



[Eighth Parliament - First Session]

No. 197.]

## ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT

FOR

Tuesday, September 19, 2017 at 1.00 p.m.

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### QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1.

893/16

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,—To ask the Minister of Home Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that —
  - (i) Sinhala and Tamil communities living in the village of Panama in the Eastern Province live in absolute harmony; and
  - (ii) the aforementioned people have to face a number of issues when getting their basic requirements fulfilled?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether steps have been taken to resolve water and land related issues faced by people of the Panama area; and
  - (ii) if so, the steps that have been taken?
- (c) Will he state—
  - (i) whether state patronage has been extended so that the aforesaid people are able to live safeguarding their cultural identity and traditional heritage; and
  - (ii) if so, the manner in which it has been done?
- (d) If not, why?

2.

1270/16

Hon. Padma Udhayashantha Gunasekera,—To ask the Minister of Education,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether there had been politically victimized teachers at each education zone level in the Monaragala district prior to 08<sup>th</sup> January 2015;

(2)

- (ii) if so, their number;
  - (iii) whether recommendations relevant to victimization have been issued in respect of persons referred to in (i) above; and
  - (iv) whether he will table a full report of that document?
- (b) If not, why?

3.

1351 / 16

Hon. Dullas Alahapperuma,—To ask the Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the total extent of lands belonging to the Department of Railways in each town?
- (b) Will he also inform this House separately in terms of—
  - (i) the area;
  - (ii) the relevant geographical domain;
  - (iii) the relevant basis of granting; and
  - (iv) The date from which the Department of Railways has given up use of;  
the extents of lands, out of the total extent of lands referred to in (i) above, that are presently not in use by the Department of Railways due to being given on rent or lease basis?
- (c) Will he further inform this House—
  - (i) whether any decision has been taken by now to lease, sell or to alienate ;
  - (ii) if so, of the names of such lands;
  - (iii) of the basis of alienation of such lands;
  - (iv) of the monthly lease that is charged per perch of the lands that have been leased at present;
  - (v) of the number of lands for which the payment of lease has been defaulted; and
  - (vi) of the nature of legal action that will be taken against defaulters of land lease?
- (d) If not, why?

(3)

4.

1407/16

Hon. Bandula Gunawardana,—To ask the Minister of Primary Industries,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) how many of the Dedicated Agricultural and Fishery Export Zones proposed to be established according to Budget Proposal No. 183 in the Budget 2016, as mentioned in the manifesto of the Hon. Prime Minister, were established in the year 2016 and where they have been located;
  - (ii) of the total expenditure borne by the government separately for each of the zones so established according to the aforesaid proposal;
  - (iii) what government agency bears the responsibility for these Dedicated Agricultural and Fishery Export Zones; and
  - (iv) what export income was earned through each such zone if such zones have been established in the year 2016?
- (b) If not, why?

5.

1467/16

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
  - (i) whether he admits that people of Badulla were subjected to immense pressure as a result of the Uma Oya Development Project;
  - (ii) if so, of the number of families affected by the aforementioned Project and the names of the respective Divisional Secretariat Divisions;
  - (iii) whether he is aware that a Supreme Court ruling has been issued stating that people affected by the aforesaid project be granted immediate relief; and
  - (iv) if so, of the steps that the Ministry will take to grant relief to people affected by the Uma Oya Development Project?
- (b) If not, why?

6.

1514/17

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila,—To ask the Minister of Law and Order and Southern Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House –
  - (i) the number of suspects arrested during the period from year 2013 to 2016 under the Prevention of Terrorism Act, in each year separately; and
  - (ii) the charges leveled against those terrorist suspects?
- (b) If not, why?

(4)

7.

1571/17

Hon. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana,— To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
  - (i) approved cadre of the Principals;
  - (ii) the names of the present Principals with their grades;
  - (iii) the names of the Principals who have been posted on the approval of the Public Service Commission; and
  - (iv) the names of the Principals whose appointments have not been approved by the Public Service Commission and the name of the officer approved such appointments;with regard to the National Schools in Eastern Province?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) whether it is in order to issue letters of appointments for Principals in National Schools other than the Secretary of the Public Service Commission;
  - (ii) whether action will be taken to rectify the same; and
  - (iii) If so, when?
- (c) If not, why?

8.

1579/17

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware that steps were taken by the previous government to construct the Broadland hydro power plant in Kalukohutenna, Kithulgala with Chinese aid; and
  - (ii) whether he admits that while pledges were made to pay suitable compensation for the lands of the residents of the aforesaid village that were taken over by the government for the said project, residents of Kegalle district have been paid a paltry sum as compensation even though compensation was paid to residents of Nuwara Eliya district?
- (b) Will he also inform this House whether he would look into this and take steps to pay sufficient compensation to residents of Kegalle district as well?
- (c) If not, why?

(5)

9.

1590/17

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) as to why such a long period of time was taken to alter the initial plan of the proposed Kurunegala-Habarana railway track ;
  - (ii) whether this alteration is an implication of the unsuccessful nature of the old plan;
  - (iii) if so, as to why so long period was taken to comprehend that fact;
  - (iv) of the public funds wasted as a result of this alteration and the measures taken with pertinence to the pressure made on the public who got victimized through that,
  - (v) whether the aforesaid two plans will be separately presented along with detailed reports;
  - (vi) of the basic necessity behind the construction of this railway line;
  - (vii) whether the individuals who got their property damaged will be compensated;
  - (viii) if so, of the amount of compensation and the conditions;and
  - (ix) whether it is admitted that the persons who lose property as per the initial plan have been subjected to severe pressure for a period of approximately 10 years owing to factors like the inability to do any development activity in the relevant lands, the decline of the commercial value of lands, having to abandon the maintenance of their residences while constructing new residences after obtaining loans?
- (b) If not, why?

10.

1617/17

Hon. Heshan Withanage,—To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
- (i) of the number of National Schools and schools governed by the Provincial Council functioning in Ratnapura district separately;
  - (ii) out of them, the number of schools that do not have qualified principles;
  - (iii) what those schools are; and
  - (iv) whether it is admitted that large number of unqualified acting principals had been appointed under the political influence during the past regime?
- (b) If not, why?

(6)

11.

1631/17

Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the total grants and loans received hitherto from the Asian Development Bank for the promotion of renewable energy;
- (ii) separately, the year in which each such grant/loan was received and the amount so received; and
- (iii) whether he is satisfied with the contribution made by each such loan/ grant for the promotion of renewable energy?

(b) If not, why?

12.

1638/17

Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha,—To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether he is aware that a section specially vested with responsibility for developing renewable energy does not exist in the structure of the Ceylon Electricity Board;
- (ii) whether technical challenges that may arise in adding renewable energy to the national electricity grid in an optimum manner can be overcome in the absence of a Division dedicated for developing renewable energy; and
- (iii) of the reason for the negative attitude shown by the Ceylon Electricity Board towards renewable energy?

(b) If not, why?

13.

1687/17

Hon. Douglas Devananda,—To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

(a) Is he aware that —

- (i) there are no principals in 331 schools in the Eastern Province ; and 252 persons function as Acting Principals;
- (ii) requests have been made to absorb the aforesaid acting principals into Sri Lanka Principals' Service;
- (iii) there are no 1A and B schools in Poratheevuppaththuwa division in Paddiruppu educational zone; and
- (iv) there is a shortage of Maths and Science teachers in the aforesaid division ?

(7)

- (b) Will he inform this House —
- (i) the steps that have been taken to appoint principals to the 331 schools mentioned above;
  - (ii) the situation of the 252 acting principals;
  - (iii) whether a 1A and B school can be provided to the Poratheevuppaththuwa division; and
  - (iv) the steps that have been taken to eliminate the shortage of Maths and Science teachers?
- (c) If not, why?

14.

1698/17

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,—To ask the Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that—
- (i) the government has taken a policy decision to grant title deeds to the persons who have resided in state lands for a period of more than 10 years; and
  - (ii) the aforesaid fact was reconfirmed by the policy document of the government on Mid-Term Economic Vision, which was declared by the Prime-Minister on 27.10.2016?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
- (i) the steps taken to put the aforesaid policy into action;
  - (ii) the number of allotments of land for which title deeds were granted after 08.01.2015;
  - (iii) the number of allotments of land that has been identified by now each Divisional Secretariat Division in each District to grant title deeds, separately;
  - (iv) the number of allotments of land in each Divisional Secretariat Division in each District, for which plans have been prepared by the government, out of the allotments of land mentioned in (iii) above, separately;
  - (v) whether he admits the fact that there is a huge delay in the implementation of the aforesaid project which is highly important to the national economy; and
  - (vi) if so, the steps that will be taken to make the aforesaid programme of work successful?
- (c) If not, why ?

15.

1703/17

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,—To ask the Minister of Law and Order and Southern Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether certain parts of Waseem Thajudeen's corpse have been discovered in Nevil Fernando Hospital, Malambe or in SAITM;
  - (ii) if so, of the date on which the said parts were discovered;
  - (iii) whether authorization has been obtained to take away the aforesaid parts of the corpse from the General Hospital Colombo and to keep those in the said location;
  - (iv) if not, of the legal measures taken with pertinence to that matter?
- (b) If not, why?

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AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

**Notice of Presentation of Bills**

1.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Provincial Councils Elections (Amendment),— Bill to amend the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

2.

The Minister of Foreign Employment and Minister of Justice,— Judicature (Amendment),— Bill to amend the Judicature Act, No. 2 of 1978.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

**Notice of Motions**

3.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No. 1),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order No. 7 of the Parliament and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 08.03.2016, the hours of sittings of Parliament on Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 shall be 9.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m.. At 6.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament without question put.

4.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No. 2),— That this Parliament at its rising this day do adjourn until 9.30 a.m. on Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

5.

Hon. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana,— Leave to introduce Bill,— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“ Bill to amend the Rifai Thareeq Association of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Law, No. 29 of 1976.”

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NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

\*1.

Motor Traffic (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*2.

Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution Bill,— Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*3.

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*4.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Regulations under the Imports and Exports (Control) Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade under Section 20 read with Subsection (3) of Section 4 and Section 14 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 amended by Acts, No. 48 of 1985 and No. 28 of 1987 relating to import license and standardization and quality control regulations 2017 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2032/10 of 15<sup>th</sup> August 2017, which were presented on 06.09.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*5.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Regulations under the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act (No. 1),—That the Regulations made by the Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine under Section 142 of the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act, No. 5 of 2015 read with Section 118 of the aforesaid Act, relating to Medical Devices Pricing and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2006/45 of 17<sup>th</sup> February 2017, which were presented on 23.05.2017, be approved.

\*6.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Regulations under the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act (No. 2),— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine under Paragraph (u) of Subsection (2) of Section 142 read with the Sections 59 and 63 of the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act, No. 5 of 2015 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2023/30 of 14<sup>th</sup> June 2017, which was presented on 22.08.2017, be approved.

\*7.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Order under the Extradition Law (No. 1),— That the Order made by the President under Section 3 of the Extradition Law, No. 8 of 1977 relating to Extradition Treaty between Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and Russian Federation published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2022/27 of 07<sup>th</sup> June 2017, which was presented on 25.07.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*8.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Order under the Extradition Law (No. 2),—That the Order made by the President under Section 3 of the Extradition Law, No. 8 of 1977 relating to Extradition Treaty between Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and Ukraine published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2021/47 of 02<sup>nd</sup> June 2017, which was presented on 26.07.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*9.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Order under the Extradition Law (No. 3),— That the Order made by the President under Section 3 of the Extradition Law, No. 8 of 1977 relating to Extradition Treaty between Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and People's Republic of China published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2024/25 of 20<sup>th</sup> June 2017, which was presented on 22.08.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*10.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Order under the Extradition Law (No. 4),— That the Order made by the President under Section 3 of the Extradition Law, No. 8 of 1977 relating to Extradition Treaty between Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and Socialist Republic of Vietnam published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2028/16 of 19<sup>th</sup> July 2017, which was presented on 23.08.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*11.

Assistance to and Protection of Victims of Crime and Witnesses (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*12.

Provincial Councils Elections (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*13.

Prevention of Crimes (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*14.

Sri Lanka Sustainable Development Bill — Adjourned debate on question. (8<sup>th</sup> March 2017) [1].

\*15.

Regulation of Insurance Industry (Amendment) Bill,— Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*16.

Electronic Transactions (Amendment) Bill,— Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*17.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

\*18.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board (2012),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 07.03.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 24.03.2017)

\*19.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 03.05.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.05.2017)

\*20.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation (2011),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2011 and presented on 10.12.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

\*21.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*22.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Bank of Ceylon (2015),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 25.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*23.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 08.03.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*24.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd. (2014),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd together with the observations of Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 21.03.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

\*25.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts (2013) of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 08.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the State Industrial Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*26.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts (2013), of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 21.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital Board Act, No. 54 of 1983 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*27.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts (2013) of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation,— That the Annual Reports and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 11.08.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*28.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the KPMG institute of Chartered Accountants prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.03.2017 in terms of the Companies Act, No. 07 of 2007 and regulation of Insurance Industry Act, No. 43 of 2000, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*29.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*30.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.09.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*31.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*32.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 15.11.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*33.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements Regional Development Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 28.10.2016 2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*34.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - (2014/2015),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended on 31.03.2015 and presented on 09.08.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

\*35.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 12.08.2016 under Section 30(2) of the Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital Board Act, No. 38 of 1999 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*36.

The Minister of Law and Order and Southern Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Dangerous Drugs Control Board - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Dangerous Drugs Control Board together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.08.2016 in terms of the Section 13(1) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on National Security on 05.10.2016)

\*37.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority - (2012),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2012 and presented on 25.10.2016 under National Housing Development Authority Act, No. 17 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*38.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 25.10.2016 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Gazette Extraordinary No. 718/15 of 10<sup>th</sup> June 1992, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*39.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

\*40.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

\*41.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka - (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.12.2016 under Section 14(2) (c) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

\*42.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation - (2012),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2012 and presented on 24.01.2017 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*43.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

\*44.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - (2015/2016),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.03.2016 and presented on 25.07.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

\*45.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines - (2013/2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended on 31.03.2014 and presented on 04.03.2015 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

\*46.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka - (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 27.10.2016 under Section 24 of the National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka Act, No. 18 of 1997, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)



\*47.

The Minister of Development Assignments and Minister of Foreign Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Employees' Trust Fund - (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Employees' Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.11.2016 under Section 11 of the Employees' Trust Fund Act, No. 46 of 1980, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

\*48.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Insurance Trust Fund - (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2013 and presented on 27.01.2016 under Section 17 of the National Insurance Trust Fund Act, No. 28 of 2006, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

\*49.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund - (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 10.12.2016 under Section 17 of the National Insurance Trust Fund Act, No. 28 of 2006, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

\*50.

Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*51.

Theravadi Bhikku Kathikawath (Registration) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*52.

Resolution under the Constitution,— Adjourned Debate on Question (22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2016) Motion made and question proposed,—“Media guidelines to be followed/ Policies to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections published by the Election Commission in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1955/19 of 25<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in terms of the provisions of Article 104B (5)(a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka which were presented on 06.05.2016, be approved.”

53.

Institute of Personnel Management, Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

54.

Child Rehabilitation Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

55.

United Christian Fellowship of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

56.

Sri Lanka Women's Conference (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

57.

Moneragala District Kantha Maha Sangamaya (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

58.

Lasallian Community Education Services (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

59.

International Women's and Children's Rights (IWCRC) (Incorporation) Bill—  
Second Reading.

60.

Aloka Social Service Foundation Bill — Second Reading.

61.

Institute of Certified Public Accountants Bill — Second Reading.

\* *Indicates Government Business.*

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Motion made and question proposed "That the Bill be now read a second time."

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