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GOVERNMENT DESIGNATED BUSINESS

Government Motions

1. Motion No. 133

Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to practice sound financial management by:

- (1) recognizing the importance of including full future O&M costs when making new capital investments;
- (2) engaging with Yukoners to ensure that they have a say in deciding how to address current and future budget shortfalls;
- (3) reporting regularly to Yukoners on the financial health of the territory by way of economic outlooks and public accounts;
- (4) integrating fiscal forecasting with budget planning to improve accuracy of O&M and capital budgets; and
- (5) developing a predictable five-year capital plan.

2. Motion No. 256

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to subsection 17(2) of the *Human Rights Act*, does remove Geneviève Chabot from the Yukon Human Rights Commission, effective immediately.

3. Motion No. 257

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to subsection 17(1) of the *Human Rights Act*, does appoint Gavin Gardiner to the Yukon Human Rights Commission for a term of three years, effective immediately; and

THAT Russell Knutson be reappointed to the Yukon Human Rights Commission for a term of three years, effective April 30, 2018.

4. Motion No. 258

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to subsection 22(2) of the *Human Rights Act*, does appoint Vincent Larochelle to the Yukon Human Rights Panel of Adjudicators for a term of three years, effective May 26, 2018; and

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly pursuant subsection 22(2.01) of the *Human Rights Act*, does designate Vincent Larochelle as chief adjudicator for a term of three years, effective May 26, 2018.

Government Bills

Second Reading

1. Bill No. 15, *Cannabis Control and Regulation Act*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice

Committee of the Whole

1. Bill No. 16, *Technical Amendments Act, 2018*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice
2. Bill No. 206, *First Appropriation Act 2018-19*
- Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier
3. Bill No. 17, *Gender Diversity and Related Amendments Act*
- Hon. Ms. Dendys, Minister responsible for the Women's Directorate

GOVERNMENT PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**Bills other than Government Bills**

Second Reading

1. Bill No. 1, *Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*
- Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

1. Written Question No. 24 (March 26, 2018)

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

Addressed to the Hon. Ms. Frost, Minister of Health and Social Services

With respect to the practice of medicine in the territory:

- (1) How many licensed physicians are currently practicing medicine in Yukon?
- (2) How many licensed physicians are currently providing services at a medical clinic in Yukon?
- (3) How many nurses, broken down by facility and community, are currently employed by the government and the Yukon Hospital Corporation? Please indicate how many are permanent, temporary, and auxiliary on call.

Notice Paper

Motions other than Government Motions

1. Motion No. 273

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to:

- (1) publicly release engineering reports related to the repairs of the Ross River School;
- (2) inform the Ross River Dena Council and the community of Ross River of how the Government of Yukon plans to proceed with repairs to the Ross River School; and
- (3) ensure work done during the summer of 2018 achieves a permanent and not temporary fix.

2. Motion No. 274

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to immediately appoint an independent body with the requisite expertise to conduct a fully independent review of all aspects of the operations of Government of Yukon operated and/or funded group homes for children and youth;

THAT the review body be given access to:

- (1) current and former residents of Yukon group homes,
- (2) current and former staff of Yukon group homes, managers, directors and senior management responsible for Family and Children Services; and
- (3) any other materials or individuals as determined by the independent review body;

THAT the independent review body make recommendations for amendments to the *Child and Youth Advocate Act* to strengthen the independence and powers of the office of the Child and Youth Advocate to act in the best interest of children and youth; and

THAT this review body report to the Legislative Assembly no later than October 31, 2018.

3. Motion No. 275

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly be amended to establish an all-party standing committee on children and youth, to be guided by:

- (1) the United Nations *Convention on the Rights of the Child*, including:
 - (a) article 12 – children should be provided the opportunity to be heard in any judicial and administrative proceeding affecting them;
 - (b) article 20 – children who cannot remain in their family environment should be entitled to special protection and assistance;
 - (c) article 25 – children placed in government care should have period reviews of the care they are receiving and the circumstances that led to their placement in government care; and
 - (d) article 30 – indigenous children should not be denied their right to enjoy their culture, practise their religion, and use their language; and
- (2) principles to be established by the committee that reflect issues specific to the broad range of matters related to the well-being of Yukon's children and youth; and

THAT the committee shall conduct hearings, accept submissions from, and call witnesses with respect to:

- (a) the five-year review of the *Child and Family Services Act*;

- (b) the as-yet-to-be scheduled review of the *Child and Youth Advocate Act*,
- (c) matters related to early childhood development and childcare in Yukon; and
- (d) other matters the committee deems relevant to the attainment of the objectives set out above; and

THAT the committee report its findings and recommendations to this House six months from the date of its establishment and every six months thereafter.

4. Motion No. 276

Ms. Hanson, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Minister of Tourism and Culture to ensure that all calls for casting of advertisements, commercials or other materials promoting Yukon are free of racist, sexist or otherwise discriminatory references, to ensure the diversity and inclusiveness of Yukon society is reflected in materials promoting Yukon.

5. Motion No. 277

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ensure healthy environments and resources for Yukoners in order to encourage activity, good nutrition and community wellness.

Motions for the Production of Papers

1. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 7

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of cost estimates, drawings and all background information on the new francophone school.

2. Motion for the Production of Papers No. 8

Ms. Van Bibber, Member for Porter Creek North

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of all current applications for infrastructure funding that the Government of Yukon has submitted to the Government of Canada.