



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FIFTH SESSION
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ORDER PAPER

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2019: 1:30 P.M.

PRAYERS

OATH OR AFFIRMATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER

BILLS BROUGHT FROM THE SENATE

PETITIONS

PAPERS

1. The Appointment of the Commissioner of Police and Deputy Commissioner of Police (Qualification and Selection Criteria) (Amendment) Order, 2019.

(By the Speaker of the House)

2. The Annual Report of the Police Service Commission for the year 2018.

(By the Deputy Speaker)

3. The Report of the Auditor General of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago on the Financial Statements of the National Agricultural Marketing and Development Corporation for the year ended September 30, 2016.

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

4. The Report of the Auditor General of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago on the Financial Statements of the National Agricultural Marketing and Development Corporation for the year ended September 30, 2017.

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

5. The Annual Report of the Public Service Commission for the year 2018.

(By the Minister of Public Administration)

6. The Administrative Report of the ExportIT Limited for the year ended September 30, 2016.

(By the Minister of Trade and Industry)

7. The Administrative Report of the ExportIT Limited for the year ended September 30, 2017.

(By the Minister of Trade and Industry)

8. The Administrative Report of the Vehicle Management Corporation of Trinidad and Tobago for the period October 2015 to September 2016.

(By the Minister of Works and Transport)

9. The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Trade and Industry to the Eleventh Report of the Joint Select Committee on State Enterprises on an Inquiry into the Activities, Administration and Operations of National Flour Mills including the Company's role in the Processing of rice from Local Farmers.

(By the Minister of Trade and Industry)

10. The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of the Attorney General and Legal Affairs to the Twelfth Report of the Joint Select Committee on Human Rights, Equality and Diversity on the Sexual Exploitation of Children in Trinidad and Tobago with specific focus on Child Prostitution and Child Pornography.

(By the Attorney General)

11. The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Education to the Twelfth Report of the Joint Select Committee on Human Rights, Equality and Diversity on the Sexual Exploitation of Children in Trinidad and Tobago with specific focus on Child Prostitution and Child Pornography.

(By the Minister of Education)

12. The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Health to the Twelfth Report of the Joint Select Committee on Human Rights, Equality and Diversity on the Sexual Exploitation of Children in Trinidad and Tobago with specific focus on Child Prostitution and Child Pornography.

(By the Minister of Health)

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

1. The Thirteenth Report of the Joint Select Committee on Local Authorities, Service Commissions and Statutory Authorities (including the THA) on an Inquiry into the Efficiency and Effectiveness of the National Emergency Ambulance Service.

(By the Member for Couva North)

2. The Nineteenth Report of the Public Administration and Appropriations Committee on an Examination of the Expenditure and Internal Controls of the Ministry of Works and Transport.

(By the Member for Fyzabad)

PRIME MINISTER'S QUESTIONS

URGENT QUESTIONS

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE

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 Insurance (Amendment) Bill, 2019.

(By the Minister of Finance)

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

PUBLIC BUSINESS

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**Motions:**

1. **WHEREAS** Climate Change is a matter of global concern which threatens all nations;

AND WHEREAS small island states and coastal states are especially susceptible to the impact of climate change;

AND WHEREAS the Caribbean region has, from time to time, experienced cycles of drought, heavy rainfall, hurricanes and floods;

AND WHEREAS earthquakes and other natural disasters must be anticipated and prepared for;

BE IT RESOLVED that this House agree that the Government develop a holistic and sustainable national response to climate change inclusive of solutions to the perennial flooding in Trinidad and Tobago and the effective management of drought conditions and the impact of such disasters on the quality of human life.

(By the Member for Caroni Central)

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**Bills Second Reading:**

1. A Bill entitled, "An Act to amend the Supplemental Police Act, Chap. 15:02".

(By the Minister in the Ministry of the Attorney General and Legal Affairs)

2. A Bill entitled, "An Act to repeal and replace the Shipping Act, Chap 50:10, the Harbours Act, Chap 50:06, the Droghers Act, Chap. 50:07, the Motor Launches Act, Chap. 50:08, to amend the Port Authority Act, Chap. 51:01 and the Coroners Act, Chap. 6:04 to provide for the and the certification and registration of vessels and offshore installations, matters relating to crew safety and security of life at sea and matters incidental thereto".

(By the Minister of Works and Transport)

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 Private Security Industry Bill, 2019 in the Fifth Session, Eleventh Parliament.

(By the Member for Laventille West)

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FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2019 1:30 P.M. NOTICE OF PRIME MINISTER'S QUESTIONS

The under-mentioned Questions which have been accepted by the Speaker in accordance with Standing Order 26 are hereby forwarded for the attention of the Prime Minister.

1. Given the Prime Minister's Parliamentary statement on December 17, 2018 which committed to provide state lands to former Petrotrin workers for both housing as well as agricultural use, could the Prime Minister give an update on how many of these workers have received land eleven (11) months later?
(By the Member for Pointe-a-Pierre)
2. Could the Prime Minister state if the Paria Fuel Trading Company has been the recipient of any Value Added Tax (VAT) write-offs from the Government of Trinidad and Tobago?
(By the Member for Pointe-a-Pierre)
3. Could the Prime Minister inform this House what compensation if any, was paid to Mrs. Jacqueline Wilson, former Permanent Secretary and Human Resource expert, Ms. Folade Mutota, Director of the Women's Institute for Alternative Development (WINAD) and Ms. Elaine Green, Attorney-at-Law for serving on the Committee appointed to look into allegations of sexual misconduct at the Ministry of Sport and Youth Affairs?
(By the Member for Couva South)
4. Whether there are Caroni 1975 Ltd. Former workers yet to receive residential and agricultural leases?
(By the Member for Couva North)
5. Could the Prime Minister state what plan is in place to prevent other downstream industrial plants dependent on natural gas from shutting down?
(By the Member for Couva North)
6. Could the Prime Minister state at what stage is the land acquisition process for the new Tobago Airport Terminal?
(By the Member for Couva North)
7. Could the Prime Minister state whether negotiations for a new operator of the Magdalena Grand are complete?
(By the Member for Couva North)

8. Could the Prime Minister indicate if he is aware that the Acting Director of the National Lotteries Control Board has been sent on leave and/or suspended this week, and if so can he indicate the reasons for same?

(By the Member for Chaguanas West)

9. Given the high rates of unemployment and underemployment of our youth in fence-line communities due to the closure or downsizing of major employers such as Petrotrin, can the Prime Minister state what specifically is being done to create jobs that align with the qualifications and experience of those affected?

(By the Member for Naparima)

10. Given comments that the Point Lisas model has outlived its usefulness, can the Prime Minister state whether the Government is considering any review of this model?

(By the Member for Naparima)

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The under-mentioned Questions which have been accepted by the Speaker in accordance with Standing Order 27 are hereby forwarded for the attention of the Ministers concerned.

1. To the Minister of Education:
(By the Member for Pointe-a-Pierre)

Given the threat by Maxi Taxi drivers to cripple public transportation on Monday in protest of outstanding payments to some drivers who are contracted by the Ministry to transport school children, could the Minister state when the Ministry intends to settle these debts as well as the cause for this delay in payments?

2. To the Minister of Education:
(By the Member for Pointe-a-Pierre)

Based on reports that numerous textbooks and teaching material belonging to the Claxton Bay Junior Anglican School were destroyed due to poor storage by a contractor during recent work on the now abandoned school building, could the Minister inform the House whether the Ministry and/or the contractor will be replacing these items given their importance to the school's teaching operations?

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