

Thursday, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012

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

The Member for Burgeo – La Poile (Mr. Parsons) made a Statement to congratulate Marine Atlantic's Port aux Basques Terminal's Occupational Health and Safety Committee which received the "Committee of the Year" Award at the 56<sup>th</sup> Annual Newfoundland and Labrador Occupational Health and Safety Conference.

The Member for Terra Nova (Mr. Collins) made a Statement to recognize Mr. Gerald Thomas for his contribution to his community as a volunteer.

The Member for Port au Port (Mr. Cornect) made a Statement to commend pupils who participated in the 15<sup>th</sup> Western Newfoundland and Labrador Regional Heritage Fair and to congratulate all those who won awards.

The Member for Bonavista North (Mr. Cross) made a Statement to commend pupils of Phoenix Academy in Carmanville who raised money for the Janeway Children's Health Centre.

The Member for St. John's West (Mr. Crummell) made a Statement to congratulate the St. Matthew's Grade 7 drama club on their success at the Eastern School District Regional Drama Festival.

The Member for Kilbride (Mr. Dinn) made a Statement to congratulate Nathan Whalen who has received a 2012 URock Volunteer Award.

The Honourable the Minister of Child, Youth and Family Services (Ms. Johnson) made a Statement to commend the Newfoundland and Labrador Foster Family Association for hosting the 2012 Canadian Foster Family Association Conference.

The Honourable the Minister of Advanced Education and Skills (Ms. Burke) made a Statement to inform the House about the success of Students in Free Enterprise Memorial which won the SIFE National championship recently and the accomplishments of SIFE Memorial generally.

The Honourable the Minister of Finance and President of Treasury Board (Mr. Marshall) in accordance with paragraph 26(5)(a) of the **Financial Administration Act**, tabled Order in Council 2012-125 which authorized the Department of Health and Community Services to pre-commit funds in the amount of \$9,750,800 against its 2013-14 appropriations to facilitate the award of contracts for the constructive of the Grand Falls-Windsor Youth Treatment Centre and the Paradise Youth Treatment Centre.

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The Honourable the Speaker (Mr. Wiseman), in compliance with Sections 8 and 10 of the *Public Tender Act*, tabled the Report of the Public Tender Act Exceptions for April 2012.

The Honourable the Government House Leader (Mr. Kennedy) gave notice that he would on tomorrow move, pursuant to Standing Order 11, that the House not adjourn at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon and that the House not adjourn at 10 o'clock in the evening on Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

The Honourable the Minister of Natural Resources (Mr. Kennedy) continued and concluded his answer and tabled information relating to Question No. 8 placed on the Order Paper of March 27<sup>th</sup>, 2012 by the Member for Cartwright – L'Anse au Clair (Ms. Jones) respecting information on the demand for electricity in Labrador.

The Honourable the Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture (Mr. King) partially answered Question No. 19 placed on the Order Paper of May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012 by the Member for St. Barbe (Mr. Bennett) respecting the buyout of lobster licenses.

The Honourable the Minister of Justice (Mr. Collins) answered and tabled information relating to Question No. 14 placed on the Order Paper of April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2012 by the Member for Burgeo – La Poile (Mr. Parsons) respecting Her Majesty's Penitentiary.

The Member for The Straits – White Bay North (Mr. Mitchelmore) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to allocate funds in the 2012 budget to pave Route 434.

The Member for Cartwright – L'Anse au Clair (Ms. Jones) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to establish a public inquiry into search and rescue in Newfoundland and Labrador.

The Member for Bay of Islands (Mr. Joyce) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to support their request for cellular phone coverage in Lark Harbour, York Harbour and Frenchman's Cove.

The Member for St. John's North (Mr. Kirby) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to enact legislation banning the use of Temporary Replacement Workers during a strike.

The Member for The Straits – White Bay North (Mr. Mitchelmore) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to

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urge Government to support residents of White Bay North in their request for adequate cellular phone coverage in rural Newfoundland and Labrador.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on Second Reading of a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Registration Of Deeds Act, 2009" (Bill No. 14) and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 14 be read the second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Registration Of Deeds Act, 2009" (Bill No. 14) was read the second time and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 14 be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on Second Reading of a Bill entitled "An Act To Ensure Access For Service Animals Used By Persons With Disabilities" (Bill No. 17) and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 17 be read the second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Ensure Access For Service Animals Used By Persons With Disabilities" (Bill No. 17) was read the second time and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 17 be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on Second Reading of a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Highway Traffic Act" (Bill No. 19) and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 19 be read the second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Highway Traffic Act" (Bill No. 19) was read the second time and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 19 be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on Second Reading of a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Works, Services And Transportation Act" (Bill No. 20) and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 20 be read the second time on tomorrow.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Works, Services And Transportation Act" (Bill No. 20) was read the second time and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 20 be referred to a Committee of the Whole House on tomorrow.

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It was moved and seconded that when the House rose it would adjourn until tomorrow, Monday, June 4<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion the House then adjourned accordingly.

**William MacKenzie,**  
Clerk of the House of Assembly.