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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. 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.

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. Mitchell (Motion #905)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to provide funding support for the Yukon Anti-Poverty Coalition's Whitehorse Connects program which provides a range of free services in one location several times a year for those who are homeless, living in poverty, or among the working poor.

2. Mr. McRobb (Motion #906)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government to fully disclose the details of its secret negotiations with ATCO with respect to Yukon's water resources.

3. Mr. Inverarity (Motion #907)

THAT this House urges the Select Committee on Whistle-blower Protection to complete its work and bring forward its recommendations to be debated during the 2010 Spring Sitting in order that the Government may introduce legislation during the 2010 Fall Sitting.

4. Mr. Hardy (Motion #908)

THAT this House urges the Government of Canada to honour the political commitment made 20 years ago this Tuesday when the House of Commons unanimously passed a motion by New Democratic Party MP Ed Broadbent calling on the government of the day to develop a national strategy to reduce the percentage of children living in poverty to a five-per-cent level within 10 years.

5. Mr. Hardy (Motion #909)

THAT this House urges the Yukon Government, where:

- (1) a Maintenance and/or Child Support Order has been granted by the Court,
- (2) the recipient spouse has registered with the Maintenance Enforcement Program; and
- (3) payments are one month or more in default;

to:

- (1) guarantee payment to the recipient spouse in the amount of the Order,
- (2) establish the payment regardless of the employment and family circumstances of the recipient,
- (3) eliminate the practice of the recipient applying for Social Assistance; and
- (4) proceed to recoup the amount of the payment and interest from the defaulting parent and not from the recipient.

MOTIONS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PAPERS

1. Mr. Fairclough (MPP #37)

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of all documents and papers related to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Energy, Mines and Resources and the Department of Environment on the transfer of responsibilities for water testing, inspection and analysis at the Minto Mine.

2. Mr. Fairclough (MPP #38)

THAT this House do issue an order for the return of all water testing, inspection and analysis results from the Minto Mine.