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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. 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.

4. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #713)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada and its NATO allies to insist in the strongest possible terms that the Government of Afghanistan fully honour its human rights treaty obligations under international laws and demonstrate its commitment both in law and in practice to respect, protect and enforce the equality rights of the women of Afghanistan or face international sanctions.

5. Hon. Mr. Hart (Motion #723)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to support the findings of the Motion #542 Consultation Report done by the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board and the Employment Standards Board, responding to Motion #542 adopted during the 2008 Fall Sitting of the Legislative Assembly, by requesting that the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board and the Employment Standards Board:

- (1) work together within their existing frameworks of authority to appropriately address areas of general consensus;
- (2) work together to ensure adequate training, orientation and supervision of young workers; and
- (3) conduct a review within 5 years to assess the effectiveness of any regulations resulting from this consultation and consider whether there is a need for a general minimum working age in Yukon.

6. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #831)

THAT this House urges one member of the Official Opposition Caucus, one member of the Third Party Caucus and the Independent Member to accept the Yukon Government's invitation to attend the Climate Leaders Summit at COP15 in Copenhagen, Denmark, as observers from December 13-20, 2009.

7. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #832)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to explore the concept of a multidisciplinary approach to dealing with the complex needs of chronic substance abusers.

8. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #935)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to meet its obligations under the Yukon First Nation Self-Government Agreements by providing sufficient financial resources to implement these agreements through the Assumption of Responsibilities Agreement (ARA) process; and to demonstrate this commitment by negotiating an appropriate ARA on the administration of justice with the Teslin Tlingit Council.

9. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #941)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to work with Canada's tourism industry, provinces and territories and other stakeholders in the development of China Approved Destination Status policies and processes that will enable Canada's tourism sector to capitalize on this opportunity.

10. Hon. Marian Horne (Motion #953)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to work in partnership with Yukon College, first nations governments, and others to establish a Northern Institute of Social Justice that would help address the challenge of recruiting, developing and retaining

qualified workers in social justice-related fields in the North by providing training, education and related research at Yukon College in areas such as corrections, enforcement and investigation, addictions and other counseling, social services delivery, and conservation and environmental protection, as well as providing training in conflict resolution, administrative tribunals, and leadership development.

11. Hon. Marian Horne (Motion #954)

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 17(1) of the *Human Rights Act*, appoint Gloria Baldwin Schultz and Jean-Sébastien Blais as members of the Yukon Human Rights Commission for terms of three years effective December 12, 2009.

12. Hon. Marian Horne (Motion #955)

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 22(2) of the *Human Rights Act*, appoint Sue Bogle, Renzo Ordonez and Max Rispin as members of the panel of adjudicators for terms of three years effective December 12, 2009.

13. Hon. Mr. Hart (Motion #960)

THAT the Yukon Legislative Assembly, pursuant to section 4(1) of the *Child and Youth Advocate Act*, recommend that the Commissioner in Executive Council appoint Andrew Nieman as the Child and Youth Advocate for Yukon for a term of five years, effective December 10, 2009.

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 1. Bill #101 Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right -Mr. Nordick
- 2. Bill #105 An Act to Amend the Cooperation in Governance Act -Mr. Mitchell

Adjourned debate: Mr. Nordick

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

Adjourned debate: Mr. Cathers

6. Bill #110 - Yukon Energy Corporation Protection Act
-Mr. McRobb

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Fentie

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- 1. Bill #78 Elections Act, Act to Amend -Hon, Mr. Fentie
- 2. Bill #17 Second Appropriation Act, 2009-10 -Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 3. Bill #80 Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act and the Health Act, Act to Amend
 -Hon. Mr. Lang
- 4. Bill #73 Registered Nurses Profession Act, Act to Amend -Hon. Mr. Hart
- 5. Bill #75 Second Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2009 -Hon Ms. Horne
- 6. Bill #76 Motor Vehicles Act, Act to Amend -Hon. Mr. Lang
- 7. Bill #79 Medical Profession Act, Act to Amend -Hon. Mr. Lang

NOTICE PAPER

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Inverarity (Motion #961)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to introduce a Legislative Assembly Library Act in order to:

- (1) serve the information needs of Members of the Legislative Assembly, caucus staff and staff of the Legislative Assembly Office; and
- (2) collect, preserve and make accessible the publications of the Legislative Assembly to Members of the Legislative Assembly, media and the public.
- 2. Mr. Hardy (Motion #962)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to act on the federal NDP resolution to begin to work with the provinces and territories to ensure the sustainability of Canadians' retirement incomes, by bringing forward for review by the Federal-Provincial-Territorial Research Working Group at the earliest opportunity, measures such as:

- (1) expanding and increasing the CPP, OAS, and GIS,
- (2) establishing a self-financing pension insurance program,
- (3) ensuring that workers' pension funds go to the front of the line of creditors in the event of bankruptcy proceedings,
- (4) protecting the CPP from imprudent investment practices by ceasing the practice of awarding managers performance-based bonuses,
- (5) taking all necessary steps to recover those bonuses for 2009; and
- (6) ensuring managers in the future are paid appropriate industry-competitive salaries.