

(Eighth Parliament - Second Session)

No. 14.]

ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT

FOR

Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at 1.00 p.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1.

39/'18

Hon. (Dr.) Bandula Gunawardana,— To ask the Minister of Petroleum Resources Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the market for Tar was liberalized as per proposal No. 204 of Budget 2016;
 - (ii) if so, of the measures adopted for that purpose;
 - (iii) of the major suppliers who entered the tar market as per the above budget proposal;
 - (iv) of the tar production of the Ceylon Petrolium Corporation from the year 2003 to 2016 and the stocks remained at the end of each year;
 - (v) of the price of tar in the world market and in the Ceylon Petrolium Corporation from the year 2009 to 2016 separately for each year; and
 - (vi) of Sri Lanka's tar requirement forecast from year 2015 to 2020?
- (b) If not, why?

2.

242/'18

Hon. Heshan Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Industry and Commerce,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware that an industrial zone is established at Kuruwita, in Ratnapura District;
 - (ii) if so, of the date of commencement of the aforesaid industrial zone and its primary objectives;
 - (iii) of the factories that function in this industrial zone as at today and their names;

- (iv) whether the number of the employees serving in each of these factories would be separately stated;
- (v) of the names of the factories which were closed down during the aforesaid period, if any;
- (vi) of the steps taken by the Ministry to further develop this industrial zone?
- (b) If not, why?

411/'18

Hon. Padma Udhayashantha Gunasekera,—To ask the Minister of City Planning and Water Supply,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - how many households within the Mullaitivu District had been connected to the supply of clean drinking water by the National Water Supply and Drainage Board by 1983;
 - (ii) how many households are provided with clean drinking water at present;
 - (iii) what amount in full was allocated by the government in each year for providing drinking water until the end of the war situation after 1983:
 - (iv) what amounts in full was allocated by the government for projects implemented for the supply of drinking water, separately in respect of each of the years following the war situation until the year 2015;
 - (v) whether he will table a progress report on all above?
- (b) If not, why?

4.

440/'18

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - of the dates on which the project for the expansion and development of Wadduwa-Moronthuduwa road from Wadduwa junction to Moronthuduwa Junction is proposed to be commenced and completed;
 - (ii) of the total area of the said road and the width of the extent which has been tarred;
 - (iii) of the width of the extent which is expected to be carpeted and the total width of the road after completing the development; and
 - (iv) of the number of bridges and culverts that are developed?

- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) of the total estimate for the said road project;
 - (ii) of the amount that has been allocated as compensation for lands and property, out of the above estimate;
 - (iii) of the amount of money allocated for the construction purpose; and
 - (iv) as to who has undertaken the construction activity?
- (c) If not, why?

447/'18

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Minister of Industry and Commerce,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately the name and designation of each officer who is attached to the personal staff of the Minister of Industry and Commerce and those who have been allocated with official vehicles, along with details on the type of vehicle allocated to them, registration number and the name of the officer who authorized such allocation of a vehicle?
- (b) If not, why?

6.

474/'18

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this house—
 - (i) whether he will submit to this House the matters incorporated in paragraph 6(a) (i) up to (iii), which makes revelations related to the distribution of school text books by local government bodies, in the investigation report No. SIN/B/AG/KI/2017/02 dated 20.04.2017 sent by the Auditor General to the Chief Secretary of Uva Province in regard to the malpractices that are occurring and have occurred in Uva Provincial Council;
 - (ii) whether he will submit the observations made in (b) (i) to (vi) in regard to the aforesaid revelations?
- (b) If not, why?

7.

480/'18

Hon. D.V. Chanaka,— To ask the Minister of Ports and Shipping,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether two companies had made proposals for the privatization of the Hambantota port;
 - (ii) if so, the basis on which one out of those two companies was selected;
 - (iii) of the recommendations made by the Technical Evaluation Committee and the Cabinet Appointed Procurement Committee to select that company;

- (iv) of the two agreements signed with the selected company;
- (v) the manner, the shares of the two companies establish in terms of that agreement get divided;
- (vi) the tasks entrusted to those two companies, separately;
- (vii) the sources of income of those companies;
- (viii) the steps that are to be taken to ensure the security of employment of the persons employed at present;
- (ix) the company that will be entrusted with the maintenance of the Port;
- (x) the sources of income for the government and the Ports Authority of Sri Lanka through this privatization?
- (b) If not, why?

486/'18

Hon. I. Charles Nirmalanathan,— To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) transportation has been disrupted because 402 meters long Vattuwakal bridge, the main bridge situated in Kilinochchi– Mullaitivu A-50 main road that belongs to the Road Development Authority, is very narrow and can accommodate only single lane traffic and has not undergone any repair; and
 - (ii) I have submitted a written request dated 31.07.2017 with regard to the repairing of this Vattuwakal Bridge?
- (b) Will he inform this House whether steps will be taken to repair and widen the Vattuwakal Bridge to have two lanes of traffic within a specific period of time?
- (c) If not, why?

9.

488/'18

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

- (a) Will he state—
 - the steps that have been taken to construct the proposed wind shield for Norochcholai Lakvijaya Power Plant for minimizing the damage caused to the environment by the Power Plant;
 - (ii) whether he is aware that the farmers living in areas surrounding the Power Plant are facing severe difficulties as there is no wind shield for the Power Plant; and
 - (iii) the date on which construction of the wind shield will be commenced?

- (b) Will he further state—
 - (i) the nature of the steps that will be taken to prevent accumulation of ash in the premises of the Power Plant; and
 - (ii) the amount of the compensation that has been paid to the farmers whose cultivations have been damaged due to the ash that is emitted from the Power Plant?
- (c) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether Norochcholai Plant has obtained a valid environmental protection licence;
 - (ii) if so, of the date on which the aforesaid licence was issued;
 - (iii) of the date on which that licence will expire; and
 - (iv) whether Ceylon Electricity Board will undertake the responsibility for the failure of the Power Plant to fulfill the conditions stipulated in that licence?
- (d) If not, why?

512/'18

Hon. Mohan Priyadarshana De Silva,— To ask the Minister of Justice & Prison Reforms,—(1)

- (a) Will she inform this House—
 - of the defendants of case number H.C./4648/2009 (Attorney General's Number C.R.-2/26/2009) which was heard in the High Courts, Colombo;
 - (ii) of the charges raised in the Indictment paper; and
 - (iii) whether all the defendants have been acquitted from the aforesaid indictments?
- (b) Will she State—
 - (i) whether it is stated in the determination that there is a possibility for the Attorney General to amend the accusations for a second time;
 - (ii) accordingly, whether the defendants are re-filed by the Attorney General having properly amended the accusations;
 - (iii) if so, the period within which re-filing is done; and
 - (iv) whether the reasons for the particular decision would be unveiled, if not re-filed thus?
- (c) If not, why?

513/'18

Hon Premalal Jayasekara,—To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that
 - (i) work on 05 road projects in the Nivithigala electorate of the Ratnapura District commenced in December 2015 under the "iRoad" project;
 - (ii) work in 02 of the aforesaid projects has reached final stage while work has been suspended in 03 of the projects;
- (b) Will he inform this House
 - (i) of the date on which the suspended projects will re-commence;
 - (ii) of the deadlines set for these projects which are expected to be completed within year 2017?
- (c) If not, why?

12.

515/'18

Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath,— To ask the Minister of Women and Child Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will she inform this House
 - (i) separately of the population of women, children, youths and the elderly living in this country respectively;
 - (ii) of the amount of money that was allocated from the budget for year 2017 for the functioning of the National Committee on women;
 - (iii) of the present state of the functioning of that Committee;
 - (iv) of the amount of money that was allocated from the budget for year 2017 for providing houses and other relief measures to women who are rendered destitute due to violence; and
 - (v) of the date from which provision of such relief measures would be commenced?
- (b) If not, why?

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of Presentation of Bills

1.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Apartment Ownership (Special Provisions),— Bill to facilitate the registration and disposition of certain Condominium Properties owned by the State or by a State agency; and to make provision for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

Notice of Motions

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Ministerial Consultative Committees,—Forty Three (43) Ministerial Consultative Committees be appointed to be designated as follows:—

- 1. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Defence
- 2. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Mahaweli Development and Environment
- 3. Ministerial Consultative Committee on National Policies and Economic Affairs
- 4. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Tourism Development and Christian Religious Affairs
- 5. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Buddhasasana
- 6. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Transport and Civil Aviation
- 7. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Finance and Mass Media
- 8. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage
- 9. Ministerial Consultative Committee on City Planning and Water Supply
- 10. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Public Enterprise & Kandy City Development
- 11. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Foreign Affairs
- 12. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Ports and Shipping
- 13. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Home Affairs
- 14. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine
- 15. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Internal Affairs & Wayamba Development
- 16. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Industry and Commerce
- 17. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Megapolis and Western Development
- 18. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Agriculture
- 19. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Plantation Industries
- 20. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Power and Renewable Energy
- 21. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Irrigation and Water Resources & Disaster Management
- 22. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Fisheries & Aquatic Resources Development and Rural Economic Affairs
- 23. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Social Empowerment
- 24. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Highways & Road Development

- 25. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Public Administration & Management and Law & Order
- 26. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Higher Education & Cultural Affairs
- 27. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Housing and Construction
- 28. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Petroleum Resources Development
- 29. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Hill Country New Villages, Infrastructure and Community Development
- 30. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Lands and Parliamentary Reforms
- 31. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Women and Child Affairs
- 32. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Justice & Prison Reforms
- 33. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Education
- 34. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Resettlement, Rehabilitation, Northern Development & Hindu Religious Affairs
- 35. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Post, Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs
- 36. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Youth Affairs, Project Management and Southern Development
- 37. Ministerial Consultative Committee on National Integration, Reconciliation and Official Languages
- 38. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Telecommunication, Digital Infrastructure and Foreign Employment
- 39. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Social Welfare and Primary Industries
- 40. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports
- 41. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Development Strategies and International Trade
- 42. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Sustainable Development, Wildlife and Regional Development
- 43. Ministerial Consultative Committee on Labour & Trade Union Relations

Each Committee shall consist of eight (8) members to inquire into and report upon such matters as are referred to it in terms of Standing Order 112;

The quorum of each Committee shall be three (3) members.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Business of Parliament,— That notwithstanding the motion agreed to by Parliament on 06.06.2018, for the purpose of the proceedings of the current session, Standing Order No. 8(2) of the Parliament shall operate with substitution of the words "10.00 a.m." for the words "9.30 a.m.".

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*1.

General Sir John Kotelawala Defence University (Special Provisions) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*2.

1990 Suwaseriya Foundation Bill — Second Reading (Cabinet approval signified.)

*3.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.1),— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 read with Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) regarding Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2066/2 of 09th April 2018, which was presented on 05.06.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 08/2018)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*4.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.2),— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 read with Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) regarding Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2065/57 of 06th April 2018, which was presented on 05.06.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 09/2018)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*****5.

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 Section 4(3) 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 Imports and Exports Control (Standardization and Quality Control) regulations 2017 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2064/34 of 29th March 2018, which were presented on 09.05.2018, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*6.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.1),— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) regarding on Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2054/42 of 18th January 2018, which was presented on 22.05.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 04/2018)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*7.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,—Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.2),—That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 read with Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) relating to Annual Liquor License Fees and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2049/4 of 11th December 2017, which was presented on 20.03.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 1004)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*8.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,—Regulations under the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine under paragraph (u) of Section 142(2) read with the Sections 59 and 63 of the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act, No. 5 of 2015 relating to Registration and Licensing of Medicines (fees) Regulations No. 2 of 2017 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2052/33 of 05th January 2018, which were presented on 03.04.2018, be approved.

*****9.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Ports and Airports Development Levy Act,— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 3(3) of the Ports and Airports Development Levy Act, No. 18 of 2011 relating to Ports and Airports Development Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2049/16 of 13th December 2017, which was presented on 05.06.2018, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*10.

National Audit Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*11.

Demutualization of the Colombo Stock Exchange Bill — Committee.

*12

Code of Criminal Procedure (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*13.

Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading. (Cabinet approval signified.)

*14.

Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading (Cabinet approval signified.)

*15.

Securities Exchange Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*16.

Pradeshiya Sabhas (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading. (Cabinet approval signified.)

*17.

Prescription (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading. (Cabinet approval signified.)

*18.

Commissions of Inquiry (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading. (Cabinet approval signified.)

*19.

Bribery (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*20

Land (Restrictions on Alienation) (Amendment) Bill—Second Reading (Cabinet approval signified.)

*21

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank (2016),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2016 and presented on 16.11.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law 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 06.03.2018)

*22.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation (2015),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 24.11.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

*23.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon (2016),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2016 and presented on 04.12.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law 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 06.03.2018)

*24.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 07.11.2017 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 06.03.2018)

*25.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 23.06.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 21.09.2017)

*26.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 11.11.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

*27.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Savings Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Savings Bank together with the observations of the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 08.08.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 21.09.2017)

*****28.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2012),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 19.10.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 10.11.2017)

*29.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 07.12.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.03.2018)

*30.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 07.12.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.03.2018)

*31.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Sri Lanka Export Development Board (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Export Development Board together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 20.10.2017 under Section 16 of the Sri Lanka export Development Act No. 40 of 1979 and Section II of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.02.2018)

*32.

The Minister of Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports,— Report of the Delimitation Committee for the Delimitation of Electorates in Provincial Councils,— That the Report of the Delimitation Committee submitted to the Minister by the said Committee in terms of the Section 3A.(11) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988 as amended by the Act, No.17 of 2017, which was presented on 06.03.2018, be approved.

*33.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—Determination under the Constitution,—Whereas Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe has been appointed as the Auditor-General by the President with effect from 27.11.2015, subject to the approval of the Constitutional Council in terms of Article 153 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka;

And whereas the salary of the Auditor-General shall be determined by Parliament and shall be charged on the Consolidated Fund of the Government in terms of Article 153 (2) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka;

And whereas the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers has been granted on 05.12.2017 according to the Cabinet Memorandum of 14.11.2017 submitted by the President to pay salaries and other allowances to Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe, Auditor-General as follows:—

- (a) To pay salaries and other allowances entitled to the post placing on the 08th Salary Step of SL- 4 Salary Scale of the Public Administration Circular No. 06/2006 with effect from 27.11.2015;
- (b) To pay salaries under SL- 4 Salary Scale converted as instructed in the Public Administration Circular No. 03/2016 when the conversion of salaries is effected as per the said Circular with effect from 01.01.2016; and
- (c) To pay the annual salary increments as specified under the said salary scale.

Accordingly, that this Parliament determines that Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe, Auditor-General be paid the aforesaid monthly salary and allowances to be charged on the Consolidated Fund of the Government in terms of Article 153 (2) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

*34.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—Resolution under the Constitution,—That the Media guidelines to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections made by the Election Commission in terms of Article 104B (5) (a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2048/1 of 04th December 2017, which was presented on 23.01.2018, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*35.

Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*36.

Theravadi Bhikku Kathikawath (Registration) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*37.

Resolution under the Constitution,— Adjourned Debate on Question (22nd 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 25th February 2016 in terms of the provisions of Article 104B (5)(a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka which was presented on 06.05.2016, be approved."

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

39.

Child Rehabilitation Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

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United Christian Fellowship of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading. 41.

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

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

43.

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

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

45.

Aloka Social Service Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

* Indicates Government Business.