

No. 35

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**  
**OF THE**  
**Legislative Assembly of British Columbia**

**Second Session of the Forty-second Parliament**

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**Monday, May 31, 2021**

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1.30 P.M.

**ROUTINE BUSINESS**

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS  
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STATEMENTS (STANDING ORDER 25B)  
*(Afternoon sittings: Monday and Wednesday)*  
*(Morning sittings: Tuesday and Thursday)*  
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ORAL QUESTION PERIOD  
*(30 minutes, afternoon sittings: Monday and Wednesday)*  
*(30 minutes, morning sittings: Tuesday and Thursday)*  
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PRESENTING PETITIONS  
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READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS  
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PRESENTING REPORTS  
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MOTIONS ON NOTICE  
*(See Schedule A—Government Motions)*  
*(See Schedule D—Private Members' Motions)*  
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## WRITTEN QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

*(See Schedule B)*

## PROPOSED AMENDMENTS ON NOTICE

**6** Ms. Cadieux to move, in Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 6) intituled *Accessible British Columbia Act*, to amend as follows:

**CLAUSE 1, by adding the underlined text as shown:**

“**impairment**” includes a physical, sensory, mental, communication, intellectual or cognitive impairment, whether permanent, temporary or episodic;

**CLAUSE 2, by adding the underlined text as shown:**

**Barriers**

- 2** (1) For the purposes of this Act, a barrier is anything that hinders the full and equal participation in society of a person with an impairment.
- (2) For certainty and without limiting subsection (1), barriers can be
- (a) caused by environments, attitudes, practices, policies, information, communications or technologies, including digital communications, and
  - (b) affected by intersecting forms of discrimination.

**6** Ms. Cadieux to move, in Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 6) intituled *Accessible British Columbia Act*, to amend as follows:

**CLAUSE 5, by deleting the text shown as struck out and adding the underlined text as shown:**

**Recognition of ~~sign languages~~ the Deaf Community**

- 5** (1) ~~In this section, “Deaf Community” means Deaf or Deaf-Blind persons who use sign language as their primary mode of communications and who identify as members of the Deaf Community.~~
- (2) The Deaf Community is recognized as a distinct cultural and linguistic group in British Columbia.
- (3) Sign languages are recognized as the primary languages for communication by ~~deaf~~ Deaf and Deaf-Blind persons in British Columbia, including, without limitation,
- (a) American Sign Language, ~~and~~
  - (b) Quebec Sign Language, and
  - ~~(b)~~(c) Indigenous sign languages.

- 6** Ms. *Cadieux* to move, in Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 6) intituled *Accessible British Columbia Act*, to amend as follows:

**PART 2, DIVISION 2, by adding the following clause:**

**Timeline for achieving accessibility**

- 7.1** The minister must make significant progress towards achieving accessibility in British Columbia by 2024.

- 6** Ms. *Cadieux* to move, in Committee of the Whole on Bill (No. 6) intituled *Accessible British Columbia Act*, to amend as follows:

**CLAUSE 9, by deleting the text shown as struck out and adding the underlined text as shown:**

**Accessibility committee**

- 9** (1) An organization must establish a committee to
- (a) assist the organization to identify barriers to individuals in or interacting with the organization, and
  - (b) advise the organization on how to remove and prevent barriers to individuals in or interacting with the organization.
- (2) An accessibility committee must, to the extent possible, have members who are selected in accordance with the following goals:
- (a) at least half of the members are
    - (i) persons with disabilities, or
    - (ii) individuals who support, or are from organizations that support, persons with disabilities;
  - (b) the members described in paragraph (a) reflect the diversity of persons with disabilities in British Columbia;
  - (c) at least one of the members is an Indigenous person;
  - (d) at least one of the members is a Deaf or Deaf-Blind person;
  - ~~(d)~~(e) the committee reflects the diversity of persons in British Columbia.

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## ORDERS OF THE DAY

### THRONE SPEECH DEBATE

(Ms. *Singh* adjourned the debate.)

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### COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

Report of Resolutions passed in Committee of Supply

SECTION A: May 11, 12, 13, 17, 18, 20.

SECTION C: May 18, 20.

Outstanding Summaries of Estimates—Section A and Section C  
 Ministry of Advanced Education and Skills Training.  
 Ministry of Citizens' Services.  
 Ministry of Education.

Ministry of Energy, Mines and Low Carbon Innovation.  
 Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy.  
 Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation.  
 Ministry of Municipal Affairs.  
 Ministry of Tourism, Arts, Culture and Sport.

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**PRIVATE MEMBERS' TIME**

*(Monday morning only)*

*(See Schedule D)*

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**PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS AND GOVERNMENT MOTIONS ON NOTICE**

**REPORT**

Report—

Bill (No. 4) intituled *Budget Measures Implementation Act, 2021*, REPRINTED. Hon. Minister of Finance.

**COMMITTEE**

Committee—

Bill (No. 6) intituled *Accessible British Columbia Act*, PRINTED. Hon. Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction.

Committee—

Bill (No. 8) intituled *Public Safety and Solicitor General Statutes Amendment Act, 2021*, PRINTED. Hon. Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General.

**ADJOURNED DEBATE ON SECOND READING**

Adjourned Debate on Second Reading—

Bill (No. 7) intituled *Electoral Boundaries Commission Amendment Act, 2021*, PRINTED. Hon. Attorney General and Minister Responsible for Housing. (Mr. *Morris* adjourned the debate.)

**SECOND READING**

Second Reading—

Bill (No. 1) intituled *An Act to Ensure the Supremacy of Parliament*, PRINTED. Hon. Attorney General and Minister Responsible for Housing.

Second Reading—

Bill (No. 10) intituled *Municipal Affairs Statutes Amendment Act, 2021*, PRINTED. Hon. Minister of Municipal Affairs.

Second Reading—

Bill (No. 11) intituled *Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 2021*, PRINTED. Hon. Attorney General and Minister Responsible for Housing.

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**DEFERRED DIVISIONS**

*(Afternoon Sittings)*

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PRIVATE BILLS

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PUBLIC BILLS IN THE HANDS OF PRIVATE MEMBERS

*(See Schedule D)*

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ADJOURNED DEBATE ON OTHER MOTIONS

**KATE RYAN-LLOYD**  
*Clerk of the Legislative Assembly*

## SCHEDULE D

### PRIVATE MEMBERS' TIME

(Monday morning only)

#### PRIVATE MEMBERS' STATEMENTS (STANDING ORDER 25A)

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#### PUBLIC BILLS IN THE HANDS OF PRIVATE MEMBERS

#### SECOND READING

Second Reading—

Bill (No. M 201) intituled *Assessment (Split Assessment Classification) Amendment Act, 2021*,  
PRINTED. Mr. *Stone*.

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#### ADJOURNED DEBATE ON PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS

**1** Ms. *Greene* moved—

Be it resolved that in recognition of Earth Day, this House reaffirm its commitment to rise to the challenge of climate change and protect our shared environment now, and for future generations. (Mr. *Donnelly* adjourned the debate.)

**5** Mr. *Halford* moved—

Be it resolved that this House support communities during the COVID-19 pandemic. (Mr. *Stone* adjourned the debate.)

**7** Mr. *Donnelly* moved—

Be it resolved that this House unanimously agree that climate change, habitat loss, and pollution are negatively impacting wild salmon survival and that this House reaffirm its commitment to investments in wild salmon conservation solutions. (Ms. *Routledge* adjourned the debate.)

**8** Mr. *Banman* moved—

Be it resolved that this House acknowledge the importance of openness and transparency in government and support meaningful action to achieve these goals. (Mr. *Davies* adjourned the debate.)

**9** Mr. *Coulter* moved—

Be it resolved that this House recognize the fourth AccessAbility Week and reaffirm its commitment to building an inclusive province that improves the lives of people living with disabilities. (Ms. *Leonard* adjourned the debate.)

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#### PRIVATE MEMBERS' MOTIONS ON NOTICE

**2** Ms. *Bailey* to move—

Be it resolved that this House support the actions taken to increase supply and housing affordability for renters.

**3** Ms. *Alexis* to move—

Be it resolved that this House support the government's actions to create an economic recovery that is inclusive, innovative and sustainable which puts people first and ensures our province comes back from the pandemic stronger and more resilient.

**4** Mr. *Yao* to move—

Be it resolved that this House support this government's actions to provide greater access to the health care people need, closer to home through the primary health-care strategy, which includes launching Urgent Primary Care Centres (UPCCs) across the province.

**6** Ms. *Wat* to move—

Be it resolved that this House encourage government to use every tool in its toolbox to support economic recovery in the tourism sector and preserve B.C.'s tourism industry.