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MOTIONS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

1. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #850)

THAT this House establish a Select Committee on the Landlord and Tenant Act.

THAT the membership of the Committee be comprised of equal representation from the Government caucus, the Official Opposition caucus and the Third Party caucus to be determined by the Premier, the Leader of the Official Opposition and the Leader of the Third Party,

THAT the Committee conduct public consultations for the purpose of receiving views and opinions of Yukon residents and interested groups on the Act,

THAT the Committee report to the House its findings and recommendations respecting:

- (1) changes to the regulations made pursuant to the Act,
- (2) substantive amendments to the Act, or
- (3) the introduction by the Government of a new Act,

THAT the Committee report to the House no later than the 2010 Spring Sitting of the Legislative Assembly,

THAT the Government introduce in the House legislation no later than the 2010 Spring Sitting of the Legislative Assembly,

THAT the Committee have the power to call for persons, papers and records and to sit during inter-sessional periods,

THAT the Committee have the power to seek background information from experts and to be able to call and hear these experts as witnesses,

THAT if the House is not sitting at such time as the Committee is prepared to present its report, the Committee transmit its report to all Members of the Legislative Assembly and then, not more than one day later, release the report to the public; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the Committee.

2. Mr. Nordick (Motion #834)

THAT a Select Committee on the Safe Operation and Use of Off Road Vehicles be established,

THAT the membership of the Committee be comprised of equal representation from the Government Caucus, the Official Opposition Caucus, Third Party Caucus and include the Independent Member,

THAT the Premier, the Leader of the Official Opposition, and the Leader of the Third Party name their respective caucus member(s) to the Committee,

THAT the Committee conduct public consultations for the purpose of receiving the views and opinions of Yukon residents and prepare a report making recommendations on the safe operation and use of all terrain vehicles and snowmobiles in the territory,

THAT the Committee report its findings and recommendations in the 2010 Fall Sitting of the Legislative Assembly,

THAT the Committee have the power to seek background information from experts and to call and hear these expert witnesses; and

THAT the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly be responsible for providing the necessary support services to the Committee.

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. Taylor (Motion #887)

THAT the membership of the Members' Services Board, as established by Motion #7 of the First Session of the 32nd Legislative Assembly, be amended by rescinding the appointment of Brad Cathers and appointing the Hon. Glenn Hart to the board.

9. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #888)

THAT the membership of the Standing Committee on Rules, Elections and Privileges, as established by Motion #6 of the First Session of the 32nd Legislative Assembly, be amended by rescinding the appointment of Brad Cathers and appointing John Edzerza to the committee.

10. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #889)

THAT the membership of the Standing Committee on Statutory Instruments, as established by Motion #9 of the First Session of the 32nd Legislative Assembly, be amended by rescinding the appointments of Brad Cathers and John Edzerza and appointing the Hon. Patrick Rouble and Steve Cardiff to the committee.

11. Hon. Ms. Taylor (Motion #890)

THAT it is the opinion of this House that:

- (1) climate change is one of the greatest challenges facing the world today,
- (2) in Yukon and across the circumpolar north the effects of climate change are occurring at a rapid rate and are impacting forests, wildlife, transportation corridors, infrastructure, water, food security and traditional ways of life, and
- (3) addressing climate change requires collaboration and action at all levels of government;

THAT this House recognizes the role of subnational governments' experience and expertise in informing and supporting national governments in achieving a global climate agreement at the upcoming Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change in Copenhagen, December 2009; and

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada and all national governments to make every effort to reach an international agreement on climate change.

BILLS OTHER THAN GOVERNMENT BILLS

(Second Reading)

- 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. Cardiff (Motion #898)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to follow the Yukon Substance Abuse Action Plan, which is now four years old, and establish the Community Harm Reduction Fund, and community planning, development, and funding for community plans.

2. Mr. Cardiff (Motion #899)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to raise the funding levels it provides to the 125 Friendship Centres across Canada so these important organizations can fulfil their mandate of providing programs and services to urban aboriginal residents.