

The House met at 9:00 A.M.

Prayers.

### GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 984 - Hon. The Premier - recognition of the IWK Health Centre auxiliary volunteers generosity of spirit exhibited through the last 60 years.

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

Res. No. 985 - Hon. Mr. Scott, Minister of Justice - supporting legislation to improve the safety on highways.

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

Res. No. 986 - Hon. Mr. Taylor, Minister of Agriculture - congratulations to the Nova Scotia Sheep Breeders' Association for their role in the creation of the Nova Scotia tartan.

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. 117. An Act to Amend Chapter 4 of the Acts of 1991, the Members and Public Employees Disclosure Act**

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

**No. 118. An Act to Amend Chapter 217 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Income Tax Act**

**(Ms. Whalen - Halifax Clayton Park)**

**No. 119. An Act to Amend Chapter 140 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Elections Act**

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

**No. 120. An Act to Amend Chapter 293 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Motor Vehicle Act**

**(Mr. McNeil - Annapolis)**

**NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 987 - Mr. Deveaux, Cole Harbour-Eastern Passage - recognition of Forest Hill Drug Mart on receipt of the James Britten Senior Leadership Award from the Schizophrenia Society of Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 988 - Mr. Gaudet, Clare - congratulations to Lisa Thibodeau on her bronze medal in five pin bowling at the Special Olympics Canada 2006 Summer Games.

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

Res. No. 989 - Mr. Dunn, Pictou Centre - congratulations to Jim Sears for his lifelong commitment to athletics.

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

Res. No. 990 - Ms. M. MacDonald, Halifax Needham - congratulations to the United Memorial Church, Reverend Sandra Cox and the congregation on its 85<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

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

Res. No. 991 - Mr. Glavine, Kings West - urging the government

to cease clear-cutting in the Chignecto Game Reserve.

Res. No. 992 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - recognition of the service of Richie Hamilton overseas.

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

Res. No. 993 - Mr. Parker, Pictou West - recognition of the Pictou Town Accommodations Group for organizing the Inn-Keeping with Christmas Traditions event.

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

Res. No. 994 - Mr. McNeil, Annapolis - congratulations to the Highland Village Museum for its efforts to promote Gaelic culture.

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

Res. No. 995 - Hon. Mr. Barnet, Minister of Health Promotion and Protection - best wishes to the Sackville Flyers Pee Wee Triple A Team.

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

Res. No. 996 - Mr. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to David Pyke on his golfing success with two holes-in-one at the Lingan Golf and Country Club.

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

Res. No. 997 - Mr. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - recognition of the contributions made by the "Tree of Life" Campaign.

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

Res. No. 998 - Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations, on behalf of Hon. Mr. Baker, Minister of Finance - recognition of Lunenburg Academy, Lunenburg High School and Patti

Robertson for their commitment to healthy eating.

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

Res. No. 999 - Ms. Conrad, Queens - congratulations to the Milton Dambusters on another successful season in the swimming pool.

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

Res. No. 1000 - Hon. Mr. Parent, Minister of Environment and Labour - congratulations to those winning Kings County Business Awards.

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

Res. No. 1001 - Hon. Ms. Bolivar-Getson, Minister of Immigration - congratulations to Danny Carey's Insurance Agency on 45 years of service.

Res. No. 1002 - Hon. Ms. Bolivar-Getson, Minister of Immigration - congratulations to Mary Dixon on her photo exhibit at Viewpoint Gallery.

Res. No. 1003 - Hon. The Speaker - congratulations to the SS Caribou Commemorative Committee on the play "Remember the Caribou".

Res. No. 1004 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - commending Canada World Youth and Andrew Sisk with organizing nine families in Windsor-West Hants hosting young adults from Jamaica.

Res. No. 1005 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - congratulations to Debbie Bowes and her team on the opening of the Orchid Salon and Day Spa.

Res. No. 1006 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - congratulations to the board members of the Avon River Heritage Society on their tireless volunteer efforts in their community.

Res. No. 1007 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - congratulations to staff and students at Dr. Arthur Hines School on celebrating 40 years.

Res. No. 1008 - Mr. Porter, Hants West - congratulations to Ian Card on becoming an Eagle Scout.

**PUBLIC BILLS**

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

**No. 17. Criminal Notoriety 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. Scott, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 21. Justice Administration Amendment (2006) Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. Deveaux. 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. Scott, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 58. Justice Administration Amendment (Fall 2006) 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. Scott, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 75. Securities 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. Scott, Minister of Justice, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 23. Wills 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.

### **CWH ON BILLS**

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

Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

The Chairman took the chair of the Committee.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chairman reported that the Committee had met and considered the following bills and recommended the same to the favourable consideration of the House, each without amendment:

**No. 7. Registered Nurses Act**

**No. 9. Municipal Government Act**

**No. 11. Licensed Practical Nurses Act**

**No. 15. Municipal Government Act**

**No. 84. Wind Turbine Facilities Municipal Taxation Act**

**No. 91. Trade Union Act**

The foregoing bills were ordered to be read a third time on a future day.

### **PUBLIC BILLS**

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

**No. 114. Engineering Profession Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Mr. MacDonell and Hon. Mr. Scott in Reply. The question being put by Mr.

Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Muir, Minister of Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 95. Municipal Government Act**

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

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

**No. 115. Architects Act**

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

**PUBLIC BILLS**

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. Mr. Barnet, Minister of Health Promotion and Protection, moved third reading of the following bill:

**No. 62. Tobacco Access 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.

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Monday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 P.M.