SECOND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

FIRST SESSION

1957 - 1958

MINUTES of the Proceedings of a Meeting of the Legislative Council of the Colony of British Guiana under the British Guiana (Constitution) (Temporary Provisions) Orders in Council, 1953 and 1956, held in the Chamber of the Legislature at the Public Buildings, Georgetown, Demerara,

AT 2.00 P.M.

on

THURSDAY, 30TH JANUARY, 1958.

PRESENT:

His Honour the Speaker, Sir Donald Jackson.

Ex-Officio Members

The Honourable the Chief Secretary, Mr. F.D. Jakeway, C.M.G., O.B.E.

The Honourable the Attorney-General, Mr. A.M.I. Austin, Q.C.

The Honourable the Financial Secretary, Mr. F.W. Essex.

Ministers

The Honourable Dr. C.B. Jagan,

Minister of Trade and Industry.

The Honourable B.H. Benn,

Minister of Community Development and Education.

The Honourable E.B. Beharry,

Minister of Natural Resources.

The Honourable Janet Jagan,

Minister of Labour, Health and Housing.

The Honourable Ram Karran,

Minister of Communications and Works.

Elected Members, Majority Party

Mr. F. Bowman

Mr. B.S. Rai

Mr. S.M. Saffee

Mr. Ajodha Singh

Other Elected Members

Mr. W.O.R. Kendall

Mr. L.F.S. Burnham

Mr. S. Campbell

Mr. A.L. Jackson

Mr. Jai Narine Singh

Nominated Members

Mr. R.B. Gajraj

Mr. R.C. Tello

Mr. R.E. Davis

Mr. A.M. Fredericks

Mr. H.J.M. Hubbard

Mr. A.G. Tasker, O.B.E.

Clerk of the Legislature - Mr. I. Crum Ewing.
Assistant Clerk of the Legislature - . E.V. Viapree.

The Clerk read prayers.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

The Minutes of the Meeting held on Wednesday, the 29th of January, 1958, as printed and circulated, were taken as read and confirmed.

PUBLIC BUSINESS ORDER OF THE DAY.

BILL - Second Reading.

Item 1 - APPROPRIATION BILL, 1957 - Bill No. 41/1957.

Council resumed the debate on the mo ion for the second reading of the BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO APPROPRIATE THE SUPPLIES GRANTED IN THE CURRENT SESSION OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Mr. Burnham concluded his speech.

Thereafter, Mr. Jai Narine Singh and Mr. Hubbard spoke to the motion.

At 5.20 p.m. the sitting was suspended until 8.00 p.m.

Resumption of Sitting.

Council resumed at 8.00 p.m.

The following Members spoke to the motion:-

Mr. Fredericks.

Mrs. Jagan Mr. Bowman

Mr. Beharry

Mr. Benn. and

ADJOURNMENT.

At 10.20 p.m. the Speaker adjourned the Council to 2.00 p.m. on Friday, the 31st of January, 1958.

Confirmed.

Donald Vackson

LEGISLATURE, Public Buildings.

31st January, 1958.