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de l'Ontario

**Wednesday
November 19, 2003**

**Mercredi
19 novembre 2003**

Daytime Meeting - Sessional Day 1

Séance de l'après-midi - jour de session 1

**1st Session,
38th Parliament**

**1^{re} session
38^e législature**

3:00P.M.

(GreatSealofOntario)

J. K.B ARTLEMAN

ELIZABETHTHESECOND,bytheGraceofGod of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth,DefenderoftheFaith.

MichaelBryant **T**he First Session of the *AttorneyGeneral* 38th Parliament of the Province of Ontario be convened for the actual dispatch of business at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, the 19th day of November, 2003.

WITNESS:

THEHONOURABLEJAMESK.BARTLEMAN

LIEUTENANTGOVERNOROFOUR
PROVINCEOFONTARIO

GIVENatToronto,Ontario,onNovember3,2003.

BYCOMMAND GERRY PHILLIPS

ChairoftheManagementBoardofCabinet

15H

(Grandsceaudel'Ontario)

J. K.B ARTLEMAN

ELIZABETH DEUX, par la grâce de Dieu, Reine du Royaume-Uni, du Canada et de ses autres royaumes et territoires, Chef du Commonwealth,Défenseurde la Foi.

MichaelBryant **L** première session *Procureurgénéral* de la 38^{ème} législature de la province de l'Ontario en vue d'expédier les affaires parlementaires soit convoquée, à 15 heures, mercredi le 19 novembre 2003.

TÉMOIN:

L'HONORABLEJAMESK.BARTLEMAN

LIEUTENANT-GOUVERNEUR DE NOTRE
PROVINCEDEL'ONTARIOFAIT à Toronto, en Ontario, le 3 novembre
2003.

PARORDRE GERRY PHILLIPS

*Président du Conseil de gestion du
gouvernement*

ThisbeingthefirstdayoftheFirstSessionoftheLieutenant Governor to take part in the business of the Legislative Assembly laid upon the Table a Roll, he of the members who had been returned at the General Election to serve in this Parliament.

THIRTY-EIGHTHGENERALELECTION

OfficeroftheAssemblyandChiefElectionOfficer

Toronto,November5,2003

ThisistocertifythatbyreasonoftheDissolutionofthelastLegislatureonthesecond day of September, 2003, and by virtue of the Writs of Election dated on the second day of September, 2003, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor, and addressed to them hereinafter-named persons as Returning Officers for all the Electoral Districts in the Province of Ontario, for the election of Members to represent the several Electoral Districts in the Legislature of the Province in the Parliament convened to meet on the nineteenth day of November, 2003, the following named persons have been duly elected to represent the Electoral Districts set opposite their respective names as appears by the Returns of the said Writs of Election, which are now lodged of record in my office.

TRENTE-HUITIÈME ÉLECTION GÉNÉRALE

Officier de l'Assemblée et Directeur général des élections
Toronto, le 5 novembre 2003

Nous attestons par la présente que suite à la dissolution de la dernière Assemblée législative le deuxième jour de septembre 2003, et en vertu des décrets de convocation des électeurs et des électrices émis le deuxième jour de septembre 2003 par Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur à l'adresse des personnes sous-nommées à titre de directeur et directrice d'usage de toutes les circonscriptions électorales de la province de l'Ontario en vue de l'élection des députés pour représenter les circonscriptions électorales à l'Assemblée législative de la province lors de l'Assemblée convoquée pour le dix-neuvième jour de novembre 2003, les personnes sous-nommées ont été dûment élues pour représenter la circonscription inscrite à côté de leur nom respectif, tel qu'en font foi les rapports des élections tenues en conformité avec le dit décret et déposés au registre du bureau.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT/ CIRCONSCRIPTION ÉLECTORALE	MEMBER ELECT/ DÉPUTÉ(E) ÉLU(E)	RETURNING OFFICER/ DIRECTEUR OU DIRECTRICE DU SCRUTIN
Algoma-Manitoulin	Mike Brown	Norma Cochrane
Barrie-Simcoe-Bradford	Joe Tascona	Bonnie J. Ainsworth
Beaches-East York	Michael David Prue	Ivor Vavasour
Bramalea-Gore-Malton- Springdale	Kuldip Kular	Sandra Hames
Brampton Centre/Brampton- Centre	Linda Jeffrey	M. Scott Ching
Brampton West-Mississauga/ Brampton-Ouest-Mississauga	Vic Dhillon	A. James Coups
Brant	Dave Levac	Carol Droeske
Toronto-Danforth	Marilyn Churley	Krystianna Sofroniou
Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound	Bill Murdoch	Arlene Wright
Burlington	Cam Jackson	Jean Schemmer
Cambridge	Gerry Martiniuk	Alison Sanders
Davenport	Tony Ruprecht	Rocco D'Amico
Don Valley East/ Don Valley-Est	David Caplan	Camille A. Serrao
Don Valley West/ Don Valley-Ouest	Kathleen Wynne	George F. Hurst
Dufferin-Peel-Wellington-Grey	Ernie Eves	Terry W. Sutton
Durham	John O'Toole	Ralph E. F. Werry
Eglinton-Lawrence	Mike Colle	Linda C. Sparling
Elgin-Middlesex-London	Steve Peters	Ross L. Harrison
Erie-Lincoln	Tim Hudak	Sonja Smith
Essex	Bruce Crozier	Nicole Baker

EtobicokeCentre/ Etobicoke-Centre	DonnaCansfield	PatriciaNoonan
Etobicoke-Lakeshore	LaurelBrotten	DonnaFirman
EtobicokeNorth/ Etobicoke-Nord	ShafiqQaadri	JaniceIreneHutchison
Glengarry-Prescott-Russell	Jean-MarcLalonde	Arman dBrunet
Ottawa-Orléans	PhilipMcNeely	MaretSwayze
Guelph-Wellington	LizSandals	KennethH.Benn
Haldimand-Norfolk-Brant	TobyBarrett	JamesP.Maki
Halton	TedChudleigh	DonH.McMillan
HamiltonEast/ Hamilton-Est	DominicAgostino	E.JoyceNewman
HamiltonMountain	MarieBountrogianni	MaureenRadigan
HamiltonWest/ Hamilton-Ouest	JudyMarsales	GeraldinePeterson
Hastings-Frontenac-Lennoxand Addington	LeonaDombrowsky	BernadetteDerry
Huron-Bruce	CarolMitchell	BruceShaw
Kenora-RainyRiver	HowardHampton	ColinMurrayAffleck
Chatham-KentEssex	PatHoy	GeorgeGuyTaylor
KingstonandtheIslands/ KingstonetlesÎles	JohnGerretsen	LoisI.Edwards
KitchenerCentre/Kitchener- Centre	JohnMilloy	HaroldE.Hammond
Kitchener-Waterloo	ElizabethWitmer	DavidG.Leeson
Lambton-Kent-Middlesex	MariaVanBommel	RobertW.Bailey
Lanark-Carleton	NormSterling	BethSweetnam
Leeds-Grenville	BobRunciman	BarbaraMarleneMills
LondonNorthCentre/ London-Centre-Nord	DebMatthews	DonnaKleiman
London-Fanshawe	KhalilRamal	ThomasD.McClenaghan
LondonWest/ London-Ouest	ChrisBentley	NikkiA.Adam
Markham	TonyWong	CliveD.Bloomfield
MississaugaCentre/ Mississauga-Centre	HarinderS.Takhar	ElaineWaterman
MississaugaEast/ Mississauga-Est	PeterFonseca	MaureenPeirce
MississaugaSouth/ Mississauga-Sud	TimPeterson	WendyPozak

MississaugaWest/ Mississauga-Ouest	BobDelaney	JanetLynnBurghart
Nepean-Carleton	JohnBaird	M.WayneBeaten
NiagaraCentre/ Niagara-Centre	PeterKormos	JosephAtkinson
NiagaraFalls	KimCraitor	JaneMarshall
NickelBelt	ShelleyMartel	RichardBois
Nipissing	MoniqueSmith	AnnFudge
Northumberland	LouRinaldi	WinnifredA.Platt
OakRidges	FrankKlees	SamuelR.Bailie
Oakville	KevinFlynn	MichaelAbrahams
Oshawa	JerryJ.Ouellette	DonaldP.Davidson
OttawaCentre/ Ottawa-Centre	RichardPatten	AnitaHawdur
OttawaSouth/Ottawa-Sud	DaltonMcGuinty	A.Kingsl eyBeattie
Ottawa-Vanier	MadeleineMeilleur	StephenM.Adler
OttawaWest-Nepean/ Ottawa-Ouest-Nepean	JimWatson	JaneJames
Oxford	ErnieHardeman	SandraTalbot
Parkdale-HighPark	GerardKennedy	TedScaldwell
ParrySound-Muskoka	NormMiller	JohnM.Boyd
Perth-Middlesex	JohnWilkinson	MarciaCooper
Peterborough	JeffLeal	WellingtonBorland
Pickering-Ajax-Uxbridge	WayneArthurs	CarolSutton
PrinceEdward-Hastings	ErnieParsons	JoanAnnetteG uthrie
Renfrew-Nipissing-Pembroke	JohnYakabuski	JohnBrom ley
Sarnia-Lambton	CarolineDiCocco	SheilaHenderson
SaultSte.Marie	DavidOrazietti	JamesB.Myers
Scarborough-Agincourt	GerryPhillips	JeanPamenter
ScarboroughCentre/ Scarborough-Centre	BradDuguid	MaryloisBernard
ScarboroughEast/ Scarborough-Est	MaryAnneChambers	PatriciaEleanorTays
Scarborough-RougeRiver	AlvinCurling	GeorgeTang
ScarboroughSouthwest/ Scarborough-Sud-Ouest	LorenzoBerardinetti	EdTravolo
Simcoe-Grey	JimWilson	DiannE.Gaston
SimcoeNorth/Simcoe-Nord	GarfieldDunlop	GailO'B rien
St.Catharines	JimBradley	IlseE.Dreifelds

St.Paul's	MichaelBryant	DeniseDavis
StoneyCreek	JenniferMossop	GaryG.McKinney
Stormont-Dundas- Charlottenburgh	JimBrownell	ClaudeCousineau
Sudbury	RickBartolucci	RosemarieSimmons
Thornhill	MarioG.Racco	AnthonyReale
ThunderBay-Atikokan	BillMauro	NormaHunt
ThunderBay-SuperiorNorth/ ThunderBay-Superior-Nord	MichaelGravelle	WilliamHogarth
Timiskaming-Cochrane	DavidRamsay	IreneStewart
Timmins-JamesBay/ Timmins-BaieJames	GillesBisson	PierretteG.Lamarche
TorontoCentre-Rosedale/ Toronto-Centre-Rosedale	GeorgeSmitherman	SharronL.E.Marlow
Trinity-Spadina	RosarioMarchese	LesleyE.Singer
Vaughan-King-Aurora	GregSorbara	FrancesRomano
Haliburton-Victoria-Brock	LaurieScott	RuthAnneMa tthews
Waterloo-Wellington	TedArnott	PatSalter
Ancaster-Dundas- Flamborough-Aldershot	TedMcMeekin	FrancaMartino-Harper
Whitby-Ajax	JimFlaherty	ElinorKidd
Willowdale	DavidZimmer	FrancesDobbs
Windsor-St.Clair	DwightDuncan	JamesC.Evans
Windsor West / Windsor- Ouest	SandraPupatello	AnthonyS.Breckkow
YorkCentre/York-Centre	MonteKwinter	SusanFletc her
YorkNorth/York-Nord	JuliaMunro	StephenPallett
YorkSouth-Weston/ York-Sud-Weston	JoeCordiano	KenPaterson
YorkWest/York-Ouest	MarioSergio	GusP.Caruso

The members, having taken the Oath of Allegiance, took their seats in the Legislative Chamber.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the Chamber and took his seat upon the Throne.

The Government House Leaders said:-

"I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to state that he does not see fit to declare the causes of the summoning of the present legislature of this Province until a Speaker of this House shall have been chosen according to law, but tomorrow at 3:00 p.m. His Honour will declare the causes of the calling of this Legislature."

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly addressed the Members as follows:-

"Members of the Legislative Assembly, it is my duty to call upon you to elect one of your numbers to preside over your deliberations as Speaker, therefore, I ask for nominations for the Office of the Speaker."

Mr. Lalonde moved, seconded by Ms. Churley, That Mr. Curling, member for the Electoral District of Scarborough–Rouge River, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mr. Sterling moved, seconded by Mr. Jackson, That Mr. Brown, member for the Electoral District of Algoma–Manitoulin, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Brown declined the nomination.

Mr. Hampton moved, seconded by Mr. Marchese, That Mr. Kular, member for the Electoral District of Bramalea–Gore–Malton–Springdale, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Kular declined the nomination.

Mr. Kormos moved, seconded by Mr. Bisson, That Mr. Colle, member for the Electoral District of Eglinton–Lawrence, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Colle declined the nomination.

Mr. Marchese moved, seconded by Ms. Martel, That Ms. DiCocco, member for the Electoral District of Sarnia–Lambton, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Ms. DiCocco declined the nomination.

Mr. Hampton moved, seconded by Mr. Kormos, That Mr. Qaadri, member for the Electoral District of Etobicoke North, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Qaadri declined the nomination.

Mr. Kormos moved, seconded by Mr. Marchese, That Ms. Cansfield, member for the Electoral District of Etobicoke Centre, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Ms. Cansfield declined the nomination.

Mr. Marchese moved, seconded by Mr. Hampton, That Mr. Dhillon, member for the Electoral District of Brampton West–Mississauga, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Dhillon declined the nomination.

Ms. Martel moved, seconded by Mr. Marchese, That Mr. Sergio, member for the Electoral District of York West, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Sergio declined the nomination.

Mr. Kormos moved, seconded by Mr. Hampton, That Ms. Wynne, member for the Electoral District of Don Valley West, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Ms. Wynne declined the nomination.

Mr. Kormos moved, seconded by Ms. Martel, That Mr. Agostino, member for the Electoral District of Hamilton East, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. Mr. Agostino declined the nomination.

Ms. Martel moved, seconded by Mr. Bisson, That Mr. Brown, member for the Electoral District of Algoma–Manitoulin, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker. The nomination was invalid as Mr. Brown had previously declined a nomination.

There being no further nominations, the Clerk declared the nominations closed.

And it was, Resolved, That Mr. Curling do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

The Clerk having declared the Honourable Alvin Curling duly elected, he was conducted by Ms. Churley and Mr. Lalonde to the dais, where, standing on the upper step of the dais, he returned his humble acknowledgement to the House for the great honour that had been conferred on him by the members choosing him to be their Speaker.

The Speaker assumed the Chair and the Mace was laid upon the Table.

On motion by Mr. Duncan,

Ordered, That the House adjourn until 3:00 p.m. tomorrow.

The House then adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

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le président

ALVIN CURLING

Speaker
