

Hydro Hail Mary: Your Afternoon QP Briefing

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Your Afternoon Briefing For Thursday March 2, 2017

Premier Kathleen Wynne announced her major plan to reduce hydro rates today — and it comes with \$25 billion in interest payments over the next three decades. Meanwhile, Treasury Board President Liz Sandals says the first rule of government cyber security is you don't talk about the details of government cyber security. And, if fixing Ontario's segregation problems requires more money, the government is going put it up. That, and more, in you afternoon QP Briefing.



HEADLINES

Treasury Board president hopes Ontario's auditor general doesn't give up details of Ontario's cyber security

The auditor general has a information technology team, and the treasury board president says she hopes that doesn't lead to spilling any of the province's cyber security secrets.

Here's how Premier Wynne plans to reduce hydro bills by 25%

What exactly are the Liberals proposing? QP Briefing takes a whack at it.

Wynne: Hydro plan will make Ontario's budgets 'a lot harder' to balance

With its balanced-budget promise, the province has chosen a massive investment in hydro relief over other priorities, including health care.

Liberals reveal 25% relief package for electricity customers — including \$25B in interest payments

The Liberals took the cover off their big hydro relief plan Thursday morning.

NDP MPP tables not-for-profit child care bill

Catherine Fife says basing the expansion of child care in Ontario on not-for-profit operators sets the stage for universal child care.

'No doubt that investment will be required': Howard Sapers to hand in segregation review any day now

Corrections Minister Marie-France Lalonde says she's prepared to devote more funding to address segregation in provincial prisons.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES



Question period liveblog

What was asked in question period on Thursday, March 2.

Liberals lead in Toronto but could lose seats outside downtown core, poll suggests

The Grits could lose seats in neighbourhoods such as Etobicoke, Scarborough and North York.

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Seen: Education bargaining bill sped through to committee after brief procedural kerfuffle

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