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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. 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.

4. Hon. Mr. Kenyon (Motion #239)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue to work with the Government of Canada, First Nations, Yukon College, members of the business community and non-governmental organizations to:

(1) enhance and develop labour market initiatives targeting First Nations, older workers, youth, persons with disabilities and immigrants through measures such as

apprenticeship programs, the Youth Employment Program, the Yukon Nominee Program, the Temporary Foreign Worker Program and other programs,

- (2) develop a national recruiting campaign; and
- (3) assist in the development of retention incentives for employers.
- 5. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #357)

THAT this House urges the Department of Health and Social Services to launch a new health promotion initiative to:

- (1) further assist Yukoners who wish to quit smoking by funding a portion of the cost of nicotine replacement therapies; and
- (2) work in partnership with the Motor Vehicles Branch to provide drivers with information on the increased health impacts of smoking within the confined space of a motor vehicle.
- 6. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #499)

THAT this House urges the Environment critics for the Official Opposition and the Third Party to accept the Yukon Government's invitation to attend the Climate Leaders Summit in Poznan, Poland, as observers, during the dates of December 8-12, 2008.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #54 Electoral District Boundaries Act -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 2. Bill #60 Act to Amend the Judicature Act -Hon. Ms. Horne
- 3. Bill #57 Act to Amend the Miners Lien Act -Hon. Mr. Lang
- 4. Bill #59 Forest Resources Act -Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 5. Bill #63 Act to Amend the Seniors Income Supplement Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 6. Bill #55 Act to Amend the Social Assistance Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 7. Bill #56 Act to Amend the Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act -Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 8. Bill #12 Second Appropriation Act, 2008-09
 -Hon. Mr. Fentie

(Third Reading)

1. Bill #61 - Act to Amend the Municipal Act -Hon. Mr. Lang

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. Inverarity

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Cathers

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

Adjourned debate: Mr. Nordick

- 4. Bill #107 Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act -Mr. Hardy
- 5. Bill #108 Legislative Renewal Act -Mr. Hardy
- 6. Bill #109 Young Worker Protection Act
 -Mr. Cardiff

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- 1. Bill #58 Act to Amend the Quartz Mining Act -Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 2. Bill #62 Act to Amend the Animal Protection Act -Hon. Mr. Lang

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICES OF MOTION MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Nordick (Motion #532)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to upgrade the airports at Dawson City and Old Crow to enable jets equipped with gravel kits to provide jet service to both communities.

2. Mr. Inverarity (Motion #533)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work cooperatively with the City of Whitehorse to increase the use of public transit by initiating a public transit pilot project that:

- (1) increases the frequency of the Whitehorse transit service during peak hours of operation,
- (2) extends the hours of operation of the Whitehorse transit service into the evening hours and early morning,
- (3) provides free transit services during the period of the pilot project,
- (4) ensures there is financial support from the Yukon Government to sustain the pilot project for two years; and
- (5) reports to the Yukon public the results of the pilot project including at least, the cost of the project, ridership statistics, and public feedback that is received about the pilot project.
- 3. Mr. Edzerza (Motion #534)

THAT this House endorses the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples and commits to work together in a non-partisan manner to urge the Parliament of Canada to follow the example of Australia by reversing its position and adopting this important international declaration.

4. Mr. Hardy (Motion #535)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to table the report reviewing employment equity in the Government's workforce.

5. Mr. Hardy (Motion #536)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Energy, Mines and Resources to collaborate with the Village of Carmacks, the Little Salmon/Carmacks First Nation, and the Western Copper Mine to assist them in mitigation measures for proceeding with mining in the Carmacks area, by:

- (1) appointing a contracted neutral mediator to meet with the Carmacks Village and First Nation administrations and the Western Copper mine,
- (2) directing the mediator to:
 - (a) draw a conclusion on the willingness of each party to negotiate mitigation measures,
 - (b) determine the social impacts on Carmacks of establishing the mine in the area and each party's respective position on the impacts,
 - (c) negotiate mitigation measures between the parties,
 - (d) make recommendations on the proposed mitigation measures,
 - (e) report to the Minister regularly on the progress of the negotiations,
 - (f) within 30 days of beginning the negotiations, to report in writing to the Minister on the process and the interim results; and

(g) within 60 days of beginning the negotiations, to present a final report in writing to the Minister on the conclusions the mediator has on the process and the mitigation measures recommended.