

Votes and Proceedings Procès-verbal

No. 61

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SECOND SESSION OF THE NINETEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

February 25, 2021

The Assembly commenced sitting at 1:30 pm, with the Honourable Frederick Blake Jr., Speaker, presiding.

Ministers' Statements

118-19(2)	The Minister responsible for the Northwest Territories Power Corporation made a statement regarding the importance of capital investment in aging infrastructure.
119-19(2)	The Minister of Environment and Natural Resources made a statement supporting Northwest Territories harvesters.
120-19(2)	The Minister of Health and Social Services made a statement regarding food security.

Members' Statements

577-19(2)	The Member for Hay River South made a statement regarding incentives to work.
578-19(2)	The Member for Nunakput made a statement regarding mental health concerns in small communities.
579-19(2)	The Member for Thebacha made a statement regarding the Fort Smith Regional Airport.
580-19(2)	The Member for Great Slave made a statement of support for the mineral resources industry.
581-19(2)	The Member for Frame Lake made a statement regarding the 50 th Anniversary of the Canadian Arctic Resources Committee.

- The Member for Yellowknife North made a statement about developing the Northwest Territories remediation economy.
- 583-19(2) The Member for Kam Lake made a statement regarding institutional aftercare.
- The Honourable Member for Nahendeh made a statement of tribute to Nolan Swartzentruber.

<u>Petitions</u>

1-19(2) The Member for Thebacha presented a petition with respect to returning the Fort Smith Regional Airport runway to former specifications.

Tabling of Documents

- Government of the Northwest Territories Response to Committee Report 4-19(2): Report on the Review of the 2018-2019 Northwest Territories Human Rights Commission Annual Report. Tabled by the Minister of Justice.
- 321-19(2) Government of the Northwest Territories Response to Committee Report 5-19(2): Report of the Information and Privacy Commissioner of the Northwest Territories. Tabled by the Minister of Justice.
- 322-19(2) Follow-up Letter for Oral Question 559-19(2): FASD Support Services in NWT Correctional Facilities. Tabled by the Minister of Justice.
- 323-19(2) Follow-up Letter for Oral Question 502-19(2): Seniors Housing. Tabled by the Minister responsible for the Northwest Territories Housing Corporation.
- Follow-up Letter for Oral Question 538-19(2): Northwest Territories Housing Corporation Safe and Secure Housing. Tabled by the Minister responsible for the Northwest Territories Housing Corporation.

Consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bills and Other Matters

The Deputy Chair, the Member for Hay River South, reported that the Committee of the Whole considered Bill 3, *An Act to Amend the Public Highways Act*; Committee Report 8-19(2): Standing Committee on Rules and Procedures Report on Motion 5-19(2): Referral of Point of Privilege Raised by Member for Monfwi on March 10, 2020;

Committee Report 9-19(2): Standing Committee on Rules and Procedures Report on the Chief Electoral Officer's Report on the Administration of the 2019 Territorial General Election; Minister's Statement 77-19(2): National Housing Co-Investment Fund; Tabled Document 165-19(2): Government of the Northwest Territories Response to Committee Report 1-19(2): Report on Long-Term Post-Pandemic Recovery - Recommendations to the GNWT; Tabled Document 166-19(2): Report on Long-Term Post-Pandemic Recovery - Recommendations to the GNWT; Tabled Document 167-19(2): Government of the Northwest Territories Response to Committee Report 3-19(2): Report on Long-Term Post-Pandemic Recovery - Recommendations to the GNWT; and Tabled Document 286-19(2): Main Estimates 2021-2022, and reported progress.

The Member for Hay River South, seconded by the Member for Thebacha, moved concurrence of the report of the Committee of the Whole. The motion was CARRIED.

The Speaker adjourned the House at 6:02 pm.

Hon. Frederick Blake Jr.

Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

Glen Rutland

Acting Clerk of the Legislative Assembly