to amend the Civil Code and other legislative provisions as regards land registration

Introduced by the Minister for Natural Resources and Wildlife 15 November 2011

## (6) 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** 

## (**7**) Bill 45

An Act to amend the Civil Code, the Code of Civil Procedure and the Public Curator Act as regards the protection of persons Introduced by the Minister of Families **29 February 2012** 

## (8) Bill 46

An Act respecting independent police investigations Introduced by the Minister of Public Security 2 December 2011 Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled **22 March 2012** 

#### (9) Bill 47

Sustainable Regional and Local Land Use Planning Act Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 8 December 2011

### (10)Bill 48

An Act concerning the environmental inspection of motor vehicles Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks **7 December 2011** 

#### (11)Bill 51

An Act to amend the Animal Health Protection Act mainly in regard to animal safety and welfare

Introduced by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food **6 December 2011** 

#### (12)Bill 59

An Act respecting the sharing of certain health information Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 29 February 2012

#### (13)Bill 60

An Act mainly to modernize the occupational health and safety plan and extend its application to domestics

Introduced by the Minister of Labour 3 April 2012

#### (14)Bill 64

An Act to promote access to justice in family matters Introduced by the Minister of Justice **4 April 2012** 

#### (15)Bill 65

An Act respecting natural heritage conservation and the sustainable development of the area covered by the Northern Plan Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks 17 April 2012

# (16)Bill 67

An Act to amend the Sustainable Forest Development Act and the Act respecting the Ministère des Ressources naturelles et de la Faune Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife 18 April 2012

#### (17)Bill 68

An Act to amend the Act respecting liquor permits and other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister of Public Security 24 April 2012

#### (18)Bill 70

An Act to facilitate civil proceedings by victims of crime and the exercise of certain other rights

Introduced by the Minister of Justice 17 April 2012

### Committee Stage

### (19)Bill 14

An Act respecting the development of mineral resources in keeping with the principles of sustainable development

Introduced by the Minister for Natural Resources and Wildlife 12 May 2011 Report from the Committee on Agriculture, Fisheries, Energy and Natural Resources (hearings) tabled 20 September 2011

Passed in principle 5 October 2011, and

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

#### (20)Bill 24

An Act mainly to combat consumer debt overload and modernize consumer credit rules

Introduced by the Minister of Justice 8 June 2011

Report from the Committee on Citizen Relations (hearings) tabled 3 November 2011

Passed in principle 8 November 2011, and

Referred to the Committee on Citizen Relations

# (**21**)Bill 27

An Act respecting the Société du Plan Nord

Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife 8 June 2011

Passed in principle 20 October 2011, and

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

## (22)Bill 31

An Act to amend various provisions concerning the organization of police services

Introduced by the Minister of Public Security 1 November 2011

Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled 9 December 2011

Passed in principle 8 May 2012, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

# (23)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

#### (24)Bill 50

An Act to amend the Act to regularize and provide for the development of local slaughterhouses

Introduced by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food 7 December 2011

Passed in principle 16 February 2012, and

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

#### (25)Bill 56

An Act to prevent and deal with bullying and violence in schools

Introduced by the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports 15 February 2012

Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled 4 April 2012

Passed in principle 5 April 2012, and

Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

#### (26)Bill 57

An Act to modify the rules governing the use of photo radar devices and red light camera systems and amend other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister of Transport 22 February 2012

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (hearings) tabled 2 May 2012

Passed in principle 8 May 2012, and

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and the Environment

#### (27)Bill 61

Chartered Professional Accountants Act

Introduced by the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions 28 March 2012

Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled 3 May 2012

Passed in principle 8 May 2012, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

#### (28)Bill 69

An Act to amend various legislative provisions concerning municipal affairs Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 1 May 2012

Passed in principle 8 May 2012, and

Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

#### (29)Bill 71

An Act respecting compensation measures for the carrying out of projects affecting wetlands or bodies of water

Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment and Parks 24 April 2012

Passed in principle 1 May 2012

Report from the Committee on Transportation and the Environment (hearings) tabled **8 May 2012** 

## (30)Bill 94

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

Introduced by the Minister of Immigration and Cultural Communities 24 March 2010

Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled 8 February 2011

Passed in principle 15 February 2011, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

## Report Stage

### (**31**)Bill 53

An Act to dissolve the Société de gestion informatique SOGIQUE Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 16 February 2012

Passed in principle 28 March 2012

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services tabled 17 April 2012

#### (32)Bill 55

An Act respecting the professional recognition of medical electrophysiology technologists

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 23 February 2012 Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (hearings) tabled 29 March 2012

Passed in principle 4 April 2012

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services tabled 2 May 2012

Passage

## (33)Bill 63

An Act to amend the Taxation Act, the Act respecting the Québec sales tax and various legislative provisions

Passed in principle 1 May 2012

Report from the Committee on Public Finance adopted 8 May 2012

#### II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

## (34)Bill 190

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

#### (**35**)Bill 191

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

## (36)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

## (**37**)Bill 193

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

#### (38)Bill 194

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

#### (39)Bill 195

An Act to amend the Act respecting Access to documents held by public bodies and the Protection of personal information

Introduced by the Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière 5 October 2011

## (40)Bill 196

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

#### (41)Bill 197

An Act to amend the Auditor General Act in order to allow comprehensive auditing of Hydro-Québec

Introduced by the Member for Jonquière 30 March 2011

#### (42)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

#### (43)Bill 391

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

#### (44)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** 

## (45)Bill 394

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

#### (46)Bill 395

An Act to govern the accessibility and universality of health services in Québec

Introduced by the Member for Mercier 27 April 2010

#### (47)Bill 396

An Act to put a temporary stop to shale gas exploration and development activities

Introduced by the Member for L'Assomption 27 October 2010

#### (48)Bill 397

An Act to impose a moratorium on shale gas exploration and development projects

Introduced by the Member for Mercier 27 October 2010

## (49)Bill 398

An Act to end the precedence of mining rights over other land uses and to again amend the Act respecting land use planning and development Introduced by the Member for Mercier 11 November 2010

## (50)Bill 399

An Act to modernize the provisions relating to strikebreakers and to again amend the Labour Code

Introduced by the Member for Beauharnois 3 December 2010

#### (51)Bill 490

An Act respecting the greater use of wood in construction Introduced by the Member for Roberval **9 December 2010** 

### (52)Bill 491

An Act to prohibit asbestos and uranium exploration and mining in Québec Introduced by the Member for Mercier **9 December 2010** 

#### (53)Bill 492

An Act to amend the Act respecting the National Assembly Introduced by the Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière **16 February 2011** 

## (54)Bill 493

Recall Act

Introduced by the Member for La Peltrie 17 February 2011

# (55)Bill 494

An Act to amend the Act respecting the remuneration of elected municipal officers

Introduced by the Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière 23 November 2011

# (56)Bill 495

An Act respecting transparency in union matters and amending various legislative provisions

Introduced by the Member for Shefford 12 May 2011

#### (57)Bill 496

An Act to provide a fixed date for the election of Members of the National Assembly as of 13 May 2013

Introduced by the Member for Mercier 19 May 2011

## (58)Bill 497

An Act to change the name of the electoral division of Verchères Introduced by the Member for Verchères 15 November 2011

#### (59)Bill 498

Mandatory Reporting of Child Pornography Act Introduced by the Member for Lotbinière **9 December 2011** 

#### (60)Bill 499

An Act respecting dynamic land occupancy and decentralization Introduced by the Member for Berthier **29 November 2011** 

## (61)Bill 590

An Act to abolish the requirement of legal representation before the Commission d'accès à l'information

Introduced by the Member for Chambly 1 December 2011

#### (62)Bill 591

An Act to confirm the application of the Charter of the French language to government agency subsidiaries

Introduced by the Member for Drummond 6 December 2011

## (63)Bill 593

Québec Charter of the French Language Introduced by the Member for Borduas 27 March 2012

## (64)Bill 594

An Act to amend the Civil Code with regard to the suspension of extinctive prescription

Introduced by the Member for Nicolet-Yamaska 5 April 2012

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

## III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

## (**65**)Bill 203

An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de Memphrémagog Introduced by the Member for Orford **12 May 2011**, and Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

#### (66)Bill 205

An Act respecting certain deeds of donation by Samuel Bronfman Introduced by the Member for D'Arcy-McGee **2 June 2011**, and Referred to the Committee on Institutions

## (67)Bill 210

An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de La Vallée-du-Richelieu

Introduced by the Member for Borduas 2 May 2012, and

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

#### (68)Bill 229

An Act respecting Ville de Salaberry-de-Valleyfield Introduced by the Member for Beauharnois **9 November 2010**, and Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

Passage in Principle

Passage

#### **IV.** Government Motions

(**69**)3 May 2012

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 approve the Supplemental Agreement between the Government of Québec and the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), within the framework of the lease renewal for the ICAO offices located at 700, rue de la Gauchetière Ouest in Montréal, signed in Québec City on 13 June 2011 and in Montréal on 30 November 2011.

In compliance with section 22.3 of the Act respecting the Ministère des Relations internationales, this motion cannot be debated before 13 May 2012.

# V. Estimates of Expenditure

## VI. Statutory Debates

## BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

(70) 8 May 2012

Motion by the Member for Marie-Victorin:

In compliance with the Parti Québécois programme adopted at the national convention on 17 April 2011, that the National Assembly demand that the rules governing political party financing be modified to set the maximum annual contribution at \$100 per elector.

Part 3

#### **BILLS PASSED**

#### 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 with regard to the application of the Sustainable Development Act.
- Hearing with regard to childcare services.
- Hearing with regard to compensation of accident victims.
- Hearing of the Secrétariat du Conseil du trésor concerning its 2010-2011 annual management report.

## COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

## Order of reference

## **General Consultation:**

 Green paper for an Agrifood Policy entitled "Donner le goût du Québec" (Order of reference given on 8 June 2011).

## **Special Consultations:**

- **Bill 51**, An Act to amend the Animal Health Protection Act mainly in regard to animal safety and welfare (Order of reference given on 26 April 2012).

## Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 14, An Act respecting the development of mineral resources in keeping with the principles of sustainable development (Order of reference given on 5 October 2011).
- **Bill 27**, An Act respecting the Société du Plan Nord (Order of reference given on 20 October 2011).
- Bill 50, An Act to amend the Act to regularize and provide for the development of local slaughterhouses (Order of reference given on 16 February 2012).

 Bill 210, An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de La Valléedu-Richelieu (Order of reference given on 2 May 2012).

## Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

# Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- La Financière agricole du Québec.

## Order of initiative

- Oil supply security.

# COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

#### Order of reference

## Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 69, An Act to amend various legislative provisions concerning municipal affairs (Order of reference given on 8 May 2012).
- Bill 203, An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de Memphrémagog (Order of reference given on 12 May 2011).
- **Bill 229**, An Act respecting Ville de Salaberry-de-Valleyfield (Order of reference given on 24 February 2011).

# **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:

- Commission municipale du Québec.

## 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 24 February 2011).
- Bill 56, An Act to prevent and deal with bullying and violence in schools (Order of reference given on 5 April 2012).

## Order of initiative

 Improvement of learning offerings in the field of physical activity, sports and culture to create a sense of belonging.

# **COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY**

## **Statutory Order**

 Examination of the report tabled by the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity, in pursuance of section 60 of the Act to combat poverty and social exclusion.

## **COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE**

# **Statutory Order**

 Examination of the financial statements and the activity report of the Institut de la statistique du Québec.

# Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

# Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Bureau de décision et de révision.
- Commission administrative des régimes de retraite et d'assurances.
- Institut de la statistique du Québec.

### **COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS**

## **Order of reference**

## **Special Consultations**:

- **Bill 64**, An Act to promote access to justice in family matters (Order of reference given on 8 May 2012).

## Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 31, An Act to amend various provisions concerning the organization of police services (Order of reference given on 8 May 2012).
- Bill 61, Chartered Professional Accountants Act (Order of reference given on 8 May 2012).
- Bill 94, An Act to establish guidelines governing accommodation requests within the Administration and certain institutions (Order of reference given on 24 February 2011).
- **Bill 205**, An Act respecting certain deeds of donation by Samuel Bronfman (Order of reference given on 2 June 2011).

# **Statutory Order**

- Examination of the annual reports of the Commission d'accès à l'information from 2007-2008 to 2009-2010.
- Examination of the annual reports of the Lobbyists Commissioner from 2007-2008 to 2099-2010.
- Examination of the 2011 five-year report of the Commission d'accès à l'information.

# Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Hearing of the Public Protector.

## **Interpellation:**

- By the Member for Marie-Victorin to the Minister responsible for Canadian Intergovernmental Affairs and the Canadian Francophonie on the following subject: *The majority Conservative government: one year later, the consequences for Québec* (notice given on 3 May 2012).

### **COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS**

## Order of reference

# Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 24**, An Act mainly to combat consumer debt overload and modernize consumer credit rules (Order of reference given on 8 November 2011).

## **Order in compliance with the Standing Orders**

# Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Curateur public.

## **COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES**

#### Order of reference

# **Special Consultations**:

 Bill 59, An Act respecting the sharing of certain health information (Order of reference given on 3 April 2012).

## **Statutory Order**

- Examination of the 2008-2009 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Chaudière-Appalaches, Baie-James, Outaouais, Bas-Saint-Laurent, Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec (deferred 24 February 2011); Estrie (deferred 15 March 2011).
- Examination of the 2008-2009 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (deferred 24 February 2011).
- Examination of the 2009-2010 annual report of the Centre régional de santé et de services sociaux de la Baie-James (deferred 24 February 2011).
- Examination of the 2009-2010 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Abitibi-Témiscamingue, Bas-Saint-Laurent, Capitale-Nationale, Chaudière-Appalaches, Côte-Nord, Estrie, Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine, Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec, Outaouais, Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean (deferred 24 February 2011).
- Examination of the 2009-2010 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (deferred 24 February 2011).

- Examination of the 2010-2011 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean, Gaspésie–Îles-de-la-Madeleine (deferred 28 September 2011); Abitibi-Témiscamingue, Bas-Saint-Laurent, Chaudière-Appalaches, Côte-Nord, Estrie, Lanaudière, Laval, Laurentides, Mauricie et Centre-du-Québec, Montérégie, Montréal, Outaouais (deferred 6 October 2011); Capitale-Nationale (deferred 18 October 2011).
- Examination of the 2010-2011 annual report of the Centre régional de santé et de services sociaux de la Baie-James (deferred 28 September 2011).
- Examination of the 2010-2011 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (deferred 30 November 2011).
- Examination of the evaluation reports on the performance of the health and social services system for 2009 and 2010.
- Examination of the reports on the implementation of the Tobacco Act for 2005 and 2010.
- Examination of the evaluation report on the Québec Electronic Health Record experimental project on the territory of the Agence de la santé et des services sociaux de la Capitale-Nationale.

## **Order in compliance with the Standing Orders**

## Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Régie de l'assurance maladie du Québec.
- Office des personnes handicapées du Québec.
- Commissaire à la santé et au bien-être.
- Comités de révision de l'assurance maladie.

## COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT

## Order of reference

## **Special Consultations:**

 Bill 48, An Act concerning the environmental inspection of motor vehicles (Order of reference given on 2 May 2012).

#### Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 57, An Act to modify the rules governing the use of photo radar devices and red light camera systems and amend other legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 8 May 2012).
- Bill 71, An Act respecting compensation measures for the carrying out of projects affecting wetlands or bodies of water (Order of reference given on 1 May 2012).

## **Order in compliance with the Standing Orders**

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Agence métropolitaine de transport.
- Kativik Environmental Quality Commission.
- Société québécoise de récupération et de recyclage.

#### Part 5

#### WRITTEN OUESTIONS

Questions already placed on the Order Paper are published each Wednesday

(20) Mr. St-Arnaud (Chambly) – **9 May 2012**To the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports:

A fund-raising activity was held by the Québec Liberal Party on 9 April 2009 in Laval. According to La Presse newspaper, this was a breakfast attended by 15 to 20 guests. This activity raised \$61,500 for the Association libérale de Bourassa-Sauvé.

Those in attendance were the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports, then Minister of the Environment, two representatives of the Énergie Carboneutre firm, Domenico Arcuri and Giuseppi Bertolo, André-Martin Bouchard, engineer at Genivar, Gilles Deguire, current mayor of Montréal-Nord, former political attaché to the Minister, as well as Pierre Bibeau, who was the Minister's partner at the time. The TVA network also indicated that Paolo Catania of the Catcan firm was present, along with Lino Zambito of Infrabec.

Who else attended this fund-raising breakfast?

What was the amount of money contributed to the QLP by each guest?

Who made a financial contribution without attending the activity?

Several persons in attendance had connections with the Énergie Carboneutre firm. In addition to the two company representatives, André-Martin Bouchard was the one who, at Genivar, prepared the final report and the status report required in the request for a certificate of authorization made by Énergie Carboneutre to the Ministère de l'Environnement

Was the Carboneutre case discussed at this fund-raising breakfast?

What other subjects were broached?

When the Carboneutre case became public in October 2010 and the Minister of Public Security invited those who had information on this matter to contact the Sûreté du Québec, what steps were taken by the Minister or her entourage to forward the information gathered at this fund-raising activity with regard to Carboneutre?

The person responsible for QLP communciations, Michel Rochette, indicated that this activity had been organized by Messrs. Yves Lortie and Yannick Bouchard, engineers at Genivar. Mr. Lortie says that he has no recollection of this.

Who organized this fund-raising activity?

Who contacted the guests?

## (21) Mr. St-Arnaud (Chambly) – **9 May 2012**

To the Minister responsible for the Reform of Democratic Institutions and Access to Information:

Nathalie Normandeau, former Deputy Premier, admitted that her own fundraising cocktails were organized by engineering or construction firms.

How many Québec Liberal Party fund-raising activities were subcontracted to representatives of engineering or construction firms?

What amount was raised through fund-raising activities organized by engineering or construction firms?

#### Part 6

#### **NOTICES**

#### I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

## **Government Bills**

(a) 8 May 2012

An Act to amend the Public Service Act mainly with respect to staffing – Minister responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor.

# **Private Members' Bills**

**(b)** 28 February 2012

An Act to ensure that election results are upheld as concerns the political affiliation of Members at the time they are elected – *Member for Drummond*.

#### **Private Bills**

(c) 10 November 2011

An Act respecting Ville de Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu – Member for Saint-Jean.

# **Interpellations**

(d) 21 April 2011

Interpellation by the Member for Shefford to the Minister of Finance on the following subject: *The state of public finance in Québec*.

## II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME

(aa)An Act respecting Ville de Terrebonne – Member for Terrebonne.