

Daily sitting 25

Tuesday, April 10, 2012

*1 o'clock p.m.*

Prayers.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to permit Hon. Mr. Olscamp to make a lengthy Minister's Statement.

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Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 23, 27, 24, 26 and 28 be called for second reading; following which the House would resume the adjourned debate on the Budget (Motion 25).

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 23, *An Act to Amend the Loan and Trust Companies Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 23 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 23, *An Act to Amend the Loan and Trust Companies Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 27, *An Act to Amend the Queen's Counsel and Precedence Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 27 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 27, *An Act to Amend the Queen's Counsel and Precedence Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 24, *An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 24 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 24, *An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

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The Order being read for second reading of Bill 26, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 26 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 26, *An Act to Amend the Electricity 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 28, *Species at Risk Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 28 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 28, *Species at Risk Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion (Motion 25),

That this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the government, having been read,

The debate was resumed.

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

And after some further time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Urquhart, the Deputy Speaker, resumed the chair as Acting Speaker.

And the debate continuing, after some time, it was on motion of Hon. Ms. Dubé, on behalf of the Honourable the Premier, adjourned over.

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