# Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019

The House met at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon pursuant to adjournment.

The Member for Torngat Mountains (Ms. Evans) made a Statement to recognize the first graduates of the Inuit Bachelor of Education Degree programme.

The Member for Humber – Bay of Islands (Mr. Joyce) made a Statement to recognize Jackie Barrett for his athletic accomplishments.

The Member for Mount Pearl – Southlands (Mr. Lane) made a Statement to congratulate the City of Mount Pearl, the Frosty Festival Board of Directors, and all those who contributed to the success of this year's event.

The Member for Mount Pearl North (Mr. Lester) made a Statement to recognize Mr. Charles Starkes, one of 7 World War II veterans honoured at the 75<sup>th</sup> D-Day commemorative ceremonies held in Halifax, Nova Scotia last week.

The Member for Fortune Bay – Cape La Hune (Mr. Loveless) made a Statement to congratulate Brendan Collier who had acquired the "Pathway of Heroes" award for his contribution to his community as a volunteer.

The Honourable the Minister of Health and Community Services (Mr. Haggie) made a Statement to congratulate Stella's Circle and Dr. Lingley-Pottie on their receiving Champions of Mental Health Awards from the Canadian Alliance on Mental Illness and Mental Health.

The Honourable the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Environment (Ms. Dempster) made a Statement to congratulate Chief Jodie Matthews who has been chosen by the National Fire Protection Association to receive its 2019 Rising Star award for her dedication to educating the public, saving lives, and protecting the community.

The Honourable the Speaker (Mr. Trimper), tabled the Chief Electoral Officer Report on the Windsor Lake By-Election, September 20, 2018.

The Honourable the Minister of Service NL (Ms. Gambin-Walsh) tabled the Workplace NL Annual Performance Report 2018.

The Member for Humber – Bay of Islands (Mr. Joyce) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to encourage companies that are awarded the contracts for the new Corner Brook hospital to hire local tradespeople and labourers.

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The Honourable the Minister of Transportation and Works (Mr. Crocker) replied to the Petition.

The Member for Bonavista (Mr. Pardy) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to press the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District to release the "hold back" teaching unit for Heritage Collegiate in the coming school year.

The Honourable the Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development (Mr. Warr) replied to the Petition.

The Member for Mount Pearl – Southlands (Mr. Lane) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to instate legislation which would include provisions to ensure the safety, hygiene and all other required care for patients with cognitive debilitating conditions in long-term care homes.

The Member for Conception Bay South (Mr. Petten) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to carryout immediate repairs of the Foxtrap Access Road.

The Honourable the Minister of Transportation and Works (Mr. Crocker) replied to the Petition.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate continued on the following motion "That this House Approves in General the Budgetary Policy of the Government" (the Budget Speech) and on motion debate was adjourned for further debate presently.

Pursuant to notice and on motion debate commenced and concluded on the following motion standing in the name of the Honourable the Government House Leader (Mr. Parsons):

## "That the **Striking Committee** comprise:

the Member for Burgeo – La Poile the Member for Burin – Grand Bank the Member for St. John's West the Member for St. John's Centre the Member for Mount Pearl North

And the Committees of the House of Assembly for the 49<sup>th</sup> General Assembly be constituted as follows:

#### **Public Accounts Committee**

the Member for Cape St. Francis
the Member for Harbour Grace – Port de Grave
the Member for St. George's – Humber
the Member for Fortune Bay – Cape La Hune
the Member for Fogo Island – Cape Freels
the Member for Stephenville – Port au Port
the Member for St. John's East – Quidi Vidi

## **Privileges and Elections Committee**

the Member for St. George's Humber the Member for Fogo Island – Cape FreeIs the Member for Burin – Grand Bank the Member for Conception Bay East – Bell Island the Member for St. John's East – Quidi Vidi

# **Standing Orders Committee**

the Member for Burgeo – La Poile the Member for St. John's West the Member for St. George's – Humber the Member for Windsor Lake the Member for St. John's Centre

## Miscellaneous and Private Bill Committee

the Member for St. George's – Humber the Member for Harbour Grace – Port de Grave the Member for Mount Scio the Member for St. John's East – Quidi Vidi the Member for Conception Bay South

The Speaker put the question and declared the motion carried.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate continued on the following motion "That this House Approves in General the Budgetary Policy of the Government" (the Budget Speech) and on motion debate was adjourned for further debate on tomorrow.

It was moved and seconded that when the House rose it would adjourn until tomorrow, Monday, June 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

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On motion the House then adjourned accordingly.

**Sandra Barnes**, Clerk of the House of Assembly.