# SECOND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL under the

British Guiana (Constituteon) (Temporary Provisions) Orders in Council, 1953 and 1956.

THIRD SESSION

1959 - 1960

ORDER PAPER

FRIDAY, 28TH OCTOBER, 1960

AT 2.00 P.M.

PRAYERS -

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES - Thursday, 27th October, 1960.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER -

PAPERS TO BE LAID -

GOVERNMENT NOTICES -

OTHER NOTICES -

PETITIONS -

ORAL ASKING AND ANSWERING OF QUESTIONS -

Question No. 30.

Mr. Tello to ask the Minister of Labour, Health and Housing the following question:

QUESTION: When will the recommendations contained in the Watchmen's Ad Hoc Advisory Committee's Report, which was tabled in the Legislative Council since March, 1959, be implemented?

STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL -

PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS -

RAISING OF A MATTER OF PRIVILEGE -

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

# PUBLIC BUSINESS ORDER OF THE DAY

- 1. Council to resume consideration of the motion for the second reading of the following Bill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE, 1956.

    (Bill No. 16/1960 published 16.7.60).

    (Notice was given on 19th October, 1960).
- 2. The Minister of Community Development and Education to move the second reading of the following Bill:-
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTITUTION, ELECTION PROCEDURE AND FINANCIAL PROVISIONS OF LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND FOR PURPOSES CONNECTED THEREWITH.

(Bill No. 17/1960 published 5.8.60). (Notice was given on 19th October, 1960).

- 3. The Minister of Community Development and Education to move the second reading of the following Fill:
  - A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE NEW AMSTERDAM TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE.

(Bill No. 25/1960 published 1.10.60). (Notice was given on 19th October, 1960).

### MOTIONS:

4. Mr. Bowman to move the following motion:

WHEREAS the leader of the Majority Party of the Government, in a press interview on Friday, 10th June, stated that as a result of the recent visit of the Cuban delegation, Government was considering entering into a partnership with Cuba to exploit the timber resources of this Colony;

AND WHEREAS the majority of the inhabitants of this Colony are at present opposed to the idea in view of the present political situation in Cuba;

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Council recommends that Government should not enter into any negotiations with the present Cuban Government, Cuban Companies or individual Cubans for timber concessions in this Colony.

(Notice was given on 15th June, 1960).

5. Mr. Davis to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Council recommends that the Rice Marketing Ordinance, Chapter 249, be amended to provide for the Director of Agriculture to be a member of the B.G. Rice Marketing Board and also a member of the Executive Committee of that Board.

(Notice was given on 26.8.60).

#### SUPPLEMENT

# ITEMS NOT TO BE PROCEEDED WITH AT THIS MEETING.

# BILL - Second Reading.

1. The Chief Secretary to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE MARRIAGE ORDINANCE.

(Bill No. 26/1960 published 22.10.60). (Notice was given on 20th October, 1960).

## MOTION:

2. Mr. Jai Narine Singh to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Council records its protest against the appointment by the Secretary of State for the Colonies of a non-Guianese as Director of Posts and Telecommunications of British Guiana and recommends to Government that steps be taken to continue unbroken the accepted policy of Guianization of the Civil Service.

(Notice was given on 5th January, 1960).

3. AMERINDIAN (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1960 - Bill No. 23/1960.

This Bill was referred to a Select Committee for consideration and report at a Meeting of the Legislative Council held on Thursday, the 27th of October, 1960.