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1. Motion No. 19

Ms. McLeod, Member for Watson Lake

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to recognize the needs of Yukon citizens by taking steps to enhance and modernize supports provided under the medical travel program, including:

- (1) introducing in the House amendments to the *Travel for Medical Treatment Act* to increase flexibility and reduce wait times;
- (2) increasing per diems for travel Outside from the current rate of \$75 per day after consulting with the public as part of determining an appropriate new level;
- (3) increasing per diems for travel inside Yukon from the current rate of \$75 per day after consulting with the public as part of determining an appropriate new level;
- (4) increasing the subsidy for non-emergency medical travel within Yukon from its current level of 30 cents per kilometre after consulting with the public as part of setting the new rate;
- (5) amending the regulations to add Kelowna and Victoria to the list of cities covered by the regulations under the *Travel for Medical Treatment Act*;

- (6) reviewing the provisions pertaining to escorts for medical travel;
- (7) improving administrative coordination to make it easier for people in rural Yukon to schedule several appointments in Whitehorse for the same trip, rather than having to travel multiple times for appointments;
- (8) reviewing the provisions in the regulations under "Travel to benefit others" to determine whether they are adequately assisting people who donate an organ to someone else; and
- (9) ensuring that, following a medevac for treatment outside of Yukon, Yukoners whose travel may be covered by the Government of Canada are automatically able to return home with the assistance of Yukon's medical travel program and leave the issue of cost for the two governments to deal with later.

#### 2. Motion No. 15

Mr. Cathers, Member for Lake Laberge

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to recognize the importance of ensuring that the process for considering potential changes to the electoral system is fair and not biased toward the governing party by taking the following actions:

- (1) abandoning its current unilateral approach to electoral reform, including rescinding the appointment of the two remaining members of the Independent Commission on Electoral Reform;
- (2) ensuring that the appointment of a new commission on electoral reform is done through an all-party process that gives equal say to every party; and
- (3) developing the terms of reference for a commission on electoral reform in collaboration with the Official Opposition and the Third Party.

#### 3. Motion No. 23

Ms. White, Leader of the Third Party

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to ban the use and/or the sale of neonicotinoids in order to protect Yukon's populations of pollinating species.

### **GOVERNMENT DESIGNATED BUSINESS Government Motions**

1. Motion No. 7

Hon. Ms. Frost, Minister of Environment

THAT this House recognizes that Yukon is experiencing the impacts of a climate change emergency driven by human activity, which impacts the environment, biodiversity, Yukoners' health and the Yukon economy, and urges the Government of Yukon to continue to take action to achieve the following four goals:

- (1) reduce greenhouse gas emissions:
- (2) ensure Yukoners have access to reliable, affordable and renewable energy;
- (3) adapt to the impacts of climate change; and
- (4) build a green economy.

#### **Government Bills**

Second Reading

- 1. Bill No. 3, Tobacco and Vaping Products Control and Regulation Act
  - Hon. Ms. Frost, Minister of Health and Social Services

Adjourned debate: Hon. Mr. Streicker (October 8, 2019)

- 2. Bill No. 6, Act to Amend the Corrections Act, 2009
  - Hon. Mr. Streicker, Acting Minister of Justice
- 3. Bill No. 200, Second Appropriation Act 2019-20
  - Hon. Mr. Silver, Premier

#### PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

Bills other than Government Bills

Second Reading

- 1. Bill No. 1, Act to Perpetuate a Certain Ancient Right
  - Mr. Adel, Member for Copperbelt North

#### Notice Paper

#### **Motions other than Government Motions**

1. Motion No. 25

Ms. Hanson, Member for Whitehorse Centre

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to establish regulations requiring drivers to equip their vehicles with winter tires or mud and snow tires from October 1 to April 30.

2. Motion No. 26

Mr. Hutton, Member for Mayo-Tatchun

THAT this House urges the Government of Yukon to reduce community reliance on diesel energy.