



SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

ORDER PAPER

THIRD SITTING, SECOND SESSION (2021/2022)

TWELFTH PARLIAMENT

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2021 AT 10:00 A.M.

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(By the Minister of Planning and Development)
 - (ii) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Planning and Development to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Land and Physical Infrastructure on a Continuation Inquiry into Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago with reference to the Eleventh Report on an inquiry into the Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Planning and Development)
 - (iii) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Rural Development and Local Government to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Land and Physical Infrastructure on a Continuation Inquiry into Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago with reference to the Eleventh Report on an inquiry into the Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Rural Development and Local Government)
 - (iv) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Rural Development and Local Government to the Second Report of the Public Accounts (Enterprises) Committee on the Examination of Audited Financial Statements of the Vehicle Management Corporation of Trinidad and Tobago for the financial years 2013 and 2014.
(By the Minister of Rural Development and Local Government)
 - (v) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Works and Transport to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Finance and Legal Affairs on an inquiry into the Ease of Doing Business in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Works and Transport)

- (vi) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Works and Transport to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Land and Physical Infrastructure on a Continuation Inquiry into Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago with reference to the Eleventh Report on an inquiry into the Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Works and Transport)
- (vii) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Public Utilities to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Land and Physical Infrastructure on a Continuation Inquiry into Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago with reference to the Eleventh Report on an inquiry into the Measures for Ensuring Water Security in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Public Utilities)
- (viii) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Public Utilities to the Third Report of the Public Accounts (Enterprises) Committee on the Examination of Audited Financial Statements of the National Gas Company Trinidad and Tobago Limited for the financial years 2016 to 2018.
(By the Minister of Public Utilities)
- (ix) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Trade and Industry to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Finance and Legal Affairs on an inquiry into the Ease of Doing Business in Trinidad and Tobago.
(By the Minister of Trade and Industry)
- (x) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of National Security to the First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Local Authorities, Service Commissions and Statutory Authorities (including the THA) on an inquiry into the Health and Safety Practices and Arrangements of the Airports Authority of Trinidad and Tobago (AATI) in light of COVID-19 Restrictions.
(By the Minister of National Security)
- (xi) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of National Security to the Thirty-Third Report of the Public Accounts Committee on the Follow-up on the Status of the Implementation of the Recommendations of Information and Communication Technology Governance and General Controls as stated in the Reports of the Auditor General on 2017, 2018 and 2019 Public Accounts.
(By the Minister of National Security)
- (xii) The Ministerial Response of the Ministry of Finance to the Twenty-Third Report of the Public Accounts (Enterprises) Committee on the Examination of Audited Financial Statements of the InvesTT Limited for the years 2014 to 2017.
(By the Minister of Finance)

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Bills Second Reading:

- (i) **The debate on the Second Reading of the following Bill which was in progress when the Senate adjourned on Tuesday September 14, 2021 will be resumed:**
A Bill entitled, 'An Act to establish the Trinidad and Tobago Revenue Authority and for related matters'.
(By the Minister of Finance)
- (ii) A Bill entitled, 'An Act to repeal the Livestock and Livestock Products Board Act, Chap. 67:05'.
(By the Minister of Agriculture, Land and Fisheries)
- (iii) A Bill entitled, 'An Act to repeal the Foreign Labour Contracts Act, Chap. 88:11'.
(By the Minister of Labour)

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NOTICE OF URGENT QUESTIONS

The under-mentioned Questions which have been accepted by the President in accordance with Standing Order 25 are hereby forwarded for the attention of the Ministers concerned.

1. **TO THE MINISTER OF EDUCATION**
(By Senator Wade Mark)

Can the Minister inform the Senate as to the rationale for the decision by the Teaching Service Commission to cease accepting unsolicited teacher applications effective September 30, 2021?

2. **TO THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE, LAND AND FISHERIES**
(By Senator Wade Mark)

Given the destruction of homes allegedly as a result of quarrying activities being conducted under the supervision of EMBD, can the Minister indicate whether an investigation has been launched into this situation?

3. **TO THE MINISTER OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**
(By Senator Wade Mark)

Given the alleged disposal of toxic waste by a chemical plant in the Barrackpore community and the effect of said waste on residents, can the Minister advise as to whether the EMA has launched an investigation into this matter?

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