

The House met at 9:00 a.m.

Prayers.

TABLING REPORTS, REGULATIONS AND OTHER PAPERS

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. R. MacDonald, Minister of Tourism and Culture, tabled the following report:

Nova Scotia Gaming Foundation Annual Report for 2002.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. LeBlanc, Minister of Finance, tabled the Amendments to the Comprehensive Integrated Tax Coordination Agreement, which governs the Harmonized Sales Tax.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bills were introduced by the following Members, read a first and ordered to be read a second time on a future day:

No. 36. An Act Respecting Certain Financial Measures

(Hon. Mr. LeBlanc - Minister of Finance)

**No. 37. An Act to Authorize the Town of Hantsport to
Make**

**a Grant to the Hantsport Memorial Community
Centre**

(Hon. Mr. Russell - Hants West)

NOTICES OF MOTION

Pursuant to the order, the following notices were passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 737 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to the Parrsboro Crossroads Co-op on its grand re-opening.

Res. No. 738 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to the

ORHS Junior B Bears on their success.

Res. No. 739 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Chief Darren Rushton on receipt of his 10 year service bar with the Oxford Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 740 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to the Parrsboro Regional High School Warriors boys basketball team on their success.

Res. No. 741 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Terry Porter on receipt of his 20 year service bar with the Springhill Fire Department.

Res. No. 742 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Harold Patriquin on his 25 years of service with Canada Post at Oxford.

Res. No. 743 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Parrsboro Zellers Bantam team on their hockey success.

Res. No. 744 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Ronnie Powell on being honoured by the Town of Oxford.

Res. No. 745 - Hon. Mr. Fage - Minister of Energy - congratulations to Terry MacDonald on obtaining a volunteer award.

Res. No. 746 - Hon. Mr. Morse, Minister of Community Services - congratulations to Jim Wolford on obtaining a volunteer award.

Res. No. 747 - Hon. Mr. Morse, Minister of Community Services - congratulations to Catherine Kinsman on obtaining a volunteer award.

Res. No. 748 - Hon. Mr. Morse, Minister of Community Services - congratulations to gold medal winners in the Acadia University student entrepreneurial research competition.

Res. No. 749 - Hon. Mr. Fage, Minister of Energy - congratulations to Joseph Patriquin on a volunteer award.

SUPPLY UNTO HER MAJESTY

On motion the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Supply.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.
The Chairman took the chair of the Committee.

On motion, the adjourned debate on the following Resolution was then resumed:

No. E3, relating to the Department of Education.
ADJOURNED.

On motion, the Committee rose and Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair. The Chairman reported that the Committee had made some progress and begged leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Tuesday, April 22nd at 2:00 p.m.