

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

Minister Answering: Senior Minister in the Office of the President with Responsibility for

Finance

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE PAPER No. 15

NATIONAL PROCUREMENT BOARD

1. (a) The appointment of the members of the Board was made in conformity with Section 16(2) of the Procurement Act, Cap. 73:05 of the Laws of Guyana.
- (b) The seventh member of the Board was appointed, as reflected in the Official Gazette dated 23 September 2020.

2. (a)

Members	Employment
Mr. Tarachand Balgobin	Government
Mr. Omar Narine	Government
Mr. Bernard Lord	Government
Mr. Desmond Mohamed	Government
Mr. Steve Ninvalle	Non-Government
Ms. Gloria Beharry	Non-Government
Mr. Mark Conway	Non-Government

- (b) Mr. Steve Ninvalle, Ms. Gloria Beharry and Mr. Mark Conway are the three representatives from the Private Sector.

3. (a) There is nothing in the Act that prohibits a public servant from being appointed Temporary Chairman.

- (b) The appointment of a Chairman is currently engaging the attention of the Administration.
- (c) The appointment of a Chairman will be made in due course.