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Legislative Assembly  
of Ontario

Assemblée législative  
de l'Ontario

**Wednesday**  
**November 28, 2007**

**Mercredi**  
**28 novembre 2007**

Daytime Meeting - Sessional Day 1

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

**1<sup>st</sup> Session,**  
**39<sup>th</sup> Parliament**

**1<sup>re</sup> session**  
**39<sup>e</sup> législature**

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2:00 P.M

(Great Seal of Ontario)

DAVID C. ONLEY

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

Christopher Bentley **T**he First Session of the *Attorney General* 39<sup>th</sup> Parliament of the Province of Ontario be convened for the actual dispatch of business at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2007.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE DAVID C. ONLEY

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GIVEN at Toronto, Ontario, on November 6, 2007.

BY COMMAND TED McMEEKIN

*Minister of Government and Consumer Services*

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(Grand sceau de l'Ontario)

DAVID C. ONLEY

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

Christopher Bentley **L**a première *Procureur général* session de la 39<sup>ème</sup> législature de la province de l'Ontario en vue d'expédier les affaires parlementaires soit convoquée à 14 heures, le mercredi 28 novembre 2007.

TÉMOIN :

L'HONORABLE DAVID C. ONLEY

LIEUTENANT-GOUVERNEUR DE NOTRE PROVINCE DE L'ONTARIO

FAIT à Toronto (Ontario) le 6 novembre 2007.

PAR ORDRE TED McMEEKIN

*Ministre des Services gouvernementaux et des Services aux consommateurs*


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This being the first day of the First Session of the Thirty-ninth Parliament convoked by Proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor to take part in the business of the Legislative Assembly, the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly laid upon the Table a Roll, hereinafter fully set out, containing a list of the names of the members who had been returned at the General Election to serve in this Parliament.

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THIRTY-NINTH GENERAL ELECTION

Office of the Chief Electoral Officer  
Toronto, November 28, 2007

This is to certify that by reason of the Dissolution of the last Legislature on the tenth day of September, 2007, and by virtue of the Writs of Election dated on the tenth day of September 2007, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor, and addressed to the 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 twenty-ninth day of November, 2007, 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, deposited of Record in my office.

## TRENTE-NEUVIÈME ÉLECTION GÉNÉRALE

Bureau du Directeur général des élections  
Toronto, le 28 novembre 2007

Nous attestons par la présente que suite à la dissolution de la dernière Assemblée législative le dixième jour de septembre 2007, et en vertu des décrets de convocation des électeurs et des électrices émis le dixième jour de septembre 2007 par Son Honneur le lieutenant-gouverneur à l'adresse des personnes sous-nommées à titre de directeurs et directrices du scrutin 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 vingt-neuvième jour de novembre 2007, les personnes sous-nommées ont été dument 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 les dits décrets et déposés au registre de mon bureau.

<b>ELECTORAL DISTRICT / CIRCONSCRIPTION ÉLECTORALE</b>	<b>MEMBER ELECT / DÉPUTÉ(E) ÉLU(E)</b>	<b>RETURNING OFFICER / DIRECTEUR OU DIRECTRICE DU SCRUTIN</b>
Ajax-Pickering	Joe Dickson	Roxanne Tommasulo
Algoma-Manitoulin	Mike Brown	Norma I. Cochrane
Ancaster-Dundas-Flamborough-Westdale	Ted McMeekin	Janice Hall
Barrie	Aileen Carroll	Maura I. Bolger
Beaches-East York	Michael Prue	Janet Andrews
Bramalea-Gore-Malton	Kuldip Kular	Bridge Ramdewar
Brampton-Springdale	Linda Jeffrey	Malcolm Scott Ching
Brampton West / Brampton-Ouest	Vic Dhillon	Kulwinder S. Khehra
Brant	Dave Levac	Carol Droeske
Bruce-Grey-Owen Sound	Bill Murdoch	Linda Van Aalst
Burlington	Joyce Savoline	Elaine S. Riehm
Cambridge	Gerry Martiniuk	Alison Jackson
Carleton-Mississippi Mills	Norm Sterling	Edward W. Wilson
Chatham-Kent-Essex	Pat Hoy	George Guy Taylor
Davenport	Tony Ruprecht	Rocco D'Amico
Don Valley East / Don Valley-Est	David Caplan	Sean Graney
Don Valley West / Don Valley-Ouest	Kathleen Wynne	Nasir Addetia
Dufferin-Caledon	Sylvia Jones	Terry W. Sutton
Durham	John O'Toole	Ralph Werry
Eglinton-Lawrence	Mike Colle	Linda C. Sparling
Elgin-Middlesex-London	Steve Peters	Carrie Snyders
Essex	Bruce Crozier	Margaret Woltz

Etobicoke Centre / Etobicoke-Centre	Donna Cansfield	Wayne Gilbert
Etobicoke-Lakeshore	Laurel Broten	Connie Micallef
Etobicoke North / Etobicoke-Nord	Shafiq Qaadri	Spencer L. Martin
Glengarry-Prescott-Russell	Jean-Marc Lalonde	Aimé A. LePage
Guelph	Liz Sandals	Dan Moziar
Haldimand-Norfolk	Toby Barrett	Doug Gedye
Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock	Laurie Scott	Jerry Ford
Halton	Ted Chudleigh	Michelle Joy
Hamilton Centre / Hamilton-Centre	Andrea Horwath	Geraldine Peterson
Hamilton East-Stoney Creek / Hamilton-Est-Stoney Creek	Paul Miller	E. Joyce Newman
Hamilton Mountain	Sophia Aggelonitis	Gail Connelly
Huron-Bruce	Carol Mitchell	Jacque Bishop
Kenora-Rainy River	Howard Hampton	Art Mior
Kingston and the Islands / Kingston et les Îles	John Gerretsen	Lois I. Edwards
Kitchener Centre / Kitchener-Centre	John Milloy	Louis Silcox
Kitchener-Conestoga	Leeanna Pendergast	William Proctor
Kitchener-Waterloo	Elizabeth Witmer	Beverly Adams
Lambton-Kent-Middlesex	Maria Van Bommel	Paul Mylemans
Lanark-Frontenac-Lennox and Addington	Randy Hillier	Katherine A. Staples
Leeds-Grenville	Bob Runciman	Barbara Mills
London-Fanshawe	Khalil Ramal	Marcia Cooper
London North Centre / London-Centre-Nord	Deb Matthews	Donna Kleiman
London West / London-Ouest	Chris Bentley	Karen Mazereeuw
Markham-Unionville	Michael Chan	Jacque Jahr
Mississauga-Brampton South / Mississauga-Brampton-Sud	Amrit Mangat	Mary Barbara Cosgriffe
Mississauga East-Cooksville / Mississauga-Est-Cooksville	Peter Fonseca	Ritesh Patel
Mississauga-Erindale	Harinder Takhar	Monica Kefentse
Mississauga South / Mississauga-Sud	Charles Sousa	Richard D. Chataway
Mississauga-Streetsville	Bob Delaney	Janet Burghart

Nepean-Carleton	Lisa MacLeod	Mary C. McGoldrick-Larsen
Newmarket-Aurora	Frank Klees	Alice Keenan
Niagara Falls	Kim Craiton	Blake McIntyre
Niagara West-Glanbrook / Niagara-Ouest-Glanbrook	Tim Hudak	Noreen Bald
Nickel Belt	France G�elinas	Carmen Brouillard
Nipissing	Monique Smith	Raymond Brunette
Northumberland-Quinte West	Lou Rinaldi	Dorothy A. Fletcher
Oak Ridges-Markham	Helena Jaczek	Susan Harding
Oakville	Kevin Flynn	Liz Behrens
Oshawa	Jerry Ouellette	Sharon Steel
Ottawa Centre / Ottawa-Centre	Yasir Naqvi	Andr�e E. Charron
Ottawa-Orl�eans	Phil McNeely	Maret Swayze
Ottawa South / Ottawa-Sud	Dalton McGuinty	Lynne Peterman
Ottawa-Vanier	Madeleine Meilleur	Stephen M. Adler
Ottawa West-Nepean / Ottawa-Ouest-Nepean	Jim Watson	Douglas B. Shouldice
Oxford	Ernie Hardeman	Elizabeth Martin
Parkdale-High Park	Cheri DiNovo	James Cooper
Parry Sound-Muskoka	Norm Miller	Kim Bordeleau
Perth-Wellington	John Wilkinson	Don Farwell
Peterborough	Jeff Leal	Wellington E. Borland
Pickering-Scarborough East / Pickering-Scarborough-Est	Wayne Arthurs	Sandi Sullivan
Prince Edward-Hastings	Leona Dombrowsky	Lorraine O'Leary
Renfrew-Nipissing-Pembroke	John Yakabuski	Lewis MacDonald
Richmond Hill	Reza Moridi	Nick Moaveni
St. Catharines	Jim Bradley	Nancy Cain
St. Paul's	Michael Bryant	Lynn Morrow
Sarnia-Lambton	Bob Bailey	Sheila Henderson
Sault Ste. Marie	David Oraziatti	James B. Myers
Scarborough-Agincourt	Gerry Phillips	Mary Ann Robillard
Scarborough Centre / Scarborough-Centre	Brad Duguid	Anthony Ellis
Scarborough-Guildwood	Margarett Best	Darryl D'Sousa
Scarborough-Rouge River	Bas Balkissoon	Kimberley G. Scott

Scarborough Southwest / Scarborough-Sud-Ouest	Lorenzo Berardinetti	Eddy Gasparotto
Simcoe-Grey	Jim Wilson	Diann E. Gaston
Simcoe North / Simcoe-Nord	Garfield Dunlop	Grace Isgro-Topping
Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry	Jim Brownell	William Upper
Sudbury	Rick Bartolucci	Ellen Kerr
Thornhill	Peter Shurman	Marilyn D. Iafrate
Thunder Bay-Atikokan	Bill Mauro	Norma Hunt
Thunder Bay-Superior North / Thunder Bay-Superior-Nord	Michael Gravelle	Peter Doig
Timiskaming-Cochrane	David Ramsay	Maurice Landriault
Timmins-James Bay / Timmins-Baie James	Gilles Bisson	Denise Labelle
Toronto Centre / Toronto-Centre	George Smitherman	Eric S. Morse
Toronto-Danforth	Peter Tabuns	Barbara Diakopoulos
Trinity-Spadina	Rosario Marchese	Janet L. Hunter
Vaughan	Greg Sorbara	Tony Faranda
Welland	Peter Kormos	Rita Marie Donohue
Wellington-Halton Hills	Ted Arnott	Joseph Wayne Kuglin
Whitby-Oshawa	Christine Elliott	Roberta Hepburn
Willowdale	David Zimmer	Frances Dobbs
Windsor-Tecumseh	Dwight Duncan	James C. Evans
Windsor West / Windsor-Ouest	Sandra Pupatello	William Van Wyck
York Centre / York-Centre	Monte Kwinter	Suzy Laredo
York-Simcoe	Julia Munro	Nina Lilia Willcocks
York South-Weston / York-Sud-Weston	Laura Albanese	Denise Davis
York West / York-Ouest	Mario Sergio	Gus P. Caruso

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

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

The Government House Leader 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 2:00 p.m. His Honour will declare the causes of the calling of this Legislature."

His Honour was then pleased to retire.

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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 Mrs. Albanese, That Mr. Brown, member for the Electoral District of Algoma-Manitoulin, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mr. Ramal moved, seconded by Mr. Brownell, That Mr. Peters, member for the Electoral District of Elgin-Middlesex-London, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mr. Craitor moved, seconded by Mr. Delaney, That Mr. Zimmer, member for the Electoral District of Willowdale, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mr. Flynn moved, seconded by Mr. Levac, That Mr. Berardinetti, member for the Electoral District of Scarborough Southwest, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

Mrs. Munro moved, seconded by Ms. Scott, That Mr. Arnott, member for the Electoral District of Wellington-Halton Hills, do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

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

And the election process having ensued, after some time, it was,

Resolved, That Mr. Peters do take the Chair of this House as Speaker.

The Clerk having declared the Honourable Mr. Peters duly elected, he was conducted by Mr. Ramal and Mr. Brownell 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.

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On motion by Mr. Bryant,

Ordered, That the House adjourn until 2:00 p.m. tomorrow.

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The House then adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

À 16 h, la chambre a ensuite ajourné ses travaux.

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le président

**STEVE PETERS**

Speaker

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