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MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Mitchell (Motion #1123)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to support the efforts of the Northern City Supportive Housing Coalition to build supportive housing for the homeless population in Whitehorse in the following ways:

- (1) directing the Minister of Health and Social Services and the Minister responsible for the Yukon Housing Corporation to work together with the coalition, to ensure the project is approved and the budget is spent by March 31, 2011,
- (2) including in budgeting, operational funding of a predetermined amount annually for the purpose of providing supports for residents of the facility; and
- (3) working with all levels of government, non-government organizations, First Nations and stakeholder groups to support a Housing First approach to ending homelessness in Yukon.

2. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #122)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to honour the commitment in the 2001 Yukon Literacy Strategy to make literacy programming accessible to all Yukon people, to develop partnerships with First Nation communities, and to provide multi-year funding that would be relevant and accessible for communities at levels consistent with Community Training Funds.

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. 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.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. Hon. Ms. Horne (Motion #1007)
 THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to reinstate its funding for the Aboriginal Healing Foundation to ensure that the Kwanlin Dun First Nation, the Liard Aboriginal Women's Society, the Northern Tutchone Tribal Council, and the Committee on Abuse in Residential Schools Society (CAIRS), which have provided services to residential school survivors, can continue their programs.
10. Hon. Mr. Fentie (Motion #1017)
 THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to recognize Yukon Self-Governing First Nations as a senior level of government, by working with the first seven Yukon First Nations who settled their land claims to develop new Financial Transfer Agreements that include an economic development incentive allowing Yukon First Nations to retain an appropriate percentage of their own source revenues.

GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Third Reading)

1. Bill #21 - Fourth Appropriation Act, 2009-10
 -Hon. Mr. Fentie

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 #108 - Legislative Renewal Act
 -Mr. Cardiff

- 4. Bill #109 - Young Worker Protection Act
-Mr. Cardiff
Adjourned debate: Mr. Cathers
- 5. Bill #110 - Yukon Energy Corporation Protection Act
-Mr. McRobb
Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Fentie

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

- 1. Bill #82 - Civil Forfeiture Act
-Hon. Ms. Horne
- 2. Bill #22 - Second Appropriation Act, 2010-11
-Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 3. Bill #92 - Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (2010)
-Hon. Mr. Fentie
- 4. Bill #86 - Act to Amend the Business Corporations Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
- 5. Bill #87 - Securities Transfer Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
- 6. Bill #88 - Act to Amend the Partnership and Business Names Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
- 7. Bill #89 - Act to Amend the Societies Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
- 8. Bill #90 - Act to Amend the Cooperative Associations Act
-Hon. Mr. Lang
- 9. Bill #93 - Miscellaneous Statute Law Amendment Act, 2010
-Hon. Ms. Horne

BILLS WAITING ASSENT

- 1. Bill #91 - Second Act to Amend the Motor Vehicles Act, 2010
-Hon. Mr. Lang

NOTICE PAPER**MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS**

1. Mr. Nordick (Motion #1207)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to continue its policy of non-interference in the day-to-day operations of the Yukon Hospital Corporation, the Yukon Development Corporation, the Yukon Energy Corporation, the Yukon Housing Corporation, the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board, the Yukon Liquor Corporation, and the Yukon Lottery Commission, contrary to the position advocated by the Official Opposition.

2. Mr. McRobb (Motion #1208)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to understand the principle that money cannot buy trust.

3. Mr. Fairclough (Motion #1209)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Education to read all minutes of the meetings of the Yukon College Board of Governors in a timely manner in order to be fully apprised of items which may require the Minister's attention including:

- (1) budget constraints,
- (2) programming constraints; and
- (3) policy constraints.

4. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #1210)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to table the housing adequacy report and the housing and poverty indicators report, completed earlier in 2010, in order to make public detailed statistical information, including a survey of Yukoners, needed to make informed policy decisions to address the territory's housing needs.