

The House met at 4:30 P.M.

Prayers.

TABLING REPORTS, REGULATIONS AND OTHER PAPERS

Pursuant to the order, the Hon. C. Clarke, Minister of Justice, tabled the Annual Report of the Public Trustee (2008).

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 4478 - Hon. R. MacDonald, Premier - welcoming delegates of the National Energy Efficiency Conference.

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

Res. No. 4479 - Hon. C. d'Entremont, Minister of Health - recognizing Pain Awareness Week in Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 4480 - Hon. A. MacIsaac, Minister of Economic Development - congratulations to the staff at Nova Scotia Economic Development on a very successful conference.

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

Res. No. 4481 - Hon. J. Streach, Minister of Community Services - commending the L'Arche organization along with their staff and volunteers.

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

Res. No. 4482 - Hon. K. Casey, Minister of Education - congratulations to Dalhousie University, Saint Mary's University, St. Francis Xavier University, Acadia University and Nova Scotia Agricultural

College as being identified among Canada's top research universities.

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

Res. No. 4483 - Hon. M. Parent, Minister of Environment - congratulations to Jim Reid of Green Solutions.

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

Res. No. 4484 - Hon. D. Morse, Minister of Natural Resources - thanking Eric Pick and Mark Saywood for their bravery and dedication to our province.

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

Res. No. 4485 - Hon. K. Casey, Minister of Education - congratulations to Acadia University and Annapolis Valley Regional School Board for the first official partnership.

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

Res. No. 4486 - Hon. M. Parent, Minister of Environment - congratulation to the residents of Truro Cool for pledging to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

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

Res. No. 4487 - Hon. C. d'Entremont, Minister of Health - recognizing the "CPR Anytime Kit" as a research-proven method of teaching core CPR training.

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. 201. An Act Respecting the Practice of Counselling Therapists

(Hon. C. d'Entremont - Minister of Health)

No. 202. An Act to Amend Chapter 260 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Liquor Control Act

(L. Preyra - Halifax Citadel-Sable Island)

No. 203. An Act to Amend Chapter 208 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Hospitals Act

(Hon. C. d'Entremont - Minister of Health)

No. 204. An Act to Enable the Transfer of Lands Necessary for the Expansion of the Queen Elizabeth II Health Sciences Centre

(Hon. C. d'Entremont - Minister of Health)

NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 4488 - Hon. D. Dexter, Leader of the Opposition - reminding the federal Finance Minister of the importance of federal transfer payments.

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

Res. No. 4489 - Hon. S. McNeil, Leader of the Liberal Party - recognizing the life and contributions of John Graham MacInnes.

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

Res. No. 4490 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - best wishes to the Village of Baddeck and organizers of the Silver Dart Centennial celebrations.

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

Res. No. 4491 - Hon. D. Dexter, Leader of the Opposition - urging the federal government to work with shipbuilding and marine supply industries.

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

Res. No. 4492 - Hon. S. McNeil, Leader of the Liberal Party - recognizing Manning MacDonald, Cape Breton South for his 10 consecutive electoral victories.

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

Res. No. 4493 - P. Dunn, Pictou Centre - congratulations to Carol and Henderson Paris.

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

Res. No. 4494 - David A. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulations to the organizing committee, sponsors and local committees for the 2nd Annual Weir Rockin' concert.

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

Res. No. 4495 - K. Colwell, Preston - the Premier and his Cabinet refrain from encouraging the loss of well paying jobs for Nova Scotians.

Res. No. 4496 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - congratulations to the Rankin Memorial School communities for more than 50 years of excellent rural education.

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

Res. No. 4497 - Maureen MacDonald, Halifax Needham - congratulations to Vince Calderhead on his award.

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

Res. No. 4498 - M. Samson, Richmond - recognizing the efforts of the winners of the Healthy Business Awards.

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

Res. No. 4499 - P. Dunn, Pictou Centre - welcoming Corporal Arthur Landry home from Afghanistan.

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

Res. No. 4500 - J. Massey, Dartmouth East - recognizing Pain Awareness Week in Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 4501 - H. David Wilson, Glace Bay - congratulations to the players and coaches of the Glace Bay Dare Devils.

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

Res. No. 4502 - Hon. C. d'Entremont, Minister of Health - congratulations to Roland Surette on his devotion, dedication and contributions to the Acadian/Metis movement.

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

Res. No. 4503 - V. Conrad, Queens - recognizing the residents of Petite Riviere.

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

Res. No. 4504 - H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - committing to help guide lobster fishermen through this time of economic turmoil.

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

Res. No. 4505 - Hon. M. Parent, Minister of Labour and Workforce Development - recognizing the significance of LRB Fabricators Ltd.'s accomplishment.

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

Res. No. 4506 - V. Conrad, Queens - recognizing the Mi'Kmaq Art Show "from stone to canvass" in Liverpool.

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

Res. No. 4507 - L. Glavine, Kings West - congratulations to Amos (Bud) Ewing on 60 years of service to the Waterville and District Fire Department.

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

Res. No. 4508 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Minister of Human Resources - congratulations to Tyler Wile of Hebbville Academy.

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

Res. No. 4509 - B. Estabrooks, Timberlea-Prospect - congratulations to Candace Slauenwhite on graduating from RCMP Training Academy.

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

Res. No. 4510 - L. Glavine, Kings West - requesting the Hon. The Premier to provide an economic update on the province's finances.

Res. No. 4511 - S. Belliveau, Shelburne - requesting the provincial Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture to call a meeting with the federal government regarding changes to lobster regulations.

Res. No. 4512 - C. MacKinnon, Pictou East - best wishes to New Glasgow Mayor Barrie MacMillan on his years of dedicated service.

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

Res. No. 4513 - B. Kent, Cole Harbour-Eastern Passage - congratulations to 12 Wing Shearwater on their 90th Anniversary of serving Canada.

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

Res. No. 4514 - G. Gosse, Cape Breton Nova - congratulations to the Cape Breton University Capers women's soccer team.

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

Res. No. 4515 - S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulations to the Community of Lockport for hosting a fundraising event.

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

Res. No. 4516 - B. Kent, Cole Harbour-Eastern Passage - commending Ruth and Stacey Tinker for donating their hair to Hair for Heros program.

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

PUBLIC BILLS

On motion, the adjourned debate on second reading of the following bill was then resumed:

No. 179. Halifax Regional Municipality Charter

The debate resumed with Hon. B. Taylor. The question being put by Mr. Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

On motion, the adjourned debate on second reading of the following bill was then resumed:

No. 181. Halifax Regional Municipality Act

The debate resumed with B. Kent and D. Whalen, who adjourned the debate.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Tuesday, November 4th at 2:00 P.M.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

The following notices were passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 4517 - Hon. R. Hurlburt, Yarmouth - congratulations to David Mooney on receipt of the Mel Hebb Hourglass Action Award.

Res. No. 4518 - Hon. L. Goucher, Bedford-Birch Cove - recognizing the Nuts4Ribs event and bringing awareness to testicular cancer.

Res. No. 4519 - Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North- congratulations to the Masstown Market for being chosen the Best Commercial Float.

Res. No. 4520 - Hon. R. MacDonald, Inverness - congratulations to the Mother of Sorrows Shrine on their 40th Anniversary.

Res. No. 4521 - C. Porter, Hants West - applauding David Garland on his hole-in-one at the Avon Valley Golf and Country Club.

Res. No. 4522 - C. Porter, Hants West - applauding Kevin Ruffell on his hole-in-one at the Avon Valley Golf and Country Club.

Res. No. 4523 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Family Fries.

Res. No. 4524 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Mike Landry Appliance Repair.

Res. No. 4525 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the

contributions of Bernfield Kennels.

Res. No. 4526 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Bluenose Well Drilling Limited.

Res. No. 4527 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Bevlo Products.

Res. No. 4528 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Betty's Wedding and Formal Wear.

Res. No. 4529 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Chorister Gowns and Robes.

Res. No. 4530 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Century 21 representative George Marks.

Res. No. 4531 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Clam Harbour Beach Motel.

Res. No. 4532 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Chezzetcook Towing and Recovery.

Res. No. 4533 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Cougar Cars Inc.

Res. No. 4534 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Country Classic Cuts.

Res. No. 4535 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Cox NAPA Auto Parts.

Res. No. 4536 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Darr Welding and Fabricating Limited.

Res. No. 4537 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Down East Starter and Alternator Services.

Res. No. 4538 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of East Coast Window Fashions.

Res. No. 4539 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Eastern Shore Auto Salvage Limited.

Res. No. 4540 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Dr. Frazer Mullins.

Res. No. 4541 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Elephant's Nest Bed and Breakfast.

Res. No. 4542 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Erica's Day Care Centre.

Res. No. 4543 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Fawcett's Mini Excavating.

Res. No. 4544 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Gaetz Custom Homes.

Res. No. 4545 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Gabe's Heating.

Res. No. 4546 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Harbour Ridge Golf Club.

Res. No. 4547 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Iron for Home and Garden.

Res. No. 4548 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Jeddore Lodge and Cabins.

Res. No. 4549 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Jeddore Variety.

Res. No. 4550 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Investors Group Financial Services Inc.

Res. No. 4551 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Jerry's Septic Tank Pumping Service.

Res. No. 4552 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Jimmy Flynn Productions Limited.

Res. No. 4553 - Hon. B. Dooks, Eastern Shore - applauding the contributions of Rolling Stone Construction Company Limited.

Res. No. 4554 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West -

congratulations to Gregor Stabenow on winning the Junior Boys Pole Vault Title.

Res. No. 4555 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Haley Gates on winning the Junior Girls Pole Vault Title.

Res. No. 4556 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Maia Jorgenson on winning the Senior Girls Pole Vault Title.

Res. No. 4557 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Maia Jorgenson on her gold and silver medals at the Provincial Track & Field Championships.

Res. No. 4558 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Marcus Dolliver on winning the Intermediate Boys High Jump Title.

Res. No. 4559 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Marielle Guerrero on winning the Junior Girls Shot Put Title.

Res. No. 4560 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Moria Frier on winning the Intermediate Girls Javelin Title.

Res. No. 4561 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Nick Mercer on winning the Senior Boys Shot Put Title.

Res. No. 4562 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Rachel McIntosh on winning five gold medals at the District Track & Field Championships in Bridgewater .

Res. No. 4563 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Rachel McIntosh on winning three gold medals at the Provincial Track & Field Championships.

Res. No. 4564 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Rebecca Bell on winning the Senior Girls Triple Jump Title.

Res. No. 4565 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West -

congratulations to Sydney Nickerson on winning the Junior Girls Javelin Title.

Res. No. 4566 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Cameron MacLennan on winning gold in the men's 16 to 17 years category 800-metre run and the 400-metre dash.

Res. No. 4567 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Elijah Bond on winning gold in the 13 to 15 years category for the 200- and 400-metre dash.

Res. No. 4568 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Emma Lohnes on finishing first in the women's 12 to 15 years category 80-metre hurdles.

Res. No. 4569 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Haley Gates on coming in second in her 80-metre hurdles on finishing second in women's 12 to 15 years category 80-metre hurdles.

Res. No. 4570 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Haley Gates on winning silver in the girl's 80-metre hurdle and gold in triple jump.

Res. No. 4571 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Jennifer Pitman on winning gold in the women's 16/17 400-metre dash.

Res. No. 4572 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Andrew MacDonald on winning the Intermediate Boys Shot Put Title.

Res. No. 4573 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Maia Jorgenson on winning second place in the triple jump and the 100-metre hurdles.

Res. No. 4574 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Maria Wolter on winning second place in the women's 15- and-under long jump.

Res. No. 4575 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Marielle Guerrero on winning second place in her 14/15 age group in women's shot put .

Res. No. 4576 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Mattias Wolter on winning silver in senior boys 800 and 1500 metre.

Res. No. 4577 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Rebecca Bell on winning gold in the senior girls triple jump and bronze in long jump.

Res. No. 4578 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Sydney Nickerson of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4579 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Peter Ryan of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4580 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Nick Vanwhythen of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4581 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Matt Taylor of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4582 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Marielle Guerrero of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

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Res. No. 4584 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Lucas Wile of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4585 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Lily Gordon of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4586 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Katelyn Carver of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4587 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Leigh Manley of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4588 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Justin Taylor of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4589 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Justin Montreil of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4590 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Jonah Langley of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4591 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to the students of Hebbville Academy of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4592 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Haley Gates of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4593 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Gavin Hatheway of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4594 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Gavin Cameron of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4595 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Cameron MacLennan of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4596 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Breanna Haley of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4597 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West - congratulations to Andrew Mosher of the Hebbville Academy's Track &

Field team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.

Res. No. 4598 - Hon. C. Bolivar-Getson, Lunenburg West -
congratulations to Nigel Getson of the Hebbville Academy's Track & Field
team on winning the Provincial Banner in Track & Field.