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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Fentie (Motion #69)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work collaboratively with the Government of Canada, the Government of the Northwest Territories, the Porcupine Caribou Management Board, all affected First Nations in Yukon and the Northwest Territories, and stakeholders, to develop a Porcupine Caribou Herd Harvest Management Strategy that ensures to the greatest extent possible, the conservation and protection of the Porcupine Caribou Herd.

2. Hon. Mr. Fentie (Motion #167)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, the Government of Canada and Yukon First Nation governments to develop a timely, inclusive process through the re-instated Intergovernmental Forum to implement the recommendations of the Nine Year Review of the Yukon Final Land Claims Agreements in order to ensure the spirit and intent of the land claims agreements are fulfilled.

3. Hon. Mr. Kenyon (Motion #239)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to work with the Government of Canada, First Nations, Yukon College, members of the business community and non-governmental organizations to:

- (1) enhance and develop labour market initiatives targeting First Nations, older workers, youth, persons with disabilities and immigrants through measures such as apprenticeship programs, the Youth Employment Program, the Yukon Nominee Program, the Temporary Foreign Worker Program and other programs,
- (2) develop a national recruiting campaign; and
- (3) assist in the development of retention incentives for employers.

4. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #713)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada and its NATO allies to insist in the strongest possible terms that the Government of Afghanistan fully honour its human rights treaty obligations under international laws and demonstrate its commitment both in law and in practice to respect, protect and enforce the equality rights of the women of Afghanistan or face international sanctions.

5. Hon. Mr. Hart (Motion #723)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support the findings of the Motion #542 Consultation Report done by the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board and the Employment Standards Board, responding to Motion #542 adopted during the 2008 Fall Sitting of the Legislative Assembly, by requesting that the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board and the Employment Standards Board:

- (1) work together within their existing frameworks of authority to appropriately address areas of general consensus;
- (2) work together to ensure adequate training, orientation and supervision of young workers; and
- (3) conduct a review within 5 years to assess the effectiveness of any regulations resulting from this consultation and consider whether there is a need for a general minimum working age in Yukon.

6. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #831)

THAT this House urges one member of the Official Opposition Caucus, one member of the Third Party Caucus and the Independent Member to accept the Yukon Government's invitation to attend the Climate Leaders Summit at COP15 in Copenhagen, Denmark, as observers from December 13-20, 2009.

7. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #832)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to explore the concept of a multidisciplinary approach to dealing with the complex needs of chronic substance abusers.

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

1. Bill #101 - Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right
-Mr. Nordick
2. Bill #105 - An Act to Amend the Cooperation in Governance Act
-Mr. Mitchell
Adjourned debate: Mr. Nordick
3. Bill #107 - Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act
-Mr. Hardy
4. Bill #108 - Legislative Renewal Act
-Mr. Hardy
5. Bill #109 - Young Worker Protection Act
-Mr. Cardiff

Adjourned debate: Mr. Cathers

6. Bill #110 - Yukon Energy Corporation Protection Act
-Mr. McRobb
Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Fentie

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

1. Bill #78 - Elections Act, Act to Amend
-Hon. Mr. Fentie
2. Bill #17 - Second Appropriation Act, 2009-10
-Hon. Mr. Fentie
3. Bill #80 - Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Health Act,
Act to Amend
-Hon. Mr. Lang
4. Bill #73 - Registered Nurses Profession Act, Act to Amend
-Hon. Mr. Hart
5. Bill #75 - Second Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2009
-Hon Ms. Horne
6. Bill #76 - Motor Vehicles Act, Act to Amend
-Hon. Mr. Lang
7. Bill #79 - Medical Profession Act, Act to Amend
-Hon. Mr. Lang

NOTICE PAPERGOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #877)

THAT, notwithstanding any other Standing Order, the first item of business under Orders of the Day on November 18, 2009, shall be Motion #850 standing in the name of the Member for Mount Lorne.

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Nordick (Motion #876)

THAT this House urges Joint Task Force North of the Department of National Defence in Ottawa to continue funding the Canadian Rangers to enable them to maintain the trails for the Yukon Quest, a job they have successfully undertaken for the past seventeen years.

2. Mr. Edzerza (Motion #878)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to honour its commitment to provide compensation to Aboriginal Veterans of the Second World War and the Korean War equal to the compensation for post-war benefits that was provided to non-native soldiers but not to their First Nation comrades.

3. Mr. Mitchell (Motion #879)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to uphold the promise it made in Spring 2009 by identifying a day during the 2009 Fall Sitting for the Chair and CEO of the Yukon Hospital Corporation to appear as witnesses in Committee of the Whole and provide responses to questions from Members.

4. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #880)

THAT this House expresses its collective appreciation for all the hard work done over many years by community and environmental activists, NGOs, civil servants, consultants, and Members of this House – on both the Government and Opposition sides – that has culminated with the recently released Yukon Solid Waste Action Plan, which is another significant step in the process to modernize and improve how Yukon manages solid waste environmentally, responsibly, and sustainably.

5. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #881)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to ensure that any development of land-based treatment centres in Yukon serve all Yukoners, by:

- (1) evaluating and learning from the experience of current and past Yukon Government treatment and detoxification centres and programs,
- (2) evaluating and learning from current and past Yukon First Nations land-based treatment centres and programs,
- (3) researching land-based centres in Alaska, NWT, and Western Canada to learn best practices,
- (4) financing them adequately on a long-term basis,
- (5) taking into consideration representative regions of Yukon when determining location of the centres,

- (6) accommodating First Nations' cultural approaches to addictions treatment and detoxification while including non-First Nation cultural components,
- (7) assuring that an after-care component is an essential part of any centre,
- (8) training personnel to meet national standards of treatment and current practices,
- (9) maintaining an urban treatment and detoxification centre in Whitehorse; and
- (10) monitoring and evaluating all Yukon treatment and detoxification centres annually.