

Daily sitting 35

Wednesday, May 8, 2013

10 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. Doucet, Member for Charlotte-The Isles, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Premier to maintain the operation of the Anchorage Provincial Park. (Petition 35)

Mr. Doucet, Member for Charlotte-The Isles, laid upon the table of the House a petition urging the Premier to retain the current ferry operating schedule for Grand Manan. (Petition 36)

The following Bills were introduced and read a first time:

By Hon. Ms. Shephard,

Bill 40, *An Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act.*

By Hon. Ms. Stultz,

Bill 41, *An Act to Amend the Surveys Act.*

Pursuant to Standing Rule 44(4), Mr. Fraser, Opposition House Leader, gave notice that on Thursday, May 9, 2013, Opposition Members' Business would be considered in the following order: Motion 28, Bill 31 and 8.

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 Transportation and Infrastructure; Government Services; and Tourism, Heritage and Culture.

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

At 12.30 o'clock p.m., Mr. C. Landry left the chair to resume again at 2 o'clock p.m.

2 o'clock p.m.

The Committee resumed.

At 3.10 o'clock p.m., Mr. C. Landry declared a recess and left the chair.

3.15 o'clock p.m.

The Committee resumed with Mr. Urquhart in the chair.

And after some time, Mr. Betts took the chair.

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

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

At 5.05 o'clock p.m., Mr. C. Landry declared a recess and left the chair.

5.10 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 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, 2013-2014  
ORDINARY ACCOUNT

DEPARTMENT OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty a sum not exceeding \$59,544,000 to defray the expenses of the following program allocations for the fiscal year ending the 31st of March, 2014:

General Services . . . . .	9,454,000
New Brunswick Internal Services Agency (NBISA) . . . . .	26,337,000
Service New Brunswick . . . . .	23,806,000
Less amounts authorized by law . . . . .	53,000
Voted . . . . .	59,544,000

WORKING CAPITAL – MAXIMUM BALANCES

2013 - 2014

Voted

INVENTORIES

Government Services ..... 2,000,000

The said items were concurred in by the House.

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

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

Response to Petitions 8, 12, 16

May 7, 2013