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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

The Speaker informed the Assembly that the following students from G.A. Jeckell Junior Secondary School would be serving as Pages for the Fall Session: Doris Davis, Meghan Janssens, Hector Lang, Shari Meekins, Ladi Millard, Mike Reynolds, Sarah Storey, Carli Townsend and Lisa Turner. He introduced Meghan Janssens and Lisa Turner and welcomed them to the House.

TRIBUTE TO GEORGE MANUEL

Ms. Kassi, Member for Old Crow, paid tribute to George Manuel who passed away on November 15, 1989. Mr. Manuel was described by Ms. Kassi as being "a tireless fighter for the rights of aboriginal peoples around the world."

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Johnston, Speaker

- Report of the Chief Electoral Officer of Yukon on the 1989 General Election (Sessional Paper #21)
- Report of the Chief Electoral Officer on Contributions to Candidates, General Election 1989 (Sessional Paper #22)
- Report of the Auditor General of Canada to the Legislative Assembly of the Yukon Territory on the examination of accounts and financial transactions of the Government of the Yukon Territory for the year ended March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #23)



- The Yukon Human Rights Commission Report for the year ended March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #24)
- Report of the Clerk of Assembly on deductions from indemnities of Members pursuant to subsection 39(6) of the Legislative Assembly Act (Sessional Paper #25)

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Yukon Workers' Compensation Board, 1988 Annual Report, for year ended December 31, 1988 (Sessional Paper #26)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #42 - Intergovernmental Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #55 - Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #95 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #72 - Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #73 - Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #11 - Act to Amend the Municipal and Community Infrastructure Grants Act

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

Bill #84 - Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources  
- Protection for the Tatshenshini River

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The Assembly adjourned at 2:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday,  
November 20, 1989.

NO. 25  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

- Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for Public Service Commission
- Yukon Public Service Staff Relations Board, Nineteenth Annual Report, 1988-89 (Sessional Paper #27)
- Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services
- Fire Marshal's Annual Report, 1988 (Sessional Paper #28)
  - Motor Transport Board Annual Report, 1988-89 (Sessional Paper #29)
- Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education
- Yukon Teachers' Staff Relations Board, Fifteenth Annual Report, 1988-89 (Sessional Paper #30)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

- Bill #66 - Pesticides Control Act
- Hon. Mr. Webster

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

- Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education
- Status of draft Education Act
- Hon. Mr. Penikett, Minister of Health & Human Resources
- Process of consultation re new Health Act

SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader:

THAT the House, at its rising on Tuesday, November 28, 1989, do stand adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, December 4, 1989.

A debate arising and the question being put on the adjournment motion, it was agreed to.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole.

Bill #42 - Intergovernmental Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #55 - Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #95 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #72 - Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #73 - Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #11 - Act to Amend the Municipal and Community  
Infrastructure Grants Act

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

Bill #84 - Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Byblow:

THAT this House supports the policy of devolving decision-making power to the municipal level; and THAT this House reaffirms its support for the principle of devolving the authority and responsibility to make capital planning and spending decisions to the municipal level through the mechanism of block capital funding.

(Motion #33)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by Mr. Lang in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #33 be amended by adding, after the second paragraph, the following new paragraph:

"THAT this House reaffirm its support for the principle that the Government of Yukon will enter into 'extraordinary financial agreements' with municipalities for expensive capital projects such as sewage lagoons to meet acceptable environmental standards."

A debate arising on the amendment, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Byblow in amendment thereto:

THAT the amendment to Motion #33 be amended by adding after the expression "with municipalities" the following expression: "subject to budgetary considerations."

A debate arising on the subamendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the amendment as amended, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the main motion as amended, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bills were reported without amendment:

Bill #42 - Intergovernmental Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #55 - Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #72 - Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #73 - Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #95 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989  
- Hon. Ms. Joe

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:26 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday,  
November 21, 1989.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Yukon Government Position on Kluane National Park (Reserve)  
(Sessional Paper #31)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Minister of Health & Human Resources

- Counselling and mental health needs

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education

- Suicide prevention strategy

FILED DOCUMENTS

The following Filed Documents were filed by Mr. Phelps during Question Period:

- Report on sale of Hyland Forest Products  
(Filed Document #4)
- Debt financing and equity re Yukon Pacific Forest Products  
(Filed Document #5)

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

- Bill #66 - Pesticides Control Act
- Hon. Mr. Webster

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment but with a numerical typographical error:

Bill #11 - Act to Amend the Municipal and Community  
Infrastructure Grants Act

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #84 - Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

The report of the Chair was adopted.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill #55 - Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #95 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #42 - Intergovernmental Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #72 - Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #73 - Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #11 - Act to Amend the Municipal and Community  
Infrastructure Grants Act

- Hon. Mr. Byblow

Bill #84 - Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989

- Hon. Mr. Byblow



ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner in his capacity as Lieutenant-Governor to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took his seat in the Speaker's Chair.

The Speaker addressed the Commissioner:

"Mr. Commissioner, the Assembly has at its present Session passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill #42 - Intergovernmental Agreements Act

Bill #55 - Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act

Bill #95 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989

Bill #72 - Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act

Bill #73 - Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act

Bill #11 - Act to Amend the Municipal and Community  
Infrastructure Grants Act

Bill #84 - Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989

The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"Thank you. I hereby assent to the Bills as enumerated by the Clerk."

And further, the Commissioner addressed the Assembly as follows:

"To commemorate the occasion of another onerous signing authority having been removed from the Commissioner's responsibility, I thought I should perhaps give to each Member of the House through you, and I would ask the Clerk to distribute it just hot off the press, the official logo of the 50th Anniversary of the building of the Alaska Highway. I would so give to you, Mr. Clerk, to distribute to commemorate this occasion.

The Commissioner then retired from the Chamber.

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The Assembly adjourned at 3:52 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, November 22, 1989.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #3 - Hospital Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Minister of Health & Human Resources

- Family violence in Yukon

SPEAKER'S RULING: MOTION FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PAPERS

Prior to calling Orders of the Day, the Speaker stated:

The Chair would note that Motion for the Production of Papers #4 has been satisfied by the document entitled Yukon Government Position on Kluane National Park tabled yesterday by the Minister of Renewable Resources. The Chair will, therefore, order that the motion be withdrawn from the Order Paper.

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, a debate continued on the following motion moved by Ms. Hayden on April 12, 1989:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should consider taking the following steps to help protect the ozone layer from further erosion:

- (a) as soon as possible, ban the sale and use of foam packages and any chemicals in aerosol sprays that contain chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs), a substance known to harm the ozone layer;
- (b) by July 1, 1990, ban rigid foam insulation and flexible furniture foam made with CFCs;
- (c) at the earliest possible dates, ban the sale of any other products made with CFCs;
- (d) advocate to other jurisdictions in Canada that they adopt deadlines earlier than 1998 to stop using CFCs in the manufacture of refrigerators, air conditioners and coolers as well as other products;
- (e) participate in the safe collection and destruction of products containing CFCs;
- (f) ensure the safe use and testing of fire extinguishers containing halons; and
- (g) contact other jurisdictions in Canada and encourage them to adopt similar bans in order to avoid environmental calamity to northern people caused by destruction of the ozone layer. (Motion #22)

Moved by Hon. Mr. Byblow in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #22 be amended by deleting from paragraph (b) the words "by July 1, 1990," and substituting:  
"at the earliest possible time,"

A debate arising on the amendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the motion as amended and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Ms. Hayden:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that violence within the family is a major problem throughout the Yukon;  
THAT this House urges the Government of the Yukon in co-operation with professionals, First Nations, interest groups and victims to continue to develop policies and establish programs that address the issue of family violence and its destructive impact on Yukon society; and  
THAT these policies and programs address, in a culturally appropriate manner, education, prevention of all forms of violence, treatment for abusers and victim support services. (Motion #46)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, November 23, 1989.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

The Hon. Ms. Joe made the following statement:

Mr. Speaker I rise on a question of privilege to clarify a question that was put to myself yesterday during question period from the Member from Whitehorse Riverdale South regarding a contract with the Chief Land Claims Negotiator. Mr. Speaker in answer to a question from the Member for Riverdale South I stated that I had not signed a contract with the Chief Land Claims Negotiator. What I did sign was an agreement to the terms and conditions of a contract. This in fact was an extension of that contract. Since I sign a very large number of documents on any one day, it is very difficult to have instant recall of any of those documents. With respect Mr. Speaker, it was not my intention to mislead this House. I apologize for any confusion that may have been caused by the exchange between myself and the Member from Whitehorse Riverdale South.

The Speaker ruled that there was no question of privilege.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development: Mines  
& Small Business

- The Yukon Government brief to the public review panel on tanker safety and marine spills

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #3 - Hospital Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Penikett:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Yukon has much in common with other jurisdictions in the circumpolar north and that the Yukon can greatly benefit from the sharing of knowledge and experiences with these regions in many fields including health, education, justice, resource management, economic development, recreation, and culture; and  
THAT this House endorses the efforts of the Government of the Yukon to continue to forge strong links with all circumpolar north jurisdictions. (Motion #49)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act  
- Hon. Ms. Joe

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, November 27, 1989.

NO. 29  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Minister responsible for the Yukon  
Development Corporation

- Yukon Development Corporation Report for the year ended March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #32)
- Yukon Energy Corporation Report for the Year Ended December 31, 1988 (Sessional Paper #33)

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Money spent on Yukon River Basin in past agreement (Legislative Return #106)
- Porcupine Caribou Herd in Canada Interim Management Plan, 1989/90-1992/93 (Sessional Paper #34)
- Yukon Liquor Corporation 12th Annual Report, April 1, 1988 to March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #35)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Swift River Maintenance staff quarters, maintenance problems (Legislative Return #107)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #7 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

MONEY MESSAGE

Bill #19, First Appropriation Act, 1990-91, Bill #13, Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90, and Bill #7, Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89, were accompanied by a money message.

GOVERNMENT BILLS - BUDGET SPEECH

Pursuant to Standing Order 55(3), the following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Thereupon, the Hon. Mr. McDonald delivered the Budget Speech.

Moved by Mr. Phelps:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #66 - Pesticides Control Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #3 - Hospital Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act  
- Hon. Ms. Joe



The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday,  
November 28, 1989.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO SAM JOHNSON, SR.

Mr. Brewster, Member for Kluane, paid tribute to Sam Johnson Sr., who passed away November 26, 1989. Mr. Johnson was a hereditary chief and a respected elder who helped establish the Kluane Tribal Council.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services  
- Motor vehicle licence plate design  
(Sessional Paper #36)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services  
- Motor vehicle regulations amendments, including new licence plate design

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources  
- Sport fishing licence fees

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:  
Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

A debate continuing, it was moved by Mrs. Firth:  
THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

FILED DOCUMENT

During Second Reading debate on Bill #19, Mr. Brewster filed the following:

- Letters to Sue Burton, Mayor of Haines Junction, regarding improved road access into Kluane National Park  
(Filed Document #6)

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:16 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, December 4, 1989.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

CONGRATULATORY TRIBUTE TO YUKON M.P. AUDREY MCLAUGHLIN

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice, and Willard Phelps, Leader of the Official Opposition, congratulated Audrey McLaughlin, Yukon Member of Parliament, who was elected leader of the federal New Democrats on Saturday, December 2, 1989.

CONDOLENCES

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier, extended condolences to Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community and Transportation Services, on the death of his mother.

Mr. Phelps, Leader of the Official Opposition, extended condolences to Mr. Devries, Member for Watson Lake, on the death of his father.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Finance

- Public Accounts of the Yukon Territory for the year ended March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #37)
- Public Schools anti-litter and environmental programs (Legislative Return #108)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Government of the Yukon Annual Report, 1988-1989 (Sessional Paper #38)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act  
- Mr. Brewster

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development:  
Mines & Small Business

- Air quality study in Whitehorse: radon gas exceeding  
recommended levels

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was called for Second Reading:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

A debate continuing on the motion for Second Reading, it was  
agreed to on the following recorded Division and referred to Committee  
of the Whole:

	YEA	
Penikett	Joe, D.	
McDonald	Kassi	
Webster	Hayden	7
Joe, M.		
	NAY	
Phelps	Lang	
Brewster	Firth	6
Phillips	Nordling	

The following Bills were read a second time and referred to  
Committee of the Whole:

Bill #7 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #7 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, December 5, 1989.

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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development:  
Mines & Small Business

- Economic program delivery in Yukon communities

MOTIONS OF URGENT AND PRESSING NECESSITY

Under Standing Order 28, it was moved by Mrs. Firth, Member for Whitehorse Riverdale South:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should not provide any paid special leave to Land Claims Negotiator Barry Stuart prior to his return to the position of Territorial Court Judge.

Unanimous consent to proceed having been denied, the matter was not proceeded with.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday,  
December 6, 1989.



NO. 33  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

MOTIONS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PAPERS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 12(1) in order to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mrs. Firth:

THAT an order of this Assembly do issue for copies of all contracts signed between the Government of Yukon and Barry Stuart for the years 1985 to 1989 inclusive.

(M.P.P. #5)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Penikett:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

TABLED DOCUMENT

At the conclusion of debate on the Motion for Production of Papers #5, the Hon. Mr. Penikett tabled the following Sessional Paper:

- Contracts signed between the Government of Yukon and Barry Stuart for the years 1985 to 1989 inclusive  
(Sessional Paper #39)

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Mr. Phillips:

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly is opposed to the Goods and Services Tax as proposed by the Government of Canada.

(Motion #58)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald in amendment thereto:

"THAT it is the opinion of this House that:

1. The Federal Government's proposed Goods and Services Tax will impose an undue tax burden upon the citizens of the Yukon;
2. The Federal Government's proposal to secure additional revenues by the use of a flat rate sales tax and movement away from the concept of proportional personal and corporate taxation based on income and ability to pay is unfair and inequitable;
3. The goods and services tax will cause undue hardship to those residents of the Yukon who live a subsistence lifestyle or have low or fixed incomes;
4. The tax will result in an unacceptable increase in the level of inflation for all Canadians but particularly the people of the Yukon because of already inflated costs for goods and services in the North;
5. As a result of the imposition of this new tax, the provincial and territorial governments will lose revenues and incur increased costs;
6. The Goods and Services Tax will result in residents of the Yukon bearing a disproportionate share of the tax's burden because of the significantly higher cost of living in the North;
7. The tax will result in an unacceptable administrative burden for Yukon businesses, most especially the small business sector; and

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to consider and act upon the concerns raised by this Legislature, the Government of the Yukon, and Yukon people as expressed in submissions and presentations to the Standing Committee on Finance concerning the Goods and Services Tax."

A debate arising on the amendment, it was moved by Mr. Phelps in amendment thereto:

THAT the amendment to Motion #58 be amended by adding the following after paragraph 7:

- "8. The Tax will penalize businesses for setting up secondary industries in regions such as Yukon by building a higher tax base into the cost of production and will also result in more tax being paid on the product once it is transported to market;
9. The tax will exacerbate regional disparities; and"

A debate arising on the subamendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

The question being put on the amendment as amended, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the motion as amended and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Mrs. Firth:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Yukon Human Rights Commission Draft Policy entitled "Employment Related Medical Testing" should be amended by deleting the sentence in the first paragraph of the introduction which reads as follows:

"For example, testing for drugs, alcohol, or suspicion of Aids and/or HIV Virus before or after a person has been hired, may be a violation under the Yukon Human Rights Act on the basis of disability."

(Motion #54)

A debate arising on the motion and the time reaching 4:30 p.m. while Mrs. Firth was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 11(7), interrupted proceedings to call Bills other than Government Bills. Debate on the motion was accordingly adjourned.

#### BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

The time reaching 4:30 p.m., the following Bill was called for Second Reading pursuant to Standing Order 11(7):

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act

- Mr. Brewster

A debate arising on the motion for Second Reading and the question being put, it was agreed to and Bill #102 was referred to Committee of the Whole.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bills:

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act

- Mr. Brewster

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday,  
December 7, 1989.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

CONDOLENCES TO FAMILIES OF WOMEN SLAIN IN MONTREAL

Ms. Hayden, Member for Whitehorse South Centre, extended condolences to the families of the women slain at the University of Montreal on December 6, 1989.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Use of M-99 tranquilizing drug, particularly for wood bison, and other wood bison information  
(Legislative Return #109)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Health & Safety Standards Initiative

SPEAKER'S RULING REGARDING MOTIONS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PAPERS

Before calling Orders of the Day, the Speaker stated:

Before proceeding with Orders of the Day, it would appear to the Chair that Motion for the Production of Papers Number 5 has been satisfied by Sessional Paper 89-1-39 which was tabled yesterday by the Premier and the Chair, therefore, orders that the motion be withdrawn from the Order Paper.

SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald:

THAT the House, at its rising on Thursday, December 14, 1989, do stand adjourned until 1:30 p.m. on Monday, January 22, 1990.

The question being put on the special adjournment motion, it was agreed to.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill #66 - Pesticides Control Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #3 - Hospital Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #7 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act

- Hon. Ms. Joe

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1988-89

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner in his capacity as Lieutenant-Governor to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took his seat in the Speaker's Chair.

The Speaker addressed the Commissioner:

"Mr. Commissioner, the Assembly has at its present Session passed a number of Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill #66 - Pesticides Control Act

Bill #3 - Hospital Act

Bill #7 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988 - 89

Bill #45 - Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act

The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"I hereby assent to the Bills as enumerated by the Clerk."

The Commissioner then retired from the Chamber.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:17 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, December 11, 1989.

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MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Tourism

- Yukon Museums Policy (Sessional Paper #40)

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education

- Documents, entitled "Partners in Education," related to the DRAFT Education Act (Sessional Paper #41)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Tourism

- Yukon Museums Policy

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, December 12, 1989.



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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Hazardous Waste Disposal (Legislative Return #110)

Mr. Nordling, Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek West

- "We Need Someone to Talk to" - Yukoners' Views on the High Rate of Suicide in the Territory, Task Force Report prepared by the Official Opposition (Sessional Paper #42)

PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Ms. Hayden, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Accounts

- Interim Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, December, 1989 (Sessional Paper #43)

PETITIONS

Mr. Brewster, Member for Kluane, presented the following Petition:

- Petition regarding proposed motor vehicle licence plate: "Save The Gold Panner" (Petition #1)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Paper conservation and reduction within government

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, December 13, 1989.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development:  
Mines & Small Business

- Liens against M.V. Anna Maria (Legislative Return #111)
- Damage to Carmacks campground when hauling ashore M.V. Anna Maria (Legislative Return #112)

PETITIONS

Mr. Brewster, Member for Kluane, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed motor vehicle licence plate: "Save The Gold Panner" (Petition #2)

The Clerk reported on Petition #1 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition #1 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Kluane on December 12, 1989. Pursuant to Standing Order 66 of the Yukon Legislative Assembly, it is my responsibility to present a report upon any petition presented to the Assembly.

Petition #1 does not contain matter which is in breach of the privileges of the Assembly and, according to the Standing Orders and practice of the Assembly, it can be received.

Members should be aware that the conclusion that this petition can be received is subject to the following considerations:

- (1) This petition addresses a matter which has been delegated by the Legislative Assembly to the Commissioner in Executive Council. In this respect Annotation 1030(2) in Beauchesne (6th ed.) states: "A petition cannot be considered if it concerns a matter delegated by Parliament to another body." The Yukon Legislative Assembly does, however, have a precedent for accepting a petition which addressed a matter delegated by the Assembly to another body. This precedent may be found on page 63 of the Journals for the Fourth Session of the 26th Legislative Assembly. It is my assessment that it is the desire of the House that I should rely on this precedent rather than on the direction found in the practices of the House of Commons and I have, therefore, concluded Petition #1 is not deficient on this point.
- (2) This petition is not dated which appears, from Appendix 2 of the Standing Orders of this Assembly, to be a requirement. Again, in recognition of the apparent desires of the House respecting petitions and their acceptability, I have decided not to identify the lack of a date as a deficiency.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petition #1 was accordingly received.

#### MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education

- Yukon College to host the Association for Canadian Universities for Northern Studies annual conference in April, 1990

#### MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mr. Joe:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of the Yukon should consider establishing a law for the mandatory use of seat belts for drivers and passengers on public roads in the Yukon.  
(Motion #48)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Penikett	Joe, M.	Phillips
Byblow	Joe, D.	Devries
McDonald	Kassi	Firth 11
Webster	Hayden	

  

NAY		
Phelps		
Brewster		3
Lang		

Moved by Ms. Kassi:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the problem of excessive alcohol consumption in Yukon communities is serious; THAT alcohol not only destroys individuals, it is also a threat to the survival of these communities; THAT the Government of the Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should investigate ways for communities to enact provisions for the prohibition of alcohol within their communities, if they so wish.

(Motion #47)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by Mrs. Firth in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #47 be amended by deleting the third paragraph and substituting for it the following:

"THAT the Government of Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should evaluate existing programs and recommend alternatives for dealing with this important problem."

A debate arising on the amendment, it was moved by Mr. Lang:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate on the amendment, it was agreed to.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:  
Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday,  
December 14, 1989.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1989

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO BETTE CATO, ALASKA STATE REPRESENTATIVE

Doug Phillips, Member for Whitehorse Riverdale North, and Hon. Tony Penikett, Premier, paid tribute to Bette Cato, an Alaska State Representative who has been one of the strongest supporters of the Alaska/Yukon legislative exchanges. Ms. Cato announced that she would retire from the Alaska State Legislature on December 31, 1989.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Sam Johnston, Speaker

- Auditor General of Canada Report on "Other Matters" to the Yukon Legislative Assembly for the year ended March 31, 1989  
(Sessional Paper #44)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Yukon Lottery Commission Annual Report, 1988/89  
(Sessional Paper #45)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Agreement to purchase Hyland Forest Products  
(Legislative Return #113)
- New mill at Watson Lake (Legislative Return #114)
- Agreement between Yukon Development Corporation and Shieldings  
(Legislative Return #115)
- Whether full \$2 million has been paid by Shieldings, and whether original agreement has been amended  
(Legislative Return #116)

- Amount paid by Yukon Pacific to Yukon Development Corporation to date (Legislative Return #117)
- Why Watson Lake businessmen have not been paid (Legislative Return #118)
- Breakdown of cost of trip to Scandinavia (Legislative Return #119)
- Dividends from Yukon Energy Corporation to Yukon Development Corporation (Legislative Return #120)

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Report on Regulations for the period January 9, 1989 to October 23, 1989 (Sessional Paper #46)

PETITIONS

Mr. Brewster, Member for Kluane, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed motor vehicle licence plate: "Save The Gold Panner" (Petition #3)

Mr. Phillips, Member for Whitehorse Riverdale North, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed motor vehicle licence plate: "Save The Gold Panner" (Petition #4)

The Clerk reported on Petition #2 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition #2 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Kluane on December 13, 1989.

Subject to the considerations raised in my report on Petition #1 of this session I find that this petition meets the requirements as to form of the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petition #2 was accordingly received.



FILED DOCUMENTS

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Phelps during Question Period:

- Petition re condition of Alaska Highway between Jakes Corner and Whitehorse (October, 1989)

(Filed Document #7)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly, having been wished a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, adjourned at 5:17 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, January 22, 1990.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
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MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO G.I. CAMERON, FORMER SERGEANT-AT-ARMS

Doug Phillips and the Hon. Piers McDonald extended 90th Birthday greetings to G.I. "Cam" Cameron, former Sergeant-at-Arms, who was seated in the Speaker's Gallery.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Bison near the Aishihik cut-off  
(Legislative Return #121)

PETITIONS

Mr. Brewster, Member for Kluane, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed motor vehicle licence plate:  
"Save The Gold Panner" (Petition #5)

The Clerk reported on Petitions #3 and #4 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review two petitions, being Petitions #3 and #4 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Members for Kluane and Whitehorse Riverdale North on December 14, 1989.

Subject to the considerations raised in my report on Petition #1 I find that these petitions meet the requirements as to form of the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petitions #3 and #4 were accordingly received.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Finance

- Formula Financing Arrangements for 1990/91 to 1994/95

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 23, 1990.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development:  
Mines and Small Business

- Economic Development Agreement: (1) how many projects are still operating; (2) how many have failed; (3) has EDA money been used for purpose intended  
(Legislative Return #122)
- Windy Craggy Mine Development Project: Planned hearings in B.C., and Yukon's interest  
(Legislative Return #123)
- Lack of supervision by Journeyman of Apprentice employed by Yukon Pacific Forest Products  
(Legislative Return #124)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Background correspondence and information on Intergovernmental Agreements Act including letter of instruction from Pierre Cadieux, Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development to the Commissioner. Aug. 1989 to Oct. 1989  
(Legislative Return #125)

PETITIONS

The Clerk reported on Petition #5 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition #5 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Kluane on January 22, 1990.

Subject to the considerations raised in my report on Petition #1 I find that this petition meets the requirements as to form of the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petition #5 was accordingly received.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

FILED DOCUMENTS

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Lang during Question Period:

- Memo to the Deputy Minister of Education from the Director of Finance & Administration, Department of Education, dated Aug. 2, 1989, re Committments against 89-90 O&M not included in Budget (Filed Document #8)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:  
Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, January 24, 1990.

NO. 41  
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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for the Public Service  
Commission

- Managerial level employees hired, by department, by Government  
of Yukon in 1988/89 and 1989/90 (year to date)  
(Legislative Return #126)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Management for commercial and domestic freshwater fisheries  
assumed by Yukon Government

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips,  
Opposition House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions  
other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the  
Production of Papers, to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an  
order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of  
precedence, and to resolve into Committee of the Whole at 4:30 p.m.  
even if debate on these motions had not been concluded, it was moved by  
Mr. Lang:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Yukon Government  
should not implement the proposed increases in motor vehicle  
licence plate fees. (Motion #64)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was negatived on the following recorded Division:

YEA	
Phelps	Devries
Brewster	Firth
Phillips	Nordling
Lang	
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NAY	
Penikett	Joe, M.
Byblow	Joe, D.
McDonald	Kassi
Webster	Hayden
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Moved by Mr. Phillips:

THAT this House urges the Minister of Fisheries and Oceans, the Honourable Tom Siddon, to assign one of the six new Community Advisor positions established for the Western Region to the Yukon in order to support and promote the Salmonid Enhancement Program in Yukon schools and in various communities throughout the Territory.

(Motion #65)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to the direction earlier given by the House, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole at 4:30 p.m.

The following motion was passed by Committee of the Whole and reported:

THAT the Chair and General Manager of the Yukon Workers Compensation Board appear with us in this House to deal with Bill #102.  
(C/W Motion #1: Ms. Joe)

Progress was reported on the following Bills:

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act

- Mr. Brewster

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:25 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday,  
January 25, 1990.



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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Strategy for the acquisition of Government office space  
(Sessional Paper #47)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Government Office Space Plans

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:24 p.m. until Monday, January 29, 1990.

NO. 43  
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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
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MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO RAY HNATYSHYN, NEWLY-APPOINTED GOVERNOR GENERAL

The Hon. Piers McDonald, Government House Leader, paid tribute to His Excellency the Rt. Hon. Ray Hnatyshyn who had been sworn in as Canada's 24th Governor General earlier this day.

RESPONSE TO PETITIONS

Hon. Maurice Byblow, Minister of Community and Transportation Services, responded to Petitions #1 through #5, received by the House on December 12, 1989, December 13, 1989, December 14, 1989, and January 22, 1990, regarding the proposed motor vehicle licence plate: "Save The Gold Panner" and stated that the Government had listened to what the people had to say and that the new licence plate would feature the gold panner, a five-character numbering system, the words "The Klondike" and an attractive colour scheme.

QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE

Mrs. Firth, Member for Whitehorse Riverdale South, rose on a question of privilege relating to remarks made on January 24, 1990, by the Hon. Piers McDonald, Minister of Finance.

TABLED DOCUMENT

The Following Sessional Paper was tabled by Mrs. Firth while she was raising the question of privilege:

- Letter dated January 26, 1990, from Michael Wilson, Federal Minister of Finance, to Bea Firth, MLA, denying allegations re representations made by her on the subject of financing arrangements between Government of Canada and the Yukon  
(Sessional Paper #48)

#### SPEAKER'S RULING

The Speaker ruled on the question of privilege as follows:

Pursuant to Standing Order #7, the Member for Whitehorse Riverdale South has provided the Chair with written notice of the matter she has raised this afternoon.

Although the Member has raised a serious complaint, it is clear from both our Standing Orders and Beauchesne that she has raised a point of order rather than a question of privilege.

Annotation 316 in Beauchesne states that "[A] Member, while speaking, must not impute bad motives or motives different from those acknowledged to a Member [nor may a Member] make a personal charge against a Member."

When a Member does either of these things that Member is using unparliamentary language and may be called to order.

Annotation 323 in Beauchesne states: "Unparliamentary words may be brought to the attention of the House either by the Speaker or by any Member. When the question is raised by a Member it must be as a point of order and not as a question of privilege." A point of order, of course, should be raised at the time the unparliamentary language is used and not afterwards.

I must, therefore, find that, although the Member for Whitehorse Riverdale South has raised for the House the very important matter of the language used in these Chambers, she has not raised a prima facie case of privilege. I would urge all Members not to use unparliamentary language nor to make personal charges against other Members.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:15 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 30, 1990.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Bison: Costs of bringing wood bison to Yukon, involvement of Yukon Fish and Game Association, round-up in Haines Junction, and "Proposed Action Plan for Bison Herd Near the Aishihik Road Junction" (Legislative Return #127)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, January 31, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources  
- Draft Parks and Outdoor Recreation Policy, 1989  
(Sessional Paper #49)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources  
- Draft Parks and Outdoor Recreation Policy

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House leaders rather than in their order of precedence, a debate continued, from the original discussion on December 13, 1989, on Motion #47, moved by Ms. Kassi:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the problem of excessive alcohol consumption in Yukon communities is serious; THAT alcohol not only destroys individuals, it is also a threat to the survival of these communities; THAT the Government of the Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should investigate ways for communities to enact provisions for the prohibition of alcohol within their communities, if they so wish.

(Motion #47)

and on the amendment thereto, moved by Mrs. Firth:

THAT Motion #47 be amended by deleting the third paragraph and substituting for it the following:

"THAT the Government of Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should evaluate existing programs and recommend alternatives for dealing with this important problem."

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald in amendment to the amendment:

THAT the amendment to Motion #47 be amended by the following:

- a) deleting the word "evaluate" and replacing it with "(1) continue evaluating";
- b) placing "(2)" before the word "recommend"; and
- c) adding at the end the following:  
"and (3) identify ways for communities in crisis, where there is clear consensus, to enact provisions for the prohibition of alcohol within their boundaries."

A debate arising on the sub-amendment and the question being put, it was agreed to on the following recorded Division:

YEA

Penikett	Joe, M.	
Byblow	Joe, D.	
McDonald	Kassi	8
Webster	Hayden	

NAY

Phelps	Devries	
Brewster	Firth	
Phillips	Nordling	7
Lang		

A debate arising on the amendment as amended and the time reaching 5:30 p.m. while Mr. Nordling was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 2(2), recessed the House until 7:30 p.m. and debate on the amendment as amended was accordingly adjourned.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday,  
February 1, 1990.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO BRIAN BOOTH

Hon. Mr. Penikett and Mr. Phillips paid tribute to Brian Booth, who met an untimely death in Montreal on January 31, 1990. Mr. Booth had been President of the Yukon Workers Compensation Board.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald



The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday,  
February 5, 1990.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- A Report Respecting the Traffic Accident Between Yukon Alaska Transport and Diversified Transport, January 17, 1990  
(Sessional Paper #50)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Government's response to recommendations regarding the traffic accident between Yukon Alaska Transport and Diversified Transport on January 17, 1990

MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

Pursuant to Standing Order 16, and having given proper notice to the Speaker and the House Leaders with regard to the matter proposed to be discussed, Mr. Phelps, Leader of the Official Opposition, asked leave of the House to move for the adjournment of the ordinary business of the Assembly in order to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely, "the crisis situation at the young offenders' facility, Na Dli."

Pursuant to Standing Order 16(4), the Speaker heard the Member state the argument in favour of the request and then heard the Minister of Health and Human Resources state his position with respect to the request for leave.

Given the intention of the House to adjourn from 2:30 p.m. until 4:00 p.m., the Speaker reserved his ruling until 4:00 p.m.

SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT

At 2:27 p.m., it was moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader:

THAT the House do now adjourn until 4:00 p.m. today.

The question being put on the special adjournment motion, it was agreed to.

The Hon. Mr. McDonald had earlier explained that the House would adjourn in order to allow Members to attend a memorial service for the late Brian Booth.

SPEAKER'S RULING REGARDING THE MATTER OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

When the Speaker resumed the Chair at 4:07 p.m., he delivered the following ruling:

I would now like to provide my ruling on the request made by the Leader of the Official Opposition to debate a matter of urgent public importance under Standing Order 16. Standing Order 16(5) requires the Speaker to rule on whether the request for leave to move adjournment of the ordinary business of the House is in order and of urgent public importance.

Speakers of the House of Commons have always stated that it is not the importance or the urgency of the question itself that the Chair must consider when making a decision in a case such as this, but rather the urgency of the debate.

I, therefore, listened very carefully to the remarks made by the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Minister of Health and Human Resources, who is responsible for the young offenders facility. No Member can deny that the administration of Na Dli, the young offenders secure facility, is a matter of public importance and that the safety of all concerned is of utmost importance. The question, however, which must be addressed today is whether the current situation at Na Dli justifies setting aside the normal business of the House.

The Leader of the Official Opposition, in making his argument for a debate, outlined events of the past few months. He concluded that a crisis situation had been reached as of February 3, 1990. His background paper provided to me states:

"Last Saturday night young offenders became unruly and more vandalism occurred to the facility. The Departmental workers were unable to control the situation and the RCMP were called in to assist. Four

RCMP vehicles attended and 2 young offenders were removed from Na Dli to the RCMP lockup.

"It is apparent that some of the young offenders are dangerous and that the security measures at Na Dli are not sufficient. It is also apparent that the departmental workers at the facility require more training in dealing with dangerous young offenders."

In his response the Minister stated the following:

"This Saturday, two youths vandalized their own cells in which they were incarcerated. Those youths remained contained in their rooms and at no time could they leave those rooms; the staff felt totally in control of the situation. The RCMP removed them because there was no further room in the facility to put them in order to conduct the repairs. The windows were kicked out, the metal fittings were replaced; there was no security or safety risk, and the damage is being repaired. At no time was there anything close to a riot situation."

There is obviously a difference of opinion between the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Minister of Health and Human Resources. I must, however, stay away from judging on a dispute where members disagree as to facts. Instead, I have to rely on the Minister's strong assurances that the incident on February 3 at Na Dli was handled in a routine manner and that there is no security or safety risk.

Another consideration the Speaker must take into account is whether other opportunities to debate the matter will present themselves within a reasonable time.

It seems to the Chair that two clear opportunities exist for members to debate this matter. Those are during consideration of the Main Estimates now in Committee of the Whole and on Private Members' day this Wednesday when Opposition motions have priority.

I must, therefore, rule that the request for leave does not meet the requirements of Standing Order 16 and that the ordinary business of the Assembly should not be set aside at this time.

#### GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a third time and passed:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 6, 1990.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Breakdown of \$41,000 allocated in Special Waste Management Budget (Legislative Return #128)
- Costs re resurvey of Keno City (Legislative Return #129)
- Report regarding inventory or characterization of special wastes in the Yukon (Legislative Return #130)
- Beaver Creek Community Skating Rink (Legislative Return #131)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 7, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Takhini River (Elk) study; Yukon Wood Bison Recovery project  
re calves (Legislative Return #132)
- Study and planning for Rampart House  
(Legislative Return #133)
- Foundation for North American Wild Sheep (FNAWS)  
(Legislative Return #134)
- Nacho Nyak Dun/Mayo District Renewable Resources Council pilot  
project (Legislative Return #135)
- Tests by federal veterinarian of cattle and elk for  
brucellosis and tuberculosis (Legislative Return #136)
- Inuvialuit Final Agreement - 1990/91 Budget  
(Legislative Return #137)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Cost of bringing in investigators from B.C. re Na Dli Youth  
Centre (Legislative Return #138)
- Contract with Jodi White, Ottawa, re strategic advice on  
dealing with the Federal Government (Legislative Return #139)
- Jobs reclassified to ADM positions re Land Claims  
(Legislative Return #140)

- Land Claims related contracts  
(Legislative Return #141)
- Salary ranges for employment contracts for three Land Negotiators  
(Legislative Return #142)
- Status of individual completing work on constitutional development report  
(Legislative Return #143)
- Job description of Community Liaison Coordinator  
(Legislative Return #144)
- Young Offenders Facility Planning - Statement of Philosophy  
(Department of Health & Human Resources, January, 1986)  
(Sessional Paper #51)
- Young Offenders Report - Planning for Young Offenders  
(Prepared by: A. McLaughlin, August, 1986)  
(Sessional Paper #52)
- Secure Custody Facility - Concept Paper  
(Sessional Paper #53)
- Young Offenders Secure Facility - Construction Considerations  
(Sessional Paper #54)
- Young Offenders - References (Prepared by: A. McLaughlin,  
September, 1985)  
(Sessional Paper #55)

#### MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister responsible for the Yukon  
Liquor Corporation

- Recycling of beverage containers, including pop cans from five rural communities

#### MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mr. Nordling:

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to re-evaluate the security and programming at the Na Dli Youth Centre.  
(Motion #75)



A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was negatived on the following recorded Division:

YEA		
Phelps	Devries	
Brewster	Firth	
Phillips	Nordling	7
Lang		
NAY		
Penikett	Joe, M.	
Byblow	Joe, D.	
McDonald	Kassi	8
Webster	Hayden	

Moved by Mr. Phelps:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should consider amending the procedure for conferring the Home Owner Grant so that the grant will be deducted from the tax payable rather than paid out to the home owner after the tax has been paid. (Motion #51)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Phillips:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the federal government should recognize the higher cost of living and cost of doing business north of 60°;  
THAT the proposed Goods and Services Tax will impose an additional cost of living on northern residents and business; and  
THAT the Government of Canada should increase the "Northern Residents deductions" section of the Income Tax Act to reflect the addition of the Goods and Services Tax, therefore, allowing northerners to be on equal economic footing with the rest of Canada. (Motion #74)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Byblow:

THAT debate be now adjourned.

The question being put on the motion to adjourn debate, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, February 8, 1990.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Demolition (mid-September, 1989) and burning (after September 30, 1989) of kitchen shelter at Rancheria Campground  
(Legislative Return #145)
- Cost of demolition of kitchen shelter at Rancheria Campground  
(Legislative Return #146)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Payment of commission by Yukon Pacific Forest Products Ltd. to T.F. Properties for selling lumber  
(Legislative Return #147)
- Yukon Development Corporation investigation of background of T.F. Properties and its principals, Myrah and Ferguson  
(Legislative Return #148)
- T.F. Properties - possible interest in company that trucked lumber from Watson Lake sawmill to BC  
(Legislative Return #149)
- Money received by T.F. Properties for managing Watson Lake sawmill  
(Legislative Return #150)
- Yukon Development Corporation re T.F. Properties and Watson Lake sawmill  
(Legislative Return #151)
- Establishment of first Assistant Deputy Minister position in Executive Council Office  
(Legislative Return #152)
- Advertising of position of Assistant Deputy Minister, Constitutional Development, Devolution, and Intergovernmental Relations  
(Legislative Return #153)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #20 - Mental Health Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 12, 1990.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

RECOGNITION OF RELEASE OF NELSON MANDELA FROM PRISON IN SOUTH AFRICA

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier, and Mr. Phelps, Leader of the Official Opposition, acknowledged the release of Nelson Mandela from prison in South Africa on February 11, 1990.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Ministerial travel expenditures, April 1, 1989 - November 30, 1989  
(Legislative Return #154)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 13, 1990.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for Public Service Commission

- Mary Carlson, Probation Officer, re educational leave  
(Legislative Return #155)
- Costs associated with Yukon Government Employee Benefits Handbook  
(Legislative Return #156)
- Compensation packages for terminated employees in calendar year 1989  
(Legislative Return #157)
- Contract by Northern Writes to research and draft Yukon Teachers' Association Benefits handbook  
(Legislative Return #158)
- Executive Leadership Survey by Mansour Javidan of Mandus Management Consultants Inc. (Legislative Return #159)
- Consideration of local and "Outside" candidates for jobs  
(Legislative Return #160)
- Public Service Commission costs relating to health transfer  
(Legislative Return #161)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday,  
February 14, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

RESULTS OF BAN OF FUR SALES VOTE IN ASPEN, COLORADO

Mr. Phillips, Member for Whitehorse Riverdale North, rose to advise the House of the results of a vote in Aspen, Colorado, on February 13, 1990, regarding ban of fur sales. The proposed ban was rejected by a two-to-one margin.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for the Women's Directorate  
- Yukon Advisory Council on Women's Issues, 1988/89 Annual Report  
(Sessional Paper #56)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources  
- Reindeer in transit from Tuktoyaktuk Herd: 33 tested positive for brucellosis

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House leaders rather than in their order of precedence, a debate continued, from the original discussion on December 13, 1989, on Motion #47, moved by Ms. Kassi:



THAT it is the opinion of this House that the problem of excessive alcohol consumption in Yukon communities is serious; THAT alcohol not only destroys individuals, it is also a threat to the survival of these communities; THAT the Government of the Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should investigate ways for communities to enact provisions for the prohibition of alcohol within their communities, if they so wish.

(Motion #47)

and on the amendment thereto, moved by Mrs. Firth on December 13, 1989, as amended by sub-amendment moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald on January 31, 1990:

THAT Motion #47 be amended by deleting the third paragraph and substituting for it the following:

"THAT the Government of Yukon through the Departments of Justice and Health and Human Resources should:

- (1) continue evaluating existing programs;
- (2) recommend alternatives for dealing with this important problem; and
- (3) identify ways for communities in crisis, where there is clear consensus, to enact provisions for the prohibition of alcohol within their boundaries."

The question being put on the amendment as amended, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the main motion as amended and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Ms. Kassi:

THAT it is the opinion of this House:

- (1) THAT throughout the Western World there is a growing recognition that the existing adversarial criminal justice system is failing to resolve social and criminal problems;
- (2) THAT the costs of the existing justice system are rapidly increasing without significantly improving the well-being of individuals or communities;
- (3) THAT, in the Yukon, lay people and professionals recognize the need for significant changes in the justice system to enhance opportunities for communities to play a much greater role in maintaining peace and harmony within a community;
- (4) THAT vital initiatives such as tribal justice, mediation and diversion in the Yukon have begun to enable communities to assume responsibilities for community problems;

(5) THAT there is a need for a change in our justice system from primary reliance upon professionals to a partnership between communities and professionals and, in many areas, to a primary reliance upon everyone in the community to participate in promoting the well-being of their community; and

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly recognizes and supports the initiative of the Yukon aboriginal people to assume greater responsibility over social problems within their communities through the development of aboriginal justice systems.  
(Motion #76)

A debate arising on the motion and the time reaching 5:30 p.m. while Ms. Joe was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 2(2), recessed the House until 7:30 p.m. and debate on the motion was accordingly adjourned.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, February 15, 1990.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

RECOGNITION OF 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CANADIAN FLAG

Hon. Mr. Penikett acknowledged the 25th anniversary of the Canadian flag.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Yukon Business Incentive Policy for Construction  
(Sessional Paper #57)
- Yukon Business Incentive Policy for Goods and Services  
(Sessional Paper #58)

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Whitehorse VRC [Visitor Reception Centre] Feasibility & Design Study, Final Report, March, 1989, by UMA Engineering Ltd. for Tourism Yukon  
(Sessional Paper #59)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Contract by Department of Health & Human Resources to complete initial recruitment steps for Chief Executive Officer for Whitehorse General Hospital in preparation for transfer  
(Legislative Return #162)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- New Yukon Business Incentive Policy

FILED DOCUMENT

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Phillips during Question Period:

- Petition re non-smoking policy in Yukon Government buildings and leased space, and recommendation that smoking areas be designated (Filed Document #9)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 19, 1990.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Johnston, Speaker

- Report of the Chief Electoral Officer of Yukon, February, 1990  
(Sessional Paper #60)

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Annual Report, Department of Justice, 1988-1989, for the year  
ending March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #61)
- Yukon Utilities Board Annual Report, for the year ending March  
31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #62)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

- Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Finance

- Expansion of rural banking services

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to  
Committee of the Whole:

- Bill #20 - Mental Health Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 20, 1990.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Henderson's Corner power line extension  
(Legislative Return #163)
- Guidelines, travel for medical treatment, Health Services Branch. Revised: April, 1985  
(Legislative Return #164)
- Breakdown of \$650,000 identified in contribution agreement between Health and Welfare Canada and Health and Human Resources  
(Legislative Return #165)
- Cost of mail-out on proposed Yukon Health Act  
(Legislative Return #166)
- Letter dated February 20, 1990, from Minister, Health & Human Resources, to Minister responsible for Women's Directorate, re formal approval of acquisition of diagnostic mammography unit  
(Sessional Paper #63)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday,  
February 21, 1990.



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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Wood bison as subspecies; Wood Bison Management Plan  
(Legislative Return #167)

FILED DOCUMENT

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Phillips during Question Period:

- Letter dated February 5, 1990, from Yukon Child Care Association to Whitehorse Daycare Centres and Family Dayhomes re offering of bookkeeping service  
(Filed Document #10)

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mr. Nordling:

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to give full consideration to the findings and recommendations of the task force report entitled "We Need Someone to Talk To," in developing and implementing programs for the prevention of suicide in Yukon.  
(Motion #66)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Mrs. Firth:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should reconsider its position that a 911 number is a waste of money and instead look at having this life-saving service implemented in the 1990/91 fiscal year.

(Motion #73)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Byblow in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #73 be amended by deleting everything after the word "should" and by substituting the following:

"...consider the advisability of a 911 service for Whitehorse."

A debate arising on the amendment, it was moved by Mrs. Firth in amendment to the amendment:

THAT the amendment to Motion #73 be amended by adding after the word "Whitehorse" the following:

"in the 1990-91 fiscal year."

A debate arising on the sub-amendment and the question being put, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the amendment as amended, it was agreed to.

A debate arising on the motion as amended, it was agreed to.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

As the time had not yet reached 5:30 p.m., the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, requested and was granted unanimous consent to move a motion to resolve into Committee of the Whole and the Assembly accordingly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:26 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, February 22, 1990.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO FRANK LACOSSE

Ms. Kassi and Mr. Phelps paid tribute to Frank Lacosse, who passed away suddenly on Wednesday, February 21, 1990. Mr. Lacosse, who had been the executive director at the Skookum Jim Friendship Centre, was known as a great spiritual leader of his people.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Federal contribution toward funding for young offenders facility (Legislative Return #168)
- Chronic Disease list, and guidelines to medical practitioners (Legislative Return #169)
- Costs of equipment purchased under Chronic Disease and Disability Benefits Program (Legislative Return #170)
- Costs of physical improvements to Na Dli Youth Centre (Legislative Return #171)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development:  
Mines & Small Business

- 1992 Alaska Highway Anniversary Community Action Planning Program

MOTIONS RESPECTING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Notice having been given on February 21, 1990, that Motions Respecting Committee Reports would be called as government business on February 22, 1990, it was moved by Ms. Hayden, Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:

THAT the Interim Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented to the House on December 12, 1989, be concurred in. (C.R. #1)

A debate arising on the motion for concurrence and the question being put, it was agreed to.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:  
Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 26, 1990.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Extended Care Facility: Construction Timeline (Preliminary Estimate) (Legislative Return #172)

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Draft Agriculture Policy (Sessional Paper #64)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Draft Agriculture Policy

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Draft Agriculture Policy: Land Component

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 27, 1990.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- New furniture for Na Dli Youth Centre  
(Legislative Return #173)
- Na Dli Youth Centre - damage and costs thereof since  
February 3 (Legislative Return #174)
- Request by Bureau of Statistics for machine readable copy of  
current NorthwesTel telephone directory information  
(Legislative Return #175)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #34 - Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

MONEY MESSAGE

Bill #34, Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90, was accompanied by a money message.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:32 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday,  
February 28, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Johnston, Speaker

- Yukon Human Rights Commission, Balance Sheet, January 31, 1990  
(Unaudited) (Sessional Paper #65)
- Yukon Human Rights Commission, Internal Auditor's Report,  
January, 1990 (Sessional Paper #66)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education

- Environmental Initiatives by the Department of Education

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers and to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, a debate continued on the following motion moved by Ms. Kassi on February 14, 1990:

THAT it is the opinion of this House:

- (1) THAT throughout the Western World there is a growing recognition that the existing adversarial criminal justice system is failing to resolve social and criminal problems;
- (2) THAT the costs of the existing justice system are rapidly increasing without significantly improving the well-being of individuals or communities;



- (3) THAT, in the Yukon, lay people and professionals recognize the need for significant changes in the justice system to enhance opportunities for communities to play a much greater role in maintaining peace and harmony within a community;
- (4) THAT vital initiatives such as tribal justice, mediation and diversion in the Yukon have begun to enable communities to assume responsibilities for community problems;
- (5) THAT there is a need for a change in our justice system from primary reliance upon professionals to a partnership between communities and professionals and, in many areas, to a primary reliance upon everyone in the community to participate in promoting the well-being of their community; and

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly recognizes and supports the initiative of the Yukon aboriginal people to assume greater responsibility over social problems within their communities through the development of aboriginal justice systems. (Motion #76)

The question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Joe:

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to increase the Northern Residents Tax deduction to compensate for the anticipated higher cost of living which will result from the implementation of the federal Goods and Services Tax.

(Motion #71)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

#### SPEAKER'S RULING

I would like to inform the House that motion #74, standing in the name of the Member for Whitehorse Riverdale North, will be removed from the Order Paper as it is very similar in intent and subject matter to motion #71 which was debated and decided on by the House this afternoon.

Moved by Ms. Kassi:

THAT, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Canada should direct Canada Post Corp. to re-establish full public postal services in the Yukon's capital city, Whitehorse.

(Motion #25)

A debate arising on the motion and the time reaching 5:30 p.m. while the Hon. Mr. Penikett was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant

to Standing Order 2(2), recessed the House until 7:30 p.m. and debate on the motion was accordingly adjourned.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Witnesses from the Yukon Human Rights Commission appeared before the Committee to answer questions related to the estimates of the Commission.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, March 1, 1990.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Ms. Hayden, Chair, Standing Committee on Public Accounts

- Eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts,  
1990 Report (Sessional Paper #67)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 5, 1990.

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MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Memo dated March 2, 1990, from Minister of Justice to Staff Members, W.C.C. re smoking provisions at Whitehorse Correctional Centre (Sessional Paper #68)

FILED DOCUMENT

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Phillips during Question Period:

- Letter dated February 9, 1990, from Bureau of Statistics to Northwestel re Request for Telephone Directory information in machine readable format (Filed Document #11)

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #34 - Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Penikett:

THAT it is the opinion of the Yukon Legislative Assembly:

- 1) THAT recent federal budget cuts are prejudicial and adversely affect northerners, especially women and aboriginal people;

- 2) THAT northerners have already been disadvantaged by federal budgetary policies such as the dictated Formula Financing terms;
- 3) THAT women's organizations are fundamental to the move for true equality in Canada;
- 4) THAT aboriginal organizations are vital for building the future of aboriginal peoples; and
- 5) THAT the aboriginal media are an important voice of the First Nations of Canada;

and

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to re-examine its budgetary policies with a view towards eliminating their prejudicial effect on northerners.

(Motion #80)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

#### SPEAKER'S RULING

I would like to inform the House that motion #79, standing in the name of the Member for Whitehorse South Centre, will be removed from the Order Paper as it is very similar in intent and subject matter to motion #80 which was debated and decided on by the House this afternoon.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, 1990.

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TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Audiology: Difference between audiologist and audiometric technician; waiting lists for assessment and treatment; forecasts (Legislative Return #176)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following motion, moved by Mr. Phelps, was discussed and defeated by Committee of the Whole:

THAT the Chief Executive Officer and the Chair of the Board of Directors for the Yukon Development Corporation be called as witnesses during debate on Vote 22, Yukon Development Corporation, of Bill number 19, entitled First Appropriation Act, 1990-91. (C/W Motion #2: Mr. Phelps)

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:32 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 7, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Young Offenders: treatment and assessments outside Yukon  
(Legislative Return #177)
- Na Dli Youth Centre: number of visits by RCMP since  
February 3 (Legislative Return #178)
- Mayo Wilderness Summer Camp: costs and program  
(Legislative Return #179)
- Yukon young offenders: possible secure custody facilities  
outside Yukon; agreements with Alberta and B.C.  
(Legislative Return #180)

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to proceed directly to Motions other than Government Motions rather than calling Motions for the Production of Papers, to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, and to resolve into Committee of the Whole at 4:30 p.m. even if debate on these motions had not been concluded, it was moved by Mr. Brewster:

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to require that all cars and trucks registered in Yukon have two licence plates.  
(Motion #81)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was negatived.

FILED DOCUMENT

During debate on Motion #81, Mr. Brewster filed the following document:

- Petition entitled "Save the Gold Panner" re proposed licence plate (Filed Document #12)

Moved by Mr. Phillips:

THAT this House commends all the businesses, groups, organizations, communities and individuals that made the Yukon River Jungle Safari such a success in promoting tourism in Yukon during the winter season;  
and

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support such initiatives in the future. (Motion #78)

A debate arising on the motion and the time reaching 4:30 p.m. while the Hon. Mr. McDonald was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to the direction received earlier by the House, interrupted debate and stated the Chair would entertain a motion to resolve into Committee of the Whole. Debate on Motion #78 was accordingly adjourned.

FILED DOCUMENT

During debate on Motion #78, Mr. Phillips filed the following document:

- "Yukon River Jungle Safari" poster (Filed Document #13)

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to the direction given earlier by the House, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole at 4:30 p.m.

Witnesses from the Workers Compensation Board appeared before the Committee to answer questions related to Bill #102, Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act.

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act

- Mr. Brewster



Progress was reported on the following Bill:  
Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday,  
March 8, 1990.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Nursing Options Ltd.: possible use at correctional centre;  
use on weekends by homemaker services clients  
(Legislative Return #181)
- Rural Boarding Facility: for rural residents waiting to enter  
hospital (Legislative Return #182)
- Audrey McLaughlin: contract work for Health and Human  
Resources (Legislative Return #183)
- Health and Human Resources - Annual Report for the year ended  
March 31, 1989 (Sessional Paper #69)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Space vacated by Government Services  
(Legislative Return #184)
- Breakdown of future office moves planned over next 3 years  
(Legislative Return #185)

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for Women's Directorate

- Government-wide action plan for women: "Yukon Women -  
Strength in our Past, Determination in our Future"  
(Sessional Paper #70)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #87 - An Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act (No. 2)

- Hon. Ms. Joe

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for Women's Directorate  
- International Women's Day and Government Action Plan for Women

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald:

THAT this House recommends to the Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development the appointments of Jean Gordon and Grant Lortie to the Yukon Territorial Water Board for three year terms.  
(Motion #82)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bills were reported without amendment:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #34 - Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #34 - Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Brewster, and granted to proceed with the third reading of Bill #102, standing on

the Order Paper under Bills other than Government Bills, the following Bill was read a third time and passed:

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act  
- Mr. Brewster

SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader:

THAT the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until it appears to the satisfaction of the Speaker, after consultation with the Premier, that the public interest requires that the House shall meet;

THAT the Speaker 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, if the Speaker is unable to act owing to illness or other causes, the Deputy Speaker shall act in his stead for the purpose of this order.

The question being put on the adjournment motion, it was agreed to.

ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner in his capacity as Lieutenant-Governor to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took his seat in the Speaker's Chair.

The Speaker addressed the Commissioner:

"Mr. Commissioner, the Assembly has at its present Session passed a number of Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

Bill #13 - Second Appropriation Act, 1989-90

Bill #19 - First Appropriation Act, 1990-91

Bill #34 - Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act

The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Mr. Clerk. I hereby assent to the bills as enumerated by the Clerk."

The Commissioner then retired from the Chamber.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

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MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

The Speaker informed the Assembly that the following students from Porter Creek Junior Secondary School would be serving as Pages for the Spring Session: Jennie Devine, Jess Hall, Emily Harris, Diyet Johnson, Becky Reykdal, Tricia Robotka, Paul Sholz, 'Becca Whitley and Bjorn Wigen.

He introduced Diyet Johnson and Bjorn Wigen and welcomed them to the House.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Johnston, Speaker

- Report of the Chief Electoral Officer on Contributions to Political Parties, 1989 (Sessional Paper #71)

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Health and Human Resources: Meeting in Watson Lake re findings outlined in report entitled "Community Institutional Health Services Evaluation" (Legislative Return #186)
- Health and Human Resources: Amounts allocated in 1990/91 budget for family violence initiatives (Legislative Return #187)
- Extended Care: Costing prior to award of contract (Legislative Return #188)

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice and Minister responsible  
for Public Service Commission

- Conferences government is hosting in 1990 and costs thereof  
(Legislative Return #189)
- Public Service Commission re: Devolution - funds allocated  
and spent from 1987 to 1990  
(Legislative Return #190)
- Public Service Commission: Management Board Directive re  
removal costs  
(Legislative Return #191)
- Justice: Organizational chart re Acting Deputy Minister,  
Legal Services and Deputy Minister  
(Legislative Return #192)
- Moving costs for various Deputy Minister and Assistant Deputy  
Minister positions in the past year  
(Legislative Return #193)
- Public Service Commission re number of grievances in 1988 and  
1989  
(Legislative Return #194)
- Public Service Commission: removal costs - rehiring of  
particular individual  
(Legislative Return #195)
- Public Service Commission: grievances designated by  
department in 1988 and 1989  
(Legislative Return #196)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Community and Transportation Services Annual Report, 1988/89  
(Sessional Paper #72)
- PCBs transported by Yukon Energy Corporation from Faro to  
Whitehorse in October, 1988  
(Legislative Return #197)

**PETITIONS**

Mr. Lang, Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East, presented the  
following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed amendments to Bill #77, Child Care  
Act  
(Petition #6)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Yukon Indian Land Claim Umbrella Final Agreement initialled on April 1, 1990

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Spring clean-up campaign

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - Mental Health Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 24, 1990.



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TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Amount budgeted in 1990/91 Estimates for Wage Enhancement Program (Legislative Return #198)
- Health & Human Resources: Supply and demand for licensed child care services (Legislative Return #199)

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Wildlife survey costs as they relate to land claims implementation funding (Legislative Return #200)
- Yukon land use planning costs (Legislative Return #201)

- Draft Management Plan for Wood Bison in the Yukon, and proposed bison range (Legislative Return #202)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Seepage from septic tanks along airport road in Wátson Lake (Legislative Return #203)
- Community consultation in unincorporated communities (Legislative Return #204)

Mr. Lang, Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East

- Three proposed amendments to Bill #77, Child Care Act (Sessional Paper #73)

PRESENTING REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Chair, Standing Committee on Rules,  
Elections and Privileges

- First Report of the Standing Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges  
(Sessional Paper #74)

PETITIONS

Mr. Lang, Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding proposed amendments to Bill #77, Child Care Act  
(Petition #7)

The Clerk reported on Petition #6 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition Number 6 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East on April 23, 1990. Pursuant to Standing Order 66(1) of the Yukon Legislative Assembly, it is my responsibility to report whether petitions conform to the rules recognized by the House.

This petition does not conform in the following respects:

- (1) The petition is not addressed to the Yukon Legislative Assembly as required by Standing Order 65(1) and Appendix 2 of the Standing Orders. A message which was attached to the cover of the petition sent to the Table and which was read to the House by the Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East was addressed to "All members of the Official Opposition." It was signed by two persons who had also signed the petition but there was nothing to indicate that the other people who had signed the petition were either aware of or agreed with the content of that message. It cannot, therefore, be used as an indicator of the intent of any but the two petitioners who signed it. Looking elsewhere, there is no intended recipient identified on those pages on which signatures appear and an unsigned attachment to those pages states that the document is "An open letter to Yukon parents and other individuals concerned about the quality, range of services and affordability of child services in the Yukon."
- (2) The petition is not dated as required by Appendix 2 of the Standing Orders.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petition #6 could not be received by the House.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #29 - Education Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #30 - Teaching Profession Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education  
- Education Act and Teaching Profession Act

WITHDRAWAL OF MOTIONS FROM THE ORDER PAPER

Unanimous consent was requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to withdraw the following Motions other than Government Motions from the Order Paper:

Motions number 2, 11, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 35, 38, 54, 57;  
and 61

The Speaker ordered the Clerk to drop from the Order Paper the motions listed above.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #20 - Mental Health Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 25, 1990.

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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Proposal Development Fund Application by Canadian Mental Health Association-Yukon Division, to Yukon Housing Corporation for Supportive/Independent Living: Psychiatrically Disabled project  
(Legislative Return #205)

PETITIONS

Mr. Nordling, Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek West, presented the following petition:

- Petition regarding a public consultation process which will include representatives of winter recreational user groups prior to the federal Management Plan for the Chilkoot Trail National Historic Park being proclaimed in law  
(Petition #8)

The Clerk reported on Petition #7 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition Number 7 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek East on April 24, 1990. Pursuant to Standing Order 66(1) of the Yukon Legislative Assembly, it is my responsibility to report whether petitions conform to the rules recognized by the House.

This petition does not conform in the following respects:

- (1) The petition is not addressed to the Yukon Legislative Assembly as required by Standing Order 65(1) and

Appendix 2 of the Standing Orders. There is no intended recipient identified on those pages on which signatures appear and an unsigned attachment to those pages states that the document is "An open letter to Yukon parents and other individuals concerned about the quality, range of services and affordability of child services in the Yukon."

- (2) The petition is not dated as required by Appendix 2 of the Standing Orders.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that Petition #7 could not be received by the House.

#### MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister of Justice

- Street Cents Initiative: National Consumer Week, April 23-29, 1990

#### FILED DOCUMENT

The following Filed Document was filed by Mr. Lang during Question Period:

- Government of Canada memo dated March 11, 1985, to Dr. George Walker, Programs Medical Officer, Yukon Region, from J.P. Kehoe, Director, Mental Health Services, Yukon Region, re Review of Domiciliary and Program Needs for Chronic Mental Patients

(Filed Document #14)

#### WITHDRAWAL OF MOTIONS FROM THE ORDER PAPER

Unanimous consent was requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to withdraw the following Motions for the Production of Papers from the Order Paper:

Motions for the Production of Papers Number 2 and Number 6

The Speaker ordered the Clerk to drop from the Order Paper the motions listed above.

#### MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 12(1) in

order to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mr. Joe:

THAT this House congratulate the Council for Yukon Indians, Federal and Yukon negotiators for the Yukon Indian Land Claim on their success in achieving a negotiated Umbrella Final Agreement. (Motion #83)

A debate arising on the motion and the question being put, it was agreed to.

Moved by Ms. Hayden:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that illiteracy in the Yukon is a serious problem; and  
THAT in recognition of International Literacy Year, this House commend the efforts of Project Wordpower in its work to increase literacy in the Yukon. (Motion #69)

A debate arising on the motion and the time reaching 5:30 p.m. while the Hon. Mr. McDonald was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 2(2), recessed the House until 7:30 p.m. and debate on the motion was accordingly adjourned.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #20 - Mental Health Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, April 26, 1990.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TRIBUTE TO WORKERS

Hon. Ms. Joe paid tribute to workers who were killed, injured or disabled on the job during the past year. The House observed a moment of silence.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Government Services: Government Contracts 1989/90 by Type  
(Sessional Paper #75)

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Finance

- Details of plans of YIDC/Ice House/Chief Isaac fish processing facility in Whitehorse (Legislative Return #206)
- Economic Development: Mines & Small Business: Salary differences, Assistant Deputy Minister of Economic Programs vs. Director of Policy & Planning (Legislative Return #207)
- Economic Development: Mines & Small Business: Approved Business Development Fund projects with no cash flow expected in fiscal year 1989/90 (Legislative Return #208)
- Finance: Disposition of insurance premium tax (Legislative Return #209)
- Finance: Effect of federal budget on established program financing (even though 'fail-safed') (Legislative Return #210)

PETITIONS

The Clerk reported on Petition #8 as follows:

Mr. Speaker and Honourable Members of the Assembly:

I have had the honour to review a petition, being Petition Number 8 of the First Session of the 27th Legislative Assembly, as presented by the honourable Member for Whitehorse Porter Creek West on April 25, 1990.

This petition meets the requirements as to form of the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly.

Patrick L. Michael  
Clerk of the Yukon  
Legislative Assembly

The Speaker ruled that the petition was accordingly deemed to be read and received.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Economic Development: Mines & Small Business

- Government's position on the proposed Windy Craggy mine in British Columbia

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following motions were passed by Committee of the Whole:

THAT Bev McKeddie, Denny Kobayashi, Pat Wiens and Diane Thompson appear as witnesses before Committee of the Whole during debate on Bill #77 entitled Child Care Act.

(C/W Motion #3: Mr. Lang)

THAT at 4:00 p.m., April 26, 1990, Gail Trujillo, Rosemary Zenovitch, Diane Gow, and Elaine Paddon appear as witnesses before Committee of the Whole during debate on Bill #77, entitled Child Care Act.

(C/W Motion #4: Hon. Mr. Penikett)

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett



The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, April 30, 1990.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Amount being spent on Yukoners receiving mental health treatment outside Yukon in 1988/89 and 1989/90  
(Legislative Return #211)
- Steps taken to ensure safety of hospital employees  
(Legislative Return #212)
- Uniform Law Conference of Canada, and Uniform Mental Health Act  
(Legislative Return #213)
- Open brain or access to brain operations  
(Legislative Return #214)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- Fuel Contracts: All-party "swap" for fuel delivery in Haines Junction and Mayo/Elsa/Keno in 1988/89 and 1989/90  
(Legislative Return #215)

SPEAKER'S RULING RE MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

I would like to provide the House with a ruling on the Point of Order raised by the Member for Whitehorse Riverdale North on April 24, 1990. The honourable Member said that he felt that the Ministerial Statement given by the Minister of Education on the subject of the Education Act and the Teaching Profession Act did not conform to the practices of the House because, in his words, "It is obviously a Second Reading speech."

The rule concerning Ministerial Statements is to be found in Standing Order 11(8) where it states: "On Ministerial Statements, as listed in Standing Order 11(2), a Minister may make a short factual statement of government policy." The only other direction to be found on this matter is in the Second Report of the Standing

Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges which was presented to the House on October 10, 1979. One of the recommendations of that Committee which was concurred in by motion of the House stated: "That Ministerial Statements be made only on subjects of significance and primarily for the purpose of announcing new government policies."

The House has provided the Chair no further guidance in either the Standing Orders or in reports of the Standing Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges as to what subjects may be properly covered in a Ministerial Statement.

The Members for Whitehorse Riverdale North and Whitehorse Porter Creek East argued that the statement given by the Minister of Education on April 24 does not conform to the intent of Standing Order 11 because it would more appropriately be part of the Minister's speech on Second Reading of the Education Act. The Minister of Education and the Premier disagreed. The Premier stated: "He is making a statement on new education policy for this government."

Our Standing Order 1 states: "In all cases not provided for hereafter or by sessional or other orders, the usages and customs of the House of Commons of Canada, as in force at the time, shall be followed, so far as they may be applicable to this Assembly." The Clerk of the House of Commons has provided information that the House of Commons has no guidelines beyond a broad rule similar to our Standing Order 11 governing what is considered acceptable for the content of Ministerial Statements. A review of precedents of the House of Commons indicates that, on January 28, 1987, The Honourable Michael Wilson, Minister of Finance, gave a Ministerial Statement on amendments he was proposing to the Income Tax Act. Also, on June 30, 1988, The Honourable Tom Hockin, Minister of State (Finance), gave a Ministerial Statement on amendments he was proposing to the Bank Act.

Given the direction provided to the Chair by Standing Order 1 to respect the usages of the House of Commons, the Chair must find that the precedents which have been cited lead to the conclusion that the Ministerial Statement given by the Minister of Education on April 24 was in order.

#### MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education

- Establishment of a Curriculum Advisory Committee for Yukon Schools

#### GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #29 - Education Act

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #30 - Teaching Profession Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 1, 1990.

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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
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TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Government position on proposed Chilkoot Trail National Historic Park (Sessional Paper #76)

MOTIONS RESPECTING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Chair of the Standing Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges:

THAT the First Report of the Standing Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges, presented to the House on April 24, 1990, be concurred in; and  
THAT the Standing Orders of the Yukon Legislative Assembly be amended to reflect the report.

(C.R. #3)

A debate arising on the motion for concurrence and the question being put, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted..

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, May 2, 1990.

NO. 73  
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of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #9 - An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by Mr. Phillips, Opposition House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 12(1) in order to call certain motions on the Order Paper in an order agreed to by the House Leaders rather than in their order of precedence, it was moved by Mr. Phelps:

THAT it is the opinion of the Yukon Legislative Assembly that the Proposed Companion Resolution to the Meech Lake Accord addresses the major concerns that Yukoners have with The 1987 Constitutional Accord in relation to the creation of new provinces, territorial representation in the Senate, appointments to the Supreme Court of Canada and territorial participation in First Ministers conferences on aboriginal rights;

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly urges the Parliament of Canada and the Legislatures of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland to ratify The 1987 Constitutional Accord provided that the members of Parliament and of each of the Legislative Assemblies have sufficient assurances from the discussions and negotiations between the First Ministers to firmly believe that the Companion Resolution will become law; and

THAT the Speaker forward a copy of this Resolution to the Prime Minister of Canada, the 10 provincial premiers and the Government Leader of the Northwest Territories.

(Motion #95)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Lang:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should establish a residential care facility for Yukon residents with mental problems.

(Motion #91)

A debate arising on the motion, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Penikett in amendment thereto:

THAT Motion #91 be amended by deleting all the words after the expression "THAT it is the opinion of this House" and substituting for them the following:

"That the Federal Government should join the Government of Yukon in funding a residential care facility for Yukoners who are mentally ill and that the Government of Yukon, upon confirmation that the Federal Government will contribute a fair share of the cost, should establish such a residential care facility."

A debate arising on the amendment and the time reaching 5:30 p.m. while Mrs. Firth was speaking to it, the Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order 2(2), recessed the House until 7:30 p.m. and debate on the amendment was accordingly adjourned.

#### COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, May 3, 1990.

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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS (FIRST READING)

Bill #6 - Banking Agency Guarantee Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services  
- Television Northern Canada Network

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a third time and passed:  
Bill #20 - Mental Health Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:  
Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:27 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, May 7, 1990.



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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, MAY 7, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Ms. Joe, Minister responsible for Public Service Commission

- Membership and activity of sub-committee of Advisory Committee on Employee Assistance and Health Promotion re workplace harassment and abuse of authority

(Legislative Return #216)

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Yukon Conservation Strategy (Sessional Paper #77)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Renewable Resources

- Yukon Conservation Strategy: Management Plan for Environment and Resources

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act

- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #29 - Education Act

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:28 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 8, 1990.

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YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. McDonald, Minister of Education  
- Wilderness Guide Training Policy

NOTICE OF PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Pursuant to Standing Order 14.1(1), adopted April 30, 1990, the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, requested and was granted unanimous consent to deal with one particular motion under Motions other than Government Motions on Wednesday, May 9, 1990.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bill was read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #87 - An Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act (No. 2)  
- Hon. Ms. Joe

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #29 - Education Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:29 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday,  
May 9, 1990.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Report on the Test Paper Recycling Program  
(Sessional Paper #78)

RESPONSE TO PETITION

Hon. Mr. Webster, Minister of Tourism, responded to Petition #8, received by the House on April 26, 1990, regarding a public consultation process to include representatives of winter recreational user groups prior to the federal Management Plan for Chilkoot Trail National Historic Park being proclaimed in law. Hon. Mr. Webster stated that he had met with the president of one of the user groups and had agreed to write to Federal Minister Lucien Bouchard to convey the association's interest in obtaining an exemption from the National Parks policy of no private, uncontrolled mechanized access within the historic park boundaries of the Chilkoot Trail National Historic Park.

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Government Services

- Government Paper Recycling Program

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Ms. Kassi:

THAT this House commends the Assembly of First Nations in its leadership role of Canadian Aboriginal Peoples and in their work to develop a strategy for self-determination.

(Motion #97)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #29 - Education Act

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The following Bill was reported without amendment:

Bill #30 - Teaching Profession Act

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 9:14 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, May 10, 1990.

NO. 78  
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Green Paper on Constitutional Development  
(Sessional Paper #79)
- Yukon Pacific Forest Products re sale of assets, and trial date  
(Legislative Return #217)
- Cost to lodge three young offenders in Prince George  
(Legislative Return #218)
- Funds targeted for start-up of school-age programs  
(Legislative Return #219)
- Mental Health Act, and use of term "recently"  
(Legislative Return #220)
- Yukon Pacific Forest Products - whether assets are up for sale  
(Legislative Return #221)
- Health & Human Resources: South Region Supervisor position  
(Legislative Return #222)
- Possible use of portion of extended care facility for psychiatric patients  
(Legislative Return #223)
- Mental Health Act: Excerpts from Ontario, British Columbia, and Saskatchewan Acts  
(Legislative Return #224)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Release of Green Paper on Constitutional Development

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a second time and referred to Committee of the Whole:

Bill #9 - An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

Bill #6 - Banking Agency Guarantee Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

Progress was reported on the following Bill:

Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The report of the Chair was adopted.

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The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Monday, May 14, 1990.



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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS  
of the  
YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
27th Legislative Assembly First Session

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MONDAY, MAY 14, 1990

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The Speaker took the Chair at 1:30 p.m.

TABLING RETURNS AND DOCUMENTS

Hon. Mr. Penikett, Premier

- Average length of time families have been on social assistance over last three years (Legislative Return #225)
- Work plan for rehab-extended care facility (Sessional Paper #80)

Hon. Mr. Byblow, Minister of Community & Transportation Services

- South Highway School: Contract for modular units (Legislative Return #226)
- Yukon Housing Corporation: Heating source for new home construction (Legislative Return #227)
- Government use of propane-operated vehicles (Legislative Return #228)

MOTIONS OF URGENT AND PRESSING NECESSITY

Under Standing Order 28, it was moved by Mr. Phelps:

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Commissioner in Executive Council should cause an inquiry to be made forthwith, pursuant to the Public Inquiries Act, into a matter connected with the conduct of the public business of the Yukon and a matter of public concern, namely the involvement of the Minister responsible for the Yukon Development Corporation and the past and current Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officers of the Yukon Development Corporation into:

- a) the expenditure of public funds in the operation and management of Hyland Forest Products in Watson Lake;
- b) the details of the sale of Hyland Forest Products to Yukon Pacific Forest Products Ltd.;

- c) the continued investment of public funds by the Yukon Development Corporation into Yukon Pacific Forest Products Ltd.; and  
THAT the Board of Inquiry should report back to this House no later than December 31, 1990.

Unanimous consent to proceed having been denied, the matter was not proceeded with.

MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

Pursuant to Standing Order 16, and having given proper notice to the Speaker and the House Leaders with regard to the matter proposed to be discussed, Mr. Phelps, Leader of the Official Opposition, asked leave of the House to move for the adjournment of the ordinary business of the Assembly in order to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely, the Yukon Supreme Court Order of May 10, 1990, ordering the sale of the assets of the Yukon Pacific Forest Products sawmill in Watson Lake.

Pursuant to Standing Order 16(4), the Speaker heard the Member state the argument in favour of the request and then heard the Minister responsible for the Yukon Development Corporation state his position with respect to the request for leave.

The Speaker sought the advice of the House Leaders with regard to the likelihood of the business of the Assembly continuing through to Wednesday, May 16, 1990, at which time the Official Opposition would have the opportunity to move and debate a substantive motion on the matter. Having heard a number of Points of Order from both sides, the Speaker ruled as follows:

It appears to the Chair that the Opposition House Leader said we will be finished by Wednesday. Based on that, I am going to allow the debate today.

I would like to state, if we do come back on Wednesday, there is to be no more discussion on this issue in this House, but I will allow the debate to go on today.

Debate proceeded on the following motion:

THAT the ordinary business of the Assembly be adjourned.

Debate concluded at 4:45 p.m. and, pursuant to Standing Order 16(9), the House proceeded to Orders of the Day.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

The following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill #77 - Child Care Act  
- Hon. Mr. Penikett

Bill #29 - Education Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #30 - Teaching Profession Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

According to Order, the Assembly resolved into Committee of the Whole.

The following Bill was reported with amendment:

Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

The following Bills were reported without amendment:

Bill #6 - Banking Agency Guarantee Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #87 - An Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act (No. 2)  
- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #9 - An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act  
- Hon. Mr. Webster

GOVERNMENT BILLS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 59(3), with regard to reporting a Bill with amendment, the following Bills were read a third time and passed:

Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act  
- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #6 - Banking Agency Guarantee Act

- Hon. Mr. McDonald

Bill #87 - An Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act (No. 2)

- Hon. Ms. Joe

Bill #9 - An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act

- Hon. Mr. Webster

#### GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 27(1), with regard to notice, it was moved by the Hon. Mr. Penikett:

THAT a Select Committee on Constitutional Development be established;

THAT the Committee be comprised of two members of the Legislative Assembly, one to be appointed by the Premier and one to be appointed by the Leader of the Official Opposition;

THAT the Green Paper on Constitutional Development be referred to the Committee;

THAT the Committee receive the views and opinions of Yukon citizens on the Green Paper, and present a record and interpretation of such views and opinions to this Assembly;

THAT the Committee hold public hearings on the Green Paper in Whitehorse and in at least one community in each of the electoral districts outside Whitehorse;

THAT the Committee invite oral and written representations on the Green Paper from residents of the Yukon and, where appropriate, from individuals and groups outside the Yukon;

THAT the Committee report to the Legislative Assembly no later than the 1991 Spring sitting of the 27th Legislature; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the Committee.

(Motion #98)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Ms. Joe:

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 16 of the Human Rights Act, appoint George Henry and Tor Forsberg to be members of the Human Rights Commission effective May 14, 1990 and Debra Fendrick to be a member of the Human Rights Commission effective July 1, 1990;

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 21 of the Human Rights Act, appoint Sylvia Neschokat, Sandy Secord, Tony Ravensdale, Art Pearson, Louise Profeit-LeBlanc, Rosemary Trehearne, Clive Boyd, Betty Toews, Carol Geddes, Percy Henry, and Lona Hobbs to be members of the panel of adjudicators with Sylvia Neschokat designated Chief Adjudicator; and THAT all appointments to the panel of adjudicators shall take effect July 1, 1990. (Motion #99)

A debate arising and the question being put on the motion, it was agreed to.

#### MOTIONS RESPECTING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Unanimous consent having been requested by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader, and granted to waive Standing Order 13(1) with regard to calling motions for concurrence in a Committee report, it was moved by Ms. Hayden, Chair of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts:

THAT the Eleventh Report of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts, presented to the House on March 1, 1990, be concurred in. (C.R. #2)

A debate arising on the motion for concurrence and the question being put, it was agreed to.

#### SPECIAL ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Moved by the Hon. Mr. McDonald, Government House Leader:

THAT the House, at its rising, do stand adjourned until it appears to the satisfaction of the Speaker, after consultation with the Premier, that the public interest requires that the House shall meet;

THAT the Speaker 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, if the Speaker is unable to act owing to illness or other causes, the Deputy Speaker shall act in his stead for the purpose of this order.

The question being put on the adjournment motion, it was agreed to.

ASSENT TO BILLS

The Assembly received the Commissioner in his capacity as Lieutenant-Governor to give Assent to certain Bills passed by the House.

The Commissioner, having entered the Chamber, took his seat in the Speaker's Chair.

The Speaker addressed the Commissioner:

"Mr. Commissioner, the Assembly has at its present Session passed a number of Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the Assembly, I respectfully request your Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the titles of the Bills that had been passed severally as follows:

- Bill #20 - Mental Health Act
- Bill #4 - An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act
- Bill #6 - Banking Agency Guarantee Act
- Bill #9 - An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act
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- Bill #30 - Teaching Profession Act
- Bill #77 - Child Care Act
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The Commissioner assented the Bills:

"I am pleased, although I am sure not as pleased as all of you are, to assent to the Bills as enumerated by Mr. Clerk. Have a great summer."

The Commissioner then retired from the Chamber.

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The Assembly adjourned at 8:17 p.m.



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42	Intergovernmental Agreements Act **	Penikett	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21
45	Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act **	M. Joe	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-12-05	89-12-07	89-12-07
55	Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act **	M. Joe	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21
95	Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 1989 ** *	M. Joe	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21
72	Mackenzie River Basin Agreements Act **	Webster	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21
73	Yukon River and Alsek River Basin Agreements Act **	Webster	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21
11	Act to Amend the Municipal and Community Infrastructure Grants Act **	Byblow	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21	89-11-21
34	Municipal General Purposes Loans Act, 1989 **	Byblow	89-11-16	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-21	89-11-21
56	Pesticides Control Act #	Webster	89-11-20	89-11-21	89-11-27	89-12-07	89-12-07
3	Hospital Act # *	Penikett	89-11-22	89-11-23	89-11-27	89-12-07	89-12-07
19	First Appropriation Act, 1990-91 ** (Main Estimates, 1990/1991)	McDonald	89-11-27	89-12-04	90-03-08	90-03-08	90-03-08
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7	Fourth Appropriation Act, 1988-89 ** (Supp. No. 2, 1988/89)	McDonald	89-11-27	89-12-04	89-12-04	89-12-07	89-12-07



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4	An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act ** *	McDonald	90-02-19	90-02-22	90-05-14	90-05-14	90-05-14
4	Third Appropriation Act, 1989-90 (Supp. No. 2, 1989/90	McDonald	90-02-27	90-03-05	90-03-08	90-03-08	90-03-08
7	An Act to Amend the Workers Compensation Act (No. 2) **	M. Joe	90-03-08	90-05-08	90-05-14	90-05-14	90-05-14
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9	An Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act **	Webster	90-05-02	90-05-10	90-05-14	90-05-14	90-05-14
6	Banking Agency Guarantee Act **	McDonald	90-05-03	90-05-10	90-05-14	90-05-14	90-05-14

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