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Tuesday, March 22, 2022

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

It was agreed by unanimous consent to allow statements concerning the war in Ukraine.

Hon. Mr. Steeves, Minister of Finance and Treasury Board, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from Her Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, and the said Message was read by Mr. Speaker, all the Members standing, and is as follows:

Fredericton, New Brunswick.
March 22, 2022.

Her Honour the Lieutenant-Governor transmits the *Main Estimates* for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023, which include the estimates of the sums required for the services of the Province, not otherwise provided for, for the year ending March 31, 2023, and in accordance with the provisions of the *Constitution Act, 1867*, recommends these Estimates to the House.

(Sgd.:) Brenda Murphy.
Lieutenant-Governor.

Hon. Mr. Steeves laid upon the table of the House documents entitled *2022-2023 Economic Outlook* and *2022-2023 Budget, Building on Success*.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Steeves, seconded by the Honourable the Premier:

RESOLVED, that the portion of the Speech of Her Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which refers to the Public Accounts, Estimates and Expenditures be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Pursuant to Notice of Motion 95, Hon. Mr. Steeves moved, seconded by the Honourable the Premier:

THAT this House approves in general the budgetary policy of the government.

And the question being put, Hon. Mr. Steeves proceeded to deliver the Budget Speech.

On motion of Mr. McKee, the further consideration thereof was adjourned over.

Mr. Speaker, at the request of Hon. Mr. Savoie, reverted to Government Motions for the Ordering of the Business of the House.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Savoie, seconded by the Honourable the Premier:

RESOLVED, that consideration of the motion on the budgetary policy of the government be resumed on Thursday next and then be added to the Orders of the Day until such time as it is dispatched.

And then, 2.16 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:

Annual Reports

2020-2021 Department of Post-Secondary Education, Training and Labour	December 20, 2021
2013-2016 Office of the Ombud	December 22, 2021
2016-2019 Office of the Ombud	December 22, 2021
2020-2021 Labour and Employment Board	January 4, 2022
Legislative Activities 2020	January 7, 2022
2020 Supervisor of Political Financing Fees 2022, Department of Finance and Treasury Board	January 20, 2022
2020-2021 Extra-Mural/Ambulance New Brunswick	January 27, 2022
2020-2021 Department of Health	January 31, 2022
2019-2021 Office of the Ombud	February 22, 2022
2021 New Brunswick Insurance Board	March 2, 2022
	March 16, 2022

Others

Report of the Municipal Electoral Officer, 2021 Electoral Events	December 20, 2021
Public Accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2021, Volume 2, Supplementary Information	December 23, 2021
Report of the Auditor General of New Brunswick, Volume II, Performance Audit, 2021	February 24, 2022

Report of the Auditor General of New Brunswick, Volume III, Financial Audit, 2021	February 24, 2022
Disability Action Plan, Status Update, Premier's Council on Disabilities	March 8, 2022

Petitions

Response to Petitions 32, 33	December 20, 2021
Response to Petition 34	December 21, 2021
Response to Petition 35	January 13, 2022
Response to Petitions 36, 37, 38, 39, 40	February 16, 2022