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## Districts, Councillors and Assemblymen

C = Councillor

A = Assemblymen

### Kings County

- 1<sup>st</sup> Kings (Young, Ross [C]) (Soloman, Roger [A])
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Kings (Bradley, Walter [C]) (Matheson, Claude [A])
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Kings (Hubley, Roberta [C]) (Doucette, Peter [A])
- 4<sup>th</sup> Kings (*vacant* [C]) (Bruce, Stanley [A])
- 5<sup>th</sup> Kings (Hicken, Barry [C]) (MacDonald, Rose Marie [A])

### Prince County

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prince (MacLeod, Hector [C]) (Morrissey, Robert [A])
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prince (*vacant* [C]) (Milligan, Keith [A])
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prince (Clark, Edward [C]) (Maddix, Robert [A])
- 4<sup>th</sup> Prince (Hubley, Libbe [C]) (Huestis, Stavert [A])
- 5<sup>th</sup> Prince (Guptill, Nancy [C]) (McEwen, Q.C., Walter [A])

### Queens County

- 1<sup>st</sup> Queens (Callbeck, Catherine [C]) (Murphy, Marion [A])
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Queens (MacKinley, Ronald [C]) (MacInnis, Gordon [A])
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Queens (Dunphy, Tom [C]) (Mella, Pat [A])
- 4<sup>th</sup> Queens (MacPherson, Lynwood [C]) (Buchanan, Alan [A])
- 5<sup>th</sup> Queens (Carroll, Tim [C]) (Cheverie, Q.C., Wayne [A])
- 6<sup>th</sup> Queens (Connolly, Paul [C]) (Lea, Jeannie [A])

## Councillors, Assemblymen, Ministers and Leader of the Opposition

Bradley, Walter [C] (2 <sup>nd</sup> Kings)	Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry
Bruce, Stanley [A] (4 <sup>th</sup> Kings)	
Buchanan, Alan [A] (4 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	Provincial Affairs and Attorney General
Callbeck, Catherine [C] (1 <sup>st</sup> Queens)	Premier, and President of the Executive Council
Carroll, Tim [C] (5 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	
Cheverie, Q.C., Wayne [A] (5 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	Provincial Treasurer
Clark, Edward [C] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Prince)	
Connolly, Paul [C] (6 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	
Doucette, Peter [A] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Kings)	
Dunphy, Tom [C] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Queens)	
Guptill, Nancy [C] (5 <sup>th</sup> Prince)	Speaker
Hicken, Barry [C] (5 <sup>th</sup> Kings)	Environmental Resources
Hubley, Libbe [C] (4 <sup>th</sup> Prince)	Deputy Speaker
Hubley, Roberta [C] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Kings)	
Huestis, Stavert [A] (4 <sup>th</sup> Prince)	
Lea, Jeannie [A] (6 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	Higher Education, Training and Adult Learning
MacDonald, Rose Marie [A] (5 <sup>th</sup> Kings)	
MacInnis, Gordon [A] (2 <sup>nd</sup> Queens)	Education
MacKinley, Ronald [C] (2 <sup>nd</sup> Queens)	
MacLeod, Hector [C] (1 <sup>st</sup> Prince)	
MacPherson, Lynwood [C] (4 <sup>th</sup> Queens)	
Maddix, Robert [A] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Prince)	
Matheson, Claude [A] (2 <sup>nd</sup> Kings)	
McEwen, Q.C., Walter [A] (5 <sup>th</sup> Prince)	Health and Social Services
Mella, Pat [A] (3 <sup>rd</sup> Queens)	Leader of the Opposition
Milligan, Keith [A] (2 <sup>nd</sup> Prince)	Transportation and Public Works
Morrissey, Robert [A] (1 <sup>st</sup> Prince)	Economic Development and Tourism
Murphy, Marion [A] (1 <sup>st</sup> Queens)	
Soloman, Roger [A] (1 <sup>st</sup> Kings)	
Young, Ross [C] (1 <sup>st</sup> Kings)	

## **Sitting Days for Spring 1996**

### Spring Session

February: 29

March: 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 26, 27, 28, 29

April: 2, 3, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 23, 24, 25, 26, 30

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(11 April-further), 650; Leader of the Opposition; Premier

#### **Agreement between government and the Dim Sum Company** [see also High school students from China]

(19 April), 891; Leader of the Opposition; Robert Morrissey

#### **Agreement with Medical Society**

(17 April), 801; Leader of the Opposition; Walter McEwen

#### **Agreement with Watts Communication** [see also Watts Communication]

(27 March), 320; Leader of the Opposition; Premier

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#### **Agricultural spraying on Mason Road** [see also Chemical Certification; Use of Chemical Admire]

(17 April), 798; Leader of the Opposition; Walter Bradley

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(13 March), 187; Leader of the Opposition; Walter McEwen

#### **Airport landing fees** [see also Landing fees at the Charlottetown Airport]

(10 April), 609; Leader of the Opposition; Keith Milligan

#### **Allocation for crab fishery** [see also Crab Fishery Allocation]

(11 April), 652; Hector MacLeod; Walter Bradley

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(25 April), 1011; Leader of the Opposition; Premier

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(10 April), 608; Ron MacKinley; Walter Bradley

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(6 March), 42; Leader of the Opposition; Premier

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(12 March), 145; Leader of the Opposition; Barry Hicken

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(29 March), 420; Leader of the Opposition; Barry Hicken

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(18 April), 835; Leader of the Opposition; Premier; Wayne Cheverie

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(18 April), 835; Leader of the Opposition; Premier; Robert Morrissey

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(26 March), 271; Leader of the Opposition; Keith Milligan

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(26 April), 1067; Leader of the Opposition; Walter McEwen

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(2 May), 1199; Leader of the Opposition; Alan Buchanan

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(17 April), 797; Leader of the Opposition; Walter Bradley

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(5 March), 15; Leader of the Opposition; Premier

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59<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Credit Union Central (27 March), 316

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26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 276; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 967; 23 April, Committee, 967; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1099; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Apiary Inspection Act (Bill 7)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 24; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 579; 9 April, Committee, 579; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 960; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Archives Act (Bill 17)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 21; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 973; 23 April, Committee, 973; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1095; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Artificial Insemination Act (Bill 8)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 24; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 580; 9 April, Committee, 581; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 960; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Charlottetown Area Municipalities Act (Bill 12)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 23; 24 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1002; 24 April, Committee, 1002; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1094; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the City of Summerside Act (Bill 11)*

25 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 1017; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1114; 30 April, Committee, 1115; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Civil Service Superannuation Act (Bill 35)*

10 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 615; 18 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 845; 18 April, Committee, 845; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 963; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Community Care Facilities and Nursing Homes Act (Bill 19)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 24; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 931; 23 April, Committee, 932; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1095; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Coroners Act (Bill 21)*

6 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 50; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1123; 30 April, Committee, 1123; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Films Act (Bill 30)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 276; 24 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1005; 24 April, Committee, 1005; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1100; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Financial Administration Act (Bill 24)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 275; 17 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 803; 17 April, Committee, 803; 23

April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 962; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Fish and Game Protection Act (Bill 4)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 21; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 576; 9 April, Committee, 576; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 959; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Gasoline Tax Act (Bill 13)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 22; 17 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 818; 17 April, Committee, 818; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 961; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Highway Traffic Act (Bill 36)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 469; 24 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 992-2; 24 April, Committee, 992-2; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Income Tax Act (Bill 45)*

24 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 992; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1111; 30 April, Committee, 1111; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission Act (Bill 6)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 25; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 581; 9 April, Committee, 582; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 959; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Legal Profession Act (Bill 37)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 468; 26 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1095; 26 April, Committee, 1096; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Legislative Assembly Act (Bill 2)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 25; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 980; 23 April, Committee, 980; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1093; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Liquor Control Act (Bill 3)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 22; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 563; 9 April, Committee, 563; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 958; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Maintenance Enforcement Act and the Highway Traffic Act (Bill 31)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 468; 25 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1029; 25 April, Committee, 1029; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Mechanics' Lien Act (Bill 48)*

23 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 930; 24 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1003; 24 April, Committee, 1003; 30 April, 1115; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Municipalities Act (Bill 5)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 22; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 583; 9 April, Committee, 584; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup>

reading, 959; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Natural Products Marketing Act (Bill 9)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 24; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 964; 23 April, Committee, 964; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1093; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Occupational Health and Safety Act (Bill 10)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 23; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1118; 30 April, Committee, 1118; 1 May 1175; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1234; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act (Bill 42)*

10 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 616; 25 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1034; 25 April, Committee, 1034; 26 April 1076; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Provincial Court Act (Bill 50)*

26 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 1076; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1213; 2 May, Committee, 1213; 2 May 1225; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Public Purchasing Act (Bill 18)*

6 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 50; 18 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 850; 18 April, Committee, 850; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 961; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Public Works Act (Bill 29)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 276; 24 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1000; 24 April, Committee, 1000; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1100; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Real Property Tax Act (Bill 20)*

8 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 118; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 971; 23 April, Committee, 972; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1098; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Revenue Administration Act (Bill 15)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 21; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 969; 23 April, Committee, 970; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1094; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Revenue Tax Act (Bill 16)*

8 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 117; 17 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 821; 17 April, Committee, 821; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 961; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Revenue Tax Act (No. 2) (Bill 44)*

18 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 839; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 975; 23 April, Committee, 976; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Roads Act (Bill 28)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 277; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 977; 23 April, Committee, 977; 26



April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1099; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the School Act (Bill 38)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 467; 18 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 856; 18 April, Committee, 856; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 962; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Supreme Court Act (Bill 33)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 276; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1112; 30 April, Committee, 1112; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Teachers' Superannuation Act (Bill 25)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 467; 18 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 855; 18 April, Committee, 855; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 962; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Amend the Trustee Act (Bill 32)*

16 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 749; 25 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1027; 25 April, Committee, 1028; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*An Act to Commemorate the Literature of Prince Edward Island Author Lucy Maud Montgomery (Bill 1)*

29 February, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 9

*An Act to Wind-up Georgetown Shipyard Inc. (Bill 14)*

5 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 25; 9 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 601; 9 April, Committee, 602; 23 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 963; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Appropriation Act 1996 (Bill 27)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 275; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1231; 2 May, Committee, 1231; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Arbitration Act (Bill 34)*

2 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 468; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1212; 2 May, Committee, 1212; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Consent to Treatment and Health Care Directives Act (Bill 43)*

9 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 562; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 943; 23 April, Committee, 944; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Election Act (Bill 46)*

23 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 931; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1148; 30 April, Committee, 1149; 1 May 1176; 2 May, 1200; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Election Expenses Act (Bill 47)*

23 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 930; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1206; 2 May, Committee, 1206; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (Bill 39)*

11 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 657; 30 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1127; 30 April, Committee, 1128

*Loan Act 1996 (Bill 26)*

26 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 275; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1233; 2 May, Committee, 1233; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Supplementary Appropriation Act 1996 (Bill 41)*

12 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 715; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1232; 2 May, Committee, 1232; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Supreme Court Reporters Act (Bill 51)*

30 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 1155; 2 May, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1229; 2 May, Committee, 1230; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Victims of Family Violence Act (Bill 40)*

9 April, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 562; 26 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 1079; 26 April, Committee, 1079; 2 May, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1235; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

*Vital Statistics Act (Bill 23)*

12 March, 1<sup>st</sup> reading, 148; 23 April, 2<sup>nd</sup> reading, 937; 23 April, Committee, 938; 26 April, 3<sup>rd</sup> reading, 1099; 2 May, Royal Assent, 1236

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