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FRIDAY JANUARY 22, 2016: 1:30 P.M.

PRAYERS

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER

BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE SENATE

PETITIONS

PAPERS

1. The Consolidated Audited Financial Statements of First Citizens Bank Limited for the financial year ended September 30, 2015.

(By the Minister of Finance who will move that the Report be referred to the Public Accounts [Enterprises] Committee)

2. The Consolidated Audited Financial Statements of First Citizens Holdings Limited for the financial year ended September 30, 2015.

(By the Minister of Finance who will move that the Report be referred to the Public Accounts [Enterprises] Committee)

3. The Annual Report of the Public Service Commission for the year 2014.

(By the Deputy Speaker)

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

1. The Interim Report of the Joint Select Committee appointed to consider and report on the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Property (Amendment) Bill, 2015.

(By the Member for Diego Martin North/East)

2. The Interim Report of the Joint Select Committee appointed to consider and report on the Whistleblower Protection Bill, 2015.

(By the Member for San Fernando West)

PRIME MINISTER'S QUESTIONS

URGENT QUESTIONS

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

Question No. 16 to the Minister of Agriculture, Land and Fisheries

(By the Member for Mayaro)

With respect to the Ortoire Fish Landing Facility, could the Minister state:

- a) the works to be undertaken for the facility to become operational;
- b) the time frame for the completion of works and the re-opening of the facility; and
- c) whether there will be a management system in place and if yes, can the Minister provide details?

Question No. 17 to the Minister of Local Government and Rural Development

(By the Member for Mayaro)

Could the Minister indicate whether the Mayaro/Rio Claro Regional Corporation will receive funds for sargassum cleanup exercises in the financial year 2016?

Question No. 21 to the Minister of National Security

(By the Member for Mayaro)

Could the Minister provide the number and nationality of non-citizens convicted of drug trafficking, money laundering and human trafficking from January to November 2015?

REQUESTS FOR LEAVE TO MOVE THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE ON DEFINITE MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

1. The Finance (Variation of Appropriation) (Financial Year 2015) Bill, 2016.

(By the Minister of Finance will move that the next stage of the Bill be taken later in the proceedings)

MOTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OR SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE AND MOVED BY A MINISTER

PUBLIC BUSINESS

PRIVATE BUSINESS

Motions:

1. **The debate on the following Motion which was in progress on Friday November 27, 2015 will be resumed:**

WHEREAS from 2010 to 2015, the People's Partnership Government (the former government) provided core textbooks and workbooks to all students in early childhood centres, primary schools and secondary schools and learning material to special needs students, at no cost to parents;

AND WHEREAS a commitment was made by the former government to continue this arrangement for the academic year 2015 to 2016;

AND WHEREAS there was a further commitment made by the former government that for the academic year 2015 to 2016 E-books would be introduced on a phased basis in Forms 1 and 2 in selected subject areas;

AND WHEREAS the Ministry of Education has not provided new text books, workbooks, learning material or replacements for the academic year 2015 to 2016 which has resulted in financial hardship for families and loss of educational material for both students and teachers;

BE IT RESOLVED that this Government take urgent steps to ensure that all students are provided with textbooks, workbooks and/or other learning material in fulfillment of commitments given for the academic year 2015 to 2016.

(By the Member for Caroni East)

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