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Tuesday, May 28, 2024

1 o'clock p.m.

Prayers.

Ms. Conroy, from the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, presented the Eleventh Report of the Committee for the session which was read and is as follows:

May 28, 2024

To The Honourable The Legislative Assembly of The Province of New Brunswick

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Economic Policy begs leave to submit this, their eleventh report.

Your Committee met on May 17, 21 and 22, 2024, and had under consideration:

Bill 26, Special Appropriation Act 2024;

Bill 27. An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Income Tax Act;

Bill 30, An Act to Amend the Tobacco and Electronic Cigarette Sales Act;

Bill 35, An Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act;

Bill 41, An Act to Amend the Private Occupational Training Act;

Bill 42, An Act Respecting Local Governance and Regional Service Delivery;

Bill 45, An Act Respecting the Firefighters' Compensation Act and the Workers' Compensation Act.

and have agreed to the same.

Your Committee also had under consideration:

Bill 36, An Act to Amend the Motor Vehicle Act;

and have made certain progress therein.

And your Committee begs leave to make a further report.

(Sgd.:) Michelle Conroy, M.L.A. Chair

Pursuant to Standing Rule 78.1, 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.

Mr. Cullins, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented the First Report of the Committee for the session which was read and is as follows:

May 28, 2024

To The Honourable The Legislative Assembly of The Province of New Brunswick

Mr. Speaker:

Your Standing Committee on Private Bills begs leave to submit this, their First Report of the session.

Your Committee met on May 28, 2024, in the Legislative Council Chamber and had under consideration the following Bills:

Bill 31, An Act to Amend An Act Respecting the Law Society of New Brunswick;

Bill 43, An Act to Incorporate the New Brunswick Regulatory College of Medical Radiation Technologists;

Bill 44, An Act to Amend the New Brunswick Association of Social Workers Act:

which it recommends to the favourable consideration of the House.

And your Committee begs leave to make a further report.

I move, seconded by the Member for Fundy-The Isles-Saint John West, that the report be concurred in by the House.

(Sgd.:) Ryan Cullins, M.L.A. Chair

Mr. Speaker put the question on the motion of concurrence in the report of the Committee, and it was resolved in the affirmative.

Hon. Mr. G. Savoie, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 46 and 47 be called for second reading.

Mr. Speaker recognized Mr. Losier to make a farewell speech in the House.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 46, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 46 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 46, *An Act to Amend the Electricity Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

The Order being read for second reading of Bill 47, *Accessibility Act*, a debate arose thereon.

And after some time, Mr. Speaker interrupted proceedings and announced that the hour of daily adjournment had arrived.

And then, 6 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 16, 17

May 24, 2024