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Legislative Assembly

Province of New Brunswick

Hon. Herménégilde Chiasson
Lieutenant-Governor

Speaker: Hon. Roy Boudreau

Tuesday, May 26, 2009

**Third Session of the 56th Legislative Assembly
Fredericton, New Brunswick**

Tuesday, May 26, 2009.

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Due to the unavoidable absence of Mr. Speaker, Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair as Acting Speaker.

Mr. Steeves, Member for Albert, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of residents of the Riverview and Lower Coverdale areas urging the government to allocate funds toward a new K-8 school in the east end of Riverview to replace the Gunningsville Elementary and Lower Coverdale Schools. (Petition 52)

Hon. Mr. Murphy, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that the House resolve itself into a Committee of Supply to consider the estimates of the Advisory Council on the Status of Women and the Department of Social Development.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Supply with Ms. Robichaud in the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker resumed the chair, and Ms. Robichaud, the Chair, 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, 2009 - 2010
ORDINARY ACCOUNT

The following are the items reported:

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OFFICE

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$5,521,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2010:

Executive Council Secretariat	1,935,000
Office of the Lieutenant-Governor	344,000
Women's Issues Branch	3,242,000
Less amounts authorized by law.....	0
Voted	5,521,000

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Voted, Supply in the following amounts to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2010:

Child Protection and Child Development	160,214,000
Long Term Care	436,282,000
Income Security	231,675,000
Housing Services.....	83,668,000
Corporate and Other Services.....	10,952,000
Less amounts authorized by law.....	105,000
Voted	10,847,000

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Voted, Supply in the following amount to defray the expenses of the following program allocation for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2010:

Advisory Council on the Status of Women	430,000
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LOANS AND ADVANCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$8,305,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocation for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2010:

Housing	8,305,000
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WORKING CAPITAL – MAXIMUM BALANCES

2009 -2010	Voted
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WORKING CAPITAL ADVANCES

Social Development	1,900,000
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PETTY CASH ADVANCES

Social Development	24,000
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INVENTORIES

Social Development	100,000
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The said items were concurred in by the House.

And then 6.15 o'clock 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:

Documents requested in Notice of Motion 57 May 22, 2009