

The House met at 9:00 A.M.

Prayers.

**GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 2345 – Hon. M. More, Minister of Labour and Advanced Education – congratulating Jennifer Yakomovich on receiving the Dr. P. Anthony Johnstone Memorial Entrance Scholarship in 2011.

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

Res. No. 2346 – Hon. D. Peterson-Rafuse, Minister of Community Services – encouraging wearing blue ribbons for National Child Day.

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

Res. No. 2347 – Hon. P. Paris, Minister of African Nova Scotian Affairs – condolences to family and friends of Amelia “Doll” Martin.

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

Res. No. 2348 – Hon. D. Dexter, Premier – congratulating the Unama'ki Economic Benefits Office on receiving the 2011 Stewardship Award.

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 4 of the Acts of 1994-95, the Gaming Control Act**

**(Hon. J. MacDonell – Minister responsible for Part**

**II of the Gaming Control Act)****No. 105. An Act to Amend Chapter 475 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Trade Union Act****(Hon. S. McNeil – Annapolis)****NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 2349 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North, on behalf of Hon. S. McNeil, Annapolis – condolences to the family of the late Dr. Fraser Mustard.

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

Res. No. 2350 – Hon. J. Baillie, Cumberland South – acknowledging the government's determination to jam through its agenda.

Res. No. 2351 – K. Regan, Bedford-Birch Cove – applauding Barb Stegemann on her recognition by Chatelaine magazine.

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

Res. No. 2352 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West – congratulating Kyle Capstick on winning the Playwrights Guild of Canada Competition.

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

Res. No. 2353 – P. Birdsall, Lunenburg – recognizing the contributions of marine-based firms in reconstructing the Columbia fishing schooner.

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

Res. No. 2354 – Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – congratulating The Rockabillys on winning the Mainstreet's School of Rock, Fall 2011.

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

Res. No. 2355 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating Megan Laffin on receiving the Lieutenant Governor's Education Medal.

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

Res. No. 2356 – Hon. W. Gaudet, Clare – congratulating Denise Comeau Desautels on publishing a book on lumber industry and local history.

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

Res. No. 2357 – E. Orrell, Cape Breton North – congratulating Sherry Mulley-MacDonald on donating proceeds of her book to the Cape Breton Cancer Society.

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

Res. No. 2358 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Greg MacLellan on his retirement after 33 years.

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

Res. No. 2359 – A. MacMaster, Inverness – welcoming Dr. Susie Eggar to Inverness Consolidated Memorial Hospital.

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

Res. No. 2360 – Hon. M. Samson, Richmond – congratulating the top three finishers at the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Martell Richard Memorial Mini-Marathon.

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

Res. No. 2361 – K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating Peter and Candace Christiano on receiving the Nova Scotia Woodlot Owner of

the Year Award.

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

#### **PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

With unanimous consent of the House, the order of business reverted. Hon. R. Landry, Chairman of the Committee on Law Amendments, reported that the Committee had met and considered the following bills and recommended the same to the favourable consideration of the House, each without amendments:

**No. 73. Safer School Zones Act**

**No. 76. Civil Forfeiture Act**

**No. 78. Civil Constables Act**

**No. 80. Constables Act**

**No. 84. Animal Protection Act**

**No. 85. Agriculture and Rural Credit Act**

And also the following bill, with certain amendments:

**No. 65. Nova Scotia Job Fund Act**

The foregoing bills were ordered referred to the Committee of the Whole House on Bills.

#### **NOTICES OF MOTION**

Res. No. 2362 – Hon. K. Casey, Colchester North – congratulating Chignecto-Central Regional School Board's transportation department on receiving the Gold Achievement Award.

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

Res. No. 2363 – A. MacLeod, Cape Breton West – congratulating Marion Bridge Elementary School's performance in the Adopt-A-Library WOW! Reading Challenge.

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

Res. No. 2364 – Z. Churchill, Yarmouth – congratulating the Town of Yarmouth on receiving a 5 Blooms rating.

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

Res. No. 2365 – C. Porter, Hants West – congratulating Shane O'Reilly on receiving the Celebration of School Sport Award 2010-11.

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

Res. No. 2366 – Hon. M. Samson, Richmond – congratulating the finalists at the Martell-Richard Memorial Mini-Marathon.

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

Res. No. 2367 – E. Orrell, Cape Breton North – congratulating Emma Simpson on the Miss Teen Cape Breton 2011 Scholarship Pageant.

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

Res. No. 2368 – D. Whalen, Halifax-Clayton Park – congratulating Evan Phinney and her horse Duke of Earl on bronze at the Canadian Equestrian Championships.

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

Res. No. 2369 – K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – congratulating Edward and Theresa Hardy for their entrepreneurial spirit.

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

## **PUBLIC BILLS**

Hon. M. More, Minister of Labour and Advanced Education, moved second reading of the following bill:

**No. 102. Trade Union Act**

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Z. Churchill and K. Bain, who adjourned the debate.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. Speaker adjourned the House to meet Monday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 4:00 P.M.

**NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32**

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

Res. No. 2370 – K. Regan, Bedford-Birch Cove – congratulating Suzanne LaRochelle-Bachur on her leadership skills.