

The House met at 9:00 A.M.

Prayers.

Hon. K. Murphy, Speaker, acknowledged the passing of former Sergeant-at-Arms Noel Knockwood.

A moment of silence was observed.

#### **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. 49. An Act to Amend Chapter 293 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Motor Vehicle Act**

**(Hon. G. MacLellan – Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal)**

**No. 49. An Act to Amend and Consolidate the Acts Relating to St. Francis Xavier University**

**(L. Hines – Guysborough-Eastern Shore-Tracadie)**

#### **NOTICES OF MOTION**

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

Res. No. 1049 – Hon. L. Kousoulis, Halifax Citadel-Sable Island - recognizing Fergus Dearden's exceptional achievements, dedication in the face of adversity and outstanding contributions to our community.

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

Res. No. 1050 – Hon. M. Samson, Government House Leader, on behalf of Hon. K. Regan, Bedford - encouraging people in their communities to volunteer to serve on one of Nova Scotia's 165 agencies, boards and commissions.

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

Res. No. 1051 – Hon. M. MacDonald, Leader of the New Democratic Party - sending our deepest condolences to Noel Knockwood's family and community and joining them as they celebrate his life and many accomplishments.

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

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON SUPPLY**

On motion, the House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on Supply.

On motion, the following Resolution was resumed:

No. E5, relating to the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development. STOOD.

On motion, the following Resolution was called:

No. E11, relating to the Department of Health and Wellness. ADJOURNED.

On motion, the Committee rose and the Speaker resumed the Chair. The Chair reported that the Committee had made some progress and begged leave to sit again.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The House adjourned to meet Monday, April 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 P.M.

**NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32**

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

Res. No. 1052 – T. Houston, Pictou East – congratulating CanSkate Champions Quinn Lynch and Gabrielle Young; the Connie Frazee Memorial Award to Kaitlin Kelly; the Derrick Brightman Memorial Trophy to Sydney Swain; and CanSkater of the Year to Adelle Thomsen.

Res. No. 1053 – T. Houston, Pictou East - congratulating students on their stand against bullying and thanking them for embracing the anti-bullying message.

Res. No. 1054 – Hon. J. Baillie, Cumberland South - giving thanks for the remarkable life of Noel Knockwood and sending our most sincere condolences to his family, friends and loved ones.

Res. No. 1055 – J. Lohr, Kings North - congratulating the 2014 Port Williams Hawks Bantam Girls basketball team on capturing a silver medal at Basketball Provincials.

Res. No. 1056 – J. Lohr, Kings North - congratulating David Ritcey on being named to Wealth Professional Magazine's Top 50 List and wishing him continued success in his career.

Res. No. 1057 – K. MacFarlane, Pictou West - thanking Tyler MacLean for his hard work and congratulating him for making a positive impact in the life of another child and on his community.

Res. No. 1058 – K. MacFarlane, Pictou West – congratulating Luke Young of Lucas Technologies and Analytics on receiving the 2013 Small Business of the Year Recognition Award and wishing him the best in his future endeavours.