

The House met at 1:00 P.M.

Prayers.

### GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 4047 - Hon. Mr. R. MacDonald, Minister of Tourism, Culture and Heritage - urging Nova Scotia to take part in the development of a heritage strategy.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4048 - Hon. Mr. MacIsaac, Minister of Health - recognition of V.O.N. Week.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4049 - Hon. Mr. R. MacDonald, Minister of Tourism, Culture and Heritage - congratulations to the N.S. Chambers of Commerce on the successful A.G.M.

Res. No. 4050 - Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to Memorial High School on winning the Safest High School Scholarship.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

### 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. 213. An Act to Address the Historic Injustice Committed Against the People of Africville**

**(Ms. M. MacDonald - Halifax Needham)**

**No. 214. An Act to Amend Chapter 188 of the Revised**

**Statutes of 1989, the Government Purchases Act**

**(Ms. M. MacDonald - Halifax Needham)**

**NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 4051 - Ms. M. MacDonald, Halifax Needham - recognition of St. Marks Anglican Church and Rev. Sue Moxley for their support of Sanja Pecelj.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4052 - Mr. M. MacDonald, Cape Breton South - The Premier must encourage MPs to support the federal budget.

Res. No. 4053 - Mr. Parent, Kings North - recognition of the late Gary Pearl.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4054 - Mr. Samson, Leader in the House of the Liberal Party - The Premier has broken his promise regarding control of health care costs.

Res. No. 4055 - Mr. DeWolfe, Pictou East - congratulations to the Pictou County Firefighters Association for their determination and drive.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4056 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - urging the Premier to stop spending beyond our means.

Res. No. 4057 - Hon. Mr. MacIsaac, Minister of Health - recognizing the commitment of paramedics.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4058 - Mr. MacKinnon, Cape Breton West - best wishes to Area 27 lobster fishers.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4059 - Mr. H. David Wilson, Glace Bay - The Premier broke his promise to fix health care.

Res. No. 4060 - Mr. Samson, Leader in the House of the Liberal Party - the Premier is borrowing to pay the bills.

Res. No. 4061 - Hon. Mr. MacIsaac, Minister of Health - recognition of Sister Jean Grant for her service.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4062 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - The Premier has broken his fundamental promise of 1999.

Res. No. 4063 - Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Justice - recognition of the service of Larry Wright.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4064 - Mr. MacKinnon, Cape Breton West - congratulations to Eva and Tom Kummer on the development of Mira River Cottages and Riverbank Cottages.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4065 - Mr. Gaudet, Clare - The Premier has failed to live up to his promises.

Res. No. 4066 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - The Premier has failed in his promise to buy local products first.

Res. No. 4067 - Mr. Sampson, Victoria-The Lakes - urging the Premier to stop mortgaging the future of our children and grandchildren.

Res. No. 4068 - Mr. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - the Premier must

control spending.

Res. No. 4069 - Mr. Graham, Halifax Citadel - the Premier is borrowing against the future.

Res. No. 4070 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - the Premier must realize the health care system requires planning.

Res. No. 4071 - Mr. H. David Wilson, Glace Bay - the 1999 Tory platform bears little resemblance to what the Premier had promised back in 1999.

Res. No. 4072 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - the health care system is still not fixed.

Res. No. 4073 - Mr. Gaudet, Clare - congratulations to Elsie Basque on receipt of an honouring degree.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4074 - Ms. Whalen, Halifax Clayton Park - congratulations to Robert Hemming for being named a Fellow of the Chartered Accountants.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days' notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 4075 - Mr. Sampson, Victoria-The Lakes - the Premier broke his promise that the debt would stop growing.

Res. No. 4076 - Mr. M. MacDonald, Cape Breton South - the Premier has broken his promise not to add to the debt.

Res. No. 4077 - Mr. Corbett, Cape Breton Centre - calling upon government to bring in detailed proposals for gasoline and home heating fuel legislation.

Res. No. 4078 - Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to Winbridge Construction Ltd.

Res. No. 4079 - Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to Strescon Ltd.

Res. No. 4080 - Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to Omega Formwork Inc.

Res. No. 4081 - Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to G & M Insulation and Siding Ltd.

Res. No. 4082 - Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Education - congratulations to Rod D. Smith on his volunteer service.

Res. No. 4083 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - congratulations to Sharon Adams Dean on an award.

Res. No. 4084 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - congratulations to Lorrie Penney on an award.

Res. No. 4085 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - congratulations to Stephen Hawboldt on an award.

Res. No. 4086 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Charles Scarrow on an award.

Res. No. 4087 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Kyle Cousins on his success.

Res. No. 4088 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Chris Goldenberg on his success.

Res. No. 4089 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Alta and Murray Covert.

Res. No. 4090 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Jenna Martin.

Res. No. 4091 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to Ken MacPherson.

Res. No. 4092 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - recognition of Louis Redden.

Res. No. 4093 - Mr. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - recognition of Karla Kelly.

Res. No. 4094 - Mr. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - congratulations to staff, students and communities supporting Islands Consolidated School.

Res. No. 4095 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Bernice Donaldson on an award.

Res. No. 4096 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Don Walls on an award.

Res. No. 4097 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Helen Scott on an award.

Res. No. 4098 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Kaye Weatherhead on an award.

Res. No. 4099 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Laura Lee Dickson on an award.

Res. No. 4100 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Marion Barr on an award.

Res. No. 4101 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Mary Fisher on an award.

Res. No. 4102 - Mr. MacDonell, Hants East - congratulations to Mike Watson on an award.

Res. No. 4103 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to 29 Sydney Kiwanis Air Cadets.

Res. No. 4104 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to 693 Sydney Rotary Squadron.

Res. No. 4105 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to R.C.L. Branch 138.

Res. No. 4106 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to Jim Charters.

Res. No. 4107 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - acknowledging Aliant workers for Kids Help Phone.

Res. No. 4108 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to Maureen Murrin.

Res. No. 4109 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to the Polish community in Whitney Pier.

Res. No. 4110 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - saluting the Salvation Army.

Res. No. 4111 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to R.C.L. Branch 12.

Res. No. 4112 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to R.C.L. Branch 128.

Res. No. 4113 - Hon. The Speaker - applauding the contribution of Cumberland County R.C.L. Branches.

Res. No. 4114 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to Springhill Jr./Sr. High School on hosting a career fair.

Res. No. 4115 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Darren Matthews.

Res. No. 4116 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Lynd Conrad.

Res. No. 4117 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Constable Brian Veniot.

Res. No. 4118 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing John Harlow.

Res. No. 4119 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Bob Murley.

Res. No. 4120 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Nick Verrall.

Res. No. 4121 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Jim Reader.

Res. No. 4122 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Wally Stephen.

Res. No. 4123 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Stephene Deleseleuc.

Res. No. 4124 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Scott Sutherland.

Res. No. 4125 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Tim Cull.

Res. No. 4126 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing John Timmons.

Res. No. 4127 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Mike Townsend.

Res. No. 4128 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Zak Stephen.

Res. No. 4129 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Francine Walsh.

Res. No. 4130 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing John Verrall.

Res. No. 4131 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Allen Trembley.

Res. No. 4132 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Janet Todd.

Res. No. 4133 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Cody MacLaughlin.

Res. No. 4134 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Percey Riley.

Res. No. 4135 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Kerry Johnston.

Res. No. 4136 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Twila Gosse.

Res. No. 4137 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Joyce States.

Res. No. 4138 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Mary Sparks.

Res. No. 4139 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Jeremiah Sparks.

Res. No. 4140 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Bessie Sparks.

Res. No. 4141 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Deaconess Sarah Bundy.

Res. No. 4142 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Alma Johnston.



Res. No. 4143 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Deborah Howe.

Res. No. 4144 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Ruth Clayton.

Res. No. 4145 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Deacon Rose Brooks.

Res. No. 4146 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Margaret Diggs.

Res. No. 4147 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Lavinia Thomas.

Res. No. 4148 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Laretta Riley.

Res. No. 4149 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Freda Williams.

Res. No. 4150 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Florence Brown.

Res. No. 4151 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Audrey Colley.

Res. No. 4152 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Dr. Joyce Ross.

Res. No. 4153 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - congratulations to Dr. Agnes Calliste.

Res. No. 4154 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Dalhousie Dental.

Res. No. 4155 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - commending the I.O.D.E.

Res. No. 4156 - Mr. Colwell, Preston - recognizing Diana Montag.

Res. No. 4157 - Mr. Parker, Pictou West - establish a commission to examine the state of the fishery.

**SUPPLY UNTO HER MAJESTY**

On motion that the House resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole on Supply, a debate ensued during which the following took part: Ms. Massey, Mr. Graham and Mr. Taylor. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the motion carried nem con.

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. E32, relating to the Department of Transportation and Public Works. STOOD.

The Chairman of the Sub-Committee reported that the Committee had concluded its consideration of the Estimates referred to it. All Resolutions were then carried in the Committee.

The Committee rose and reported approval of all Estimates referred to it. On motion of concurrence, the same was carried and the Supply Resolutions are as follows:

**HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY  
NOVA SCOTIA  
SESSION 2005  
RESOLUTIONS ON ESTIMATES  
AND CROWN CORPORATION BUSINESS PLANS  
FOR FISCAL YEAR**

## APRIL 1, 2005 - MARCH 31, 2006

- E1. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$44,113,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, pursuant to the Estimate and business plans of the Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission, the Nova Scotia Farm Loan Board and the Nova Scotia Fisheries and Aquaculture Loan Board be approved.
- E2. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$716,174,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Community Services, pursuant to the Estimate and the business plan of the Nova Scotia Housing Development Corporation be approved.
- E3. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,074,377,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Education, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E4. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$206,711,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Assistance to Universities, Department of Education, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E5. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$9,619,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Energy, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E6. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$27,947,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Environment and Labour, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E7. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$16,858,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Finance, pursuant to the Estimate and the business plans of the Nova Scotia Government Fund Limited and the Nova Scotia Power Finance Corporation be approved.
- E8. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,017,065,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Debt Servicing Costs, Department of Finance, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E9. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,559,740,000 be granted

to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Health, pursuant to the Estimate.

- E10. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$107,847,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Justice, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E11. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$63,098,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Natural Resources, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E12. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$4,091,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Communications Nova Scotia, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E13. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,008,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Emergency Measures Organization of Nova Scotia, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E14. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$22,254,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Executive Council, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E15. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$245,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the FOIPOP Review Office, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E16. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$8,050,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Government Contributions to Benefit Plans, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E17. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,843,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Human Rights Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E18. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$20,384,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Legislative Services, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E19. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$834,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Advisory Council on the Status of Women, pursuant to the

Estimate.

- E20. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$29,993,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Nova Scotia Business Inc., pursuant to the Estimate and the business plan for Nova Scotia Business Inc. be approved.
- E21. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$343,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Police Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E22. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,654,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Securities Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E23. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$3,087,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E24. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$45,273,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of Economic Development, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E25. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$23,919,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of Health Promotion, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E26. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,657,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of the Auditor General, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E27. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,152,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of the Ombudsman, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E28. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$15,680,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Public Prosecution Service, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E29. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$979,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Senior Citizens Secretariat, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E30. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$96,384,000 be granted to

the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations, pursuant to the Estimate and the business plan of the Nova Scotia Municipal Finance Corporation be approved.

- E31. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$42,383,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Tourism, Culture and Heritage pursuant to the Estimate and the business plan of the Art Gallery of Nova Scotia be approved.
- E32. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$263,954,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Transportation and Public Works, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E33. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$83,615,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Restructuring Costs, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E34. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$24,379,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Pension Valuation Adjustment, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E35. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$280,000,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Capital Purchase Requirements, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E36. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$91,272,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Sinking Fund Instalments and Serial Retirements, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E37. RESOLVED, that the business plans of the Nova Scotia Film Development Corporation, the Nova Scotia Innovation Corporation, the Trade Centre Limited and the Waterfront Development Corporation be approved.
- E38. RESOLVED, that the business plan of the Halifax-Dartmouth Bridge Commission be approved.
- E39. RESOLVED, that the business plan of the Nova Scotia Gaming Corporation be approved.
- E40. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Nova Scotia Harness Racing

Incorporated be approved.

- E41. RESOLVED, that the business plan of the Nova Scotia Liquor Corporation be approved.
- E42. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Rockingham Terminal Inc. be approved.
- E43. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Sydney Environmental Resources Ltd./Sydney Steel Corporation be approved.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced by the following Member and read a first time:

**No. 215. An Act to Provide for Defraying Certain Charges and Expenses of the Public Service of the Province**

**(Hon. Mr. Christie - Minister of Finance)**

On a recorded vote on second reading, there being 39 for the motion and 11 opposed, the bill was forthwith read a second time and upon the motion for third reading was read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

### PUBLIC BILLS

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Russell, Government House Leader, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 177. Financial Measurements (2005) Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Morse, Minister of Community Services, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 202. Children and Family Services Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Ms. More

and Hon. Mr. Morse in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. MacIsaac, Minister of Health, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 117. Emergency Health Services Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. David A. Wilson, Mr. H. David Wilson, Hon. Mr. Speaker and Hon. Mr. MacIsaac in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 145. Elections Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Parker, Ms. Whalen and Hon. Mr. Baker in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 146. Cross-border Policing Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Deveaux and Hon. Mr. Baker in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 147. Youth Justice/Motor Vehicle Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Deveaux, Mr. Samson and Hon. Mr. Baker in Reply. The question being



put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 148. Justice Administration Amendment (2005) Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Fage, Minister of Economic Development, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 152. Liquor Control Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Gosse, Mr. Colwell, Mr. Estabrooks, Mr. Samson and Hon. Mr. Fage in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Education, on behalf of Hon. Mr. MacIsaac, Minister of Health, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 158. Paramedics Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. David A. Wilson, Mr. H. David Wilson, Mr. Samson and Hon. Mr. Muir in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Education, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 159. Université Sainte-Anne - Collège de l'Acadie Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Education, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 160. University College of Cape Breton Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Samson and Hon. Mr. Muir in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Morash, Minister of Environment and Labour, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 161. Special Places Protection Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Education, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 165. Education Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Estabrooks, Ms. Whalen and Hon. Mr. Muir in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

**PRIVATE AND LOCAL BILLS**

Pursuant to the order, Hon. Mr. Hurlburt, Minister of Natural Resources, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 134. Yarmouth Marketing and Promotions Levy Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

**PRIVATE MEMBERS' PUBLIC BILLS**

Pursuant to the order, Mr. Pye, Dartmouth North, moved second

reading of the following bill:

**No. 210. Health Authorities Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. H. David Wilson and Mr. Pye in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, Mr. Dexter, Leader of the Opposition, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 197. Fisheries and Coastal Resources**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Samson, Hon. Mr. d'Entremont and Mr. Dexter in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, Mr. Dexter, Leader of the Opposition, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 207. Provincial Finance Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Samson, Hon. Mr. Muir and Mr. Deveaux in Reply. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, Mr. MacKinnon, Cape Breton West, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 192. Alexander Graham Bell Day Act**

The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered that the bill be referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 Noon.