Daily sitting 33

Tuesday, June 28, 2016

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Pursuant to subsection 19(2) of the *Auditor General Act*, Mr. Speaker laid upon the table of the House the Independent Auditor's Report on the financial statements of the Office of the Auditor General for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016.

The Honourable the Premier offered condolences to the family of the late L. Norbert Thériault, former Liberal MLA for Northumberland County (1960-1974), Bay du Vin (1974-1979), Senator for Bay du Vin (1979-1996) and father of former Premier Camille Thériault. Ms. Dubé joined in this regard.

Mr. Wetmore, Member for Gagetown-Petitcodiac, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 47)

Mr. Jeff Carr, Member for New Maryland-Sunbury, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 48)

Mr. Oliver, Member for Kings Centre, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 49)

Mr. Stewart, Member for Southwest Miramichi-Bay du Vin, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 50)

Mr. Crossman, Member for Hampton, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 51)

Mr. Holder, Member for Portland-Simonds, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 52)

Mr. MacDonald, Member for Fredericton-York, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Legislature to reinstate the Gagetown Ferry service. (Petition 53)

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Jody Carr, Bill 48, An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act.

At 2.20 p.m., following a request for a recorded division, Mr. Speaker declared a recess and left the chair.

3.16 p.m.

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and delivered the following ruling:

STATEMENT BY SPEAKER

Honourable Members,

The purpose of first reading is to allow a bill to be printed and distributed to all Members. It is an opportunity for Members to introduce proposed legislation for the consideration of the House. At this point in the legislative process, Members have not had an opportunity to read or consider the proposed legislation.

First reading is a formality whereby any Member can introduce a bill to be printed and distributed to Members, so as to give Members an opportunity to study it. The House has always allowed bills to go forward at first reading. There is no debate other than, as provided in the Standing Rules, to allow brief introductory remarks. The vote is symbolic in nature, as most Members of the House have not seen the bill. The first reading stage is clearly a formality.

To have a recorded vote at this stage serves no real purpose, particularly to ask for a recorded vote at first reading of a bill introduced by your own Members, where the very purpose is to put the bill forward for consideration, which is clearly achieved without the use of a recorded vote.

On first reading, Members are not voting for or against the principle or content of a bill because they have not seen it. Members are simply voting to allow a bill to go forward to the House for consideration. That is a formality which has always been allowed. In this instance, the House, by voice vote, already confirmed that the bill will go forward.

However, as the rules clearly provide for a recorded vote when a question is put from the Chair, I will allow the vote to go forward at this time.

However, I am reserving the right to come back to this matter at a later time, as I see this as serving no purpose, as the bill would go forward for consideration in any event.

The question being put that Bill 48 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 49, An Act to Amend the Auditor General Act.

The question being put that Bill 49 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Higgs,

Bill 50, An Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act.

The question being put that Bill 50 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

Hon. Mr. Doucet requested the unanimous consent of the House to proceed to Royal Assent, and unanimous consent was denied.

Mr. Speaker advised the House that unanimous consent was not required and the House accordingly would proceed to Royal Assent forthwith.

Her Honour, the Lieutenant-Governor, was announced, and having been bidden to enter, took her seat in the chair upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed Her Honour as follows:

May It Please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick has passed several Bills at the present sittings of the Legislature to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills as follows:

Bill 15, Regulatory Accountability and Reporting Act.

Bill 18, An Act Respecting Fiscal Measures.

Bill 19, An Act to Amend the Pension Benefits Act.

Bill 20, An Act to Amend the Statute Revision Act.

Bill 22, Seafood Industry Improvement Fund Act.

Bill 23, *An Act to Amend the Tobacco Tax Act*.

Bill 25, Volunteer Emergency Aid Act.

Bill 28, An Act to Amend the Securities Act.

Bill 29, An Act to Amend the Commissioners for Taking Affidavits Act.

Bill 30, An Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act.

Bill 35, Health Quality and Patient Safety Act.

Bill 36, An Act to Amend the Provincial Court Act.

Bill 37, An Act to Amend the Off-Road Vehicle Act.

Bill 39, An Act to Amend the Workers' Compensation Act.

Bill 46, Supplementary Appropriations Act 2014-2015 (1).

Her Honour signified Her Assent as follows:

It is the Queen's wish. La reine le veut.

To these Bills, Her Honour's assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

In Her Majesty's name, Her Honour the Lieutenant-Governor assents to these Bills, enacting the same and ordering them to be enrolled.

Mr. Speaker then addressed Her Honour as follows:

May It Please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly having devoted itself with unremitting diligence to the consideration of the several subjects referred to in the speech Her Honour the Lieutenant-Governor was pleased to deliver at the opening of the session, and to other matters of interest to the people of the province, humbly begs to present for your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled *Appropriations Act* 2016-2017. (Bill 47)

Her Honour replied:

It is the Queen's wish. La reine le veut.

To this Bill, Her Honour's assent was announced by the Clerk in the following words:

Her Honour thanks Her Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, accepts their benevolence and assents to this Bill.

Her Honour then retired and Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 51, An Act to Amend the Child and Youth Advocate Act.

The question being put that Bill 51 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Steeves,

Bill 52, An Act to Amend the Early Childhood Services Act.

The question being put that Bill 52 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 53, An Act to Amend the Consumer Advocate for Insurance Act.

The question being put that Bill 53 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 54, An Act to Amend the Elections Act.

The question being put that Bill 54 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Higgs,

Bill 55, An Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act.

The question being put that Bill 55 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 56, An Act to Amend the Members' Conflict of Interest Act.

The question being put that Bill 56 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 57, An Act to Amend the Official Languages Act.

The question being put that Bill 57 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Wetmore,

Bill 58, An Act to Amend the Human Rights Act.

The question being put that Bill 58 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 59, An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act.

The question being put that Bill 59 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Higgs,

Bill 60, An Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act.

The question being put that Bill 60 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fairgrieve,

Bill 61, An Act to Amend the Right to Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

The question being put that Bill 61 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fitch,

Bill 62, An Act to Amend the Lobbyists' Registration Act.

The question being put that Bill 62 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

The following Bill was introduced:

By Mr. Fitch,

Bill 63, An Act to Amend the Maritime Economic Cooperation Act.

Mr. Speaker requested that Mr. Fitch be brief in his remarks at first reading. Mr. Speaker advised that the unlimited time provision for the Leader of the Opposition does not apply at first reading.

The question being put that Bill 63 be now read a first time, a recorded division was requested and deferred to the next sitting day.

Mr. Guitard gave Notice of Motion 24 that on Tuesday, July 5, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Chiasson:

THAT, in addition to the existing sitting hours prescribed in Standing Rule 29(1) and by Special Order of the House adopted December 2, 2015, the House sit on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.;

THAT this Special Order come into effect immediately upon its adoption and remain in effect for the remainder of the Second Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Fairgrieve gave Notice of Motion 25 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Urguhart:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Carleton.

Mr. Fairgrieve gave Notice of Motion 26 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Wetmore:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Caraquet.

And after some time, due to the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Bernard LeBlanc, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair as Acting Speaker.

Mr. Fairgrieve gave Notice of Motion 27 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Wetmore:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Carleton-Victoria.

Ms. Dubé gave Notice of Motion 28 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, she would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Keirstead:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Edmondston-Madawaska Centre.

Ms. Dubé gave Notice of Motion 29 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, she would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Fairgrieve:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Shediac-Beaubassin-Cap-Pelé.

Ms. Lynch gave Notice of Motion 30 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, she would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Macdonald:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Fredericton-Grand Lake.

Ms. Lynch gave Notice of Motion 31 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, she would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Macdonald:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Moncton Centre.

Mr. Fitch gave Notice of Motion 32 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Flemming:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada:

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Carleton-Victoria.

Mr. Fitch gave Notice of Motion 33 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Flemming:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Bathurst East-Nepisiguit-Saint-Isidore.

Mr. Fitch gave Notice of Motion 34 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Jody Carr:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Riverview.

Mr. Wetmore gave Notice of Motion 35 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Fitch:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Memramcook-Tantramar.

Mr. Wetmore gave Notice of Motion 36 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Crossman:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada:

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses:

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Gagetown-Petitcodiac.

Mr. Crossman gave Notice of Motion 37 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Fairgrieve:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses:

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Hampton.

Mr. Crossman gave Notice of Motion 38 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Ms. Dubé:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Restigouche-Chaleur.

Mr. Crossman gave Notice of Motion 39 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Ms. Dubé:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Fredericton North.

Mr. Oliver gave Notice of Motion 40 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Urquhart:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada:

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Southwest Miramichi-Bay du Vin.

Mr. Oliver gave Notice of Motion 41 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Urquhart:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Fundy-The Isles-Saint John West.

Mr. Oliver gave Notice of Motion 42 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Savoie:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Miramichi.

Mr. Urquhart gave Notice of Motion 43 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Savoie:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Carleton-York.

Mr. Urquhart gave Notice of Motion 44 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Steeves:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada:

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

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WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Kent North.

Mr. Steeves gave Notice of Motion 45 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Jeff Carr:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Moncton Northwest.

Mr. Steeves gave Notice of Motion 46 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Jeff Carr:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Charlotte-Campobello.

Mr. Steeves gave Notice of Motion 47 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Jeff Carr:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Restigouche West.

Mr. MacDonald gave Notice of Motion 48 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Northrup:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Moncton South.

Mr. MacDonald gave Notice of Motion 49 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Northrup:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Fredericton-York.

Mr. Higgs gave Notice of Motion 50 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Holder:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Madawaska Les Lacs-Edmundston.

Mr. Higgs gave Notice of Motion 51 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Holder:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Bathurst East-Nepisiguit-Saint-Isidore.

Mr. Higgs gave Notice of Motion 52 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Wetmore:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Quispamsis.

Mr. Holder gave Notice of Motion 53 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Higgs:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business:

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Portland-Simonds.

Mr. Holder gave Notice of Motion 54 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Keirstead:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Moncton East.

Mr. Flemming gave Notice of Motion 55 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Higgs:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada:

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Dieppe.

Mr. Flemming gave Notice of Motion 56 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Fitch:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Rothesay.

Mr. Savoie gave Notice of Motion 57 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Flemming:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Saint John East.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

Mr. Savoie gave Notice of Motion 58 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Tracadie-Sheila.

Ms. Shephard gave Notice of Motion 59 that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, she would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Holder:

WHEREAS the current Finance Minister said that raising the HST was "the lazy way out";

WHEREAS raising the HST will bring New Brunswick to the highest HST rate in Canada;

WHEREAS the Premier campaigned on helping small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on small and medium sized businesses;

WHEREAS raising the HST will send a message that New Brunswick is closed for business;

WHEREAS raising the HST will have a negative impact on the economy;

WHEREAS the economy in New Brunswick is already struggling and many New Brunswickers are unemployed;

WHEREAS the Liberal government has already lost almost 5,000 jobs;

WHEREAS New Brunswickers are already over-taxed and many families are struggling to make ends meet;

WHEREAS nowhere in the Liberal platform is there a mention of raising the HST;

WHEREAS this is just bad business;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this Assembly urges the government to postpone the scheduled HST hike until the government holds public consultation with the people in the constituency of Saint John Lancaster.

Mr. Bernard LeBlanc offered condolences to the family of the late Greg O'Donnell, former Liberal MLA for Memramcook (1987-1995) and Dieppe-Memramcook (1995-1999).

And then, 6.10 p.m., the House adjourned.

The following documents, having been deposited with the Clerk of the House since the last sitting of the House, were deemed laid upon the table of the House pursuant to Standing Rule 39:

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New Brunswick	June 14, 2016
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