THIRD PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA

FIRST SESSION

1973 - 1976

ORDER PAPER

88TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, 18TH FEBRUARY, 1976

AT 2.00 P.M.

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(1) By the <u>Prime Minister</u>:

Annual Reports of the Public Service Commission and the Police Service Commission for the period June 1974 - May 1975.

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(2) By the Minister of Finance:

 (a) Customs Duties (Amendment) Order 1976 (No. 7), made under section 8 of the Customs Act, Chapter 82:01, on the 2nd of February, 1976, and published in the Gazette on the 2nd of February, 1976.

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 (b) Statement of Guarantees given by the Minister of Finance under section 3 of the Guarantee of Loans (Public Corporations and Companies) Act, Chapter 77:01, for the quarter ended 31st December, 1975.

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(c) Statement of Guarantees given by the Minister of Finance under section 3 of the Guarantee of Loans (Public Corporations and Companies) Act, Chapter 77:01, and remained in force at 31st December, 1975.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

Presentation and First Reading

(1) SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH IN GUYANA (INCORPORATION OF TRUSTEES) BILL 1976 - Bill Jo 3/1976 published 17.1.76. 24.1.76 and 31.1.76

Cde. Ramsahoye to present the following Private Bill:

- A BILL intituled AN ACT TO INCORPORATE TRUSTEES TO HOLD THE PROPERTY IN GUYANA OF THE GUYANA CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS AND FOR PURPOSES CONNECTED THEREATTH.
- (2) PUBLIC CORPORATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL 1976 Bill No. 5/1976 published 2.2.76

The Prime Minister, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

- A BILL intituled AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC CORPORATIONS ACT AND TO MAKE A CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENT TO THE RICE MARKETING ACT.
- (3) AMERINDIAN (AMENDMENT) BILL 1976 Bill No. 6/1976 published 11.2.76

The Minister of Economic Development, on behalf of the Government to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT TO AMEND THE AMERINDIAN ACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF GIVING EFFECT TO THE VESTING OF LANDS SETTLED BY AMERINDIAN CITIZENS OF GUYANA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE REPORT OF THE AMERINDIAN LANDS COMMISSION AND FOR PURPOSES INCIDENTAL THERETO.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

MOTIONS

1. CONFIRMATION OF THE CUSTOMS DUTIES AMENDMENT ORDER 1 6 NO.

The Minister of Finance to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly in accordance with section 9 of the Customs Act, Chapter 82:01, confirm the Customs Duties (Amendment) Order 1976 (No. 7), which was made on the 2nd of February, 1976, and published in the Gazette on the 2nd of February, 1976.

(Notice Paper No. 66 published 16th February, 1976)

2. GUARANTEE FOR PAYMENT OF AIRCRAFTS

The Minister of Finance to move the following motion:

THEREAS the Guyana Airways Corporation which is fully owned by the Government of Guyana is engaged in air transportation in and out of Guyana;

AND WHEREAS the Guyana State Corporation, a public corporation, which holds the equity in the Guyana Airways Corporation for and on behalf of the Government, considers it necessary for the efficient functioning of the Guyana Airways Corporation that purchase be made of two Hawker Siddeley aircrafts, the price of which will be reflected in the Government's contribution to its equity holding in the Guyana Airways Corporation;

AND WHEREAS for the purpose of concluding the said purchase the sum of fourteen million, six hundred and sixty thousand, nine hundred and firty four Guyana dollars (G\$14,660,954) that would become due and payable in instalments to the suppliers of the said aircrafts subsequent to their delivery in 1977;

AND WHEREAS the suppliers have requested that the Government of Guyana guarantee the due payment of the said sum of fourteen million, six hundred and sixty thousand, nine hundred and fifty four Guyana dollars (C\$14,660,954) by the Guyana State Corporation:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly authorises the Minister of Finance or such other person duly authorised by him, acting on behalf of the Government of Guyana, to give the guarantee to the suppliers of the said aircrafts in the sum of fourteen million, six hundred and sixty thousand, nine hundred and fifty four Guyana dollars or to the equivalent of two million, eight hundred thousand, eight hundred and eighty five pounds sterling.

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CONDOLENCE ON DEATH OF CDE. H.J.M. HUBBARD

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Leader of the House to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly records its deep regret at the death of Henry Jocelyn Makepeace Hubbard, and pays tribute to the service which he rendered to Guyana and to its Parliament and directs that an expression of its sympathy be conveyed to his sorrowing relatives.