

The House met at 2:00 P.M.

Prayers.

**PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

J. Morton, Kings North, tabled the Standing Committee on Community Services, Annual Report, 2011.

G. Burrill, Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley, tabled the Standing Committee on Veterans Affairs, Annual Report, 2011.

**STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS**

Hon. D. Wilson, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage, rose to announce the creation of the Nova Scotia Online Forum which will provide an easy way for citizens to give opinions directly to government.

Comments were made by H. Theriault and K. Bain.

Hon. D. Peterson-Rafuse, Minister of Community Services, rose to announce the expansion of income eligibility guidelines for direct family support for children.

Comments were made by D. Whalen and K. Bain.

**GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 2072 – Hon. D. Peterson-Rafuse, Minister of Community Services – recognizing the valuable contribution HomeBridge Youth Society made on behalf of our youth.

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

Res. No. 2073 – Hon. Maureen MacDonald, Minister of Health and Wellness – recognizing November as Crohn's and Colitis Awareness Month.

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

Res. No. 2074 – Hon. P. Paris, Minister of African Nova Scotian Affairs – thanking Rustum Southwell’s support of African Nova Scotian entrepreneurs.

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

Res. No. 2075 – Hon. P. Paris, Minister of Economic and Rural Development and Tourism – encouraging everyone to vote for the Bay of Fundy as a 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.

### **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. 82. An Act to Amend Chapter 2 of the Acts of 2010, the Finance Act, respecting Intergenerational Reporting**

**(Hon. J. Baillie – Leader of the Progressive Conservative Party)**

**No. 83. An Act to Amend Chapter 4 of the Acts of 2004, the Health Protection Act, to Establish Health and Safety Standards for the Tattoo Industry**

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

**No. 84. An Act to Amend Chapter 33 of the Acts of 2008, the Animal Protection Act**

**(Hon. J. MacDonell, Minister of Agriculture)**

**No. 85. An Act to Amend Chapter 7 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Agriculture and Rural Credit Act**

**(Hon. J. MacDonell, Minister of Agriculture)**

### **NOTICES OF MOTION**

Pursuant to the order, the following notices were passed in at the

Clerk's table:

Res. No. 2076 – Hon. S. McNeil, Annapolis – congratulating Rustum Southwell and the Black Business Initiative on 15 years of success.

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

Res. No. 2077 – K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating Constable Justin MacNeil on receiving the Royal Canadian Humane Association Medal of Bravery.

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

Res. No. 2078 – A. Younger, Dartmouth East – congratulating Dr. John “Jake” O’Connor’s commitment to the Shubenacadie Canal Commission.

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

Res. No. 2079 – E. Orrell, Cape Breton North – congratulating Sandra Allen-Simec and staff on winning 2011 Excellence in Business Award.

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

Res. No. 2080 – Hon. D. Dexter, Cole Harbour – congratulating Aaron Stevens and leaders working to make Nova Scotia a safer place.

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

Res. No. 2081 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Lt.-Col. Peter Earle on taking command of 16 Wing Borden.

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

Res. No. 2082 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West – congratulating Rebecca MacKeigan on her horse-riding show season.

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

Res. No. 2083 – L. Preyra, Halifax Citadel-Sable Island – thanking Atlantic Jewish Council and others on helping to create a peaceful world.

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

Res. No. 2084 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston – acknowledging Joanne Bernard's many contributions to her community and this province.

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

Res. No. 2085 – A. MacMaster, Inverness – congratulating Mary Florence Beaton on receiving the Lifetime Achievement Award.

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

Res. No. 2086 – Hon. M. Samson, Richmond – congratulating the Louisdale Baracos team on winning 2011 RABA league championship.

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

Res. No. 2087 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating Brandon Tupper on receiving the Lieutenant Governor Award.

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

Res. No. 2088 – L. Glavine, Kings West – acknowledging this week as National Pain Awareness Week.

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

Res. No. 2089 – Hon. C. d'Entremont, Argyle – encouraging the NDP government to keep commitments made to seniors.

Res. No. 2090 – D. Whalen, Halifax-Clayton Park – recognizing Conservative Governments are not sound managers of the economy.

Res. No. 2091 – E. Orrell, Cape Breton North – congratulating Matthew MacDonald's 11<sup>th</sup> annual lemonade and cookie sale 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. 2092 –Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – congratulating Trevor Murphy and CKDU on the nominations and awards for their music.

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

Res. No. 2093 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West – congratulating Morgan Gillis on her skill in motorsport racing events.

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

Res. No. 2094 – G. MacLellan, Glace Bay, on behalf of A. Younger, Dartmouth East – congratulating John Burton on his achievements and commitments 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. 2095 – A. MacMaster, Inverness – acknowledging the hard work and dedication of Strait Area Transit on expanding service.

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

Res. No. 2096 – H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis – congratulating Brandon Trimper on receiving the Keith Trimper Award.

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

Res. No. 2097 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating Samantha Chambers on receiving the Celebration of School Sport 2010-11 Award.

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

Res. No. 2098 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – commending

Tri-County Ford's support of the community's recreation centre.

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

Res. No. 2099 – K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating the Baddeck Lions Club on their success.

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

Res. No. 2100 – L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating the Kingston Multi-Addiction Centre for 20 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. 2101 – Hon. C. d'Entremont, Argyle – congratulating Vincent Muise on his academic achievements and Dalhousie scholarship.

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

Res. No. 2102 – Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – recognizing Yarmouth Royal Canadian Legion Branch 61 on their dedication to veterans.

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

Res. No. 2103 – H. Theriault, Digby-Annapolis – congratulating the students of Barton Elementary and Darren Porter on their fundraising.

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. 76. Civil Forfeiture Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. M. Samson, A. MacMaster 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.

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

**No. 78. Civil Constables Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. M. Samson, A. MacMaster 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.

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

**No. 80. Constables Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. M. Samson, A. MacMaster 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.

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

**No. 81. Identification of Criminals Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. M. Samson, A. MacMaster 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.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 P.M.

**MOTIONS UNDER RULE 5(5)**

Mr. Speaker interrupted the business having received notices of motion under Rule 5(5). The topic of late debate as submitted by G. MacLellan, Glace Bay:

“Therefore be it resolved that this House of Assembly congratulate the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation on 75 years of excellence in journalism, capturing historic Canadian moments and shaping the culture of this country and this province.”

A debate ensued during which the following took part: A. Younger, Hon. C. d’Entremont and L. Preyra.

### **NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32**

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

Res. No. 2104 – A. Younger, Dartmouth East – joining in on a moment of silence on the passing of Maxine Tynes.

Res. No. 2105 – Hon. J. Baillie, Cumberland South – congratulating Doug Curry on receiving the President’s Nova Scotia Hockey Award.

Res. No. 2106 – Hon. J. Baillie, Cumberland South – congratulating Constable Steven Maddison on receiving his Nova Scotia Police Long-Service Award.

Res. No. 2107 – L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Charlie Ross on receiving the Art Lightfoot Trophy.

Res. No. 2108 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Adrienne Rose Allison on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2109 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Darren Campbell on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2110 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Felisha Amber Hawes on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2111 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Leah Colleen Veinot on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2112 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Nicholas Gregory van Dyk on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2113 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Ramona Flemming on receiving the Lieutenant Governor’s Education Medal.

Res. No. 2114 – V. Conrad, Queens – congratulating Thomas Head



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Raddall IV on receiving the Lieutenant Governor's Education Medal.