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## SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER PAPER

FRIDAY JULY 9, 2021: 1:30 P.M.

### PAPERS

1. The Notification of Her Excellency, the President in respect of the nomination of Dr. Susan Craig-James, for appointment as a Member of the Police Service Commission.  
**(By the Speaker of the House)**
2. The Report of the Auditor General of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago on the Financial Statements of the Office of Procurement Regulations for the year ended September 30th, 2020.  
**(By the Minister of Finance who will move that the Report be referred to the Public Accounts Committee)**

### REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

6. The First Report of the Joint Select Committee on Foreign Affairs on An Examination of the Foreign Policy of Trinidad and Tobago First Session (2020/2021), Twelfth Parliament.  
**(By the Member for San Fernando East)**

### GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

#### **Motions:**

2. **BE IT RESOLVED** that the Senate amendments to the Finance Bill, 2021 listed in Appendix I be now considered.  
**(By the Minister of Finance)**
3. **WHEREAS** section 122(3) of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, Chap. 1:01 (the Act) provides that the President shall, after consultation with the Prime Minister and Leader of the Opposition nominate persons, who are qualified and experienced in the disciplines of law, finance, sociology or management, to be appointed as members of the Police Service Commission;

**AND WHEREAS** section 122(4) of the Act provides that the President shall issue a Notification in respect of each person nominated for appointment under subsection (3) and the Notification shall be subject to affirmative resolution of the House of Representatives;

**AND WHEREAS** the President has nominated Dr. Susan Craig-James to be appointed as a member of the Police Service Commission;

**AND WHEREAS** the President has on the 14th day of June, 2021 made a Notification in respect of the nomination;

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

**BE IT RESOLVED** that the Notification of the nomination of **Dr. Susan Craig-James** as a member of the Police Service Commission be approved.

**(By the Prime Minister)**

*Jacqui Sampson-Meiguel*  
*Clerk of the House*

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**PORT OF SPAIN**

*July 7, 2021*

ORDER PAPER FRIDAY 9 JULY, 2021**THE FINANCE BILL, 2021**

List of Amendments made in the Senate during the Committee Stage  
of the above-named Bill on Tuesday July 06, 2021

Clause	Extent of Amendment
4	In the proposed section 9B(3), delete the word “ <b>tax</b> ” wherever it occurs and substitute the words “ <b>tax or return</b> ”.
13	<p>In the proposed section 103A, delete subsections (1), (2) and (3) and substitute the following subsections:</p> <p><b>“(1) Notwithstanding any written law to the contrary, there shall be a waiver of the following liabilities:</b></p> <p>(a) <b>interest on an outstanding income tax, further tax, additional tax, withholding tax or business levy due and payable for the years of income up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</b></p> <p>(b) <b>outstanding interest charged on any income tax, further tax, additional tax, withholding tax or business levy due and payable for the years of income up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</b></p> <p>(c) <b>a penalty due and payable on an outstanding tax or a withholding tax for the years of income up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</b></p> <p>(d) <b>a penalty in respect of income tax or withholding tax due and payable for the years of income up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the return is filed prior to or during the prescribed period; and</b></p>

	<p>(e) a penalty on an outstanding income tax return for the years of income up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, filed prior to 5th July, 2021, where the penalty has not been paid.</p> <p>(2) For the avoidance of doubt, the waiver granted under subsection (1) shall not—</p> <p>(a) affect a liability to income tax, further tax, additional tax, withholding tax or business levy which is due and payable under this Act; and</p> <p>(b) apply to any interest or penalty paid prior to 5th July, 2021.</p> <p>(3) Where any income tax return, income tax, withholding tax or business levy remains outstanding after the end of the prescribed period, the interest and penalty which would have been payable on the return, tax or levy shall be revived and become payable as if the waiver in subsection (1) had not been granted.”.</p>
17	<p>A. In the proposed section 54A, delete subsection (1) and substitute the following subsection:</p> <p>“(1) Notwithstanding any written law to the contrary, there shall be a waiver of the following liabilities:</p> <p>(a) interest and penalty on an outstanding tax due and payable for the years up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</p> <p>(b) outstanding interest charged on a tax due and payable for the years up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</p> <p>(c) a penalty in respect of a tax due and payable up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021, where the tax is paid prior to or during the prescribed period;</p> <p>(d) a penalty on an outstanding return for the years up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st</p>

	<p><b>May, 2021, where the return is filed prior to or during the prescribed period; and</b></p> <p><b>(e) a penalty with respect to a return for the years up to 31st December, 2020 and during the period 1st January, 2021 to 31st May, 2021 filed prior to 5th July, 2021, where the penalty has not been paid.”.</b></p> <p>B. In the proposed section 54A(3), delete the word “<b>tax</b>” wherever it occurs and substitute the words “<b>tax or return</b>”.</p>
18	<p>In the proposed section 3A(1) –</p> <p>(i) at the end of paragraph (b), insert the word “<b>and</b>”;</p> <p>(ii) at the end of paragraph (c), delete the word “<b>;</b>” and substitute the word “<b>.</b>”; and</p> <p>(iii) delete paragraphs (d) and (e).</p>
19	<p>In the proposed section 54(4), delete the word “<b>tax</b>” wherever it occurs and substitute the words “<b>tax or return</b>”.</p>
21	<p>Delete the clause and substitute the following:</p> <p><b>“21. (1) Section 4 and sections 13 to 20 are deemed to have come into operation on 5th July, 2021.</b></p> <p><b>(2) Sections 9 and 10 shall come into operation on such date as is fixed by the President by Proclamation.”.</b></p>
New clause 20	<p>A. Insert after clause 19 the following new clause:</p> <p><b>“Chap. 77:01 amended 20. The Miscellaneous Taxes Act is amended in section 62A, by inserting after the word “taxes”, in every place where it occurs, the words “, penalties”.”.</b></p> <p>B. Renumber the clauses accordingly.</p>

*Senate Secretariat*

*July 06, 2021*