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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Fentie (Motion #69)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work collaboratively with the Government of Canada, the Government of the Northwest Territories, the Porcupine Caribou Management Board, all affected First Nations in Yukon and the Northwest Territories, and stakeholders, to develop a Porcupine Caribou Herd Harvest Management Strategy that ensures to the greatest extent possible, the conservation and protection of the Porcupine Caribou Herd.

2. Hon. Mr. Fentie (Motion #167)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, the Government of Canada and Yukon First Nation governments to develop a timely, inclusive process through the re-instated Intergovernmental Forum to implement the recommendations of the Nine Year Review of the Yukon Final Land Claims Agreements in order to ensure the spirit and intent of the land claims agreements are fulfilled.

3. Hon. Mr. Hart (Motion #168)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to modernize Yukon's overall emergency response structure by:

- (1) transferring Emergency Medical Services (EMS) which provides ambulance services to Yukoners from the Department of Health and Social Services to the Protective Services Branch of the Department of Community Services,
- (2) recruiting for full-time primary care paramedics for Watson Lake, Dawson City and other communities where necessary,

- (3) concluding an agreement on appropriate remuneration with EMS volunteers that recognizes the valuable contribution they make in providing ambulance services to Yukoners,
- (4) upgrading emergency response facilities, equipment, maintenance and training needs,
- (5) meeting with key stakeholders, including staff and volunteers in the communities to obtain their advice, ideas and views on how to best manage the specific needs of each Yukon community under the newly combined emergency response structure; and
- (6) examining the feasibility of providing 911 service in all communities.
- 4. Hon. Mr. Hart (Motion #169)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon, through the Department of Community Services, to establish an Infrastructure Fund to address the immediate infrastructure needs of Yukon communities.

5. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #170)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to utilize the review of social assistance rates currently underway to increase social assistance rates for those in need, and to provide incentives for those on social assistance who want to enter the work force.

6. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #194)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon and the Yukon Registered Nurses Association to continue working together on the development of legislation that will allow Nurse Practitioners to work within their full scope of practice.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #36 Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 2. Bill #37 Legislative Assembly Retirement Allowances Act, 2007 -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 3. Bill #44 Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2007) -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 4. Bill #38 Act to Amend the Employment Standards Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 5. Bill #41 Securities Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 6. Bill #40 Act to Repeal the Motor Transport Act -Hon. Mr. Lang

(Third Reading)

1. Bill #35 - Act to Amend the Subdivision Act -Hon. Mr. Lang

- 2. Bill #42 Act to Amend the Municipal Finance and Community Grants Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 3. Bill #39 Act to Amend the Territorial Court Judiciary Pension Plan Act, 2003 -Hon, Mr. Hart
- 4. Bill #7 Fourth Appropriation Act, 2006-07 -Hon. Ms. Taylor

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #101 Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right Mr. Nordick
- 2. Bill #102 Act to Amend the Yukon Human Rights Act -Mr. Inversity

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Cathers

- 3. Bill #103 Apology Act -Mr. Inverarity
- 4. Bill #105 An Act to Amend the Cooperation in Governance Act -Mr. Mitchell

Adjourned debate: Mr. Nordick

5. Bill #106 - Net Metering Act - Mr. McRobb

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

GOVERNMENT BILLS

1. Bill #8 - Second Appropriation Act 2007-08 -Hon. Ms. Taylor

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

1. Bill #104 - Smoke-free Places Act -Mr. Hardy

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NOTICE PAPER

NOTICES OF MOTION GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #233)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to recognize that the unilateral decision in 1966 to integrate the Canadian Forces Superannuation and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Superannuation with the Canada Pension Plan contributions imposed an injustice and unfairness upon members and retirees of the Canadian Forces and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and therefore should take action to remedy that injustice.

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Nordick (Motion #234)

THAT this House urges Fisheries and Oceans Canada in conjunction with the Government of Yukon to support the implementation of the new regime for managing placer mining activity through operation of the Yukon Placer Secretariat that will:

- (1) provide ongoing oversight to the new placer mining regulatory regime,
- (2) resolve disputes,
- (3) coordinate the adaptive management process; and
- (4) provide a means for stakeholders and interested parties to continue to participate in habitat management decisions related to placer mining.
- 2. Mr. Inverarity (Motion #235)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to publicly release all taxpayer funded studies related to the feasibility of a float plane manufacturing plant in Watson Lake.

3. Mr. Edzerza (Motion #236)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to supplement the Spring Litter Campaign, which allows non-profit groups to earn money by picking up and recycling litter found along highways, by extending the programs to include the clean-up of shoreline areas along main Yukon rivers.

4. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #237)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to consult with persons who have used the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* to provide information in confidence regarding their experience with the Act and its administration and to institute the recommendations of both the previous and present Information and Privacy Commissioners to amend the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act* to make it more accessible and affordable for Yukon people who are seeking information held by the Government of Yukon.

5. Mr. Hardy (Motion #238)

THAT this House urges the Public Accounts Committee to convene as soon as possible after December 14, 2007, for the purpose of conducting public hearings into the investment policies and procedures of the Department of Finance, including a specific examination of the recent investment of \$36.5 million in asset-backed commercial papers.