NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 63RD SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST SESSION (2006 - 2008) OF THE NINTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

AT 2.00 P.M.

ON FRIDAY, 17TH OCTOBER, 2008

IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, GEORGETOWN

BUSINESS FOR SITTING

PRAYERS

OATH OF A NEW MEMBER-

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT-

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER-

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS-

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND REPORTS-

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES-

ORAL QUESTIONS WITHOUT NOTICE-

QUESTIONS ON NOTICE-

For Oral Replies

1. COMMUNITY WELFARE OFFICER FOR MAHDIA

Member Asking:

Ms Sheila Holder, M.P.

Minister Answering:

The Minister of Human Services and Social Security

*Since Court is held once every three months in Mahdia and there is no Welfare Officer, incarcerated persons are often held in custody for extended periods. Would the Minister promise to correct this situation by making available to the community a Welfare Officer?

(Notice Paper No. 261 (Q183 Opp178) published on 2008-07-29)

2. <u>DEEDS REGISTRY ACT 2 OF 1999</u>

Member Asking:

Ms Sheila Holder, M.P.

Minister Answering:

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs

*When will the Minister bring into effect the Deeds Registry Act 2 of 1999?

(Notice Paper No. 262 (Q184 Opp179) published on 2008-07-29)

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS, INCLUDING POLICY STATEMENTS-

PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS-

REQUESTS FOR LEAVE TO MOVE THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE ASSEMBLY ON DEFINITE MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE-

MOTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OR SITTINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY AND MOVED BY A MINISTER-

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS-

PUBLIC BUSINESS-

(i) GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

BILLS - Second Readings

1. <u>TELECOMMUNICATIONS (AMENDMENT) BILL 2008 – Bill No. 18/2008</u> <u>published on 2008-08-07</u>

The Prime Minister and Minister of Public Works and Communications to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Telecommunications Act 1990.

(Read a first time on 2008-08-07)

2. <u>INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS BILL 2008 – Bill No. 19/2008</u>

<u>published on 2008-08-07</u>

The Minister of Home Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to make provision for the interception of communications, the acquisition and disclosure of data relating to communications and the acquisition of the means by which protected communications may be accessed and placed in an intelligible form and for connected purposes.

(Read a first time on 2008-08-07)

BILLS - Second Readings, Committee and Third Readings

*3. <u>ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING AND COUNTERING THE FINANCING OF</u> TERRORISM BILL 2007 – Bill No. 18/2007 published on 2007-06-04

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the establishment and management of a Financial Intelligence Unit; to provide for unlawful proceeds of all serious offences to be identified, traced, frozen, seized and eventually forfeited; to provide for comprehensive powers for the prosecution of money laundering, terrorist financing and other financial crimes; and the forfeiture of the proceeds of crime and terrorist property; to require reporting entities to take preventive measures to help combat money laundering and terrorist financing; to provide for civil forfeiture of assets and for matters connected therewith.

(Read a first time on 2007-06-07)
(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2007-06-07)

*4. THE FORESTS BILL 2007 - Bill No. 21 of 2007 published on 2007-07-24

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to consolidate and amend the law relating to forests.

(Read a first time on 2007-08-02) (Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2007-11-08)

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*Not to be proceeded with at this sitting

*5. COURT OF APPEAL (AMENDMENT) BILL 2008 – Bill No. 12 of 2008 published on 2008-07-11

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Court of Appeal Act to provide for appeals by the Director of Public Prosecutions to the Court of Appeal and the Caribbean Court of Justice and for connected matters.

(Read a first time on 2008-07-17)

(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2008-07-25)

*6. MONEY TRANSFER AGENCIES (LICENSING) BILL 2008 - No. 15 of 2008 published on 2008-07-23

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the licensing of persons carrying on the business of money transfer agencies; to make provision for the registering of money transfer agents and for connected purposes.

(Read a first time on 2008-07-24)

(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2008-08-07)

(ii)PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Presentation and first Reading

*FREEDOM OF INFORMATION BILL 2006 - Bill No. 26/2006

Mr. Raphael Trotman, M.P., is to seek leave to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to give access to information to members of the public.

(iii) COMMITTEE BUSINESS

S.E. ISAACS
Clerk of the National Assembly

PARLIAMENT OFFICE, Public Buildings, Brickdam.

10th October, 2008.

*Not to be proceeded with at this sitting