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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.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

(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 #12 Second Appropriation Act, 2008-09 -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 2. Bill #60 Act to Amend the Judicature Act -Hon. Ms. Horne
- 3. Bill #54 Electoral District Boundaries Act -Hon. Ms. Taylor
- 4. Bill #55 Act to Amend the Social Assistance Act -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 5. Bill #56 Act to Amend the Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act -Hon. Mr. Cathers

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BILLS WAITING ASSENT

- 1. Bill #59 Forest Resources Act -Hon. Mr. Cathers
- 2. Bill #63 Act to Amend the Seniors Income Supplement Act -Hon. Mr. Hart

NOTICE PAPER

NOTICES OF MOTION MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Nordick (Motion #647)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to initiate measures to manage the impacts of the global downturn by working:

- (1) at the national level with the provinces and territories through the Council of the Federation to present options to stimulate the economy to the Government of Canada at the First Ministers Meeting on the Economy scheduled to be held in Ottawa on January 16, 2009; and
- (2) at the local level to implement the following measures:
 - (a) continuing to maintain a prudent financial position so there is money available to invest where necessary,
 - (b) hosting roundtable discussions with key stakeholders within Yukon to collect advice and input to aid and inform decisions,
 - (c) focusing on key infrastructure investments to create jobs in the short term and provide an environment for long-term investment and growth,
 - (d) promoting research and development opportunities in Yukon, such as the Cold Climate Innovation Centre and the Climate Change Centre of Excellence,
 - (e) striking an internal committee of deputy ministers, chaired by the Premier, to monitor and assess economic trends and identify opportunities,
 - (f) implementing labour mobility initiatives,
 - (g) expanding trade opportunities with foreign partners,
 - (h) encouraging the federal government to continue to make strategic investments in Canada's North meeting its commitment to unlock the vast potential in Yukon; and
 - (i) continuing to work with First Nation governments to ensure an appropriate federal mandate is renewed to adequately resource First Nation governments.

2. Mr. Mitchell (Motion #648)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to instruct all Government Corporations and Agencies to follow Yukon's *Financial Administration Act* and recent changes established by the government with respect to investing funds and pension plans.

3. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #649)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to create an independent police board that reflects the diversity of Yukon and provides civilian oversight of policing operations.

4. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #650)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to fulfil her dutie, pursuant to section 22(1) of the *Corrections Act* and appoint a corrections inspector.

5. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #651)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to propose amendments to the draft Corrections Act to ensure that corrections inspectors that investigate complaints are independent of the Minister and the Department of Justice.