

SECOND PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA

THIRD SESSION

1971

ORDER PAPER

13TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

TUESDAY, 29TH JUNE, 1971

AT 2.00 P.M.

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GUARANTEE BY GOVERNMENT OF LETTER OF CREDIT

1. The Minister of Finance to move the following motion:

WHEREAS it has been decided that the Guyana Development Corporation, a Public Corporation established under the Guyana Industrial Development Corporation Order, 1963, would implement plans for the establishment of a company to catch, process and market marine food products;

AND WHEREAS in pursuance of such a policy the Guyana Development Corporation has negotiated with the shipyard of Ingenieria Y Maquinaria Especializada SA (called Inesa) of Mexico and with the shipyard of Astilleros Magdalena Limited (called Astimag) of Columbia to construct and deliver ten trawlers - each shipyard to supply five trawlers to the Guyana Development Corporation;

AND WHEREAS the total cost of the trawlers is US \$1,114,515 i.e. US \$558,425 for the Mexican trawlers and \$556,090 for the Columbian;

AND WHEREAS in the financial arrangements in respect of the payment for these trawlers to each shipyard Bankers Trust Company of New York, United States of America, has agreed, on the guarantee of Government, to effectuate a letter of credit to be opened by the Guyana National Co-operative Bank for the account of the Guyana Development Corporation;

AND WHEREAS in accordance with section 20(1) of the Public Corporations Ordinance, 1962 (No. 23), with the approval of the National Assembly, the Cabinet may guarantee in such a manner and on such conditions as they may think fit, the payment of the principal and of interest on any authorised borrowings of a Corporation;

AND WHEREAS the Guyana Development Corporation being a Public Corporation as aforementioned has requested the Government to guarantee the letter of credit to be opened by the Guyana National Co-operative Bank with Bankers Trust Company of the United States of America:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly approve of the Government of Guyana's guaranteeing the repayment of any sums advanced or paid by Bankers Trust Company or the Guyana National Co-operative Bank to the amount not exceeding US \$1,114,515 in respect of the letters of credit relating to the payment for ten trawlers to be supplied by Ingenieria Y Maquinaria Especializada SA (US \$558,425) and Astilleros Magdalena Limited (US \$556,090).

(Notice Paper No. 26 published 25th June, 1971)

FOOD AND DRUGS BILL, 1971 - Bill No. 11/1971 published 5.6.71

- * 2. The Minister of Health to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT RELATING TO FOODS, DRUGS, COSMETICS AND THERAPEUTIC DEVICES.

(Read a first time on 1st June, 1971)

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SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER

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QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS -

* QUESTION NO. 1

Mr. Ram Kerran to ask the Minister of Works, Hydraulics and Supply the following question:

Will the Minister say whether tenders for the construction of the Parika Police Station were called for; and if not, why not?

Will the Minister also say what is the estimated cost of construction of the Station?

(Notice Paper No. 10 published 1st June, 1971)

* QUESTION NO. 2

Dr. Jagan to ask the Minister of Works, Hydraulics and Supply the following question:

Will the Minister say whether the Government, during the period 1965-1968, undertook to pay an amount, said to be \$5,000, to the Bartica Village Council for supplying electricity to the Government Compound at Bartica?

Will the Minister say whether the Bartica Village Council was in fact paid such sum, or any sum of money, by the Government for such service?

(Notice Paper No. 11 published 1st June, 1971)
