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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 #55 - Act to Amend the Social Assistance Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart
4. Bill #56 - Act to Amend the Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers

(Third Reading)

1. Bill #61 - Act to Amend the Municipal Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
2. Bill #62 - Act to Amend the Animal Protection 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

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Cathers

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- 1. Bill #59 - Forest Resources Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 2. Bill #63 - Act to Amend the Seniors Income Supplement Act
-Hon. Mr. Hart
- 3. Bill #12 - Second Appropriation Act, 2008-09
-Hon. Mr. Fentie

BILLS WAITING ASSENT

- 1. Bill #58 - Act to Amend the Quartz Mining Act
-Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 2. Bill #57 - Act to Amend the Miners Lien Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang

NOTICE PAPER

**NOTICES OF MOTION
MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**

1. Mr. Mitchell (Motion #622)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to urge the Government of Canada to comply with the United Nation's convention on the elimination of discrimination against women and step up efforts to implement recommendations to deal with the disappearance and murder of aboriginal women and girls.

2. Mr. Mitchell (Motion #623)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to ensure all Ministers comply with the statutes and regulations of Yukon, including subsection 50(1) of the *Environment Act*, section 205 of the *Education Act*, and section 39 of the *Financial Administration Act*.

3. Mr. McRobb (Motion #624)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to respect the principles of democracy by practicing good governance, as it promised the Yukon electorate, by raising the bar of debate in this Assembly and refrain from its evade and attack approach to answering questions, construing members' comments out of context, pointing the finger at past governments, refusing to provide opposition members with important documents needed for debate, rejecting outright suggestions to improve bills and instead try to be the open, transparent and accountable government it promised it would be.

4. Mr. Hardy (Motion #625)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to explore options other than allowing for private or not-for-profit suppliers of long-term beds to alleviate the anticipated pressure on continuing care health facilities, such as:

- (1) implementing preventative health care education programs for seniors,
- (2) assuring that seniors' pensions provide for a healthy lifestyle,
- (3) supporting seniors' community volunteer programs,
- (4) training additional home care workers and expanding the program,
- (5) training relatives and friends caring for seniors,
- (6) expanding respite care for relatives and friends caring for seniors,
- (7) providing financial help for relatives and friends caring for seniors,
- (8) expanding programs of financial assistance that support seniors living at home alone; and
- (9) assuring that seniors' housing is safe and warm.

5. Mr. Hardy (Motion #626)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to recommend to the Government of Canada that measures be taken to:

- (1) eliminate cumbersome inter-jurisdictional health care regulations that prevent individuals from having full health care coverage while travelling or working in another jurisdiction; and
- (2) implement a national medical human resources recruitment and retention strategy,

in order to establish a more universal health care system in Canada.

6. Mr. Hardy (Motion #627)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to explore options other than implementing user pay charges for the Out of Territory Medical Travel Program and the Chronic Disease and Disability Program in order to prevent deterrence of the use of the programs, which increases medical and social costs in the long run.