

The House met at 7:00 P.M.

Prayers.

TABLING REPORTS, REGULATIONS AND OTHER PAPERS

Hon. G. Gosse, Speaker, tabled a report of the Statement of Votes & Financial Information Cape Breton North By-election, June 21, 2011.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 2028 – Hon. D. Dexter, Premier – recognizing those who have served during National Veterans' Week.

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

A moment of silence was observed.

Res. No. 2029 – Hon. C. Parker, Minister of Natural Resources – recognizing the commitment of firefighters and local staff who maintained service in our province so that Nova Scotia could provide assistance to Alberta and Ontario.

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. 76. An Act to Amend Chapter 27 of the Acts of 2007, the Civil Forfeiture Act

(Hon. R. Landry – Minister of Justice)

No. 77. An Act to Establish the Office of the Environmental Ombudsman

(A. Younger - Dartmouth East)

No. 78. An Act to Repeal Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1974, the Civil Constables Act

(Hon. R. Landry – Minister of Justice)

No. 79. An Act Respecting the Review of the Green Energy Equipment Tax Credit in Manitoba for Implementation in Nova Scotia

(A. Younger – Dartmouth East)

No. 80. An Act to Repeal Chapter 87 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Constables Act

(Hon. R. Landry – Minister of Justice)

No. 81. An Act to Amend Chapter 66 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Change of Name Act

(Hon. J. MacDonell – Minister of Service Nova Scotia and Municipal Relations)

NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 2030 – Hon. S. McNeil, Annapolis – congratulating the staff and volunteers of the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation for another successful event.

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

Res. No. 2031 – C. Porter, Hants West – applauding a group of students from Avon View High School on their fundraiser.

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

Res. No. 2032 – Hon. D. Dexter, Cole Harbour – congratulating Sean Bent and winners of the Pengrowth-Nova Scotia Energy Scholarship.

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

notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 2033 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – celebrating Literacy Action Week.

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

Res. No. 2034 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West, on behalf of K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating Mr. Grosvenor's contribution to *National Geographic Guide to the National Parks of Canada*.

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

Res. No. 2035 – H. Epstein, Halifax Chebucto – condolences to the family of the late Joseph James “Joey” Skeir on his passing.

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

Res. No. 2036 – L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Jenna Martin and best of luck in the Olympic team trials.

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

Res. No. 2037 – C. Porter, Hants West – commending Mitch Redden on receiving the Power of Positive Change Award.

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

Res. No. 2038 – M. Whynott, Hammonds Plains-Upper Sackville – congratulating Sackville Surge on winning gold at the Metro Minor Softball Bantam Play-off Championship.

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

Res. No. 2039 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston – congratulating Ross Simmonds on his academic achievements.

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

notice was waived and the motion carried nem con.

Res. No. 2040 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West on behalf of K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating Cabot Junior-Senior High School on receiving the Norman Connors Healthy School Award.

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

Res. No. 2041 – J. Morton, Kings North – recognizing Meadowview for its outstanding contributions to the welfare of Canada.

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

Res. No. 2042 – H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis – recognizing Brandi Amero's courageous actions to save her father's life.

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

Res. No. 2043 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Upper Londonderry Pastoral Charge on their 240th anniversary.

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

Res. No. 2044 – Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – congratulating Ryan Cook on winning the Country and Bluegrass Recording 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. 2045 – G. MacLellan, Glace Bay – reminding the NDP government that tax increases make life more expensive for businesses and families.

Res. No. 2046 – L. Glavine, Kings West – encouraging Nova Scotians to support the New 7 Wonders of Nature.

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

Res. No. 2047 – Hon. M. Samson, Richmond – congratulating

Strait Regional School Board on receiving the Bravo! Award of Merit.

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

Res. No. 2048 – Hon. W. Gaudet, Clare – congratulating Dr. Don Westby on his 34 kilometre walk for charity.

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

Res. No. 2049 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston – recognizing Frances Hunter on her service to the community.

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

Res. No. 2050 – H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis – congratulating the volunteers of the 7th Annual Wharf Rat Rally.

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

Res. No. 2051 – Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – congratulating Yarmouth Metal's Nick Dugas and Jeff Clairmont on receiving award nominations.

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

Res. No. 2052 – Hon. W. Gaudet, Clare – congratulating Catherine Tufts on her outstanding accomplishments.

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

Res. No. 2053 – Hon. Manning MacDonald, Cape Breton South, on behalf of K. Regan, Bedford-Birch Cove – recognizing November 14-18 as Geography Awareness Week.

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. 73. Safer School Zones Act

The debate continued with M. Raymond, L. Preyra, D. Whalen, L. Glavine 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 of Law Amendments.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Tuesday, November 8th at 2:00 P.M.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

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

Res. No. 2054 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Ashton Bremner and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2055 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Kourtney Rodgers and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2056 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Martin Raffel and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2057 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Nicole Raffel and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2058 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Rachel Cameron and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2059 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid - congratulating Wally Cameron and the Sackville Surge Bantam Girls team on their gold medal.

Res. No. 2060 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Bailey Bent and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2061 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Cohen Rennehan and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2062 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Connor Goodick and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2063 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Kade Munroe and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2064 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Kobe Jacklyn and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2065 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Oliver Harding and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2066 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Ryan O'Donnell and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2067 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Tanner Christie and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2068 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Tanner Swim and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2069 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Taylor Goodick and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2070 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Trevor Fehr and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.

Res. No. 2071 – Hon. S. Belliveau, Shelburne – congratulating Tyson Hartley and the Shelburne Bashers on winning Nova Scotia Mosquito A Championship.