

## Votes and Proceedings

### SECOND SESSION OF THE NINETEENTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

March 1, 2022

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

#### Ministers' Statements

- 213-19(2) The Minister of Infrastructure made a statement regarding the Yellowknife Airport.
- 214-19(2) The Minister of Health and Social Services made a statement updating Members on health human resources.
- 215-19(2) The Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment made a statement regarding tourism supports across the Northwest Territories.

#### Members' Statements

- 963-19(2) The Member for Great Slave made a statement regarding the lifting of pandemic restrictions in the Northwest Territories.
- 964-19(2) The Member for Inuvik Twin Lakes made a statement regarding the Government of the Northwest Territories Remote Work Policy.
- 965-19(2) The Member for Hay River South made a statement regarding the lack of after-care services and transitional housing in the Northwest Territories.
- 966-19(2) The Member for Yellowknife North made a statement regarding the opening of the Snow Castle in Yellowknife.
- 967-19(2) The Member for Frame Lake made a statement regarding the Mactung and Cantung contaminated mine sites.

- 968-19(2) The Member for Thebacha made a statement regarding accountability and increased costs for policing in the Northwest Territories.
- 969-19(2) The Member for Monfwi made a statement regarding customer service at the Northwest Territories Housing Corporation.
- 970-19(2) The Member for Kam Lake made a statement regarding supports for people who are parenting with FASD.
- 971-19(2) The Member for Deh Cho made a statement on the use of biomass energy in the Northwest Territories.

### Tabling of Documents

- 578-19(2) Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures), No. 3, 2021-2022. Tabled by the Minister of Finance.
- 579-19(2) Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures), No. 3, 2021-2022. Tabled by the Minister of Finance.
- 580-19(2) Northwest Territories Tourism – Welcoming Visitors - 2022-2023 Marketing Plan. Tabled by the Minister of Industry, Tourism and Investment.
- 581-19(2) Article from The Daily dated February 16, 2022 – “Black and Indigenous people’s confidence in police and experiences of discrimination in their daily lives”. Tabled by the Member for Thebacha.

### Consideration in Committee of the Whole of Bills and Other Matters

The Chair, the Member for Inuvik Twin Lakes, reported that the Committee of the Whole considered Bill 23: *An Act to Amend the Public Utilities Act*; Bill 29: *Resource Royalty Information Disclosure Statute Amendment Act*; Bill 38: *Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2021*; Minister's Statement 202-19(2): Annual Status Report on the Mandate of the Government of the Northwest Territories, 2019-2023; Tabled Document 561-19(2): Main Estimates 2022-2023; Tabled Document 567-19(2): Annual Status Report - 2019-2023 Mandate of the Government of the Northwest Territories, February 2021-January 2022; Tabled Document 578-19(2): Supplementary Estimates (Infrastructure Expenditures), No. 3, 2021-2022; and Tabled Document 579-19(2): Supplementary Estimates (Operations Expenditures), No. 3, 2021-2022, and reported progress with one motion adopted.

**Committee Motion 193-19(2)**

The Member for Frame Lake moved the following motion:

I MOVE that this Committee defer further consideration of the estimates for the Department of Infrastructure at this time.

The motion was CARRIED.

The Member for Inuvik Twin Lakes, seconded by the Member for Kam Lake, moved concurrence of the report of the Committee of the Whole. The motion was CARRIED.

The Speaker adjourned the House at 8:00 pm.

  
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Hon. Frederick Blake Jr.  
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly

  
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Tim Mercer  
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly