

The House met at 9:00 A.M.

Prayers.

### PRESENTING AND READING PETITIONS

C. MacKinnon, Pictou East, tabled a petition respecting the twinning of the Trans Canada Highway and clear signage regarding scenic Route 245.

C. MacKinnon, Pictou East, tabled a petition requesting the government to remove Scots from British subject status and recognize Scots as an ethnic group.

### GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 1747 - Hon. D. Dexter, Premier - recognizing the significance of October as Mi'Kmaq History Month.

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

Res. No. 1748 - Hon. P. Paris, Minister of African Nova Scotian Affairs - congratulating Josephine Johnson on her honorary degree from Mount Saint Vincent University.

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

Res. No. 1749 - Hon. Maureen MacDonald, Minister of Health - congratulating Capital Health as being named one of the top 100 best places to work in Canada.

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. 73. An Act to Amend Chapter 179 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Forests Act**

**(L. Glavine - Kings West)**

**No. 74. An Act to Amend Chapter 250 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Land Titles Clarification Act**

**(Hon. J. MacDonell - Minister of Natural Resources)**

**No. 75. An Act to Repeal Chapter 283 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Merchandise Inspection Act**

**(Hon. J. MacDonell - Minister of Natural Resources)**

#### **NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 1750 - D. Whalen, Halifax Clayton Park - acknowledging the efforts of Cardiovascular Health Nova Scotia on World Stroke Day.

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

Res. No. 1751 - A. MacMaster, Inverness - congratulating Shalom Community Home and Director Diana Poirier on their grand opening.

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

Res. No. 1752 - Hon. B. Estabrooks, Timberlea-Prospect - congratulating Al Reyner on his appointment as Principal of Sir John A. Macdonald High School.

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

Res. No. 1753 - A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West - congratulating Mike Forgeron on his induction into the Nova Scotia Sports Hall of Fame.

With the unanimous consent of the House, the usual two days'

notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 1754 - C. MacKinnon, Pictou East - congratulating the emergency services providers who came to the aid of the people of Pictou East on June 2010.

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

Res. No. 1755 - Hon. C. d'Entremont, Leader in the House of the Progressive Conservative Party - congratulating the accomplishments of Musée des Acadiens des Pubnico.

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

Res. No. 1756 - V. Conrad, Queens - recognizing Capt. Aaron Goodick on becoming the new Cadet Commander of Air Cadet Wing 545.

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

Res. No. 1757 - Hon. C. Clarke, Cape Breton North - congratulating Philip Riteman on his new book.

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

Res. No. 1758 - L. Preyra, Halifax Citadel-Sable Island - congratulating the organizers, partners, participants and judges of Construction Nova Scotia for their work to help support Feed Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 1759 - Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North - congratulating Caroline Blair and Girl Guides in Canada on their 100<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. 1760 - M. Whynott, Hammonds Plains-Upper Sackville - congratulating all involved with the Weir Rockin' concert on its success.

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

Res. No. 1761 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - extending deepest sympathy to the family of the late Robert MacLellan.

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

Res. No. 1762 - J. Boudreau, Guysborough-Sheet Harbour - congratulating Robyn Meagher on her induction into the Nova Scotia Sports Hall of Fame.

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

Res. No. 1763 - A. MacMaster, Inverness - thanking Jim Davis for his 30 years of service to the Town of Port Hawkesbury.

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

Res. No. 1764 - L. Preyra, Halifax Citadel-Sable Island - acknowledging Muriel Duckworth's various honours and celebrating her life in Marion Kerans' new book.

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

Res. No. 1765 - A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West - congratulating Dr. Carl "Bucky" Buchanan on being inducted into the Nova Scotia Sports Hall of Fame.

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

Res. No. 1766 - G. Burrill, Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley - congratulating Roy Hartlin on being recognized as Fair Person of the Year.

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

Res. No. 1767 - Hon. C. d'Entremont, Leader in the House for the

Progressive Conservative Party - congratulating Luke Murphy on his bike-a-thon fundraiser for the IWK.

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

Res. No. 1768 - V. Conrad, Queens - recognizing Queens Fit Pro Initiative Discount at Queen's Fitness Centre for their lifestyle program.

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

Res. No. 1769 - Hon. C. Clarke, Cape Breton North - applauding the efforts of physicians like Dr. Michael Igoe and Doctors Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 1770 - M. Whynott, Hammonds Plains-Upper Sackville - congratulating Christina Parker and members of the Hammonds Plains Historical Society on their formation.

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

Res. No. 1771 - Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North - congratulating Comrade Neil Morash on his 65-year long-service award from the Royal Canadian Legion Cobequid Branch 72.

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

Res. No. 1772 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - congratulating Alex Nicholson's participation in the Baddeck Terry Fox Run.

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

## **PUBLIC BILLS**

Hon. R. Landry, Minister of Justice, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 72. Police Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. M. Samson, Hon. C. Clarke and Hon. R. Landry 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.

**ADDRESS IN REPLY**

On motion, the adjourned debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne was resumed. The debate continued with Hon. C. Clarke, G. MacLellan, Z. Churchill and L. Preyra. The debate was deemed to be adjourned.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Monday, November 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 P.M.

**NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32**

The following notice was passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 1773 - C. Porter, Hants West - applauding Jacob Lloy on exceptional golfing skills.