
Daily sitting 48

Friday, June 5, 2026

9 o'clock a.m.

Prayers.

Mr. M. LeBlanc, Government House Leader, announced that it was the intention of government that Bills 41, 45, 49, 50, 46, 47 and 48 be called for second reading.

Debate resumed on the adjourned debate on the motion that Bill 41, *An Act to Amend the Local Governance Act*, be now read a second time.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 41 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 41, *An Act to Amend the Local Governance Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

Debate resumed on the adjourned debate on the motion that Bill 45, *Mineral Resources Act*, be now read a second time.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 45 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 45, *Mineral Resources Act*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

Debate resumed on the adjourned debate on the motion that Bill 49, *An Act Respecting Property Tax Reform*, be now read a second time.

And after some time, Mr. Savoie, seconded by Ms. M. Johnson, moved in amendment:

AMENDMENT

THAT the motion for second reading be amended by deleting all the words after the word “that” and substituting the following:

“Bill 49, *An Act Respecting Property Tax Reform*, be not now read a second time but that the order for second reading be discharged and the subject matter of the Bill referred to the Standing Committee on Law Amendments.”

Madam Speaker put the question on the proposed amendment and a debate ensued.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put on the amendment, it was resolved in the negative on the following recorded division:

YEAS - 13

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| Mr. Hogan | Ms. M. Wilson | Mr. Cullins |
| Ms. M. Johnson | Mr. Weir | Ms. Bockus |
| Mr. Austin | Mr. Oliver | Mr. Lee |
| Mr. Monahan | Mr. Russell | |
| Mr. Ames | Ms. S. Wilson | |

NAYS - 21

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| Hon. Mr. Gauvin | Hon. Mr. McKee | Hon. Mr. Hickey |
| Hon. Ms. Holt | Hon. Mr. C. Chiasson | Ms. Wilcott |
| Hon. Mr. Legacy | Hon. Ms. Boudreau | Mr. Mallet |
| Hon. Ms. Miles | Hon. Mr. Finnigan | Mr. J. LeBlanc |
| Hon. Mr. Dornan | Hon. Mr. Herron | Ms. Vautour |
| Hon. Ms. C. Johnson | Hon. Ms. Townsend | Ms. Sodhi |
| Hon. Mr. D'Amours | Hon. Mr. Kennedy | Mr. Robichaud |

And the question being put that Bill 49 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 49, *An Act Respecting Property Tax Reform*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

Debate resumed on the adjourned debate on the motion that Bill 50, *An Act Respecting the Enforcement of First Nations Laws and the Prosecution of Offences under First Nations Laws*, be now read a second time.

And the debate being ended, and the question being put that Bill 50 be now read a second time, it was resolved in the affirmative.

Accordingly, Bill 50, *An Act Respecting the Enforcement of First Nations Laws and the Prosecution of Offences under First Nations Laws*, was read a second time and ordered referred to the Standing Committee on Economic Policy, as designated by the Government House Leader.

Debate resumed on the adjourned debate on the motion that Bill 46, *Energy Sector Consumer Advocate Act*, be now read a second time.

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

And then, 2 p.m., the House adjourned.