

Daily sitting 37

Wednesday, July 6, 2016

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Speaker reminded Members that Statements by Members was not to be used to make personal attacks.

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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 68)

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Mr. Savoie, Member for Saint John East, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the government to repair secondary roads and follow Auditor General recommendations relating to road maintenance. (Petition 69)

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The following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

By Mr. Fitch,

Bill 64, *An Act to Amend the Referendum Act*.

By Ms. Shephard,

Bill 65, *An Act to Amend the Civil Service Act*.

By Mr. Holder,

Bill 66, *An Act to Amend the Employment Development Act*.

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Ms. Dubé, Opposition House Leader, gave notice that on Thursday, July 7, 2016, Opposition Members' Business would be considered in the following order: Motion 169, Bill 48 and 52.

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Hon. Mr. Doucet, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 42 and 45 be called for second reading.

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 42, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Arts Board Act*, a debate arose thereon.

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

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 42 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 42, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Arts Board Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 45, *An Act Respecting the Enforcement of Financial and Consumer Services Legislation*, a debate arose thereon.

At 12 o'clock p.m., Madam Deputy Speaker left the chair to resume again at 1 o'clock p.m.

*1 o'clock p.m.*

Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 45 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 45, *An Act Respecting the Enforcement of Financial and Consumer Services Legislation*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

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Hon. Mr. Doucet requested the unanimous consent of the House that Bill 42 be considered in the Standing Committee on Economic Policy forthwith, and unanimous consent was denied.

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And then, 1.20 p.m., the House adjourned.