

Appendix A

Bills Passed in the 1st Session of the 39th Legislative Assembly (6 June 2007 to 8 November 2007)

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1	<i>An Act Respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office</i>	Hon. Mr. Doer (Premier)				*									

¹ One asterisk denotes a noteworthy bill. Two asterisks denote an especially noteworthy bill (controversial or a substantial policy initiative).

² Housekeeping bill.

³ Potential constitutional issue.

⁴ S&EC denotes social and economic development; LA denotes legislative affairs; Just. denotes justice; CW denotes committee of the whole; PB denotes private bills; IA denotes intergovernmental affairs; HR denotes human resources.

⁵ Report stage amendment.

⁶ RA denotes royal assent; P denotes proclamation; SD denotes specified date; ED denotes expiry date; WD denotes withdrawn.

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2	<i>The Interim Appropriation Act, 2007</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	New bill		*		Operating expenditures and capital investments	CW	None	None	No	No	All party support	RA	Finance
3	<i>The Healthy Child Manitoba Act</i>	Hon. Ms. Irvine-Ross	New bill				Prevention & early intervention strategy for children's health	S&EC	Five organizations and one private citizen	Significant debate and discussion	No	No	Some discussion, passed with all party support	P	Family law
4	<i>The Real Property Amendment Act (Wind Turbines)</i>	Hon. Mr. Rondeau	Amend				Simplifies the registration of wind turbine rights	Just.	None	Minor discussion and amendments	Yes	No	Some concerns, passed with all party support	RA	Trade and commerce

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5	<i>The Public Accounts Committee Meeting Dates Act (Legislative Assembly Act Amended)</i>	Hon. Mr. Chomiak	Amend		*		Regular meeting times for Standing Committee on Public Accounts	Just.	None	Clauses passed on division	No	No		WD 8 Nov 2007	Legislative reform
6	<i>The Adult Literacy Act</i>	Hon. Ms. McGifford	New bill				Establishes an Adult Literacy Strategy and program funding	Just.	Two groups	Minor discussion	No	No	Passed with Liberal support and Tory criticism	P	Education

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7	<i>The Insurance Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	Amend				Consistency with other jurisdictions, industry developments and increased consumer protections	S&EC	None	Minor discussion and amendments	Yes	No	Minor debate and criticism, but passed with all party support	RA/P	Trade and commerce
8	<i>The Public Schools Amendment Act (Regional Vocational Schools)</i>	Hon. Mr. Bjornson	Amend				Ensure the continuation of a regional vocational school	Just.	None	None	No	No	All party support	RA	Education
9	<i>The Securities Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	Amend				Consistency with other jurisdictions & enhances investor protection	S&EC	None	None	No	No	Lengthy unrelated discussion, but passed with all party support	P	Securities law

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10	<i>The Family Maintenance Amendment and Inter-jurisdictional Support Orders Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Chomiak	Amend				Enforcement of child support orders	S&EC	None	None	Yes	No	All party support	RA	Family law
11	<i>The Children's Advocate's Enhanced Mandate Act (Various Acts Amended)</i>	Hon. Mr. Mackintosh	Amend				A review of services provided upon the death of a child in care	S&EC	One private citizen	Some discussion and debate over clauses	Yes	No	Liberal and Tory opposition, passed on division	P	Family law, fatalities legislation

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12	<i>The Employment Standards Code Amendment Act (Leave for Reservists)</i>	Hon. Ms. Allan	Amend				Job protection for Reservists	HR	None	None	No	No	All party support	RA	Employment and labour
13	<i>The Organic Agricultural Products Act</i>	Hon. Ms. Wowchuk	New bill				Labelling and marketing of organic products	S&EC	One private citizen	Lengthy discussion	No	No	Lengthy debate, passed with some opposition	P	Agriculture, trade and commerce
14	<i>The Government Purchases Amendment Act (Responsible Manufacturing)</i>	Hon. Mr. Lemieux	Amend		*		Updates the rules for government purchases	Just.	None	Minor discussion	No	No	Some discussion, passed with all party support	P	Governance

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15	<i>The Biofuels Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Rondeau	Amend				Expands the definition of biofuels and requires vendors to be licensed	S&EC	Four groups and two private citizens	Some discussion, substantial debate over clauses	Yes	No	Lengthy discussion, passed with all party support	P	Trade and commerce
16	<i>The Statutory Holidays Act (Various Acts Amended)</i>	Hon. Ms. Allan	Amend				A new statutory holiday in February	S&EC	One business group and one private citizen	Significant debate and discussion over clauses	Yes	No	Some discussion, passed with all party support	RA	Employment and labour law
17	<i>The Firefighters, Peace Officers and Workers Memorial Foundations Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Lemieux	New bill				Establishes memorial foundations to honour those who have died in the line of duty	S&EC	Two groups	Substantial discussions and debate over clauses	Yes	No	Some discussion, passed with all party support	P	Employment and labour law

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18	<i>The Forest Health Protection Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Struthers	New bill				Protection of Manitoba's trees & forests	S&EC	None	None	No	No	Some minor discussion, passed with all party support	P	Conser- vation
19	<i>The Fair Registration Practices in Regulated Professions Act</i>	Hon. Ms. Allan	New bill				Ensure that registration practices are transparent, objective, impartial & fair	Just.	Fifteen groups and two private citizens	Some discussion and debate, amendments passed	Yes	No	Lengthy debate, passed with all party support	P	Employ- ment and labour law
20	<i>The Planning Amendment Act (Deemed Single Operations)</i>	Hon. Mr. Ashton	Amend				Two or more livestock operations can be treated as a single operation	Just.	Two agricultural groups	None	No	No	Lengthy debate, passed with all party support	RA	Agriculture, trade and commerce

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21	<i>The Housing and Renewal Corporation Amendment Act (Fund for Housing Revitalization)</i>	Hon. Mr. Mackintosh	Amend				Establishes a fund for improving housing in areas of need	S&EC	Two groups and two private citizens	Intense discussion and debate	No	No	Tory and Liberal opposition, passed on division	RA	Social welfare
22	<i>The Medical Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Ms. Oswald	Amend				Diagnostic & treatment facilities and updating the professional discipline process	S&EC	Two medical groups	Minor discussion	No	No	Debate and criticism, but passed with all party support	RA	Health care

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25	<i>The Legislative Assembly Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Chomiak	Amend		*		Speaker of the Legislative Assembly continues in office until election	CW	None	No discussion	No	No		RA	Legislative reform
26	<i>The Appropriation Act, 2007</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	New bill		*		Operating expenditures and capital investments	CW	None	No discussion	No	No	All party support	RA	Finance
27	<i>The Loan Act, 2007</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	New bill				Increases the government's borrowing authority and defines the manner of raising money	CW	None	No discussion	No	No	All party support	SD	Finance

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28	<i>The Budget Implementation and Tax Statutes Amendment Act, 2007</i>	Hon. Mr. Selinger	Amend		*		Implements measures of the 2007 Manitoba Budget	CW		No discussion	No	No	Criticism, but all party support	RA/ SD	Finance
200	<i>The Health Services Amendment and Health Services Insurance Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Service compliance with the <i>Canada Health Act</i> program criteria	Not proceeded with							Health care

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201	<i>The Liquor Control Amendment Act (Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Prevention)</i>	Mr. Lamoureux	Amend				Warnings about alcohol consumption related birth defects	Not proceeded with								Health care, trade and commerce
202	<i>The Apology Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	New bill				An apology is not an admission of legal liability	Just.	Two private citizens	No discussion or debate, minor amendment	Yes	No	All party support	SD		Tort law
203	<i>The Phosphorus-Free Dishwashing Detergent Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	New bill				Prohibit sales of household dish detergents containing phosphorus	Not proceeded with								Conser- vation

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204	<i>The Personal Health Information Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Patients to have easy access to information about their health within 24 hours of request	Not proceeded with								Health care, privacy law	
205	<i>The Manitoba Hydro Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Procedural changes to appointments to the board of Manitoba Hydro	Not proceeded with									Governance

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206	<i>The Personal Information Protection and Identity Theft Prevention Act</i>	Mrs. Taillieu	New bill				The collection, use, and disclosure of personal information by private sector organizations	Not proceeded with							Justice, privacy law
207	<i>The Elections Amendment and Elections Finances Amendment Act</i>	Mr. Lamoureux	Amend				Public information about electoral investigations	Not proceeded with							Electoral law
208	<i>The Elections Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Makes vandalizing elections signs an offence	Not proceeded with							Electoral law

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209	<i>The Historic Highway No. 1 Act</i>	Mr. Hawranik	New bill				Designate Provincial Trunk Highway No. 44 as the "Historic Trans-Canada Highway"	Just.	None	No discussion or debate, minor amendments	Yes	No	All party support	P	Culture, heritage and tourism
210	<i>The Workplace Safety and Health Amendment Act (Harassment in the Workplace)</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Provides workers with the right to an harassment-free workplace	Not proceeded with							Employment and labour law

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211	<i>The Teachers' Pensions Amendment Act</i>	Mr. Schuler	Amend				Changes to the Teachers' Retirement Allowances Fund Board	Not proceeded with							Governance
212	<i>The Waste Reduction and Prevention Amendment Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	Amend				Prohibits retailers from supplying plastic checkout bags to customers	Not proceeded with							Conservation
214	<i>The Public Schools Amendment Act (Property Development)</i>	Mr. Schuler	Amend				Prohibit school boards from engaging in residential or commercial property development	Not proceeded with							Education, property

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215	<i>The Mandatory Testing for Pathogens Act</i>	Mr. Goertzen	New bill				Allows an order requiring a bodily substance for testing and analysis	Not proceeded with								Health care, justice
216	<i>The Municipal Water System Phosphorus Control Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	New bill				Prohibit phosphorus-based substances to control leaching of lead into water pipes	Not proceeded with								Conservation

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217	<i>The Winter Spreading of Manure and Biosolids Prohibition Act</i>	Hon. Mr. Gerrard	New bill				Prohibit manure and solid sewage material spreading on land in winter	Not proceeded with							Conser- vation