



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

**ORDER PAPER**

FOURTEENTH SITTING, THIRD SESSION (2004/2005), EIGHTH PARLIAMENT  
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 26, 2004 AT 1.30 P.M.

- (a) PRAYERS
- (b) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE OF A NEW MEMBER
- (c) ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER
- (d) BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE SENATE
  - 1. The Family Proceedings (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 2004.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
- (e) PETITIONS
- (f) PAPERS
  - 1. Report of the Auditor General of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago on the Financial Statement of the Intellectual Property Office for the year ended December 31, 2003.  
*(By the Minister of Trade and Industry who will move that the Report be referred to the Public Accounts Committee)*
  - 2. Audited Financial Statements of the Estate Management and Business Development Company Limited for year ended September 30, 2003.  
*(By the Minister of Trade and Industry who will move that the Report be referred to the Public Accounts [Enterprises] Committee)*
- (g) PRESENTATION OF REPORTS FROM SELECT COMMITTEES
- (h) QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS
- (i) REQUESTS FOR LEAVE TO MOVE THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE ON DEFINITE MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE
- (j) STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS
- (k) PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS

## (l) INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

1. The Home Mortgage Bank (Amendment) Bill, 2004.  
*(By the Minister in the Ministry of Finance)*
2. The Copyright (Amendment) Bill, 2004.  
*(By the Minister of Legal Affairs)*
3. The Caribbean Community (CARICOM) Costa Rica Free Trade Bill, 2004.  
*(By the Minister of Trade and Industry)*

## (m) MOTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OR SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE AND MOVED BY A MINISTER OR PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY

## (n) PUBLIC BUSINESS

**PRIVATE BUSINESS****Motions:**

1. **The debate on the following motion which was in progress when the House was adjourned on Friday November 05, 2004 will be resumed:**

**WHEREAS** it is provided in Section 3(3) of the Regional Health Authorities Act 1994 that the Minister (of Health) may by Order, subject to the negative resolution of Parliament amend the First Schedule, which lists the names and boundaries of the Regional Health Authorities;

**WHEREAS** by Legal Notice dated 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2004, the Minister of Health dissolved the North West Regional Health Authority and in its place created the North Regional Health Authority and the North Central Regional Health Authority;

**WHEREAS** the said Order known as the Regional Health Authorities (Amendment of the First Schedule) Order, 2004, was laid in the House of Representatives by the Minister of Health on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004;

**WHEREAS** the addition to, and configuration of the Regional Health Authorities as contained in the said Order do not allow for the efficient delivery of health care to the citizens of Trinidad and Tobago;

**BE IT RESOLVED** that immediate steps be taken to have the Regional Health Authorities (Amendment of the First Schedule) Order, 2004 reversed.

*(By the Member for Caroni Central)*

## GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

### Motions:

- 1     **WHEREAS** section 9(2) of the Privileges and Immunities (Diplomatic Consular and International Organizations) Act, Chap. 17:01 (“the Act”) provides that the President may, from time to time by Order, declare that any international or regional organization or agency named and described in the Order, shall to such extent as may be specified in the Order, be accorded the privileges and immunities set out in Part I of the Act:

**AND WHEREAS** section 9(6) of the Act provides that on Order made under section 9(2) shall be subject to affirmative resolution of Parliament:

**AND WHEREAS** the Privileges and Immunities [Caribbean Court of Justice (CCJ), Regional Judicial and Legal Services Commission (RJLSC) and the Caribbean Court of Justice Trust Fund] Order, 2004 (“the Order”) was made under section 9 of the Act:

**AND WHEREAS** it is expedient to approve the Order:

***Be it Resolved:***

That the Privileges and Immunities [Caribbean Court of Justice (CCJ), Regional Judicial and Legal Services Commission (RJLSC) and the Caribbean Court of Justice Trust Fund] Order, 2004, be approved.

***(By the Minister of Foreign Affairs).***

### Bills Second Reading

1.     A Bill entitled “An Act to give effect to the Revised Treaty of Chaguaramas including the CARICOM Single Market and Economy and for matters related thereto”.

***(By the Minister of Foreign Affairs)***

2.     A Bill entitled “An Act to implement the Agreement Establishing the Caribbean Court of Justice and for other related matters”.

***(By the Attorney General)***

3.     A Bill entitled “An Act to provide for the implementation by the Government of Trinidad and Tobago of certain of the provisions of the Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and the Association of Caribbean States on the Headquarters of the Association of Caribbean States and its privileges and immunities”.

***(By the Minister of Foreign Affairs)***

4. **The debate on the following bill which was in progress when the House was adjourned on Friday November 19, 2004 will be resumed:**  
A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Old Age Pensions Act, Chap. 32:02 and to validate certain things done thereunder”.  
*(By the Minister of Social Development)*
5. **The debate on the following bill which was in progress when the House was adjourned on Friday November 19, 2004 will be resumed:**  
A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Public Assistance Act, Chap. 32:03 and to validate certain things done thereunder”.  
*(By the Minister of Social Development)*
6. **The debate on the following bill which was in progress when the House was adjourned on Friday October 01, 2004 will be resumed:**  
A Bill entitled “An Act to provide for the vesting of the operational undertakings of Caroni (1975) Limited in another company and the vesting of the real estate undertakings of Caroni (1975) Limited and Orange Grove National Company Limited in the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and to provide for the management of and for the development of those real estate undertakings”.  
*(By the Minister in the Ministry of Finance)*
7. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Constitution of Trinidad and Tobago”.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
8. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Evidence Act, Chap. 7:02; the Larceny Act, Chap. 11:12; the Bail Act, 1994; the Negotiable Instruments (Dishonoured Cheques) Act, 1998; the Forgery Act, Chap. 11:13; and the Electronic Transfer of Funds Crime Act, 2000”.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
9. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Tourism Development Act, 2000”.  
*(By the Minister of Tourism)*
10. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Summary Courts Act, Chap. 4:20”.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
11. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Criminal Procedure Act, Chap. 12:02”.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
12. A Bill entitled “An Act to criminalize terrorism, to provide for the detection, prevention, prosecution, conviction and punishment of terrorist activities and the confiscation, forfeiture and seizure of terrorists’ assets”.  
*(By the Minister of National Security)*

- 13 A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Offences Against the Person Act, Chap. 11:08”.  
*(By the Attorney General)*
14. A Bill entitled “An Act to amend the Births and Deaths Registration Act, Chap. 44:01”.  
*(By the Minister of Legal Affairs)*

### **COMMITTEE BUSINESS**

#### **Motions:**

1. **BE IT RESOLVED** that this House adopt the Report of the Joint Select Committee appointed to consider and report on the Public Broadcast of Debates and Business of Both Houses.  
*(By the Minister of Housing)*
2. **BE IT RESOLVED** that this House adopt the Report of the Public Accounts Committee of the Parliament of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago.  
*(By the Member for St. Joseph)*

*Jacqui Sampson Jacent  
Clerk of the House*

*House of Representatives' Secretariat  
The Red House  
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