

Daily sitting 32

Friday, April 27, 2012

9 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Hon. Mr. P. Robichaud, 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 Departments of Health; Government Services; and Natural Resources.

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

At 1.06 o'clock p.m., Mr. C. Landry declared a recess and left the chair.

1.11 o'clock p.m.

The Committee resumed.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the chair and Mr. C. Landry, the Chair, 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 78.2, Mr. 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.

The following are the items reported:

MAIN ESTIMATES, 2012-2013

ORDINARY ACCOUNT

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$2,582,755,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2013:

Corporate and Other Health Services	290,850,000
Medicare	601,372,000
Prescription Drug Program	192,024,000
Regional Health Authorities	1,498,562,000
Less amounts authorized by law	53,000
Voted	2,582,755,000

DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$59,404,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2013:

General Services	8,920,000
New Brunswick Internal Services Agency	24,698,000
Service New Brunswick	25,839,000
Less amounts authorized by law	53,000
Voted	59,404,000

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$81,559,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2013:

Corporate Services	7,094,000
Forest Management	47,186,000
Fish and Wildlife Management	11,153,000
Minerals Management	4,472,000
Land Management and Natural Areas	4,407,000
Regional Management	7,300,000
Less amounts authorized by law	53,000
Voted	81,559,000

CAPITAL ACCOUNT

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$23,200,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocation for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2013:

Public Hospitals - Capital Equipment	23,200,000
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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$200,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2013:

Musquash Watershed Infrastructure -	
Capital Improvements	0
Sentier NB Trail Infrastructure	200,000

WORKING CAPITAL – MAXIMUM BALANCES

2012 - 2013

Voted

WORKING CAPITAL ADVANCES

Health	1,225,000
Government Services	100,000

PETTY CASH ADVANCES

Health	5,000
Natural Resources	30,000

INVENTORIES

Health	11,000,000
Natural Resources	510,000

The said items were concurred in by the House.

And then, 1.26 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.

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

Response to Petition 77

April 26, 2012