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BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Third Reading)

Bill #102 - Act to Amend the Ombudsman Act

 Ms. Stick

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Barr (Motion #175)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop and introduce a Homeowner Protection Act that includes mandatory licencing for home builders and contractors and an effective warranty program for new home construction and home renovations.

2. Mr. Elias (Motion #16)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to undertake a full review of the territory's family, child and property laws with a view to introducing amendments to this legislation by the fall of 2013; and that the review address the issues of:

- (1) custody and access,
- (2) property,
- (3) spousal support,
- (4) same sex couples; and
- (5) the definition of a common law relationship.

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Hon. Mr. Cathers (Motion #25)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to support development of the agriculture sector with actions including:

- (1) working with farmers and industry associations including Yukon Agriculture Association and the Grower's of Organic Food Yukon to implement the Agriculture Multi-Year Development Plan,
- (2) developing a "Yukon-Grown Food Policy" aimed at significantly increasing the production and use of locally-grown vegetables, meat and food products,
- (3) supporting the development of agriculture infrastructure that improves food security, facilitates access to market, and encourages local production of food,
- (4) supporting the development of local markets for Yukon agriculture products through measures including increasing the annual funding for the Fireweed Community Market; and
- (5) working with Yukon farmers to conduct agricultural research.
- 2. Hon. Mr. Dixon (Motion #119)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to develop and implement a Yukon Water Strategy that will help provide long-term direction for economically and environmentally responsible development, management, and use of water in Yukon and establish principles to guide future decision making.

GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

 Bill #41 - Act to Amend the Land Titles Act and the Condominium Act -Hon. Mr. Nixon

(Third Reading)

- 1. Bill #39 Business Law Amendment Act -Hon. Ms. Taylor
- 2. Bill #38 Act to Amend the Child Care Act -Hon. Mr. Graham

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS (Second Reading)

- Bill #1 Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right

 Ms. McLeod
- 2. Bill #101 Disclosure Protection Act
 - Mr. Elias

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

GOVERNMENT BILLS 1. Bill #6 - First Appropriation Act, 2012-13 -Hon. Mr. Pasloski

BILLS WAITING ASSENT

1. Bill #5 - Third Appropriation Act, 2011-12 -Hon. Mr. Pasloski

NOTICE PAPER

MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Ms. McLeod (Motion #184)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to use the 2012-2013 budget to increase the operations and maintenance budget for solid waste management.

2. Mr. Hassard (Motion #185)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue using the 2012/13 budget to expand the economy and invest in energy, transportation and communication infrastructure.

3. Mr. Hassard (Motion #186)

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to continue working with the City of Whitehorse, rural municipalities, First Nations and private developers to make land available for sale to Yukoners for residential, agricultural, commercial and industrial purposes.

4. Ms. Moorcroft (Motion #187)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to establish a supportive living environment, such as a halfway house for women, that provides:

- (1) personal safety,
- (2) advocacy for dealing with legal processes, financial aid, housing, family and children's services, and social services,
- (3) support to reunite with family,
- (4) access to counselling and treatment, including First Nations cultural support where appropriate; and
- (5) help with identifying plans to meet their basic needs and succeed in their community.
- 5. Mr. Silver (Motion #188)

THAT this House urges the Minister responsible for the Yukon Workers' Compensation Health and Safety Board to work with the Board of Directors to create a new employers' advisor/ advocate position to assist employers as they navigate the organization's complex regulatory processes.

6. Mr. Elias (Motion #189)

THAT this House urges the Minister of Justice to build on the <u>Sharing Common Ground's</u> implementation committee's work regarding domestic violence, dual-charging, and RCMP policy updating, by developing primary aggressor legislation that enshrines in law the distinction between primary domestic violence perpetrators and victims responding in self-defense.