

Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013

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 Ms. Patricia (Teresa) Simms who received the Canadian Cancer Society's provincial Certificate of Merit award for 2013.

The Member for Cape St. Francis (Mr. Parsons) made a Statement to congratulate the Torbay Volunteer Fire Department on their 39 years of service to the communities of Torbay and Flatrock.

The Member for Exploits (Mr. Forsey) made a Statement to congratulate Cora Stanley upon her retirement from the Bishop's Falls Public Library and to thank her for her contribution to the community.

The Member for Fortune Bay – Cape La Hune (Ms. Perry) made a Statement to recognize Mr. John George who was inducted into the Newfoundland and Labrador Volleyball Association's Hall of Fame.

The Member for Lake Melville (Mr. Russell) made a Statement to pay tribute to the late Ponas Nuke and the late Joseph Riche.

The Member for St. John's Centre (Ms. Rogers) made a Statement to recognize the work of the Consumers' Health Awareness Network of Newfoundland and Labrador for their support for persons struggling with mental illness.

The Honourable the Premier (Ms. Dunderdale) made a Statement to inform the House about the Offshore Technology Conference which she had attended in Houston, Texas.

The Honourable the Minister of Justice (Mr. King) made a Statement to recognize National Police Week.

The Honourable the Minister of Environment and Conservation (Mr. Hedderson) made a Statement to inform the House about Government's continued work in support of communities as they combat the impact of climate change.

The Member for St. Barbe (Mr. Bennett) tabled the 1<sup>st</sup> Report of the Standing Committee of Public Accounts for the 47<sup>th</sup> General Assembly.

The Member for Conception Bay East – Bell Island (Mr. Brazil) gave notice that he would on tomorrow move the following Resolution:

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**“BE IT RESOLVED** that this Honourable House supports the establishment of the Task Force on Child Exploitation and Drugs, a joint effort between the RCMP and the RNC.”

The Member for St. Barbe (Mr. Bennett) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to introduce a regulatory framework immediately under which hydraulic fracturing could proceed safely.

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 reverse the damaging decision to students and reinstate the Adult Basic Education programming at the College of the North Atlantic.

The Member for Burgeo – La Poile (Mr. Parsons) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to implement a new home-care model to cover family caregivers.

The Member for St. John’s East (Mr. Murphy) presented a Petition from certain residents of the Province calling upon the House of Assembly to urge Government to impose a moratorium on slickwater fracking until they develop regulations and ensure each project undergoes a conclusive environmental assessment.

The Honourable the Government House Leader (Mr. King) announced pursuant to Standing Order 63(3) that the Resolution of which the Member for Conception Bay East – Bell Island (Mr. Brazil) had given notice would be debated on Private Members’ Day, Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>.

The Honourable the Government House Leader (Mr. King) moved that the Orders of the Day be read.

The Speaker put the question on the motion and declared the motion carried.

The Honourable the Government House Leader (Mr. King) moved 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.

The Speaker put the question on the motions that the House not adjourn at 5:30 o’clock in the afternoon and at 10 o’clock in the evening and declared the motions carried.

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Pursuant to order and on motion debate continued and concluded on the motion that the House concur in the Report of the Resource Committee.

The Speaker (Mr. Wiseman) put the question on the motion that the House concur in the Report of the Resource Committee.

The Speaker declared the motion carried.

It was moved and seconded that Bill No. 4 be now read the third time.

The Speaker put the question on the motion.

The House divided.

There appeared in favour of the motion: Mr. King, Mr. Hutchings, Ms. Shea, Mr. Davis, Ms. Sullivan, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Jackman, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Hedderson, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Littlejohn, Mr. Granter, Mr. Cornect, Mr. McGrath, Mr. Dalley, Mr. Felix Collins, Mr. Kent, Mr. Lane, Mr. Dinn, Mr. Brazil, Ms. Perry, Mr. Kevin Parsons, Mr. Little, Mr. Cross, Mr. Pollard, Mr. Peach, Mr. Crummell, Mr. Forsey, Mr. Russell.

Against: Mr. Ball, Mr. Andrew Parsons, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Bennett, Ms. Michael, Mr. Kirby, Mr. Murphy, Mr. Mitchelmore, Ms. Rogers, Mr. Osborne.

The Speaker declared the motion carried.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Revenue Administration Act No. 2" (Bill No. 4) was read the third time and passed.

On motion it was ordered that the said Bill be printed being entitled as above and that it be submitted to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor for his Assent.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on Second Reading of a Bill entitled "An Act To Amend the Revenue Administration Act No. 3" (Bill No. 7) and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 7 be now read the second time.

Pursuant to order and on motion the Bill entitled "An Act To Amend The Revenue Administration Act No. 3" (Bill No. 7) was read the second time and on motion it was ordered that Bill No. 7 be referred to a Committee of the Whole House presently.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate commenced and concluded on the motion that the House concur in the Report of the Social Services Committee.

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The Speaker (Mr. Wiseman) put the question on the motion that the House concur in the Report of the Social Services Committee.

The Speaker declared the motion carried.

Pursuant to order and on motion debate continued on the Budget motion 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, Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup> at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion the House then adjourned accordingly.

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