

Wednesday, June 16, 2004.

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers

The following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

By Mr. S. Graham,

Bill 61, *An Act to Amend the Coroners Act.*

Ordered that the said Bill be read a second time at the next sitting.

Mr. MacIntyre gave Notice of Motion 118 that on Thursday, June 24, 2004, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. S. Graham:

That an address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor praying that he cause to be laid upon the table of the House all invoices, correspondence, letters, e-mails, memoranda, briefing notes, handwritten notes, reports and analyses between Deloitte and Touche and the Department of Health and Wellness pertaining to the production of the draft Provincial Health Plan between January 2002 and June 9, 2004.

Hon. P. Robichaud announced that it was the intention of government that following second reading of Bills, the House would resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to consider the estimates of the Departments of Tourism and Parks, Natural Resources, and Agriculture, Fisheries and Aquaculture.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 60, *An Act to Amend the Youth Assistance Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, the debate was, on motion of Hon. Ms. Dubé, adjourned over on the following recorded division.

YEAS - 27

Hon. Ms. Blaney	Mr. Sherwood	Hon. Mr. Huntjens
Hon. E. Robichaud	Hon. Mr. Steeves	Mr. Betts
Hon. Mr. Mesheau	Hon. Ms. Dubé	Mr. Malley
Hon. Mr. Volpé	Hon. Ms. Poirier	Mr. Williams
Hon. Mr. Lord	Hon. Mr. Ashfield	Mr. Carr
Hon. Mr. Green	Hon. Mr. Fitch	Mr. MacDonald
Hon. D. Graham	Hon. Ms. Fowlie	Mr. Stiles
Hon. Mr. Mockler	Hon. E. Robichaud	Mr. Holder
Hon. Ms. MacAlpine	Hon. Mr. Alward	Mr. C. LeBlanc

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 NAYS - 22

Mr. McGinley	Mr. Branch	Mr. Murphy
Mr. Jamieson	Ms. Weir	Mr. Kenny
Mr. MacIntyre	Mr. Kennedy	Mr. Arseneault
Mr. Allaby	Mr. Ouellette	Mr. Albert
Mr. S. Graham	Ms. Robichaud	Mr. Paulin
Mr. Haché	Mr. Lamrock	Mr. Doucet
Mr. Armstrong	Mr. Burke	Mr. Brewer
Mr. Landry		

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The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Supply with Mr. C. LeBlanc in the chair.

At 12.30 o'clock p.m., the Chairman left the chair to resume again at 2 o'clock p.m.

*2 o'clock p.m.*

The Committee resumed with Mr. C. LeBlanc in the chair.

At 3.59 o'clock the Chairman declared a recess and left the chair.

*4.09 o'clock p.m.*

The Committee resumed with Mr. C. LeBlanc in the chair.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the opening statement of the Minister of Natural Resources was deemed to have been read into the record.

And after some time, Mr. Holder took the chair.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to extend the ordinary hours of sitting and to adjourn at 7 o'clock p.m.

And after some time, due to the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. C. LeBlanc, the Deputy Speaker, resumed the chair, and Mr. Holder, the Chairman, after requesting that Mr. Deputy Speaker revert to Presentations of Committee Reports, reported that the Committee had had under consideration the matters referred to them, had made some progress therein, had passed several items, and asked leave to sit again.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, Mr. Deputy Speaker then put the question on the motion deemed to be before the House, that the report be concurred in, and it was resolved in the affirmative.

The following are the items reported:

MAIN ESTIMATES, 2004-2005

ORDINARY ACCOUNT

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM AND PARKS

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$24,016,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2005:

Administration .....	632,000
Business and Tourism Infrastructure .....	23,421,000
Less amounts authorized by law .....	37,000
Voted .....	24,016,000

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$90,605,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2005:

Forest Management .....	51,017,000
Fish and Wildlife Management .....	10,307,000
Minerals Management .....	6,464,000
Corporate Services .....	7,687,000
Land Management and Natural Areas .....	4,772,000
Regional Management .....	9,552,000
First Nation's Wood Harvest .....	843,000
Less amounts authorized by law .....	37,000
Voted .....	90,605,000

CAPITAL ACCOUNT

DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM AND PARKS

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$500,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocation for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2005:

Parks – Capital Improvements .....	500,000
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$1,600,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocation for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2005:

Musquash Watershed Infrastructure -	
Capital Improvements .....	1,600,000

WORKING CAPITAL – MAXIMUM BALANCES

PETTY CASH ADVANCES

Tourism and Parks .....	25,000
Natural Resources and Energy .....	30,000

INVENTORIES

Tourism and Parks .....	150,000
Natural Resources and Energy .....	510,000

The said items were concurred in by the House.

And then, 7 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned.

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

Documents requested in Notice of Motion 95 June 16, 2003