The House met at 2:00 P.M.

Prayers.

## PRESENTING AND READING PETITIONS

S. Prest, Eastern Shore, tabled a petition asking for repair and paving of the West Jeddore Road.

### STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

Hon. P. Paris, Minister of Economic and Rural Development, rose to announce the "JobsHere" program.

Comments were made by Z. Churchill and Hon. J. Baillie.

## PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

D. Whalen, Halifax Clayton Park, tabled the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, Annual Report 2010.

#### **GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 2280 - Hon. D. Dexter, Premier - recognizing the continued success of the LED Roadway Lighting Ltd. and being the successful bidder on two tenders in New Brunswick.

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

Res. No. 2281 - Hon. M. More, Minister of Education - recognizing the remarkable opportunities and research infrastructure of the Nova Scotia Research and Innovation Trust.

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. 104. An Act to Amend Chapter 132 of the Acts of 1948, an Act to Incorporate the Trustees of Liverpool United Baptist Church

(V. Conrad - Queens)

No. 105. An Act to Amend Chapter 1 of the Acts of 1995-96, the Education Act

(Hon. M. More - Minister of Education)

No. 106. An Act to Amend Chapter 194 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Handicapped Persons' Education Act

(Hon. M. More - Minister of Education)

# NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 2282 - Hon. S. McNeil, Leader of the Official Opposition - congratulating D. Whalen on receiving the Lebanese Community Support Award.

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

Res. No. 2283 - Hon. J. Baillie, Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party - congratulating the Lebanese community on the occasion of Lebanese Independence Day.

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

Res. No. 2284 - M. Raymond, Halifax Atlantic - congratulating Donna Hiebert Designs on designing an official ring for Nova Scotia Agricultural College graduates past and present.

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

notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 2285 - D. Whalen, Halifax Clayton Park - acknowledging the leadership of the Canadian Diabetes Association on forecasting an increase in diabetes in Nova Scotia and urging government to develop strategies for prevention.

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

Res. No. 2286 - A. MacMaster, Inverness - recognizing achievements of Sesagasi Unamakik 355 and wishing them continued success.

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

Res. No. 2287 - G. Ramey, Lunenburg West - congratulating Harold Conrad on his 2010 Lifetime Achievement Award from the Canadian Volunteer Fire Services Association.

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

Res. No. 2288 - A. Younger, Dartmouth East - recognizing Alice Housing in Dartmouth for receiving the Peter F. Drucker Award for Non-Profit Management.

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

Res. No. 2289 - A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West - congratulating Louisbourg Seafoods for winning the One-Star Award for superior taste.

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

Res. No. 2290 - M. Whynott, Hammonds Plains-Upper Sackville - congratulating Brad Marchand on his first ever NHL goal against the Buffalo Sabers.

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

Res. No. 2291 - K. Regan, Bedford-Birch Cove - congratulating Gerry McConnell and the late Dara Gordon on the success of Benjamin Bridge.

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

Res. No. 2292 - Hon. C. Clarke, Cape Breton North - congratulating Crystal Dandy for her volunteer work with CARE India and her ongoing work with Pfizer Canada.

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

Res. No. 2293 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - recognizing the late Dr. Andrew Eisenhauer and his many achievements.

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

Res. No. 2294 - Hon. K. Colwell, Preston - recognizing the community involvement of 87-year-old Sara Bundy as well her jams, jellies and homemade baked goods.

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

Res. No. 2295 - Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North - congratulating Raymond Ernest Dwyer on his long-service award with the Government of Nova Scotia for 35 years of service.

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

Res. No. 2296 - K. Regan, Bedford-Birch Cove - congratulating Sharon and Wayne Ingalls on the publication of their book "Sweet Suburb: A History of Prince's Lodge, Birch Cove and Rockingham".

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

Res. No. 2297 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - congratulating and supporting the mission of the Collaborative Partnerships Network.

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

Res. No. 2298 - H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - urging the government to ensure Digby receives what is needed to be the service harbour for the tidal power industry in the Bay of Fundy.

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

Res. No. 2299 - Hon. J. Baillie, Cumberland South - urging the NDP government to create real job strategies by cutting red tape and putting in place a competitive tax regime.

Res. No. 2300 - Z. Churchill, Yarmouth - recognizing Deanna McCarron and young members of Kidzact for making a positive contribution to the youth of Yarmouth.

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

Res. No. 2301 - Hon. C. Clarke, Cape Breton North - congratulating Richard Penny on his good work keeping the community clean.

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

Res. No. 2302 - G. MacLellan, Glace Bay - congratulating the 19 volunteers of the Isle Royal Chapter of the Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire on their 75<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. 2303 - A. MacMaster, Inverness - congratulating Mary Jane Lamond on winning the prestigious 2010 Portia White Prize.

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

Res. No. 2304 - A. Younger, Dartmouth East - thanking the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Scotia Chapter for their work.

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

Res. No. 2305 - K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes - congratulating Krista Dunn on winning numerous athletic awards.

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

Res. No. 2306 - D. Whalen, Halifax Clayton Park - congratulating Katie O'Connell, Halifax West High School, for organizing the Run for a Cure.

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

Res. No. 2307 - L. Glavine, Kings West - congratulating Mike Trinacty and members for the success of the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Berwick 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. 2308 - Z. Churchill, Yarmouth - congratulating Shirley Hubbard on receiving the YMCA of Yarmouth's Peace Medal.

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

## **PUBLIC BILLS**

Hon. F. Corbett, Deputy Premier, moved second reading of the following bill:

#### No. 99. Conflict of Interest Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. S. McNeil, Hon. J. Baillie, Hon. M. Samson, Hon. C. Clarke and Hon. F. Corbett 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.

Hon. M. More, Minister of Labour and Workforce Development,

moved second reading of the following bill:

## No. 100. Labour Board Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: K. Regan, K. Bain and Hon. M. More 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.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Wednesday, November  $24^{\text{th}}$  at 2:00 P.M.

# **NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32**

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

Res. No. 2309 - Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North - congratulating Gerald Wright for his 30 years of service with the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal.

Res. No. 2310 - H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis - congratulating Nick Wagner and Haylee Lombard on winning the Keith Trimper Memorial Trophy.

Res. No. 2311 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - congratulating Trevor Banfield for his 15 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 2312 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - congratulating Tony Hunt for his 10 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 2313 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - congratulating Tony Feener for his 30 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 2314 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - congratulating Richard Demone for his 20 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 2315 - P. Birdsall, Lunenburg - congratulating Randy

- Weagle for his 15 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2316 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Kendall Black for his 30 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2317 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating John Lohnes for his 15 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2318 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Gary Mossman for his 10 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2319 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Donald Parks for his 35 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2320 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Donald Heckman for his 30 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2321 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Derrick Church for his 25 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2322 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Corey Hodder for his 5 years of service through his commitment to the Lunenburg Volunteer Fire Department.
- Res. No. 2323 J. Morton, Kings North congratulating Rachel Mader on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.
- Res. No. 2324 J. Morton, Kings North congratulating Meaghan Vaughan on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.
- Res. No. 2325 J. Morton, Kings North congratulating Katie Russell on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.

Res. No. 2326 - J. Morton, Kings North - congratulating Gillan Cumby on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.

Res. No. 2327 - J. Morton, Kings North - congratulating Chloe Corkum on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.

Res. No. 2328 - J. Morton, Kings North - congratulating Breanna Davenport on winning the NSSAF Western Region Cross Country Championship.

Res. No. 2329 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating the Shelburne Sobeys store on being presented the Green Award at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2330 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Shannon Crowell on being named Tourism Operator of the Year at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2331 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Laura Lucille Stuart on being named the Employee of the Year at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2332 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Guy Tipton for his Community Service Award at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2333 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Goulden's Shell on being named Business of the Year at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2334 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Bill Chidiac on being named Entrepreneur of the Year at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.

Res. No. 2335 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating

- Cooke Aquaculture Inc. for being named Exporter of the Year at the Shelburne County Business Development and Shelburne and Area Chamber of Commerce 2010 Business Excellence Awards.
- Res. No. 2336 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Robin d'Eon for being presented the Fisherman and Scientists Research Society Outstanding Achievement Award.
- Res. No. 2337 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Delana Burke for being presented the Fisherman and Scientists Research Society Outstanding Achievement Award.
- Res. No. 2338 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Charlotte Scott for being presented the Fisherman and Scientists Research Society Outstanding Achievement Award.
- Res. No. 2339 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating School House Gluten-Free Gourmet for their recognition by the Lunenburg Queens Business Excellence Awards.
- Res. No. 2340 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Meisner and Zwicker Construction Ltd. for their recognition by the Lunenburg Queens Business Excellence Awards.
- Res. No. 2341 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating HEKA Electronics Inc. for their recognition by the Lunenburg Queens Business Excellence Awards.
- Res. No. 2342 P. Birdsall, Lunenburg congratulating Fleur de Sel Restaurant for their recognition by the Lunenburg Queens Business Excellence Awards.
- Res. No. 2343 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Tanner O'Connell for being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2344 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Mattie Smith on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2345 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Kalista Krafve on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.

- Res. No. 2346 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Justin Goreham on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2347 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Jessica Bateman on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2348 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Jacob Perry on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2349 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Jackie Nickerson on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2350 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Hannah Cunningham on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2351 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Hailey Stuart on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2352 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Emma Perry on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2353 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Emily Stewart on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2354 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Dylan Foote on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2355 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Cohen Perry on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.
- Res. No. 2356 Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne congratulating Autumn Cunningham on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.

Res. No. 2357 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Andrew Ross on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.

Res. No. 2358 - Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne - congratulating Carter Cotter on being a member of the gold medal team at the Tri-County Regional School Board's regional Science Olympics.