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Legislative Assembly

Province of New Brunswick

Hon. Herménégilde Chiasson  
Lieutenant-Governor

Speaker: Hon. Michael Malley

Wednesday, June 14, 2006

Third Session of the 55th Legislative Assembly  
Fredericton, New Brunswick

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10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Lamrock rose on a point of order and submitted that the Minister of Energy had referred to the absence from the Chamber of Mr. Burke, the Member for Fredericton North, during the previous day's sitting. Mr. Speaker ruled the point well taken and informed Members that they would be called to order if this practice continued.

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The following Bill was introduced and read a first time:

By Ms. C. Robichaud,  
Bill 80, *An Act to Amend the Pension Benefits Act*.

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

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Mr. Doherty gave Notice of Motion 96, that on Tuesday, June 20, 2006, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. R. Boudreau:

That an address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor praying that he cause to be laid upon the table of the House by the Department of Family and Community Services all correspondence, including minutes of meetings, letters, e-mails, memoranda, briefing notes, handwritten notes, reports, analysis and research pertaining to the internal employee survey referred to by Minister Dubé in the article "Social Workers Complain about Working Conditions" in the *Telegraph Journal* on June 2, 2006.

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Mr. Lamrock gave Notice of Motion 97, that on Tuesday, June 20, 2006, he would move the following resolution, seconded by Mr. Arseneault:

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, receipts and other financial documentation including but not limited to electronic and printed documents establishing the costs to the Department of Family and Community Services of printing and distributing a printed place mat entitled "Mes attitudes et mes choix face à vie" in restaurants in and around the City of Edmundston.

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It was agreed by unanimous consent that second reading of Bill 79, *Safe Schools Act*, be deferred until Thursday, June 15, 2006.

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Hon. Mr. Harrison, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to take into consideration the estimates of Business New Brunswick, followed by those of the Department of Family and Community Services and the New Brunswick Advisory Council on Seniors.

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. Betts in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Holder welcomed to the Chamber Mr. Norman McFarlane, Progressive Conservative Member (1999-2003), Minister of Labour (1999-2000), and Minister of Training and Employment Development (2000-2003).

And after some time, Mr. C. LeBlanc resumed the chair.

And after some further time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair, and Mr. C. LeBlanc, the Chairman, after requesting that Mr. 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. 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, 2006-2007

ORDINARY ACCOUNT

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Voted, Supply in the following amount to defray the Ordinary Account expenses of the New Brunswick Advisory Council on Seniors for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2007:

New Brunswick Advisory Council on Seniors .....	216,000
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DEPARTMENT OF

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$787,075,000 to defray the expenses of the Ordinary Account

program allocations for the Department of Family and Community Services for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2007:

Planning and Corporate Services.....	7,474,000
Family and Community Social Services .....	467,508,000
Income Security .....	236,006,000
Housing Services .....	72,599,000
Program Development and Monitoring .....	3,526,000
Less amounts authorized by law .....	38,000
Voted .....	787,075,000

#### LOANS AND ADVANCES

##### DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$5,905,000 to defray the expenses under Loans and Advances of the Department of Family and Community Services for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2007:

Housing .....	5,905,000
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#### WORKING CAPITAL – MAXIMUM BALANCES

##### WORKING CAPITAL ADVANCES

Family and Community Services .....	1,900,000
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##### PETTY CASH ADVANCES

Family and Community Services .....	24,000
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##### INVENTORIES

Family and Community Services .....	100,000
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The said items were concurred in by the House.

And then, 6 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.