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Mr. Jacques Chagnon**

QUÉBEC

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- The Member for Bourget on the following subject: *Underline the 25th anniversary of the FrancoFolies.*
- The Member for Louis-Hébert on the following subject: *World Day Against Child Labour.*
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- The Member for Marguerite-Bourgeoys on the following subject: *Tribute to Mrs. Louise Lemieux Bérubé.*
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- The Member for Mercier on the following subject: *The 60th anniversary of the arrival of Portuguese immigrants in Montréal.*
- The Member for Viau on the following subject: *50th anniversary of St. Dorothy Elementary School.*
- The Member for Argenteuil on the following subject: *20 years for the Transport adapté et collectif d'Argenteuil.*
- The Member for Anjou–Louis-Riel on the following subject: *Support to the Coalition citoyenne pour l'hôpital Maisonneuve-Rosemont.*
- The Member for Iberville on the following subject: *Seventy-five years of the Cercle des fermières de Saint-Césaire.*

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- (1) Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services, which, on 29 and 30 May as well as on 4 June 2013, held public hearings within the framework of special consultations in reference to the draft rules repealing the provision that prohibits the sale, service and consumption of alcoholic beverages inside gaming areas. The report contains one recommendation.
Report tabled on **7 June 2013**
Subject to the provisions of the second paragraph of Standing Order 94, this report shall be taken into consideration not later than **22 June 2013**.

OTHER BUSINESS

I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

- (2) Bill 20
Firearms Registration Act
Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on **19 February 2013**
- (3) Bill 28
An Act to establish the new Code of Civil Procedure
Introduced by the Minister of Justice **30 April 2013**
- (4) Bill 31
An Act to amend various legislative provisions mainly concerning the financial sector
Introduced by the Minister of Finance and the Economy on **9 May 2013**

- (5) Bill 33
An Act to amend the Act respecting the conditions of employment and the pension plan of the Members of the National Assembly
Introduced by the Minister responsible for Democratic Institutions and Active Citizenship 20 March 2013
Resuming the debate adjourned in the name of the Member for Acadie on **30 May 2013**
- (6) Bill 34
An Act giving effect to the Budget Speech delivered on 20 November 2012 and amending various legislative provisions
Introduced by the Minister of Finance and the Economy on **15 May 2013**
- (7) Bill 36 *
An Act respecting the Banque de développement économique du Québec
Introduced by the Minister for Industrial Policy and the Banque de développement économique du Québec on 24 April 2013
Report from the Committee on Labour and the Economy (hearings) tabled on **28 May 2013**
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- * **Recommendation of the Lieutenant-Governor**
- (8) Bill 37
An Act to prohibit certain shale natural gas exploration and production activities
Introduced by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment, Wildlife and Parks on **15 May 2013**
- (9) Bill 39
Voluntary Retirement Savings Plans Act
Introduced by the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity on **8 May 2013**
- (10) Bill 41
An Act to amend the Public Service Act mainly with respect to staffing
Introduced by the Minister responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on **14 May 2013**
- (11) Bill 43
Mining Act
Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources on **29 May 2013**

(12)Bill 44

An Act to proclaim Aboriginal History Month
Introduced by the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs on **4 June 2013**

(13)Bill 46

An Act to amend the Act respecting the acquisition of farm land by non-residents
Introduced by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food on **12 June 2013**

Committee Stage

(14)Bill 3

An Act to amend the Election Act for the purpose of establishing fixed-date elections
Introduced by the Minister responsible for Democratic Institutions and Active Citizenship 7 November 2012
Passed in principle on **21 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Institutions

(15)Bill 14

An Act to amend the Charter of the French language, the Charter of human rights and freedoms and other legislative provisions
Introduced by the Minister responsible for the Charter of the French language 5 December 2012
Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled on 23 April 2013
Passed in principle on **30 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

(16)Bill 23

An Act to amend the Education Act concerning certain educational services for students under five years of age
Introduced by the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports 14 March 2013
Report from the Committee on Culture and Education (hearings) tabled on 7 May 2013
Passed in principle on **7 May 2013** and
Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

(17) Bill 25

An Act respecting mainly the implementation of certain provisions of the Budget Speech of 20 November 2012
Introduced by the Minister of Finance and the Economy 21 February 2013
Passed in principle on **26 March 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

(18) Bill 27

Social Economy Act
Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy 19 March 2013
Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (hearings) tabled on 29 May 2013
Passed in principle on **6 June 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(19) Bill 35

An Act to amend the Civil Code as regards civil status, successions and the publication of rights
Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 17 April 2013
Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled on 28 May 2013
Passed in principle on **28 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Institutions

(20) Bill 38

An Act respecting the governance of public infrastructures, establishing the Société québécoise des infrastructures and amending various legislative provisions
Introduced by the Minister responsible for Government Administration and Chair of the Conseil du trésor on 1 May 2013
Passed in principle on **14 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

(21) Bill 45

An Act respecting the Ministère de l'Enseignement supérieur, de la Recherche, de la Science et de la Technologie
Introduced by the Minister of Higher Education, Research, Science and Technology on 15 May 2013
Passed in principle on **4 June 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Culture and Education

Report Stage

(22) Bill 30

An Act to amend the Civil Code and other legislative provisions with respect to research

Introduced by the Minister of Health and Social Services 28 March 2013

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services (hearings) tabled on 7 May 2013

Passed in principle on 30 May 2013

Report from the Committee on Health and Social Services tabled on **6 June 2013**

(23) Bill 42

An Act establishing the Eeyou Istchee James Bay Regional Government and introducing certain legislative amendments concerning the Cree Nation Government

Introduced by the Minister for Regions on 14 May 2013

Passed in principle on 29 May 2013, and

Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain (hearings) tabled on **4 June 2013**

Report from the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain tabled on **7 June 2013**

Passage

II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

(24) Bill 190

An Act to amend the Election Act in order to reduce political party spending and the elector contribution limit

Introduced by the Member for Chauveau **1 November 2012**

(25) Bill 191

An Act to establish Pharma-Québec

Introduced by the Member for Mercier **14 November 2012**

(26) Bill 192

Parliamentary Budget Officer Act

Introduced by the Member for Lévis **15 November 2012**

- (27) Bill 193
An Act to amend the Auditor General Act
Introduced by the Member for Granby **13 February 2013**
- (28) Bill 194
An Act to amend the Act respecting liquor permits and other legislative provisions
Introduced by the Member for Marguerite-Bourgeoys **15 November 2012**
- (29) Bill 195
An Act to exclude child support payments from income calculation under various social laws
Introduced by the Member for Gouin **28 November 2012**
- (30) Bill 197
An Act respecting wealth and job creation through sustainable mining development
Introduced by the Member for Rivière-du-Loup–Témiscouata **27 November 2012**
- (31) Bill 198
An Act to end the precedence of mining rights over other land uses and to amend the Act respecting land use planning and development
Introduced by the Member for Mercier **20 March 2013**
- (32) Bill 199
An Act to amend the Anti-Corruption Act as concerns the protection of whistleblowers
Introduced by the Member for Saint-Jérôme **21 February 2013**
- (33) Bill 390
An Act respecting the review of the financial benefits granted to the Members of the National Assembly
Introduced by the Member for Chauveau **12 March 2013**
- (34) Bill 391
An Act to amend the Public Protector Act
Introduced by the Member for Granby on **8 May 2013**

(35) Bill 392

An Act to provide a framework for appointments to certain senior positions
Introduced by the Member for Lévis **30 April 2013**

(36) Bill 393

An Act to amend the Election Act in order to extend the time limit for recovering contributions made in contravention of that Act
Introduced by the Member for Mercier on **2 May 2013**

(37) Bill 394

An Act to amend the Act respecting immigration to Québec and other legislative provisions in order to facilitate the integration of immigrants into the labour market
Introduced by the Member for Jeanne-Mance–Viger on **21 May 2013**

(38) Bill 395

An Act to amend the Act respecting the Société des alcools du Québec and the Act respecting liquor permits
Introduced by the Member for Huntingdon on **7 June 2013**

Committee Stage

Report Stage

Passage

III. Private Bills

Hearings and Clause-by-Clause Consideration

(39) Bill 202

An Act respecting Ville de Terrebonne
Introduced by the Member for Terrebonne **16 April 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(40) Bill 203

An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de La Haute-Yamaska
Introduced by the Member for Granby on **8 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(41) Bill 204

An Act respecting various by-laws of Ville de Brossard and various by-laws of Ville de Longueuil applicable to the borough of Brossard
Introduced by the Member for La Pinière on **15 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(42) Bill 205

An Act respecting Ville de Châteauguay
Introduced by the Member for Châteauguay on **15 May 2013**, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(43) Bill 206

An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté des Basques
Introduced by the Member for Rivière-du-Loup–Témiscouata on
14 May 2013, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(44) Bill 208

An Act concerning the possibility for municipal founders to stand surety for the Société d'économie mixte d'énergie renouvelable de la région de Rivière-du-Loup inc.
Introduced by the Member for Rivière-du-Loup–Témiscouata on
14 May 2013, and
Referred to the Committee on Planning and the Public Domain

(45) Bill 209

Act respecting the possibility for municipal founders to stand surety for the Société d'Économie Mixte de l'Est de la Couronne Sud (SÉMECS) inc.
Introduced by the Member for Iberville on **14 May 2013**, 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

Part 3

BILLS PASSED

(Bills not yet given Royal Assent)

Bill 17

An Act to amend the Professional Code with respect to disciplinary justice
Adopted on **6 June 2013**

Bill 24

An Act to amend the Act respecting school elections and other legislative provisions (*modified title*)
Adopted on **5 June 2013**

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 of the Auditor General on his annual management report and his 2011-2012 financial commitments.
- Hearing on professional services contracts for information processing.
- Hearing on air quality in primary schools.
- Hearing on housing services.
- Hearing on the public infrastructure maintenance deficit.

- Hearing on the Fonds pour le développement du sport et de l'activité physique.
- Hearing on the management of the Tribunal administratif du Québec.
- Hearing on the administrative management of the Corporation d'urgences-santé.
- Hearing on the administrative management of the Ministère des Finances.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES, ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- **Bill 43**, Mining Act (Order of reference given on 7 June 2013).

COMMITTEE ON PLANNING AND THE PUBLIC DOMAIN

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 27**, Social Economy Act (Order of reference given on 6 June 2013).
- **Bill 202**, An Act respecting Ville de Terrebonne (Order of reference given on 16 April 2013).
- **Bill 203**, An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté de La Haute-Yamaska (Order of reference given on 8 May 2013).
- **Bill 204**, An Act respecting various by-laws of Ville de Brossard and various by-laws of Ville de Longueuil applicable to the borough of Brossard (Order of reference given on 15 May 2013).
- **Bill 205**, An Act respecting Ville de Châteauguay (Order of reference given on 15 May 2013).
- **Bill 206**, An Act respecting Municipalité régionale de comté des Basques (Order of reference given on 14 May 2013).
- **Bill 208**, An Act concerning the possibility for municipal founders to stand surety for the Société d'économie mixte d'énergie renouvelable de la région de Rivière-du-Loup inc. (Order of reference given on 14 May 2013).
- **Bill 209**, Act respecting the possibility for municipal founders to stand surety for the Société d'Économie Mixte de l'Est de la Couronne Sud (SÉMECS) inc. (Order of reference given on 14 May 2013).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Société d'habitation du Québec.

COMMITTEE ON CULTURE AND EDUCATION

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- Consultation paper on the regulation of retail prices of new printed and digital books. (Order of reference given on 4 June 2013).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 14**, An Act to amend the Charter of the French language, the Charter of human rights and freedoms and other legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 30 May 2013).
- **Bill 23**, An Act to amend the Education Act concerning certain educational services for students under five years of age (Order of reference given on 7 May 2013).
- **Bill 45**, An Act respecting the Ministère de l'Enseignement supérieur, de la Recherche, de la Science et de la Technologie (Order of reference given on 4 June 2013).

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR AND THE ECONOMY

Statutory Order

- Hearing of the President and Director General of the Conseil de gestion de l'assurance parentale concerning her management of the Fund and her administrative management and examination of the report on the implementation of the *Act respecting parental insurance*.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC FINANCE

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- Report entitled “Innovating for a Sustainable Retirement System” (D’Amours Report) (Order of reference given on 25 April 2013).
- **Bill 39**, Voluntary Retirement Savings Plans Act (Order of reference given on 7 June 2013).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 25**, An Act respecting mainly the implementation of certain provisions of the Budget Speech of 20 November 2012 (Order of reference given on 26 March 2013).
- **Bill 38**, An Act respecting the governance of public infrastructures, establishing the Société québécoise des infrastructures and amending various legislative provisions (Order of reference given on 14 May 2013).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

- Quarterly examination of the Government’s budgetary policy and of the evolution of public finance.

COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- **Bill 28**, An Act to establish the new Code of Civil Procedure (Order of reference given on 12 June 2013).

Consideration of Bills:

- **Bill 3**, An Act to amend the Election Act for the purpose of establishing fixed-date elections (Order of reference given on 21 May 2013).
- **Bill 35**, An Act to amend the Civil Code as regards civil status, successions and the publication of rights (Order of reference given on 28 May 2013).

Statutory Order

- Examination of the activity reports 2007-2008 to 2011-2012 of the Lobbyists Commissioner.

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Lobbyists Commissioner.

Order of initiative

- Examination of the report entitled "Proposed Amendments to the *Lobbying Transparency and Ethics Act*" of the Lobbyists Commissioner.

COMMITTEE ON CITIZEN RELATIONS

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:

- The management of the Centre hospitalier de l'Université de Montréal by the current director general (Order of reference given on 23 May 2013).

Statutory Order

- Examination of the report on the implementation of the *Tobacco Act*.
- Examination of the 2011-2012 annual reports of the following health and social services agencies: Côte-Nord, Gaspésie–Îles-de-la-Madeleine, Lanaudière, Montérégie, Laval, Montréal, Laurentides, Saguenay–Lac-Saint-Jean and Abitibi-Témiscamingue (deferred 15 November 2012).
- Examination of the 2011-2012 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (referred 14 February 2013).

Order of initiative

- The living conditions of adults staying in residential and long-term care centres.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Order of reference

- Shed light on the events of last 24 October concerning the action taken by the Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment, Wildlife and Parks with regard to the independent public body known as the Bureau d'audiences publiques sur l'environnement (BAPE) (Order of reference given on 22 November 2012).

Statutory Order

- Examination of the report from the Société de l'assurance automobile du Québec on automobile advertising guidelines.

Part 5

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

- (5) Mrs. St-Pierre (Acadie) – **13 March 2013**
To the Minister of International Relations, La Francophonie and External Trade:

We ask the Minister of International Relations, La Francophonie and External Trade to provide us with the following information in reference to the mission carried out by the Premier and the Minister for Canadian Intergovernmental Affairs and Sovereignist Governance in London and Scotland in January 2013:

1. The list of persons who accompanied the Premier and the Minister;
2. The overall mission expenditure charged to the Secrétariat aux affaires intergouvernementales canadiennes, the Executive Council, the Ministère des Relations internationales, de la Francophonie et du Commerce extérieur and, if applicable, to the Québec Delegation in London;

3. The mission's agenda;
4. The list of persons with whom meetings were held as well as a copy of their business cards;
5. The complete itinerary;
6. The exchange of correspondence between Premier Salmond and the Premier of Québec, as well as the exchange of e-mails between their respective offices since 4 September 2012.

(11) Mrs. David (Gouin) – **24 April 2013**

To the Minister responsible for the Charter of the French language:

Considering the responsiveness on the part of all the parliamentarians present when the Fondation des sourds du Québec came before the Committee on Culture and Education within the framework of the hearings on Bill 14, how does the Minister responsible for the Charter of the French language intend to include Québec Sign Language (QSL) in a renewed Charter of the French language?

(13) Mr. Khadir (Mercier) – **29 May 2013**

To the Minister of Education, Recreation and Sports:

Montréal's six community education centres are in jeopardy. The Commission scolaire de Montréal (CSDM) announced that it would put an end to the annual \$100,000 subsidies granted to each of the six centres and that it would not be renewing their lease, which ends in May 2015.

(14) Mrs. Vallières (Richmond) – **30 May 2013**

To the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity:

Under her draft Regulation to amend the Individual and Family Assistance Regulation, the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity would abolish the \$129 limited capacity allowance for recipients aged 55 to 57. She would however compensate for this cut by introducing a monthly benefit of \$196, payable over the term of an employment measure.

In light of the major impact the upcoming cuts are going to have on people who are already vulnerable, we wish to ask the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity the following:

1. Can the Minister confirm that the compensation she is referring to, that is, a benefit payable over the term of an employment measure, already exists and since when it has existed?
2. What is the benefit amount currently paid to recipients?
3. What was the benefit amount in preceding years, per year?
4. How many people have received this benefit since the compensatory measure was introduced and can the Minister provide a detailed per-year breakdown?
5. What, according to the Minister, is the estimated annual total cost of this benefit for the years 2012–2013 and 2013–2014?

To qualify for this benefit while they are participating in an employment measure, claimants must first go through an employability process with employment integration organizations. We also wish to ask the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity the following:

1. How many people are currently on these employability organizations' waiting lists?
2. Has the Minister assessed the impact her draft regulation will have on these employability organizations?
3. Has she estimated the time recipients aged 55 to 57 whose \$129 limited capacity allowance will be cut will have to wait before they can have access to an employment measure and start receiving the \$196 benefit?
4. How much will be granted to these employability organizations in terms of additional resources, both human and financial?
5. Does the Minister intend to require that these employability organizations give precedence to recipients aged 55 to 57 whose \$129 limited capacity allowance will be cut?

- (15) Mrs. David (Gouin) – **5 June 2013**
To the Minister of Health and Social Services:

The professional association of midwives has been in negotiations with the Ministère de la Santé et des Services sociaux since June 2011. The association wants the work of midwives to be recognized in the same way as that of any other healthcare professional.

Unlike other healthcare professionals who are paid one hour's salary for every eight hours of on-call duty, full-time midwives, who are on-call 24 hours a day, 10 days out of 14, are only paid an extra \$1 an hour.

Unlike other healthcare professionals, midwives who work evenings, nights and weekends, receive absolutely no premium for unfavourable working hours.

Midwives are called on at any time of the day or night to attend a birth, which can be at a birthing centre, in a hospital or at home. They also make emergency visits to a patient's home, as well as prenatal and postnatal house calls. However, their agreement contains no terms, adapted to their work, to cover the reimbursement of transportation expenses.

The midwives' salary scale currently has 15 pay grades and it takes a midwife 12 years to reach the top of the scale. They are asking that the conditions for salary progression be changed so that the highest pay grade can be reached after 10 years (which is still longer than all the other professionals they were compared with during the pay equity exercise).

Midwives are included in the department's policy directions (Politique de périnatalité 2008-2018, Rapport du Commissaire à la santé et au bien-être, Rapport de l'INESSS) and requests for their services keep increasing. It is high time they receive the recognition they deserve and fair treatment.

When will the Minister of Health and Social Services grant midwives the indispensable improvements in working conditions, especially in salary, that will allow them to close the gap that exists between their working conditions and those of other comparable healthcare professionals?

(16) Mrs. David (Gouin) – **5 June 2013**

To the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity:

Last May 28, the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity announced regulatory changes to the individual and family assistance program and announced her commitment to employment services and to letting no one “fall through the cracks”.

According to the departmental document, these changes update the concept of temporarily limited capacity to reflect the current labour market context. They include

- raising the age of eligibility for the monthly \$129 temporarily limited capacity allowance from 55 to 58;
- reviewing the eligibility requirements for the monthly \$129 temporarily limited capacity allowance in the case of two-adult families caring for a preschooler.

It appears from the document that, from July 1, 2013, all the persons affected by these changes will be met so that a personalized intervention plan can be proposed to them to facilitate their labour market integration. Measures to attain that goal will also be proposed.

In the case of young families, until September 30, 2013, recipients will continue receiving the \$129 allowance as long as they do not participate in an employability process. As soon as they participate in an employment assistance measure, the temporarily limited capacity allowance can be replaced by an employment assistance allowance of up to \$195 a month, according to the document entitled *Briser le cycle de la pauvreté par une approche globale et cohérente* (breaking the poverty cycle through a global, coherent approach).

Will a member of a two-adult family caring for a preschooler continue receiving their monthly \$129 temporarily limited capacity allowance after September 30, 2013 if they have still not been met? Will they receive the employment assistance allowance as soon as they agree to participate in an employment assistance measure even if the measure is not immediately available?

Given that the document says the temporarily limited capacity allowance of \$129 can be replaced, does this mean payment of the employment assistance allowance is optional in the case of a member of a two-adult family caring for a preschooler who agrees to participate in an employment assistance measure? If so, what determines whether a recipient will receive the employment assistance allowance? Lastly, what is the basis for the amount of the allowance varying between \$130 and \$195?

The regulatory change affecting recipients aged 53 and 54 applies as of July 1, 2013. Will these recipients be entitled to the employment assistance allowance as soon as they agree to participate in an employment assistance measure even if the measure is not immediately available? Lastly, what is the basis for the amount of the allowance varying between \$130 and \$195?

Part 6

NOTICES

I. NOTICES PREVIOUSLY GIVEN

Government Bills

(a) 7 June 2013

An Act to amend the Act respecting the preservation of agricultural land and agricultural activities and other legislative provisions – *Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food*.

(b) 7 June 2013

An Act to amend the Territorial Division Act and other legislative provisions – *Minister of Justice*.

(c) 7 June 2013

An Act to amend various legislation respecting the professions and other legislative provisions in the field of applied sciences – *Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions*.

(d) 11 June 2013

An Act respecting end-of-life care – *Minister for Social Services and Youth Protection*.

Private Members' Public Bills

(e) 27 November 2012

An Act to amend the Act respecting health services and social services in order to improve the management of access lists for specialized and superspecialized medical services – *Member for Jean-Talon*.

(f) 7 June 2013

Political and Administrative Integrity Commissioner Act – *Member for Saint-Jérôme*.

Private Bills

Interpellations

(g) 30 October 2012

Interpellation by the Member for Outremont to the Minister of Finance and the Economy on the following subject: *The impacts of the Parti Québécois Government's decisions on Québec's public finance*.

II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME