

## **YUKON LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**

Motions adopted during the continuation of the  
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31st Legislative Assembly

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Note: The following is an unofficial consolidation of the substantive motions adopted during the time period noted above. If motions were amended before adoption, the amendment is incorporated in the text and a notation made that the motion was amended.

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### Substantive Motions

1. Motion #280 – Mrs. Peter, Member for Vuntut Gwitchin  
Debated May 5, 2004  
Carried May 5, 2004

THAT this House encourages the Government of Yukon to work with the Vuntut Gwitchin, the Tr'ondek Hwech'in, the Na Cho Nyak Dun and the Tetlit Gwitchin First Nations, as well as the Governments of Canada and the Northwest Territories, to ensure that any celebration of the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Dempster Highway recognizes the role played by First Nations people in making this project possible.

2. Motion #43 – Mr. Rouble, Member for Southern Lakes  
Debated May 5, 2004  
Carried May 5, 2004

THAT it is the opinion of this House that the Government of Yukon should implement an action plan to deal with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder that includes the following:

- (1) promoting prevention programs to eliminate alcohol consumption by high-risk parents in order to foster the birth of healthy babies,
- (2) establishing a system of early diagnosis of FASD before the age of six,
- (3) supporting people and families with FASD through a wide range of services such as professional counselling and foster homes in order to provide a stable, nurturing home environment,
- (4) enhancing supported living arrangements for adults with FASD,
- (5) forming a diagnostic team of professionals trained in personal counselling and social work/health to provide services to Yukon schools in order to provide support for FASD students and their families, and
- (6) providing appropriate resources at the community level to enable voluntary screening of adult persons who may have undiagnosed FASD.

#### **Amended**

3. Motion #289 – Hon. Mr. Jenkins, Minister of Health and Social Services  
Debated May 17, 2004  
Carried May 17, 2004

THAT this House urges the federal Liberal Government to live up to its fiduciary responsibility to provide health care to aboriginal Canadians resident both on reserves and off reserves, as recommended by the Auditor General and requested by all three territories and all ten provinces.

4. Motion #301 – Hon. Mr. Jenkins, Government House Leader  
Debated May 17, 2004  
Carried May 17, 2004

THAT the membership of the Standing Committee on Public Accounts as established by Motion #21 of the First Session of the 31<sup>st</sup> Legislative Assembly be amended by:

- (1) rescinding the appointments of Hon. Dennis Fentie and Hon. Peter Jenkins, and
- (2) appointing Dean Hassard and Brad Cathers to the Committee.