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Government Motions

1. Motion No. 212

Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Community Services

THAT a Special Committee on Civil Emergency Legislation be established;

THAT the Hon. John Streicker be appointed to the committee;

THAT the membership of the committee also be comprised of one member from the Official Opposition caucus selected by the Leader of the Official Opposition, and one member from the Third Party caucus selected by the Leader of the Third Party;

THAT the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Leader of the Third Party inform the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of the names of the selected members from their respective caucuses no later than seven calendar days after the adoption of this motion by the Assembly;

THAT the Chair of the committee have a deliberative vote on all matters before the committee;

THAT the committee:

- (1) consider and identify options for modernizing the *Civil Emergency Measures Act*; and
- (2) make recommendations on possible amendments to the *Civil Emergency Measures Act*;

THAT the committee be empowered to conduct public hearings for the purpose of receiving the views and opinions of Yukoners;

THAT the committee have the power to call for persons, papers, and records and to sit during intersessional periods;

THAT the committee report to the Legislative Assembly on its findings and its recommendations by August 31, 2021;

THAT, if the House is not sitting at such time as the committee is prepared to present its report, the Chair of the committee shall transmit the committee's report to the Speaker, who shall transmit the report to all Members of the Legislative Assembly and then, not more than one day later, release the report to the public; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly shall be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the committee.

Motions Respecting Committee Reports

1. Motion Respecting Committee Reports No. 1

Mr. Adel, Chair, Standing Committee on Appointments to Major Government Boards and Committees

THAT the Standing Committee on Appointments to Major Government Boards and Committees' 21st report, presented to the House on October 1, 2020, be concurred in; and

THAT the amendments to Standing Order 45(3.2)(a) recommended by the committee, adding to the list of entities for which the committee reviews nominations and recommends appointments, the Yukon Human Rights Panel of Adjudicators, be adopted.

Government Bills

Second Reading

1. Bill No. 11, *Act to Amend the Land Titles Act, 2015*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice
2. Bill No. 12, *Act to Amend the Wills Act (2020)*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice
3. Bill No. 204, *Fourth Appropriation Act 2019-20*
- Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier
4. Bill No. 205, *Second Appropriation Act 2020-21*
- Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Pillai (October 5, 2020)

5. Bill No. 14, *Act to Amend the Environment Act (2020)*
- Hon. Ms. Frost, Minister of Environment

Committee of the Whole

1. Bill No. 9, *Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Protection Act*
- Hon. Ms. McLean, Minister responsible for the Women's Directorate
2. Bill No. 10, *Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act (2020)*
- Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Community Services

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
2. Bill No. 300, *Act to Eliminate Daylight Saving Time*
- Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane
3. Bill No. 301, *Act to Amend the Taxpayer Protection Act*
- Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

Notice Paper

Motions other than Government Motions

1. Motion No. 224

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House supports the Yukon Essential Workers Income Support program in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

2. Motion No. 225

Ms. Hanson, Member for Whitehorse Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to commit to having regulations ready so that Bill No. 10, entitled *Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act (2020)*, can come into force by December 31, 2020.

3. Motion No. 226

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to increase the proportion of Yukon government jobs based in Yukon communities by:

- (1) implementing its own policy 1.9 entitled “Decentralization Policy”;
- (2) supporting current employees who wish to relocate to a Yukon community through remote work arrangements;
- (3) relocating community-focused positions including but not limited to regional economic development officers and community advisors when these positions become vacant; and
- (4) working with First Nation governments and municipal governments to ensure lot and housing availability to support decentralization efforts.

4. Motion No. 227

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to use the protection area provisions provided in the *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act* to protect and manage sensitive areas identified over the last seven years from off-road vehicle use.

5. Motion No. 228

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide the additional \$400 monthly funding in response to COVID-19 to all disabilities service clients.

6. Motion No. 229

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support Yukon families by ensuring that Yukon workers have access to adequate and safe child care spaces by:

- (1) enhancing support for child care facilities to provide a safe environment for children and staff by providing resources for increased cleaning and disinfection;

- (2) enhancing funding and support for training of child care workers and early childhood educators; and
- (3) consulting with the Yukon Child Care Board to better understand the needs of child care operators and child care facilities.

7. Motion No. 230

Mr. Hassard, Leader of the Official Opposition

THAT a Special Committee on Mental Health and Education Supports During the COVID-19 Pandemic be established;

THAT the membership of the committee be comprised of one member from the Government caucus selected by the Premier, one member from the Official Opposition caucus selected by the Leader of the Official Opposition, and one member from the Third Party caucus selected by the Leader of the Third Party;

THAT the Leaders of all three parties inform the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly of the names of the selected members from their respective caucuses no later than seven calendar days after the adoption of this motion by the Assembly;

THAT the Chair of the committee have a deliberative vote on all matters before the committee;

THAT the committee:

- (1) review the mental health and student supports that are and have been available to Yukoners during the COVID-19 pandemic;
- (2) give specific consideration to the unintended consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic economic restrictions, travel restrictions, and isolation measures; and
- (3) make recommendations for improvements and changes to the mental health services available to Yukoners throughout the COVID-19 pandemic;

THAT the committee be empowered to conduct public hearings for the purpose of receiving the views and opinions of Yukoners;

THAT the committee have the power to call for persons, papers, and records and to sit during intersessional periods;

THAT the committee report to the Legislative Assembly on its findings and its recommendations no later than 60 calendar days after the adoption of this motion by the Assembly;

THAT, if the House is not sitting at such time as the committee is prepared to present its report, the Chair of the committee shall transmit the committee's report to the Speaker, who shall transmit the report to all Members of the Legislative Assembly and then, not more than one day later, release the report to the public; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly shall be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the committee.

8. Motion No. 231

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT the orders of reference for the Standing Committee on Statutory Instruments, established by Order of the Legislative Assembly on January 12, 2017, with the adoption of Motion No. 8 of the First Session of the 34th Legislative Assembly, be amended by including such other existing or proposed ministerial orders as may be referred to the committee by the Legislative Assembly.