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QUÉBEC

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

- The Member for Joliette on the following subject: *Tribute to Mrs. Marguerite-Rose Pesant-Bédard*.
- The Member for La Pinière on the following subject: *Tribute to Malala Yousafzai for her fight for the education of girls and equality between men and women.*
- The Member for Sainte-Rose on the following subject: 30th anniversary of the Fabrose soccer club.
- The Member for Bourassa-Sauvé on the following subject: *Underline the holding of the Fenêtre sur le monde d'ici et d'ailleurs event.*
- The Member for Beauce-Nord on the following subject: *Tribute to Maxime Bernier*.
- The Member for Iberville on the following subject: Award for the municipal authorities of Venise-en-Québec at the 17th edition of the Mérite québécois de la sécurité civile.
- The Member for Rivière-du-Loup-Témiscouata on the following subject: *The community garden of Rivière-du-Loup... a success!*
- The Member for Blainville on the following subject: *Tribute to Normand Beaulieu*.
- The Member for Richmond on the following subject: *Underline the* 80th anniversary of Pâtisserie Duquette.
- The Member for Terrebonne on the following subject: Carrefour familial Des Moulins – Je "clic" pour mon père project.

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

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I. Government Bills

Passage in Principle

(1) Bill 20

Firearms Registration Act
Introduced by the Minister of Public Security on 19 February 2013

(2) 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 on 20 March 2013

Resuming the debate adjourned on 25 September 2013

(3) 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

(4) 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**

^{*} Recommendation of the Lieutenant-Governor

(5) 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

(6) Bill 43

Mining Act

Introduced by the Minister of Natural Resources on 29 May 2013

(7) Bill 44

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

(8) 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 11 June 2013

(9) Bill 47

An Act to amend the Civil Code and other legislative provisions as regards adoption, parental authority and disclosure of information Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 14 June 2013

(10)Bill 49

An Act to amend various legislation respecting the professions and other legislative provisions in the field of applied sciences

Introduced by the Minister responsible for the administration of legislation respecting the professions on 12 June 2013

(11)Bill 51

An Act to amend the Territorial Division Act and other legislative provisions

Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 13 June 2013

(12)Bill 52

An Act respecting end-of-life care

Introduced by the Minister for Social Services and Youth Protection on 12 June 2013

(13)Bill 56

An Act to amend the Food Products Act

Introduced by the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food on 19 September 2013

Committee Stage

(14)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 on 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

(15)Bill 27

Social Economy Act

Introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy on 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

(16)Bill 28

An Act to establish the new Code of Civil Procedure

Introduced by the Minister of Justice on 30 April 2013

Report from the Committee on Institutions (hearings) tabled on 17 September 2013

Passed in principle on 24 September 2013, and

Referred to the Committee on Institutions

(17)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

(18)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

(19)Bill 39

Voluntary Retirement Savings Plans Act

Introduced by the Minister of Employment and Social Solidarity on 8 May 2013

Report from the Committee on Public Finance (hearings) tabled on 17 September 2013

Passed in principle on 1 October 2013, and

Referred to the Committee on Public Finance

(20)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

Report from the Committee on Public Finance (hearings) tabled on 26 September 2013

Passed in principle on 26 September 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

Passage

II. Private Members' Public Bills

Passage in Principle

(22)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 on 1 November 2012

(23)Bill 191

An Act to establish Pharma-Québec Introduced by the Member for Mercier on 14 November 2012

(24)Bill 192

Parliamentary Budget Officer Act Introduced by the Member for Lévis on 15 November 2012

(25)Bill 193

An Act to amend the Auditor General Act Introduced by the Member for Granby on 13 February 2013

(26)Bill 194

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

Introduced by the Member for Member for Marguerite-Bourgeoys on 15 November 2012

(27)Bill 195

An Act to exclude child support payments from income calculation under various social laws

Introduced by the Member for Gouin on 28 November 2012

(28)Bill 197

An Act respecting wealth and job creation through sustainable mining development

Introduced by the Member for Rivière-du-Loup—Témiscouata on **27 November 2012**

(29)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 on 20 March 2013

(30)Bill 199

An Act to amend the Anti-Corruption Act as concerns the protection of whistleblowers

Introduced by the Member for Saint-Jérôme on 21 February 2013

(31)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 on 12 March 2013

(32)Bill 391

An Act to amend the Public Protector Act Introduced by the Member for Granby on 8 May 2013

(33)Bill 392

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

(**34**)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

(35)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

(36)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

Passage in Principle

Passage

IV. Government Motions

(37)12 June 2013

Motion by the Minister of International Relations, La Francophonie and External Trade:

THAT, in accordance with section 22.3 of the *Act respecting the Ministère des Relations internationales*, the National Assembly examine, within the time limit set out by the Act and for its approval, the Convention on the Settlement of Investment Disputes between States and Nationals of Other States.

In compliance with section 22.3 of the *Act respecting the Ministère des Relations internationales*, this motion cannot be debated before 23 June 2013.

V. Estimates of Expenditure

VI. Statutory Debates

BUSINESS STANDING IN THE NAME OF MEMBERS IN OPPOSITION

(38)1 October 2013

Motion by the Member for Chauveau:

THAT the National Assembly ask the Government to introduce a bill to extend the limitation period provided for in the *Election Act* and to enable the Québec Chief Electoral Officer to institute proceedings for offences committed during the entire period covered by the Charbonneau Commission;

THAT the National Assembly ask the political parties to formally commit to reimbursing all amounts illegally received during this same period.

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 intellectual disabilities and pervasive developmental disorders.
- Hearing of the Commission administrative des régimes de retraite et d'assurances.
- Hearing on home care services.
- Hearing on the failure to file declarations with Revenu Québec.
- Hearing on the control and monitoring of the treatment of municipal wastewater and the control and monitoring of the production of drinking
- Hearing on government interventions in the mining sector.
- Hearing on the administrative management of the Ministère de l'Emploi et de la Solidarité sociale.
- Hearing on the administrative management of the Régie de l'assurance maladie du Québec.

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).

 Bill 46, An Act to amend the Act respecting the acquisition of farm land by non-residents (Order of reference given on 17 September 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).

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

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 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).

Statutory Order

- Examination of the 2012-2016 strategic plan of the Société de télédiffusion du Québec.
- Hearing of the head officers of educational institutions at the university level.

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Société de télédiffusion du Québec (Télé-Québec).
- Musée national des beaux-arts du Québec.
- Musée de la civilisation.
- Musée d'art contemporain de Montréal.

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

Consideration of Bills:

- 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).
- **Bill 39**, Voluntary Retirement Savings Plans Act (Order of reference given on 1 October 2013).
- **Bill 41**, An Act to amend the Public Service Act mainly with respect to staffing (Order of reference given on 26 September 2013).

Order in compliance with the Standing Orders

Interpellation:

 By the Member for Brome-Missisquoi to the Minister of Finance and the Economy on the following subject: The Parti Québécois Government's disastrous results with regard to public finance management (notice given on 26 September 2013).

COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONS

Order of reference

Consideration of Bills:

- Bill 28, An Act to establish the new Code of Civil Procedure (Order of reference given on 24 September 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

- Hearing of the Public Protector.
- Hearing of the Chief Electoral Officer.

Surveillance of public bodies and accountability:

- Lobbyists Commissioner.
- Ethics Commissioner.
- Anti-Corruption Commissioner.
- Tribunal administratif du Québec.
- Office des professions du Québec.

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

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Order of reference

Special Consultations:

- **Bill 52**, An Act respecting end-of-life care (Order of reference given on 17 September 2013).
- White Paper on the creation of an autonomy insurance entitled "*L'autonomie pour tous*" (Order of reference given on 24 September 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 on 15 November 2012).
- Examination of the 2011-2012 annual report of the Nunavik Regional Board of Health and Social Services (deferred on 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

Questions already placed on the Order Paper are published each Wednesday

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.*

Private Members' Public Bills

(b) 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*.

(c) 7 June 2013

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

(d) 14 June 2013

Municipal Charter – Member for Beauce-Nord.

Private Bills

II. NOTICES APPEARING FOR THE FIRST TIME