Morrison

Monday, June 23, 1975

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

The Committee rose and reported progress. Report to be considered at the next sitting. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 12 noon.

Monday, June 23, 1975

Two o'clock p.m.

Prayers by the Rev. D. K. Dickey.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 127) intituled *Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources Amendment Act, 1975.* The debate continued.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

YEAS-27

Liden Lewis Webster Kelly	Rolston Dent D'Arcy Sanford	Nimsick Strachan Dailly Hall	Nunweiler Young Lea King
Steves	Brown	Gorst	Williams, R. A.
Barnes	Calder	Lockstead	Levi
Anderson, G. H.	Hartley	Gabelmann	
		Nays—17	
Williams, L. A.	Curtis	Anderson, D. A.	Phillips
McGeer	McClelland	Gibson	Bennett
Gardom	Richter	Fraser	Smith
Schroeder	Wallace	Chabot	Jordan

Bill read a second time and Ordered to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 94) intituled Coal Mines Regulation Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 107) intituled Petroleum and Natural Gas Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete without amendment.

The Committee further reported that in consideration of section 7 the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. Smith, the Rules were suspended and it was Ordered that the said division be recorded as follows:

		YEAS-25	
Liden	Rolston	Nimsick	Nunweiler
Lewis	D'Arcy	Strachan	Young
Webster	Sanford	Dailly	Lea
Kelly	Brown	Hall	King
Steves	Calder	Gorst	Williams, R. A.
Barnes Anderson, G. H.	Hartley	Lockstead	Levi
		NAYS—15	
Williams, L. A.	Morrison	Gibson	Bennett
McGeer	Curtis	Fraser	Smith
Gardom	Richter	Chabot	Jordan
Schroeder	Wallace	Phillips	

On the motion for the third reading of Bill (No. 107) the House divided.

Motion agreed to on the following division:

		YEAS-26	
Liden	Rolston	Nimsick	Gabelmann
Lewis	Dent	Strachan	Nunweiler
Webster	D'Arcy	Dailly	Young
Kelly	Sanford	Hall	King
Steves	Brown	Gorst	Williams, R. A.
Barnes	Calder	Lockstead	Levi
Anderson, G. H.	Hartley	NAYS—16	
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Anderson, D. A. **Phillips** Williams, L. A. Morrison Curtis Gibson Bennett McGeer Smith Fraser Richter Gardom Chabot Jordan Schroeder Wallace

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 125) intituled Mines Regulation Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete without amendment.

The Committee further reported that in consideration of section 2 the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

Schroeder

By leave of the	House, on the motion	of Mr. Gibson,	the Rules were suspended
and it was Ordered	that the said division	be recorded as	follows:

Yeas—26				
Liden Lewis Webster Kelly Steves Barnes Anderson, G. H.	Rolston D'Arcy Sanford Brown Calder Hartley Nimsick	Strachan Dailly Hall Gorst Lockstead Gabelmann	Nunweiler Young Lea King Williams, R. A. Levi	
		Nays—15		
Williams, L. A. McGee r Gardom	Morrison Curtis Richte r	Anderson, D. A. Gibson Fraser	Bennett Smith Jordan	

Bill read a third time and passed.

Wallace

Bill (No. 142) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975* was read a second time, and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

Chabot

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

26 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following question: What percentage of school operating costs was paid by the Provincial Government in each school district in the Province for the calendar year 1974?

The Hon. Eileen E. Dailly replied as follows:

Op	Per Cent of erating Costs Financed y Province %	School District	Per Cent of Dperating Costs Financed by Province %
"No. 1 Fernie	33.59	No. 28 Quesnel	43.88
No. 2 Cranbrook		No. 29 Lillooet	
No. 3 Kimberley	_ 33.25	No. 30 South Cariboo	45.15
No. 4 Windermere		No. 31 Merritt	60.94
No. 7 Nelson		No. 32 Hope	45.15
No. 9 Castlegar	55.21	No. 33 Chilliwack	63.91
No. 10 Arrow Lakes		No. 34 Abbotsford	60.30
No. 11 Trail	. 37.85	No. 35 Langley	60.27
No. 12 Grand Forks	60.98	No. 36 Surrey	57.30
No. 13 Kettle Valley		No. 37 Delta	63.35
No. 14 Southern Okanagan		No. 38 Richmond	44.13
No. 15 Penticton	54.18	No. 39 Vancouver	13.43
No. 16 Keremeos	67.87	No. 40 New Westminster	24.55
No. 17 Princeton	29.66	No. 41 Burnaby	39.46
No. 18 Golden	67.85	No. 42 Maple Ridge	55.04
No. 19 Revelstoke	64.99	No. 43 Coquitlam	56.48
No. 21 Armstrong-Spallumcheen	. 54.41	No. 44 North Vancouver	40.47
No. 22 Vernon	_ 56.39	No. 45 West Vancouver	
No. 23 Central Okanagan	48.71	No. 46 Sechelt	4.15
No. 24 Kamloops	45.91	No. 47 Powell River	19.36
No. 26 North Thompson	43.81	No. 48 Howe Sound	6.11
No. 27 Williams Lake	55.49	No. 49 Ocean Falls	72.46

School District	Per Cent of Operating Costs Financed by Province %	School District	Per Cent of Decrating Costs Financed by Province %
No. 50 Queen Charlotte	45.77	No. 69 Qualicum	26.94
No. 52 Prince Rupert	27.90	No. 70 Alberni	44.58
No. 54 Smithers	63.33	No. 71 Courtenay	
No. 55 Burns Lake	47.49	No. 72 Campbell River	12.00
No. 56 Vanderhoof	57.29	No. 75 Mission	56.33
No. 57 Prince George	45.03	No. 76 Agassiz	44.26
No. 59 Peace River South .	69,44	No. 77 Summerland	59.02
No. 60 Peace River North	40.33	No. 80 Kitimat	
No. 61 Greater Victoria	44.75	No. 81 Fort Nelson	
No. 62 Sooke	61.19	No. 84 Vancouver Island West	
No. 63 Saanich	53.21	No. 85 Vancouver Island Nort	h 27.57
No. 64 Gulf Islands		No. 86 Creston-Kaslo	56.08
No. 65 Cowichan	40.00	No. 87 Stikine	46.80
No. 66 Lake Cowichan	3.90	No. 88 Terrace	54.16
No. 68 Nanaimo	44.54	No. 89 Shuswap	61.75"

53 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following questions: With regard to the employment of the teachers and faculty at the four universities in this Province—

1. How many university professors, lecturers, or teachers are employed at the four universities?

2. Of these, how many are teachers only, how many are in research, and how many are doing both?

3. Of those who teach, how many hours per week are spent in teaching?

4. What is the range of salaries in each university?

The Hon. Eileen E. Dailly replied as follows, for the 1974/75 academic year:

"1. and 2. See table:

University	Number of Full-time Faculty	Teach Only	Research Only	Both
University of British Columbia	1,683			All
Simon Fraser University				All
University of Victoria	424			All
Notre Dame University				All

"3. See table:

UniversityTeaching Time of FacultyUniversity of British Columbia......12 student contact hours per week.Simon Fraser University......4 course preparations per academic year.University of Victoria.......25–30 hours per week in teaching function including
teaching, supervision, preparation, marking.Notre Dame University......12 student contact hours per week.

"4. Salary floors by academic rank (annual):

University	Lecturer \$	Assistant Professor \$	Associate Professor \$	Professor \$
University of British Columbia	9,500	11,500	14,300	19,000
Simon Fraser University	9,500	11,500	14,300	19,000
University of Victoria	9,600	12,400	16,500	21,200
Notre Dame University	9,320	11,650	14,563	18,058"

124 Mr. *Wallace* asked the Hon. the Minister of Education the following questions:

With regard to the appointment of Dr. George Pedersen, Dean of Education at the University of Victoria, to advise on educational research and development—

1. What is Dr. Pedersen's specific role?

2. Does Dr. Pedersen have written terms of reference?

3. What is the length of his anticipated term of office?

4. Does Dr. Pedersen have a written contract with the Department guaranteeing a certain amount of financial remuneration?

5. What is that minimal financial sum guaranteed?

6. What are the names of the other consultants in education serving along with Dr. Pedersen?

7. What financial remuneration have they been guaranteed?

The Hon. Eileen E. Dailly replied as follows:

"1. To examine research and development agencies nationally and internationally, to test feasibility of various models of organization to the Department of Education, to assist in whatever further educational research and development capability is required in the Province.

"2. Yes.

"3. Six months.

"4. No.

"5. Anticipated total cost \$25,000 for study.

"6. Dr. A. Bavelas, Dr. C. Hodgkinson, Dr. A. Kratzmann.

"7. See number 5."

And then the House adjourned at 5.54 p.m.

Tuesday, June 24, 1975

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

168. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$103,728 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

169. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$7,374,772 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

170. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$71,500 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Grants and Subsidies, to 31st March 1976.

171. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$800,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Grants in Aid of Mining Roads and Trails, to 31st March 1976.

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172. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Grants in Aid of Roads and Trails, Petroleum and Natural Gas, to 31st March 1976.

173. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$300,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Prospectors' Assistance, to 31st March 1976.

174. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Special Mineral Surveys, to 31st March 1976.

175. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$50,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Reclamation Research, to 31st March 1976.

176. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$225,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Special Mineral Studies, to 31st March 1976.

177. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$325,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources, Mineral Exploration Fund, to 31st March 1976.

189. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$76,595 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

190. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$275,032 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

191. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$276,131 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Office of Planning Adviser to Cabinet, to 31st March 1976.

192. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$665,038 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Central Microfilm Bureau, to 31st March 1976.

193. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,160,855 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Postal Branch, to 31st March 1976.

194. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$522,660 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Legislative Library, to 31st March 1976.

195. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$621,248 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Provincial Archives, to 31st March 1976.

196. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,039,561 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Library Development Commission, to 31st March 1976.

197. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,570,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Library and Library Association Grants, to 31st March 1976.

198. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Queen's Printer, to 31st March 1976.

199. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$111,502 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Government House, to 31st March 1976.

200. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$356,654 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Agent-General's Office and British Columbia House, London, England, to 31st March 1976.

201. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$57,618 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, *Indian Advisory Act*, to 31st March 1976.

202. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,250,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Assessment on Class 13 (the Crown), Workers' Compensation Act, to 31st March 1976.

203. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$4,100,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Unemployment Insurance (Public Service), to 31st March 1976.

204. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$180,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Incidentals and Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

205. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,180,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Grants, Etc., to 31st March 1976.

206. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$400,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Capital Improvement District Act, to 31st March 1976.

207. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,202,861 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Archaeological and Historic Sites Protection Act, to 31st March 1976.

209. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$539,592 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Provincial Elections Act, to 31st March 1976.

210. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Public Inquiries Act, to 31st March 1976.

The Committee reported the Resolutions. Report to be considered at the next sitting. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 12.02 p.m.

Tuesday, June 24, 1975

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

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Prayers by Canon A. R. Eagles.

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On the motion of Mr. D. A. Anderson the following Bills were introduced, read a first time and Ordered to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

Bill (No. 143) intituled An Act to Amend the Protection of Children Act. Bill (No. 144) intituled An Act to Amend the Public Schools Act.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 103) intituled *Municipal Amendment Act*, 1975.

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 110) initial *Natural Gas Revenue Sharing Act.*

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting.

Bill (No. 130) intituled *Resort Municipality of Whistler Act* was read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting.

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 129) intituled British Columbia Payment to Canada of Federal Income Tax on Behalf of Natural Gas Producers Act a debate arose.

By leave of the House, the debate was suspended to permit the Hon. Norman Levi (Minister of Human Resources) to make a statement regarding a Memorandum of Understanding entered into today between the Provincial Government and the Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs, Cut-off Lands Committee.

The House resumed debate on the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 129) intituled British Columbia Payment to Canada of Federal Income Tax on Behalf of Natural Gas Producers Act.

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* to be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting.

Bill (No. 97) intituled Islands Trust Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 135) intituled Public Service Labour Relations Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete with amendments. Bill as reported to be considered at the next sitting.

The following Bills were committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill (No. 136) intituled Public Service Amendment Act, 1975.

Bill (No. 140) intituled Strata Titles Amendment Act, 1975.

Bill (No. 127) intituled Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete without amendment.

The Committee further reported that, in consideration of section 2, the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Bennett*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

			Yeas-28	
Lewis	D'Arcy		Strachan	Nicolson
Webster	Sanford		Dailly	Young
Kelly	Brown		Hall	Lea
Steves	Calder		Gorst	King
Barnes	Hartley		Lockstead	Williams, R. A.
Anderson, G. H.	Stupich		Gabelmann	Lorimer
Rolston	Nimsick		Nunweiler	Levi
			Nays—16	
Williams, L. A.	Curtis	,	Anderson, D. A.	Phillips
McGeer	McClelland		Gibson	Bennett
Gardom	Richter		Fraser	Smith
Schroeder	Wallace		Chabot	Jordan

Bill read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was committed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 8.30 o'clock p.m. today.

116 Mr. *Richter* asked the Hon. the Minister of Mines and Petroleum Resources the following question:

With respect to the *Prospectors Assistance Act:* What are the names of the persons to whom assistance was provided under the Act and what was the amount of assistance in each case?

The Hon. L. T. Nimsick stated that, in his opinion, the reply should be in the form of a Return and that he had no objection to laying such Return upon the table of the House, and thereupon presented such Return.

And then the House adjourned at 5.57 p.m.

Tuesday, June 24, 1975

HALF-PAST EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The committal of Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was resumed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again. Report to be considered at the next sitting.

The Committee further reported that in consideration of Mr. *Wallace's* proposed amendment to section 4, line 5, the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Wallace*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

	Y	EAS—13	
Schroeder	Wallace	Fraser	Bennett
Curtis	Anderson, D. A.	Chabot	Smith
McClelland	Gibson	Phillips	Jordan
Richter			
	N	AYS-26	
Lewis	D'Arcy	Dailly	Young
Webster	Brown	Hall	Lea
Kelly	Calder	Gorst	King
Steves	Hartley	Lockstead	Williams, R. A.
Barnes	Stupich	Nunweiler	Lorimer
Anderson, G. H.	Nimsick	Nicolson	Levi
Rolston	Strachan		

The Committee further reported that in consideration of section 4, the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Bennett*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

YEAS-25

Lewis	D'Arcy	Strachan	Nicolson
Webster	Brown	Dailly	Young
Kelly	Calder	Hall	Lea
Steves	Hartley	Gorst	King
Barnes	Stupich	Lockstead	Williams, R. A.
Anderson, G. H.	Nimsick	Nunweiler	Levi
Rolston			
		Nays—13	
Schroeder	Wallace	Fraser	Bennett

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Curtis	Anderson, D. A.	Chabot	Smith
McClelland	Gibson	Phillips	Jordan
Richter			

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

And then the House adjourned at 11.05 p.m.

JUNE 25

Wednesday, June 25, 1975

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

211. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$102,468 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Metric Conversion, to 31st March 1976.

212. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$10 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, British Columbia Lottery Branch, to 31st March 1976.

213. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Status of Women, to 31st March 1976.

214. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$250,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Public Information, to 31st March 1976.

215. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$250,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Distribution of Government Publications, to 31st March 1976.

216. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$575,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, British Columbia Culture, to 31st March 1976.

217. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,785,811 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Secretary, Salary Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

218. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,023,301 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Administration, to 31st March 1976.

219. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$300,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Grants *re* Public Service—Gratuities Under Sec. 68 of *Public Service Act* and Other Government Employees, to 31st March 1976.

220. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,750,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Retiring Allowances—Public Service Act, Sec. 64, and Other Government Employees, to 31st March 1976.

221. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$80,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Public Service Grievance Board, to 31st March 1976.

222. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$3,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Public Service Benefits Trust, to 31st March 1976.

223. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$569,315 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Public Service Commission, Salary Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

224. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$873,100 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Administration, to 31st March 1976.

225. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$39,690,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Public Service Superannuation and Retirement Benefits, to 31st March 1976.

226. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$150,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Members of the Legislative Assembly Superannuation Act, to 31st March 1976.

227. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,550,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, *Public Services Medical Plan Act*, to 31st March 1976.

228. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$277,240 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Public Services Group Insurance Act, to 31st March 1976.

229. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$58,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Municipal Superannuation Act, to 31st March 1976.

230. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$220,196 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Superannuation Branch, Salary Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

208. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,305,634 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of the Provincial Secretary, Provincial Emergency Programme, to 31st March 1976.

The Committee reported the Resolutions. Report to be considered at the next sitting. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. today.

The Hon. W. S. King (Minister of Labour) tabled the Department of Labour Annual Report for the year ended December 31, 1974 (in manuscript form).

And then the House adjourned at 11.54 a.m.

Wednesday, June 25, 1975

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Prayers by the Rev. Canon C. H. Butler.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave of the House, during the oral question period, the Hon. D. D. Stupich (Minister of Agriculture) tabled copies of correspondence relating to a poultry processing plant in the Interior of British Columbia.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

Bill (No. 84) intituled Labour Code of British Columbia Amendment Act, 1975 was read a second time.

On the motion of the Hon. W. S. King that the Bill be committed forthwith, leave was not granted.

Ordered, that the Bill be placed on the Orders of the Day for committal at the next sitting after today.

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the motion that the Order for third reading of Bill (No. 73) intituled School Tax Removal and Resource Grant Act be discharged and the Bill recommitted.

Motion agreed to and Bill recommitted.

By leave, Bill (No. 73) intituled School Tax Removal and Resource Grant Act was committed, reported complete with amendment, and by leave of the House, read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 135) intituled Public Service Labour Relations Amendment Act, 1975 was read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 103) intituled *Municipal Amendment Act, 1975* was committed, reported complete with amendments. Bill as reported to be considered at the next sitting.

The following Bills were committed, reported complete without amendment, read a third time and passed:

Bill (No. 110) intituled Natural Gas Revenue Sharing Act.

Bill (No. 130) intituled Resort Municipality of Whistler Act.

Bill (No. 129) intituled British Columbia Payment to Canada of Federal Income Tax on Behalf of Natural Gas Producers Act.

Bill (No. 12) intituled Royal Roads Military College Degrees Act.

The committal of Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was resumed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

111 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:

1. With respect to premises at 1321 Government Street, Victoria, were renovations authorized for the purpose of office space for the British Columbia Medical Services Plan?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what was the total cost of renovations carried out?

The Hon. W. L. Hartley replied as follows:

"1. and 2. Extensive renovations to the building were carried out by the building owner at his own expense. The Department of Public Works authorized

partitioning, carpeting, mechanical, and electrical work by public tenders. Total cost was \$55,813.42."

164 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:

With respect to office space located at Kingsway and Denby (6592 Denby Street)--

1. Has the Government leased any office space in this building?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, on what date did the lease commence and what is the annual cost of the space leased?

3. On what date was this space occupied and the office open for business?

The Hon. W. L. Hartley replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. Lease commenced November 1, 1974, at an annual cost of \$54,525.

"3. Renovations were carried out to prepare the interior for use by the Community Corrections Branch of the Attorney-General's Department. Helder-Van Contractors were awarded a contract by public tender in the amount of \$9,572 for interior improvements. Occupancy took place January 2, 1975."

166 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:

With respect to office buildings located at 512 and 514 Fort Street in Victoria-

1. Did the Government purchase these premises?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, on what date did title to these buildings pass to the Government and what was the purchase price?

3. On what date were these premises occupied and open for business?

The Hon. W. L. Hartley replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. Title was conveyed to the Crown on February 21, 1975. The purchase price was \$135,000.

"3. Space was allocated to the Department of Attorney-General but was later assigned to the Department of Recreation and Conservation Information Education Branch and Community Recreation Facilities Fund. The premises were occupied and open for business on May 9, 1975."

167 Mr. Bennett asked the Hon. the Minister of Public Works the following questions:

With respect to office space located on the ground floor of an apartment building in the 1900 block Lee Street (1931–1939 Lee Street) in Victoria—

1. Has the Government leased any office space in this building?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, on what date did the lease commence and what is the annual cost of the space leased?

3. On what date was this space occupied and the office open for business?

The Hon. W. L. Hartley replied as follows:

"1. Yes.

"2. The lease commenced September 1, 1974, at a rate of \$13,124.76 per annum.

"3. Special tenant improvements, including a soundproof booth, were constructed and installed to make the space ready for the Department of Health, Speech and Hearing Services. Premises were occupied December 21, 1974."

And then the House adjourned at 5.58 p.m.

Thursday, June 26, 1975

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

263. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$22,430 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

264. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$60,150 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

265. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$873,928 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, Community Recreation Branch, to 31st March 1976.

266. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,339,062 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, Travel Division, to 31st March 1976.

267. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$179,335 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, California and London Offices, to 31st March 1976.

268. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$586,360 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Travel Industry, Film and Photographic Branch, to 31st March 1976.

231. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$88,895 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

232. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$1,073,810 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

233. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$27,325,461 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Government Buildings (Maintenance), to 31st March 1976.

234. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$40,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Construction of Provincial Buildings, to 31st March 1976.

235. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$15,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Rentals, to 31st March 1976.

236. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,178,276 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Safety Inspection Division, to 31st March 1976.

237. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$833,558 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Glendale Laundry Operation, to 31st March 1976.

238. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,500,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Public Works, Salary Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

239. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$121,032 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

240. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,072,930 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

241. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$330,042 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Information and Education, to 31st March 1976.

242. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$2,815,961 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Provincial Museum, to 31st March 1976.

243. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$451,587 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Marine Resources, to 31st March 1976.

244. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,335,767 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Fish and Wildlife Branch, to 31st March 1976.

245. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$143,750 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Creston Valley Management Authority, to 31st March 1976.

246. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$25,708,931 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Parks Branch, to 31st March 1976.

247. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,220,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Grants in Aid of Regional Parks Development and Recreational Centres, to 31st March 1976.

248. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,000,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Youth Training Program, to 31st March 1976.

249. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$200,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Recreation and Conservation, Outdoor Recreation Branch, to 31st March 1976.

The Committee reported the Resolutions. Report to be considered at the next sitting. Committee to sit again at the next sitting.

The Chairman further reported a division on an amendment moved by Mr. Bennett, as follows:

"That the salary of the Hon. the Minister of Public Works as provided for in Vote 23 be reduced by \$23,998.51."

The Committee recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

Morrison

Curtis

Liden

Lewis

Kelly

Steves

Webster

and it was Ordered that the said division be recorded as follows:				
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McGeer Gardom	McClelland Richter	Gibson Fraser	Bennett Smith	

NAYS-32

Chabot

Phillips

Strachan

Dailly

Hall

Gorst

Lockstead

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. Bennett, the Rules were suspended

Barnes	Hartley	Gabelmann	Williams, R. A.	
Anderson, G. H.	Stupich	Skelly	Lorimer	
Rolston	Nimsick	Nunweiler	Levi	
Resolved T	hat the House at	its rising do stand adio	urned until 2 o'clock p r	n

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. today.

And then the House adjourned at 12.05 p.m.

Wallace

Cummings

D'Arcy

Sanford

Brown

Calder

Anderson, D. A.

Thursday, June 26, 1975

TWO O'CLOCK P.M.

Jordan

Nicolson

Radford

Young

Lea

King

Prayers by the Rev. A. W. Gollmer.

On the motion of Mr. D. A. Anderson Bill (No. 145) intituled Human Rights Code of British Columbia Amendment Act was introduced, read a first time, and Ordered to be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading at the next sitting after today.

By leave of the House, the Hon. Ernest Hall (Provincial Secretary) tabled the following:

- Seventh Report of the Royal Commission on Family and Children's Law: Family Maintenance.
- Tenth Report of the Royal Commission on Family and Children's Law: Native Families and the Law.
- Thirteenth Report of the Royal Commission on Family and Children's Law: The Commission and the Community.

Order called for "Oral Questions by Members."

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

Bill (No. 103) intituled Municipal Amendment Act, 1975 was read a third time and passed.

Bill (No. 84) intituled Labour Code of British Columbia Amendment Act, 1975 was committed, reported complete with amendments.

The Committee further reported that in consideration of section 3 as amended, the Committee had divided, and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Chabot*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

YEAS-32

Liden	Cummings	Strachan	Nicolson
Lewis	D'Arcy	Dailly	Radford
Webster	Sanford	Hall	Young
Kelly	Brown	Gorst	Lea
Steves	Calder	Lockstead	King
Barnes	Hartley	Gabelmann	Williams, R. A
Rolston	Stupich	Skelly	Lorimer
Dent	Nimsick	Nunweiler	Levi

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Williams, L. A.	Curtis	Anderson, D. A.	Phillips
McGeer	McClelland	Gibson	Bennett
Gardom	Richter	Fraser	Smith
Morrison	Wallace	Chabot	Jordan

By leave of the House, Bill as reported was considered forthwith.

By leave of the House, Bill (No. 84) intituled Labour Code of British Columbia Amendment Act, 1975 was read a third time and passed.

The committal of Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was resumed.

The Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

Report to be considered at the next sitting.

By leave of the House, on the motion of the Hon. *Ernest Hall*, the Order for second reading of Bill (No. 61) intituled *Emergency Programme Act* was discharged.

Bill Ordered dropped from the Order Paper.

Resolved, That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until 8 o'clock p.m. today.

154 Mr. *Curtis* asked the Hon. the Minister of Transport and Communications the following questions:

With regard to British Columbia Ferries-

1. Has B.C. Ferries undertaken, in the 1975/76 fiscal year, an advertising campaign to publicize "New Ferry Information Service" telephone numbers and related ferry information?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, (a) in how many weekly newspapers has this advertisement appeared, (b) what is the average number of insertions per individual weekly newspaper, (c) in how many daily newspapers has this advertisement

appeared, (d) what is the average number of insertions per individual daily newspaper, (e) on how many radio stations has this advertisement been placed and at what cost, and (f) on how many television stations has this advertisement been placed and at what cost?

3. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, (a) what is the total cost of this advertising campaign including charges for newspaper space, radio and (or) television time, (b) what is the total cost of this advertising campaign in terms of production charges and other charges exclusive of actual newspaper space and broadcast time, and (c) how many self-adhesive decals have been produced in connection with this new information service and at what total cost?

The Hon. R. M. Strachan replied as follows:

"1. Yes.
"2. (a) 21, (b) 1, (c) 3, (d) 3, (e) 11—\$44,260, and (f) none.
"3. (a) \$83,339.16, (b) \$8,102, and (c) 104,400—\$9,272.64."

160 Mr. *Curtis* asked the Hon. the Minister of Transport and Communications the following questions:

With regard to the Insurance Corporation of British Columbia-

1. Is there a Vancouver telephone number (665-2800) which residents of British Columbia are encouraged to call regarding "Autoplan general inquiries"?

2. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what is the total number of long-distance collect calls which have been accepted by ICBC at that number, from the date it was first used until the latest date for which information is available?

3. If the answer to No. 1 is yes, what is the total cost of all long-distance collect calls which have been accepted by ICBC at that number, from the date it was first used until the latest date for which information is available?

The Hon. R. M. Strachan replied as follows:

"1. Yes. "2. 28,880. "3. \$64,437.77."

And then the House adjourned at 5.47 p.m.

Thursday, June 26, 1975

EIGHT O'CLOCK P.M.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Public Bills and Orders."

The committal of Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was resumed.

Bill committed, reported complete with amendments.

By leave of the House, Bill as reported was considered forthwith.

By leave of the House, Bill (No. 142) intituled Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975 was read a third time and passed. By leave of the House, on the motion of the Hon. *Eileen E. Dailly*, the House agreed to resolve itself into Committee of Supply permitting debate.

Order for Committee of Supply called.

Pursuant to Order, the House again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

250. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$131,898 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Minister's Office, to 31st March 1976.

251. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$715,559 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, General Administration, to 31st March 1976.

252. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$489,185 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Engineering Branch, to 31st March 1976.

253. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$2,323,286 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Weigh Scale Branch, to 31st March 1976.

254. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$10,956,817 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Motor-vehicle Branch, to 31st March 1976.

255. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$833,959 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Motor Carrier Branch, to 31st March 1976.

256. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$6,402,213 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Data Processing Centre, to 31st March 1976.

257. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$11,313,139 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Communications Branch, to 31st March 1976.

258. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$102,660,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, British Columbia Ferries, to 31st March 1976.

259. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$244,187 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Motor Carrier Commission, to 31st March 1976.

260. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$1,680,000 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Aircraft Maintenance and Operation, to 31st March 1976.

261. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$677,898 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Research and Planning Branch, to 31st March 1976.

262. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$5,571,859 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Department of Transport and Communications, Salary Contingencies, to 31st March 1976.

1. Resolved, That a sum not exceeding \$3,114,340 be granted to Her Majesty to defray the expenses of Legislation to 31st March 1976.

Schedule A. *Resolved*, That a sum not exceeding \$52,331,153 be granted to Her Majesty to make good certain sums expended for the public service for the

period ended March 31, 1974, and to indemnity the several of	hcers	and	persons
for making such expenditure.			-
Legislation	\$4	195,9	985
Premier's Office		15,5	556
Department of Agriculture		94,3	381

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Department of Agriculture	94,381
Department of the Attorney-General	
Department of Transport and Communications	4,618
Department of Education	96,619
Department of Finance	2,207,876
Department of Health	493,874
Department of Highways	
Department of Labour	
Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources	6,867,229
Department of Mines and Petroleum Resources	124,119
Department of Municipal Affairs	76,205
Department of the Provincial Secretary	
Department of Public Works	8,564,891
Department of Recreation and Conservation	1,931,774
Department of Travel Industry	
Department of Human Resources	25,700,150
Minister Without Portfolio	
	\$52.331.153

The Committee reported the Resolutions. Report to be considered forthwith.

The reports of Resolutions from the Committee of Supply on March 25, and April 7, 8, 9, and 29, and May 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14, 15, 26, 27, 28, and 29, and June 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 18, 20, 24, 25, and 26 were taken as read and received.

On the motion of the Hon. D. D. Stupich (on behalf of the Hon, the Minister of Finance) the Rules were suspended and the Resolutions from the Committee of Supply were read a second time, taken as read, and agreed to.

Resolved, That the House doth agree with the Committee in the said Resolutions.

On the motion of the Hon. D. D. Stupich (on behalf of The Hon. the Minister of Finance) it was Ordered—

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the chair for the House to go into Committee of Ways and Means.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That towards the making good the Supply granted to Her Majesty for the Public Service of the Province, there be granted from and out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund the following:

(1) \$52,331,153 to make good certain sums expended for the fiscal year ended the 31st day of March 1974.

(2) \$3,222,673,687 towards defraying the several charges and expenses for the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March 1976, such sum to include that authorized to be paid under section 1 of the *Supply Act*, *No. 1*, 1975, and the *Supply Act*, *No. 2*, 1975.

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The Committee rose and reported the Resolution.

Resolution read a second time, taken as read, and agreed to.

The Hon. D. D. Stupich (on behalf of the Hon. the Minister of Finance) presented Bill (No. 131) initialed Supply Act, No. 3, 1975.

Ordered, That the said Bill be referred to a Committee of the Whole House forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Resolved, That the Committee rise and report to the House, recommending the introduction of Bill (No. 131) intituled *Supply Act, No. 3, 1975*.

Resolution and Bill reported. Report adopted. Bill introduced and read a first time.

By leave of the House, the Rules were suspended and the Bill read a second time.

By leave of the House, the Rules were suspended and the Bill referred to a Committee of the Whole House to be considered forthwith.

The Bill was committed, reported complete without amendment, and, by leave of the House, the Rules were suspended and the Bill *Ordered* to be read a third time.

Bill read a third time and passed.

By leave, the House proceeded to "Motions and Adjourned Debates on Motions."

The House resumed the adjourned debate on the following motion:

That the Report of the Select Standing Committee on Labour and Justice presented to the Legislature on April 10, 1975, be adopted.

Motion agreed to.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having entered the House, and being seated in the chair—

E. G. MacMinn, Esq., Deputy Clerk of the House, read the titles to the following Bills:

(No. 8) Limitations Act.

(No. 12) Royal Roads Military College Degrees Act.

(No. 73) School Tax Removal and Resource Grant Act.

(No. 77) Attorney-General Statutes Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 83) Public Schools Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 84) Labour Code of British Columbia Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 86) Savings and Trust Corporation of British Columbia Act.

(No. 87) Coroners Act.

(No. 93) Liquor Distribution Act.

(No. 94) Coal Mines Regulation Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 97) Islands Trust Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 99) Liquor Control and Licensing Act.

(No. 100) Provincial Court Act.

(No. 101) Income Tax Amendment Act, 1975.

- (No. 102) Health Statutes Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 103) Municipal Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 104) Renters Resource Grant Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 105) Workers' Compensation Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 106) Municipalities Aid Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 107) Petroleum and Natural Gas Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 108) Motor-vehicle Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 110) Natural Gas Revenue Sharing Act.
- (No. 112) Public Service Superannuation Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 113) Municipal Superannuation Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 114) Teachers' Pensions Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 115) College Pension Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 116) Public Services Medical Plan Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 117) Public Service Group Insurance Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 122) Mining Tax Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 125) Mines Regulation Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 127) Department of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 129) British Columbia Payment to Canada of Federal Income Tax on Behalf of Natural Gas Producers Act.
- (No. 130) Resort Municipality of Whistler Act.
- (No. 131) Supply Act, No. 3, 1975.
- (No. 135) Public Service Labour Relations Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 136) Public Service Amendment Act, 1975.
- (No. 140) Strata Titles Amendment Act, 1975.

(No. 142) Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 1975.

His Honour was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bills.

The said assent was announced by *Ian M. Horne*, Q.C., Clerk of the House, in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank Her Majesty's loyal subjects, accept their benevolence, and assent to these Bills."

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

On the motion of the Hon. Eileen E. Dailly, it was Resolved-

That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until it appears to the satisfaction of Mr. Speaker, after consultation with the Government, that the public interest requires that the House shall meet, Mr. Speaker may give notice that he is so satisfied and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated in such notice and shall transact its business as if it had been duly adjourned to that time; and

That in the event of Mr. Speaker being unable to act owing to illness or other cause, the Deputy Speaker shall act in his stead for the purpose of this order.

The Hon. *Ernest Hall* (Provincial Secretary) tabled the Annual Report of the Department of the Provincial Secretary for the year ended December 31, 1974.

115 Mr. *McGeer* asked the Hon. the Minister of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources the following questions:

With respect to slash-burning---

- 1. How many individual slash fires have been set since August 31, 1972?
- 2. How many acres have been burned?

3. What is the estimated total damage to healthy timber and private property caused by slash fires burning out of control?

4. Were data obtained from Environment Canada representatives regarding inversion layers before the slash fires were set?

5. Has the amount of air pollution from slash fires been monitored by the Pollution Control Branch?

6. If the answer to No. 5 is yes, (a) what is the average number of square miles of smoke cover per acre of slash burned and (b) what was the average increase in ash fall-out per square mile of slash burned?

The Hon. R. A. Williams replied as follows:

"1. 2,193 slash burns to December 1974.

"2. 403,109 acres. During the effective period, approximately 1,165,641 acres were logged. Approximately one-third of the logged areas is treated by prescribed burning.

"3. \$4,148,000, being the estimated value placed on all age classes of forest trees destroyed; plus \$1,100,000, being the value placed on damage to private property, and is practically all attributed to the escape fire at Salmon Arm in 1973.

"4. Special fire weather forecasts are supplied twice daily from May through October by the Atmospheric Environment Service. Inversion information has been developed for critical areas—Greater Vancouver in 1973; Terrace and North Okanagan in 1974—and is being extended for smoke-management purposes in more areas of the Province.

"5. No.

"6. Not applicable."

126 Mr. *Curtis* asked the Hon. the Minister of Lands, Forests, and Water Resources the following questions:

1. In each location in the Province, how many car bodies have been crushed by operation SAM (Salvage Assemble Manufacture) since January 1, 1974, to the most recent date for which information is available?

2. To which crushing plant(s) are car bodies, collected under the program, delivered?

3. How many regional districts throughout the Province now co-operate with the Department on this program?

The Hon. R. A. Williams replied as follows:

"1. Between January 1, 1974, and December 31, 1974, Project SAM compacted 18,668 vehicles plus countless old stoves, washing-machines, and refrigerators in 95 depots in 50 communities within 19 regional districts.

"2. Assuming that the Member means shredding instead of crushing plant(s), the answer is Richmond Steel Recycling on Mitchell Island in Richmond.

"3. Nineteen regional districts co-operate with us on our program."

130 Mr. *Bennett* asked the Hon. the Minister of Municipal Affairs the following questions:

With respect to any transit operation with which the Government is involved-

1. What is the total operating expenses by any transit operation between January 1, 1974, to the latest date for which figures are available?

2. What was the total revenue from January 1, 1974, to the latest date for which figures are available?

The Hon. J. G. Lorimer replied as follows:

"1. and 2. Figures for 1974 for transit operations under the Provincial *Rapid Transit Subsidy Act* will not be available until third quarter 1975. Figures for operations under the *Transit Services Act* will be available in the 1974 Annual Report tabled in the House in Spring Session 1976. In summary, there are no figures at this time."

And then the House adjourned at 11.30 p.m.

Tuesday, October 7, 1975

TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

Prayers by the Rev. H. T. Allen.

The Hon. W. S. King presented to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, which read as follows:

WALTER S. OWEN Lieutenant-Governor

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits herewith Bill (No. 146) intituled *Collective Bargaining Continuation Act*, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, October 7, 1975

By leave of the House, Bill introduced and read a first time.

By leave of the House, the Hon. W. S. King (Minister of Labour) made a statement relating to the said Bill.

The House recessed for 30 minutes.

TWENTY MINUTES TO ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

The Hon. W. S. King moved, pursuant to Standing Order 81, "That Bill (No. 146) be permitted to be advanced all stages this day."

Motion agreed to.

On the motion of the Hon. *Eileen E. Dailly*, the House proceeded to the Order "Public Bills and Orders."

On the motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 146) intituled *Collective Bargaining Continuation Act*, a debate arose.

The House divided.

YEAS-45

Motion agreed to on the following division:

Lewis	Fraser	Sanford	Skelly
Kelly	Chabot	Calder	Nunweiler
Schroeder	Williams, L. A.	King	Liden
Gardom	Phillips	Nimsick	Nicolson
Curtis	Bennett	Stupich	Lauk
McClelland	McGeer	Dailly	Radford
Richter	Smith	Barrett	Young
Barnes	Jordan	Macdonald	Lea
Anderson, G. H.	Dent	Hall	Cocke
Rolston	Cummings	Gorst	Lorimer
Wallace	D'Arcy	Lockstead	Levi
Gibson			

NAYS-3

Steves

Brown

Gabelmann

Bill read a second time and *Ordered* referred to a Committee of the Whole House to be considered forthwith.

(IN THE COMMITTEE)

Bill (No. 146) was reported complete with amendment.

The Committee further reported that, in consideration of Mr. *Wallace's* proposed amendment to section 6, the Committee divided and recommended that the division be recorded in the Journals of the House.

By leave of the House, on the motion of Mr. *Chabot*, the Rules were suspended and it was *Ordered* that the said division be recorded as follows:

YEAS-14

Schroeder Gardom Curtis McClelland	Richter Wallace Gibson Fraser	Chabot Williams, L. A. Phillips	Bennett Smith Jordan
		Nays—32	
Lewis	Sanford	Macdonald	Nicolson
Kelly	Brown	Hall	Lauk
Steves	Calder	Gorst	Radford
Barnes	King	Lockstead	Young
Anderson, G. H.	Nimsick	Gabelmann	Lea
Rolston	Stupich	Skelly	Cocke
Cummings	Dailly	Nunweiler	Lorimer
D'Arcy	Barrett	Liden	Levi

By leave of the House, Bill (No. 146) was read a third time and passed.

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor having entered the House, and being seated in the chair-

Ian M. Horne, Q.C., Clerk of the House, read the title to the following Bill: (No. 146) Collective Bargaining Continuation Act.

His Honour was pleased in Her Majesty's name to give assent to the said Bill.

The said assent was announced by the Clerk of the House in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to this Bill."

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

On the motion of the Hon. Eileen E. Dailly, it was Resolved-

That the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until it appears to the satisfaction of Mr. Speaker, after consultation with the Government, that the public interest requires that the House shall meet, Mr. Speaker may give notice that he is so satisfied and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated in such notice and shall transact its business as if it had been duly adjourned to that time; and

That in the event of Mr. Speaker being unable to act owing to illness or other cause, the Deputy Speaker shall act in his stead for the purpose of this order.

And then the House adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

G. H. DOWDING, Speaker

DISSOLUTION

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor by His Proclamation issued on the 3rd day of November 1975, was pleased to dissolve the Thirtieth Legislative Assembly of the Province.