

The House met at 1:00 P.M.

Prayers.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 141 – Hon. R. Delorey, Minister of Health and Wellness – recognizing September as National Prostate Cancer Awareness Month.

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

Res. No. 142 – Hon. L. Metlege Diab, Minister of Immigration – welcoming His Beatitude Cardinal Mar Béchara Bourtros Raï, Maronite Patriarch of Antioch and All the East to Canada and thanking him for consecrating the new site of Our Lady of Lebanon Church and community centre.

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

Res. No. 143 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage – congratulating Aaron C. Lewis, Matt Balsor and Bill Guest for being the 2018 inductees into the Nova Scotia Country Music Hall of Fame.

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. 45. An Act Respecting Property Tax Rebates to Senior Citizens

(Hon. G. MacLellan – Minister of Service Nova Scotia)

No. 46. An Act to Amend Chapter 246 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Labour Standards Code, Respecting Sick Leave

(T. Martin – Cape Breton Centre)

No. 47 An Act to Establish Cancer Survivors Day

(B. Adams – Cole Harbour-Eastern Passage)

No. 48. An Act to Amend Various Statutes Administered by Service Nova Scotia)

(Hon. G. MacLellan – Minister of Service Nova Scotia)

PUBLIC BILLS

Hon. G. MacLellan, Minister of Service Nova Scotia, moved second reading of the following bill:

No. 38. Residential Tenancies Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: A. MacMaster, Hon. D. Wilson and Hon. G. MacLellan in Reply. The question being put by the Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Hon. G. MacLellan, Minister of Service Nova Scotia, moved second reading of the following bill:

No. 42. Vital Statistics Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: S. Leblanc and Hon. G. MacLellan in Reply. The question being put by the Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

Hon. G. MacLellan, Minister of Service Nova Scotia, moved second reading of the following bill:

No. 44. Change of Name Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: S. Leblanc and Hon. G. MacLellan in Reply. The question being put by the Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a second time and ordered referred to the Committee on Law Amendments.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE ON BILLS

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

The Speaker left the Chair.

The Chairperson took the chair of the Committee.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Chair reported that the Committee had met and considered the following bills and recommended the same to the favourable consideration of the House, without amendments:

No. 2. Develop Nova Scotia Act

No. 4. Corporations Registration Act

No. 10. Liquor Control Act

No. 13. Day Care Act

No. 16. Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Protection Act

No. 23. Canadian Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act

The foregoing bills were ordered to be read a third time on a future day.

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker adjourned the House to meet Friday, September 21st at 9:00 A.M.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

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

Res. No. 144 – C. Chender, Dartmouth South – congratulating Arthur Gaudreau and Allyson Marsh on their marriage.

Res. No. 145 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid – congratulating the Sackville Rivers Association on 30 years of service.

Res. No. 146 – Hon. D. Wilson, Sackville-Cobequid –
congratulating the Acadia Recreation Club on the grand opening of the
Charles Fenerty Bandstand.