



House of Assembly Newfoundland and Labrador

First Session – 51st General Assembly

Tuesday, June 2, 2026

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. Address in Reply.

Third Reading Bills

2. Minister of Seniors –

“An Act Respecting the Seniors’ Advocate” (Bill 2).

3. Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development –

“An Act to Amend the Student Financial Assistance Act” (Bill 11).

4. Minister of Forestry, Agriculture and Lands –

“An Act to Amend the Forestry Act” (Bill 13).

5. Minister of Finance and President of Treasury Board –

“An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act, 2000” (Bill 16).

6. Minister of Finance and President of Treasury Board –

“An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act, 2000 No. 2” (Bill 17).

7. Minister of Justice and Public Safety –

“An Act to Remove Anomalies and Errors in the Statute Law” (Bill 18).

8. Minister of Health and Public Safety –

“An Act to Amend the Pharmaceutical Services Act” (Bill 19).

Committee of the Whole

9. Minister Responsible for Newfoundland and Labrador Liquor Corporation –

“An Act to Amend the Liquor Control Act” (Bill 20).

10. Minister of Justice and Public Safety –

“An Act to Amend the Judicature Act” (Bill 21).

MOTIONS

Government Motions

1. Government House Leader – To move:

WHEREAS subsection 16(1) of the House of Assembly Accountability, Integrity and Administration Act (“the Act”) requires the appointment of an independent committee, named the Members’ Compensation Review Committee, to conduct an inquiry and prepare a report respecting salaries, allowances, severance and pensions to be paid to MHAs once every General Assembly;

AND WHEREAS some matters contained in the MCRC 2024 Report entitled “How We Value Democracy” were considered by the Management Commission, but matters required to be considered by the House of Assembly were not addressed before the end of the 50th General Assembly;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with subsection 16(2) of the Act, the Speaker has consulted with the Government House Leader, the Opposition House Leader and the Third Party on the appointment to the said Committee; and

AND WHEREAS the Government House Leader, the Opposition House Leader and Third Party have agreed with the introduction of this resolution; and

AND WHEREAS under subsection 16(4) of the Act a Members’ Compensation Review Committee appointed under this resolution must report to the Speaker on its recommendations within 120 days of its appointment;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

(1) **THAT** Heather Jacobs, KC, is appointed to the Members’ Compensation Review Committee with the appointment to be effective June 15, 2026;

(2) **THAT** in accordance with section 16 of the Act, the Members’ Compensation Review Committee shall inquire into and prepare a report respecting the salaries, allowances, severance and pensions to be paid to the Members of the House of Assembly;

(3) **THAT** in particular, the Committee shall:

(a) recommend the annual salary for Members of the House of Assembly; (b) review and make recommendations regarding additional salary provisions for positions identified in subsection 12(1) of the House of Assembly Accountability, Integrity and Administration Act; (c) recommend a formula or means for making annual salary adjustments for salary amounts referenced in clauses (a) and (b) above; and (d) review and make any recommendations regarding the current transitional allowance policy for Members of the House of Assembly;

(4) **AND THAT** the the MCRC Report for the 50th General Assembly entitled “How We Value Democracy” shall form the basis of the MCRC Report for the 51st General Assembly;

(5) **AND THAT** the Committee shall:

(a) review, update, revise or replace any of its previous recommendations, where appropriate; and

(b) ensure that consultation is completed which includes current Members of the House of Assembly, former Members of the House of Assembly, and any other interested parties.

2. Government House Leader – To move:

Pursuant to Standing Order 11(1) that the House not adjourn at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 2.

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