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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT DESIGNATED BUSINESS

Government Motions

1. Motion No. 219

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Health and Social Services

THAT this House supports the supervised consumption site operating at 6189 6th Avenue in downtown Whitehorse.

2. Motion No. 301

Hon. Mr. Pillai, Minister responsible for the Yukon Housing Corporation

THAT this House commends the City of Whitehorse for its work on a request for proposals for a master plan to develop the Tank Farm property.

3. Motion No. 311

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Health and Social Services

THAT this House supports the Government of Yukon's January 20, 2022 declaration of a substance use health emergency.

4. Motion No. 316

Hon. Mr. Mostyn, Minister of Community Services

THAT this House congratulates Yukoner Graham Nishikawa on his guiding of Canadian Paralympian Brian McKeever during the 2022 Beijing Paralympics.

5. Motion No. 317

Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister responsible for the Yukon Development Corporation and the Yukon Energy Corporation

THAT this House supports the Yukon Energy Corporation's 10-year renewable electricity plan.

6. Motion No. 321

Hon. Mr. Pillai, Minister responsible for the Yukon Housing Corporation

THAT this House commends the private sector for major increases in the amount of money being spent on residential building construction.

7. Motion No. 322

Hon. Mr. Mostyn, Minister of Community Services

THAT this House congratulates the United States Senate on voting unanimously to make daylight saving time permanent as of November 2023.

8. Motion No. 323

Hon. Mr. Clarke, Minister of Highways and Public Works

THAT this House supports the continued transition away from fossil fuels by electrifying the Government of Yukon's fleet vehicles.

9. Motion No. 324

Hon. Ms. McLean, Minister of Education

THAT this House urges the Alaska State Senate Education Committee to vote down Senate Bill No. 140, *An Act relating to school athletics, recreation, athletic teams, and sports*.

10. Motion No. 332

Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources

THAT this House supports the continued transition away from fossil fuels towards zero emissions vehicles, including rebates and charging stations.

11. Motion No. 333

Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources

THAT this House supports the work of the Dawson Regional Planning Commission.

12. Motion No. 338

Hon. Ms. McLean, Minister of Education

THAT this House supports the Yukon First Nation School Board.

13. Motion No. 342

Hon. Mr. Clarke, Minister of Highways and Public Works

THAT this House supports creating Internet redundancy in Yukon.

14. Motion No. 350

Hon. Mr. Pillai, Minister of Economic Development

THAT this House supports the 2021 Confidence and Supply Agreement between the Yukon Liberal Caucus and the Yukon NDP Caucus.

15. Motion No. 354

Hon. Mr. Mostyn, Minister of Community Services

THAT this House congratulates the Canadian men's national soccer team for qualifying to participate in the 2022 FIFA World Cup.

16. Motion No. 356

Hon. Mr. Clarke, Minister of Highways and Public Works

THAT this House supports the construction of the Whistle Bend elementary school.

17. Motion No. 417

Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Russian Federation, directed by President Vladimir Putin and others within the Russian Parliament, have committed acts of genocide and crimes against humanity against the Ukrainian people including:

- (1) mass atrocities in the invaded and occupied Ukrainian territories;
- (2) systematic instances of willful killing of Ukrainian civilians and the desecration of corpses;
- (3) forcible transfer of Ukrainian children to the Russian territory;
- (4) torture and the imposition of life conditions causing grave suffering; and
- (5) widespread instances of physical harm, mental harm and rape.

18. Motion No. 434

Hon. Ms. McLean, Minister responsible for the Women and Gender Equity Directorate

THAT this House condemns the actions of Hockey Canada in response to allegations of sexual abuse.

19. Motion No. 448

Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Health and Social Services

THAT it is the opinion of this House that reproductive healthcare is essential to the health, freedom, and the social and economic futures of women and girls and that the right to an abortion in Yukon and access to abortion services in the territory need to be protected.

Government Bills

Second Reading

1. Bill No. 16, *Second Act to amend the Legal Profession Act, 2017 (2022)*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice
2. Bill No. 19, *Technical Amendments Act (2022)*
- Hon. Ms. McPhee, Minister of Justice
3. Bill No. 21, *Carbon Price Rebate Amendments Act (2022)*
- Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier
4. Bill No. 20, *Animal Protection and Control Act*
- Hon. Mr. Clarke, Minister of Environment

Committee of the Whole

1. Bill No. 17, *Clean Energy Act*
 - Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources
2. Bill No. 206, *Second Appropriation Act 2022-23*
 - Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier

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

Second Reading

1. Bill No. 1, *Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right*
 - Ms. Tredger, Member for Whitehorse Centre
2. Bill No. 301, *Act to Amend the Taxpayer Protection Act*
 - Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge
3. Bill No. 305, *National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Act*
 - Ms. Blake, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

1. Written Question No. 14 (March 30, 2022)

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

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

What are the names of the members of the Aging in Place Seniors Advisory Committee, and are they representatives of Yukon First Nation elders, Yukon non-governmental organizations, individuals with rural Yukon experience, individuals from the French-speaking community, or members at large who represent seniors or elders?

2. Written Question No. 19 (April 20, 2022)

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

Addressed to the Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of the Public Service Commission

What is the number of auxiliary-on-call and casual staff, including the numbers of hours worked per month per person, for each Government of Yukon department?

3. Written Question No. 20 (April 27, 2022)

Mr. Istchenko, Member for Kluane

Addressed to the Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of the Public Service Commission

What was the number of full-time equivalents reporting to the Government of Yukon for the 2016-17 budget year?

4. Written Question No. 23 (April 28, 2022)

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

Addressed to the Hon. Mr. Clarke, Minister of Highways and Public Works

In regards to the Old Crow Health and Wellness Centre and tenplex housing project:

- (1) what is the original 2021-22 total budget;
- (2) what is the total approved budget;
- (3) what is the Period 7 variance estimated spending in 2021-22; and
- (4) what are the total expected final project costs including consulting and other services?

5. Written Question No. 24 (April 28, 2022)

Mr. Kent, Member for Copperbelt South

Addressed to the Hon. Mr. Streicker, Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources

What policy framework was used to choose the value of the claims that were given up in exchange for compensation pursuant to the Peel land use plan, as announced by press release on January, 31, 2022?

6. Written Question No. 25 (April 28, 2022)

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

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

With respect to health care in rural Yukon communities:

- (1) which rural communities have access to physician services locally, and how are those services provided;

- (2) in communities where physician services are provided via contract for a visiting physician, how often are those services provided in each community;
- (3) what health care positions currently exist in each community (including nurses, mental health positions, and social workers);
- (4) of the community health positions, which are filled and which are vacant;
- (5) how many staff of the Department of Health and Social Services, by community and branch, were placed on leave due to the vaccination mandate; and
- (6) how many staff of the Department of Health and Social Services, by community and branch, are still on leave due to the vaccination mandate?

7. Written Question No. 26 (April 28, 2022)

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

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

With respect to mental health services that were provided to Yukoners previously under Many Rivers Counselling and Support Services Society, and mental health services that are provided now, what is the comparison between:

- (1) the number of staff resident in communities;
- (2) staff visits to communities;
- (3) the number of clients served, by community; and
- (4) the hours of service provided to clients?

8. Written Question No. 27 (April 28, 2022)

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

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

With respect to home care in communities across Yukon:

- (1) what is the number of clients in each community;
- (2) what are the hours of service provided, by community; and
- (3) what is the range of services provided in each community?

9. Written Question No. 28 (October 11, 2022)

Ms. Tredger, Member for Whitehorse Centre

Addressed to the Hon. Ms. McLean, Minister of Education

With regard to the *Education Act*, as amended on April 28, 2022, through the granting of assent to Bill No. 304, *Act to Amend the Education Act*:

- (1) which Yukon schools have already started activities to meet the act's requirements for initiatives that promote equality and non-discrimination;
- (2) what activities have the schools done;
- (3) of the schools that have not yet started activities to meet the requirements, what activities are planned; and
- (4) how is the implementation of the amendments to the *Education Act* being monitored for all Yukon schools?

10. Written Question No. 29 (October 13, 2022)

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

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

Regarding ongoing medical staff shortages for the 2021-22 fiscal year and 2021 calendar year:

- (1) what is the number of unfilled scheduled nursing shifts at Whitehorse General Hospital by department;
- (2) what is the number of unfilled scheduled nursing shifts in continuing care facilities such as Whistlebend Place and McDonald Lodge; and
- (3) what is the number of instances and the duration of Code Yellow and Code Red delays either by station or across Emergency Medical Services as a whole?

Notice Paper

Government Motions

1. Motion No. 454

Hon. Mr. Mostyn, Minister of Community Services

THAT this House supports the bid by the Government of Yukon and the City of Whitehorse to co-host the 2027 Canada Winter Games in Whitehorse.

Motions other than Government Motions

1. Motion No. 455

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to fulfill the obligations set out in the United Nations *Convention on the Rights of the Child*.

2. Motion No. 456

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to design and implement an inter-agency response process to any incident in education in which a child is, or is likely to have been, physically, sexually, or emotionally harmed, which includes:

- (1) competent investigations;
- (2) child- and family-centered approaches to information sharing;
- (3) protection of privacy;
- (4) communication with families; and
- (5) coordination of services,

as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

3. Motion No. 457

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide clear information to educators and families about the mandatory duty to report any incident in which a child is, or is likely to have been, physically, sexually, or emotionally harmed and to provide clear steps on how and to whom to report incidents and how to follow up, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

4. Motion No. 458

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to implement best practices in order to ensure developmentally and culturally appropriate interviews and victim support services for students who have been physically, sexually, or emotionally harmed, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

5. Motion No. 459

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate, to:

- (1) provide developmentally appropriate sexual health information throughout the school year to all Yukon students;
- (2) make sexual health programming mandatory and accessible for all students, including those with individualized learning plans; and
- (3) provide additional guidance to families about how to talk to children about sexual health.

6. Motion No. 460

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to determine the therapeutic needs of students and families impacted by alleged abuse and to ensure low-barrier access to appropriate supports identified by students, families, and professionals, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

7. Motion No. 461

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide accessible, therapeutic supports for educators impacted by alleged abuse in schools, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

8. Motion No. 462

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop a plan to create and fill clinical counsellor positions in all Yukon schools, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

9. Motion No. 463

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to provide specialized educational support programs for all children with special needs that include input and oversight by learning assistance teachers, Student Support Services, and external specialists, as recommended by the Yukon Child and Youth Advocate.

10. Motion No. 464

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to produce by November 22, 2022, a public report outlining the planned response to the report *Responding to Sexualized Abuse in Yukon Schools: Review of Policies and Governmental Response Completed by the Yukon Child & Youth Advocate Office*.