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Province of New Brunswick

Hon. Herménégilde Chiasson  
Lieutenant-Governor

Speaker: Hon. Roy Boudreau

**Wednesday, June 10, 2009**

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

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Wednesday, June 10, 2009.

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

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

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Mr. Alward, Member for Woodstock, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of citizens of the province urging the government to restore funding to the critical areas of school libraries and literacy for all children. (Petition 73)

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Mr. Alward, Member for Woodstock, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of citizens of the province in opposition to the reduction in funding for educational support staff. (Petition 74)

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Ms. Poirier, Member for Rogersville-Kouchibouguac, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of citizens of the Rogersville-Kouchibouguac region of the province urging the government to provide basic maintenance of the Sapins Courts, Young Ridge and West Collette undesignated roads. (Petition 75)

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Mr. Huntjens, Member for Charlotte-Campobello, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of Grade 3 students at Milltown Elementary School urging the government to provide a kidney dialysis machine for Charlotte County Hospital. (Petition 76)

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Mr. Williams, Member for Kent South, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of residents of the Bouctouche area urging the government to reverse its decision to cut the Bouctouche government garage to a winter only operation. (Petition 77)

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Mr. Northrup, Member for Kings East, laid upon the table of the House a petition on behalf of the NB Crown Camp Lease Owners and Recreational Activities Committee in opposition to the increase in fees on Crown land leases. (Petition 78)

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Pursuant to Standing Rule 44(4), Mr. Holder, Acting Opposition House Leader, gave notice that on Thursday, June 11, 2009, Opposition Members' Business would be considered in the following order: Motion 65; resumption of the second reading debate on Bills 50, 74, and 53; followed by resumption of the debate on Motion 59, and Motion 54.

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Hon. Mr. Murphy, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 87, 83, 58, 45, and 76 be called for second reading; following which, with leave of the House, Bills 87, 83, 58, 45, and 76 as well as Bill 27 would be considered in Committee of the Whole; following which, Bill 93 would be called for second reading.

The following Bills were read a third time:

Bill 46, *An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Income Tax Act.*

Bill 70, *An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act.*

Bill 71, *An Act to Amend the Highway Act.*

Bill 72, *An Act to Amend the Education Act.*

Bill 73, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act.*

Bill 88, *Personal Health Information Privacy and Access Act.*

Ordered that the said Bills do pass.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 87, *Pay Equity Act, 2009*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker called Mr. A. LeBlanc to order for disrupting proceedings.

And after some further time, Ms. Blaney stood on a point of order and submitted that the Member for Saint John Lancaster was attacking her as a female Member and was being disruptive.

The Deputy Speaker warned Mr. A. LeBlanc that he would be asked to leave the Chamber if he persisted in being disruptive.

And after some further time, Hon. Mr. Murphy rose on a point of order and submitted that Ms. Blaney was continuing the disruptive behaviour by focusing her remarks on the Member for Saint John Lancaster. Ms. Blaney spoke on the point of order and apologized to the House.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 87 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 87, *Pay Equity Act, 2009*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 83, *Loan Act 2009*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 83 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 83, *Loan Act 2009*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 58, *An Act to Amend the Crown Lands and Forests Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 58 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 58, *An Act to Amend the Crown Lands and Forests Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 76, *An Act to Amend the Mining Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 76 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 76, *An Act to Amend the Mining Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

At 12.30 o'clock p.m., Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker, left the chair, to resume again at 2 o'clock p.m.

*2 o'clock p.m.*

The House resumed with Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker, in the chair.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 93, *An Act to Amend the Medical Services Payment Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Ms. Robichaud, the Deputy Speaker, took the chair.

Hon. Mr. Murphy rose on a point of order and requested that Ms. Blaney withdraw certain remarks in relation to his former profession as a lawyer, which she did.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 93 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative on the following recorded division.

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Hon. Ms. Schryer	Hon. Mr. Stiles	Hon. Mr. Foran
Hon. V. Boudreau	Hon. Mr. Lamrock	Hon. B. LeBlanc
Hon. S. Graham	Hon. Mr. Arseneault	Hon. Mr. Kenny
Hon. Mr. Murphy	Hon. Mr. Keir	Ms. MacAlpine-Stiles
Hon. Mr. Jamieson	Hon. Mr. Albert	Mr. Miles
Hon. Mr. Haché	Ms. Lavoie	Mr. A. LeBlanc
Hon. D. Landry	Ms. Robichaud	Mr. Collins
Mr. McGinley	Hon. Mr. Ouellette	Mr. Paulin
Hon. Mr. Doherty	Hon. Mr. Doucet	

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Mr. Fitch	Mr. MacDonald	Mr. Northrup
Mr. Alward	Mr. Holder	Mr. Urquhart
Ms. Blaney	Mr. Jody Carr	Mr. Jack Carr
Ms. Dubé	Mr. D. Graham	Mr. Olscamp
Mr. Steeves	Mr. Williams	Mr. C. Landry
Ms. Poirier	Mr. Betts	Mr. C. LeBlanc
Mr. Huntjens		

Accordingly, Bill 93, *An Act to Amend the Medical Services Payment Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole with Ms. Robichaud in the chair.

It was agreed by unanimous consent that Bills 58, 76, 83, and 87 be considered in Committee of the Whole this sitting day.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to continue sitting past the hour of daily adjournment.

And after some time, Ms. Lavoie took the chair.

And after some further time, Ms. Robichaud resumed the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Fraser, the Deputy Speaker resumed the chair as Acting Speaker. Mr. Fraser confirmed with the House that there was unanimous consent for Bills 58, 76, 83, and 87 to have been considered in Committee of the Whole.

Ms. Robichaud, the Chair, after requesting that the Deputy Speaker revert to Presentations of Committee Reports, reported:

That the Committee had directed that she report the following Bills as agreed to:

Bill 58, *An Act to Amend the Crown Lands and Forests Act*.

Bill 76, *An Act to Amend the Mining Act*.

Bill 83, *Loan Act 2009*.

Bill 87, *Pay Equity Act, 2009*.

And that the Committee had directed that she report the following Bill as amended:

Bill 27, *An Act to Amend the Gasoline and Motive Fuel Tax Act*.

And the Committee asked leave to make a further report.

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, the Deputy Speaker 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.

And then, 6.52 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.