

The House met at 9:00 A.M.

Prayers.

SPEAKER'S RULING

On April 3rd, following Question Period, the honourable Official Opposition House Leader rose on a point of order respecting a statement by the honourable Minister of Labour and Advanced Education that the honourable member for Northside-Westmount had insinuated he was lying.

An allegation that another member has lied is unparliamentary and is never acceptable in this House.

That night, I requested the advance extract from Hansard to review what was said in the exchange, and the member had laid out several different lines of reasoning that had been advanced with respect to occasions on which additional funding had been granted to universities and had asked for forgiveness as “he struggled to believe” the most recent one given by the minister, in his words, “this time.” He did not say that the member had lied although he did imply that the minister was not being accurate.

There have been a number of occasions in this House recently in which members have jumped to conclusions and have made statements in this Chamber. I personally believe each of us has to own our own words when we misspeak.

There's a fundamental principle in the Westminster parliamentary system that members are not to say something indirectly that they are not permitted to say directly.

In his reply the honourable Minister of Labour and Advanced Education did utter the word “lie,” and therefore I will ask him to withdraw the term.

Hon. L. Kousoulis, Minister of Labour and Advanced Education retracted the word “lie” from his statement.

PRESENTING AND READING PETITIONS

H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's, tabled a petition asking for a ban on clear cutting on crown land.

E. Smith-McCrossin, Cumberland North, tabled a petition asking for the repaving and fixing of Ripley Road 3 in Truemanville.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTION

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

Res. No. 1151 – Hon. S. McNeil, Premier – thanking Michael Laffin for his successful 38-year career working in Province House as Manager of House of Assembly Operations.

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

Res. No. 1152 – Hon. S. McNeil, Premier – recognizing Nova Scotia members of Team Canada on their accomplishments in the 2019 Special Olympics World Games.

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

Res. No. 1153 – Hon. R. Delorey, Minister of Health and Wellness, on behalf of Hon. K. Colwell, Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture – honouring Ozzy Clair and Niko Clair, members of Paq'tnekek Mi'kmaw Nation who died at sea.

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

A moment of silence was observed.

Res. No. 1154 – Hon. L. Hines, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal, on behalf of Hon. K. Colwell, Minister of Fisheries and Aquaculture – congratulating the We'koqma'q First Nation on their dedication to growing the aquaculture industry in Nova Scotia.

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

Res. No. 1155 – Hon. L. Diab, Minister of Immigration – continuing to welcome international students to our province and encouraging them to stay on as International Graduate Entrepreneurs.

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

Res. No. 1156 – Hon. L. Glavine, Minister of Communities, Culture and Heritage – congratulating David MacLennan on being named Athletics Nova Scotia Master Male Athlete of the Year.

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

Res. No. 1157 – Hon. G. MacLellan, Government House Leader – approving all congratulatory resolutions deposited with the Clerk pursuant to Rule 32(3).

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

Res. No. 1158 – Hon. I. Rankin, Minister of Lands and Forestry, on behalf of Hon. C. Porter, Minister of Municipal Affairs – thanking 911 call takers and recognizing April 14 to April 20 as National Telecommunications Week.

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

Res. No. 1159 – Hon. L. Metlege Diab, Minister of Acadian Affairs and Francophonie – congratulating the Halifax Regional Municipality for their efforts to improve communication between the Acadian and francophone community and the municipal government.

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

Res. No. 1160 – Hon. L. Kousoulis, Minister of Labour and Advanced Education – celebrating Cassidy Megan and all she's done to raise awareness for epilepsy throughout the world with Purple Day.

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. 149. An Act to Establish a Time of Remembrance

(A. Paon – Cape Breton-Richmond)

No. 150. An Act to Amend Chapter 10 of the Acts of 1994-95, the Workers' Compensation Act

(T. Martin – Cape Breton Centre)

NOTICES OF MOTION

With the unanimous consent of the House, the order of business reverted to Notices of Motion and the following notice was passed in at the Clerk's table:

Res. No. 1161 – Hon. A. MacLeod, Sydney River-Mira-Louisbourg – calling on the House to amend the Rules and Forms of Procedures of the House of Assembly to observe Remembrance Day from November 4 to November 11 inclusive.

The notice was tabled.

SUPPLY UNTO HER MAJESTY

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

The Speaker left the Chair.

The Chairperson took the chair of the Committee.

On motion, the following Resolutions were called:

No. E39, E46, E49, relating to the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal. STOOD.

The Chair of the Sub-Committee reported that the Committee had concluded its consideration of the Estimates referred to it. All Resolutions were then carried in the Committee.

The Committee rose and the Clerk reported approval of all 50 Estimate resolutions, including votes on business plans and on capital. On a recorded vote on a motion of concurrence, there being 25 for and 22 against, the motion carried. The Supply Resolutions are as follows:

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY

NOVA SCOTIA

RESOLUTIONS ON ESTIMATES

AND CROWN CORPORATION BUSINESS PLANS

FOR FISCAL YEAR

APRIL 1, 2019 - MARCH 31, 2020

- E1. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$46,427,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Agriculture, pursuant to the Estimate, and the business plans of the Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Commission, the Nova Scotia Farm Loan Board, the Nova Scotia Fisheries and Aquaculture Loan Board be approved.
- E2. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$152,014,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Business, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E3. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$93,641,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Communities, Culture and Heritage, pursuant to the Estimate, and the business plan of the Art Gallery of Nova Scotia be approved.
- E4. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,018,081,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Community Services, pursuant to the Estimate, and the business plan of the Housing Nova Scotia be approved.
- E5. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,429,342,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E6. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$49,036,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Energy and Mines, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E7. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$38,524,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Environment, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E8. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$23,683,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Finance and Treasury Board, pursuant to the Estimate, and the business plan of the Nova Scotia Power Finance Corporation be approved.
- E9. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$856,107,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Debt Servicing Costs, Department of Finance and Treasury Board, pursuant to the Estimate.

- E10. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$21,536,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E11. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$4,638,526,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Health and Wellness, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E12. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$193,834,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Internal Services, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E13. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$361,438,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Justice, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E14. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$396,209,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Labour and Advanced Education, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E15. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$427,782,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Assistance to Universities, Department of Labour and Advanced Education, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E16. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$76,750,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Lands and Forestry, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E17. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$213,222,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Municipal Affairs, pursuant to the Estimate, and the business plan of the Nova Scotia Municipal Finance Corporation be approved.
- E18. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$4,406,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Aboriginal Affairs, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E19. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$7,771,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Communications Nova Scotia, pursuant to the Estimate.

- E20. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$3,517,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Elections Nova Scotia, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E21. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$7,174,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Executive Council, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E22. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$7,779,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Government Contributions to Benefit Plans, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E23. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,615,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Human Rights Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E24. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$4,193,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Intergovernmental Affairs, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E25. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$23,825,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Legislative Services, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E26. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,067,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Home for Colored Children Restorative Inquiry, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E27. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$357,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Police Complaints Commissioner, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E28. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,676,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Securities Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E29. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,090,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E30. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$10,217,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of Immigration, pursuant to the Estimate.

- E31. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$4,283,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of the Auditor General, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E32. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$715,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E33. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$1,814,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of the Ombudsman, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E34. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$24,593,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Public Prosecution Service, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E35. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$19,777,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Public Service Commission, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E36. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,293,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Regulatory Affairs and Service Effectiveness, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E37. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$89,113,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Office of Service Nova Scotia, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E38. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$2,721,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Seniors, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E39. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$497,280,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E40. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$201,463,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Restructuring Costs, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E41. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$134,324,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Refundable Tax Credits, pursuant to the Estimate.

- E42. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$51,837,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Pension Valuation Adjustment, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E43. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$469,557,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of the Capital Purchase Requirements, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E44. RESOLVED, that a sum not exceeding \$46,868,000 be granted to the Lieutenant Governor to defray expenses in respect of Sinking Fund Instalments and Serial Retirements, pursuant to the Estimate.
- E45. RESOLVED, that the business plans of Tourism Nova Scotia, the Nova Scotia Innovation Corporation (Innovacorp), Develop Nova Scotia and the Nova Scotia Business Incorporated, be approved.
- E46. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Halifax-Dartmouth Bridge Commission be approved.
- E47. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Nova Scotia Provincial Lotteries and Casino Corporation be approved.
- E48. RESOLVED, that the business plan of the Nova Scotia Liquor Corporation be approved.
- E49. RESOLVED, that the business plan of the Nova Scotia Lands Inc. and Harbourside Commercial Park Inc. be approved.
- E50. RESOLVED, that the business plan of Perennia Food and Agriculture Inc. be approved.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following bill was introduced by the following Member, read a first and ordered to be read a second time on a future day:

No. 151. An Act to Provide for Defraying Certain Charges and Expenses of the Public Service of the Province

(Hon. K. Casey - Minister of Finance and Treasury Board)

PUBLIC BILLS

Hon. K. Casey, Minister of Finance and Treasury Board, moved second and third reading of the following bill on this day:

No. 151. Appropriations Act, 2019

On a recorded vote on second reading, there being 25 for the motion and 22 opposed, the bill was forthwith read a second time. On a recorded vote on third reading, there being 25 for the motion and 22 opposed, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

PRIVATE AND LOCAL BILLS FOR THIRD READING

L. Harrison, Colchester-Musquodoboit Valley, moved third reading of the following bill:

No. 122. An Act to incorporate the Pine Grove Cemetery Company, Lower Stewiacke, Colchester County

There being no debate, the question was put by the Speaker and the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

PUBLIC BILLS FOR THIRD READING

Hon. S. McNeil, Premier, moved third reading of the following bill:

No. 133. Human Organ and Tissue Donation Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: K. MacFarlane, L. Roberts, Hon. M. Miller, Hon. C. d'Entremont, Hon. L. Metlege Diab, Hon. A. MacLeod, R. DiCostanzo and Hon. S. McNeil closed debate. The question being put by the Speaker, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

Hon. K. Casey, Minister of Finance and Treasury Board, moved third reading of the following bill:

No. 136. Financial Measures (2019) Act

A debate ensued during which the following took part: A. MacMaster, C. Chender, T. Houston, G. Burrill, L. Roberts, S. Leblanc and Hon. K. Casey closed debate. On a recorded vote, there being 25 for and 22 against, the bill was forthwith read a third time. Ordered that the bill do pass and the title be as read by the Clerk. Ordered that the bill be engrossed.

ADDRESS IN REPLY

On motion, the adjourned debate on the Address in Reply was then resumed. The debate continued with Hon. C. d'Entremont and Hon. A. MacLeod.

ROYAL ASSENT

At 7:28 P.M. this day, His Honour, the Honourable Arthur J. LeBlanc, Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Nova Scotia, came to the Chamber of the House of Assembly and seated in the Speaker's Chair, was addressed by the Speaker as follows:

"May it please Your Honour, the General Assembly of the Province has, in its present session, passed certain bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the General Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent."

His Honour was then pleased to give his assent to the following bills:

No. 84. Canadian Coast Guard Auxiliary Appreciation Act

No. 90. Boxing Authority Act

No. 91. Nova Scotia Museum Act

No. 92. Municipal Government Act and Halifax Regional Municipality Charter

No. 95. Emergency "911" Act

No. 97. Credit Union Act

No. 99. Assessment Act

No. 101. Tourist Accommodations Registration Act

No. 103. Justices of the Peace Act

No. 105. Judicature Act

No. 106. Coastal Protection Act

No. 109. Pension Benefits Act

No. 112. Education Act

No. 119. Builders' Lien Act

No. 121. Nursing Act

No. 122. An Act to incorporate the Pine Grove Cemetery Company, Lower Stewiacke, Colchester County

No. 133. Human Organ and Tissue Donation Act

No. 135. Nova Scotia Power Privatization Act and Nova Scotia Power Reorganization (1998) Act

No. 136. Financial Measures (2019) Act

No. 139. Income Tax Act

No. 140. House of Assembly Tartan Act

The Speaker then addressed His Honour as follows:

“Your Honour, having been graciously pleased to give your Assent to the Bills passed during the present Session, it becomes my agreeable duty on behalf of Her Majesty’s dutiful and loyal subjects, Her faithful Commons of Nova Scotia, to present to Your Honour a bill for the Appropriation of Supply granted in the present Session for the support of the Public Service and to request Your Honour’s Assent thereto.”

The said bill entitled, “**An Act to Provide for Defraying Certain Charges and Expenses of the Public Service of the Province**”, was then handed to His Honour and he replied as follows:

“In Her Majesty’s name, I thank Her Loyal Subjects, I accept their benevolence and I assent to this bill.”

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

The Speaker resumed the Chair.

The Speaker then asked all Members to rise and join him in the singing of the national anthem.

The Hon. The Premier then moved that the House adjourn to meet again at the call of the Speaker.

The House thereupon adjourned to meet again at the call of the Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTION UNDER RULE 32

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

Res. No. 1162 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – congratulating Pearl Cameron on her recognition from the Terry Fox Foundation for being one of the province's top fundraisers for many years.

Res. No. 1163 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – thanking the Seidl family and Tim Reynolds of TR Construction for fundraising for the Treen family.

Res. No. 1164 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – thanking the life saving actions of Ronnie Densmore, James and Richard Dorey-Robinson and Vincent Prosper for pulling Troy Doucet to safety from his burning car.

Res. No. 1165 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – thanking the owners and staff of the Milford and Mount Uniacke Tim Hortons and the Hants East community for their fundraising for the Shumilacke Food Bank.

Res. No. 1166 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – recognizing and congratulating Stan Slack for his dedication to the Snowmobiling Association of Nova Scotia.

Res. No. 1167 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – congratulating Sarah Delorey on winning the 14 and Under Female 2018 East Hants Sport Award.

Res. No. 1168 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – congratulating Shirley Whiteway-Matheson on the success of LilyPond Vintage and thank her for her community support.

Res. No. 1169 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – congratulating Brandon Ashley on winning the Ultimate Garage contest.

Res. No. 1170 – Hon. M. Miller, Hants East – thanking the East Hants Penguins PeeWee AAA hockey team for buying less privileged Hants County children Christmas gifts.

Res. No. 1171 – Hon. M. Furey, Lunenburg West – recognizing David Penny for his dedication to coaching.

Res. No. 1172 – Hon. M. Furey, Lunenburg West – thanking the South Shore Regional Hospital Auxiliary volunteers for supporting the community.

Res. No. 1173 – T. Rushton, Cumberland South – congratulating the Fundy Geo Museum on its 25th anniversary.

Res. No. 1174 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Anita Carter-Rose for her commitment to improving the mental health of the residents of the Eastern Shore.

Res. No. 1175 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – congratulating Brandon Power on being the only Nova Scotian to make the Canada U18 Rugby team.

Res. No. 1176 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – thanking Barb Hashimoto for her volunteer work with the Liberal Electoral District Association.

Res. No. 1177 – Hon. K. Murphy, Eastern Shore – congratulating Keith Langlois, Abbey Penny, Matthew Rushton and Marin Callaghan on winning the 2019 Nova Scotia U16 Mixed Curling Championship.

Res. No. 1178 – Hon. I. Rankin, Timberlea-Prospect – congratulating Edie Gilbert on her 100th birthday.

Res. No. 1179 – K. Bain, Victoria-The Lakes – thanking Dr. Rollie Genge for providing family doctor services for 45 years to the residents of Baddeck and area and for continuing to provide this service.

Res. No. 1180 – T. Rushton, Cumberland South – congratulating the Age of Sail Museum on its 25th anniversary.

Res. No. 1181 – T. Rushton, Cumberland South – thanking Tim Ripley for his dedication to timekeeping at the Amherst Arena for 25 years.

Res. No. 1182 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Bonny Lea Farm Drama Group and the Chester Playhouse on the success of their production *Something's in the Air*.

Res. No. 1183 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Cole Rafuse and his team the Acadie-Bathurst Titans on winning the Memorial Cup in 2018 and wishing him the best in his hockey journey.

Res. No. 1184 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Django Valentino Meier on winning gold in the under-59kg weight class at the Taekwondo National Championships and becoming a member of the Canadian Junior National Team.

Res. No. 1185 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Karen Martin on her 20 years working with Survivors of Abuse Recovering.

Res. No. 1186 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Genna Coleman, Corynne Adamson, Amy Patey, John Guy, Rory Nixon, Josh Vandenberg, coaches Samantha Blinn and Pat Nixon of the Kings Special Olympics Team at the 2019 Special Olympics Nova Scotia Winter Games.

Res. No. 1187 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Althea and Michael Gillespie on their founding of the LumberYard Axe Throwing in Greenwood.

Res. No. 1188 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Kyle Woodworth, Samuel Gallant, Hailey Peddle and coach Charles Grant for representing Team Nova Scotia at the 2019 Canada Winter Games.

Res. No. 1189 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating the West Kings Wolverines male hockey team for hosting the Nova Scotia School Athletic Federation 2018-2019 Division 2 hockey championships.

Res. No. 1190 – Hon. L. Glavine, Kings West – congratulating Courtney Boone, Caelyn Parker, Brooke MacNeill and Ellen Laurence and all players of the Station Six Fire Midget AAA female hockey team on winning the Female Midget AAA Atlantic Championship tournament.

Res. No. 1191 – K. Masland, Queens-Shelburne – congratulating Sandra Saulnier from Liverpool on her first published book *Lost in Grey*.

Res. No. 1192 – K. Masland, Queens-Shelburne – applauding the J. & W. Murphy Foundation for their generous donation of \$4 million to the QEII Foundation.

Res. No. 1193 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston-Dartmouth – congratulating Eliza Brooks of East Preston on her 100th birthday.

Res. No. 1194 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston-Dartmouth – congratulating the Lake Echo Lioness Club on its 40th charter on May 4, 2019.

Res. No. 1195 – Hon. K. Colwell, Preston-Dartmouth – wishing Micah Smith of North Preston success with her at-home practice helping relieve pain for cancer patients through massage therapy.

Res. No. 1196 – Hon. L. Metlege Diab, Halifax Armdale – congratulating Michael Laffin on his retirement after 35 years at the House of Assembly.

Res. No. 1197 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating St. Luke's United Church in Tantallon on hosting the "Rainbow Canada" mental health program to help children.

Res. No. 1198 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating Lloyd Publicover on receiving the 2019 Nova Scotia Volunteer Award.

Res. No. 1199 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating the Village Emporium on their Best Artisanal Retailer Award.

Res. No. 1200 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating volunteers on the success of the St. Margaret's Bay Community Enterprise Centre.

Res. No. 1201 – Hon. P. Arab, Fairview-Clayton Park – congratulating Natalie Brown on receiving the Halifax West Sesquicentennial Award.

Res. No. 1202 – Hon. P. Arab, Fairview-Clayton Park – congratulating Dr. Kyly Whitfield on receiving the \$1 million grant from the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

Res. No. 1203 – A. MacMaster, Inverness – congratulating Wayne and Karen Beaton of Mabou on winning awards from Loblaw's for their Freshmart store.

Res. No. 1204 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating Bayit Property Group for preserving the history of the Canadian Forces Station Mill Cove in the Hubbard's and Aspotogan Peninsula area.

Res. No. 1205 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating Hetty van Gurp on her extraordinary work as an educator and promoter of safe schools for students around the world.

Res. No. 1206 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating the New Ross Trails Society on their plan to develop trails integrated with the village.

Res. No. 1207 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating St. Margaret's Bay Food Bank and Thrift Store on their many years of successful service to the community.

Res. No. 1208 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating Sue LeBlanc on providing free lunches for students and staff for the month of February at the Chester Area Middle School.

Res. No. 1209 – H. MacKay, Chester-St. Margaret's – congratulating the volunteer organization Transition Bay St. Margaret's on donating food to the St. Margaret's Bay Food Bank.