

The House met at 1:00 P.M.

Prayers.

Hon. C. d'Entremont, Argyle-Barrington, rose on a point of privilege alleging the Liberal members of the Public Accounts Committee had amended the Rules and Forms of Procedure of the House of Assembly.

The Speaker took the matter under advisement.

TABLING REPORTS, REGULATIONS AND OTHER PAPERS

The Hon. The Speaker tabled the Office of the Ombudsman 2017-2018 Annual Report.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 251 – Hon. S. McNeil, Premier – congratulating Jesse Rodgers and the Volta team on its new expanded space.

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

Res. No. 252 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage – congratulating Claire Ellison for placing 6th at the 2018 World Rowing Junior Championships.

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

Res. No. 253 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage – congratulating Ian Gaudet on receiving 3 medals in paddling at the 2018 Olympic Hopes Regatta.

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

Res. No. 254 – Hon. K. Regan, Minister of Community Services – recognizing the importance of the ongoing work on gender equality.

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

Res. No. 255 – Hon. K. Regan, Minister of Community Services – congratulating team Super Nova for raising \$4000 for the Easter Seals Nova Scotia fundraiser Drop Zone and for rappelling down 23 stories.

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

Res. No. 256 – Hon. R. Delorey, Minister of Health and Wellness – recognizing September as National Ovarian Cancer Month.

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

Res. No. 257 – Hon. M. Furey, Minister of Justice – congratulating Professor Naomi Metallic of the Schulich School of Law on being selected as one of Canada's 25 most influential lawyers by the *Canadian Lawyer* magazine.

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

Res. No. 258 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage, on behalf of Hon. M. Miller, Minister of Environment – congratulating Stella Bowles on her book *My River: Cleaning Up the LaHave River* and for receiving the International Young Eco Hero Award.

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

Res. No. 259 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage, on behalf of Hon. M. Miller, Minister of Environment – recognizing Environmental Public Health Week and thanking public and environmental health inspectors for their work.

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. 63. An Act to Repeal Chapter 7 of the Acts of 2015, the Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition Commission Act

(Hon. K. Colwell – Minister of Agriculture)

No. 64. An Act to Amend Chapter 293 of the Revised Statutes, 1989, the Motor Vehicle Act

(Hon. P. Dunn – Pictou Centre)

No. 65. An Act to Reform Public Body Executive Compensation

(Hon. D. Wilson – Sackville-Cobequid)

No. 66. An Act to Amend Chapter 12 of the Acts of 2011, the Public Procurement Act

(Hon. D. Wilson – Sackville-Cobequid)

OPPOSITION BUSINESS

Hon. C. d'Entremont, Opposition House Leader, called the following resolution:

Res. No. 128 – Palliative Care: Patient Support - Needed

A debate ensued during which the following took part: A. Paon, G. Wilson, T. Martin and E. Smith-McCrossin. The debate was deemed to be adjourned.

Hon. C. d'Entremont, Opposition House Leader, called the following bill:

No. 56. Municipal Grants Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: K. MacFarlane, S. Lohnes-Croft, L. Roberts and B. Johns. The debate was deemed to be adjourned.

Hon. C. d'Entremont, Opposition House Leader, called the following bill:

No. 61. Protecting Children on the Internet Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: A. MacMaster, B. Maguire, S. Leblanc and J. Lohr. The debate was deemed to be adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker adjourned the House to meet Thursday, September 27th at 1:00 P.M.

MOTIONS UNDER RULE 5(5)

The Speaker interrupted the business having received notices of motion under Rule 5(5). The topic of late debate as submitted by Hon. C. d'Entremont, Argyle-Barrington:

“Therefore, be it resolved that all members of the Legislature condemn the Liberal Government for their disregard for democracy, transparency and the rules of the Legislature with regard to the behaviour of the Liberal members of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.”

A debate ensued during which the following took part: Hon. C. d'Entremont, G. Wilson and Hon. D. Wilson.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

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

Res. No. 260 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Murray Lunn for his 20 years of service as a member of the Station 23 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 261 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Zach Cramm for his 5 years of service as a member of the Station 23 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 262 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Alan Duschene for his 40 years of service as a member of the Station 23 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 263 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Dave Ingram for his 10 years of service as a member of the Station 24 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 264 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Alan Ramsey for his 5 years of service as a member of the Station 24 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 265 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Clint Marks for his 5 years of service as a member of the Station 24 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 266 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Liam Landy for his 5 years of service as a member of the Station 26 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 267 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Amanda Brady for her 10 years of service as a member of the Station 26 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 268 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Duncan Richards for his 40 years of service as a member of the Station 26 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 269 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking James Richardson for his 40 years of service as a member of the Station 26 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 270 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Edger Kerr for his 40 years of service as a member of the Station 26 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 271 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Boyd Chapman for his 5 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 272 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Adam Gillian for his 5 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 273 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Justin Wamboldt for his 5 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 274 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Gary Martin for his 10 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 275 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Blair Manning for his 15 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 276 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Chris Estabrooks for his 30 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 277 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Scott Young for his 40 years of service as a member of the Stations 19 and 20 District Volunteer Fire Department.

Res. No. 278 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston-Dartmouth –
congratulating the East Preston Church Ladies Auxiliary on their 100th
anniversary.