NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 76TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST SESSION (2006 - 2009) OF THE NINTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

<u>AT 2.00 P.M.</u>

ON TUESDAY, 17TH FEBRUARY, 2009

IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, GEORGETOWN

BUSINESS FOR SITTING

PRAYERS

OATH OF A NEW MEMBER-

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT-

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS-

PUBLIC BUSINESS-

(i) GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

MOTION

1. <u>BUDGET SPEECH 2009 - MOTION FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURE FOR 2009</u>

Assembly to resume the debate on the motion for the approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for the financial year 2009.

(Moved by the Minister of Finance on 2009-02-09)

BILLS - Second Readings, Committee and Third Readings

*2. ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING AND COUNTERING THE FINANCING OF 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)

*3. <u>COURT OF APPEAL (AMENDMENT) BILL 2008 – Bill No. 12 of 2008 published on 2008-07-11</u>

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

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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)

*4. 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 transferagencies; 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)

BILL - First and Second Readings, Committee and Third Readings

*5. PROTECTION OF CHILDREN BILL 2009 – Bill No. 3 of 2009 published on 2009-01-14

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 protection of children at risk, children in difficult circumstances and children in general and for related matters.

(Read a first time on 2009-01-15)

(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2009-01-22)

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*Not to be proceeded at this sitting

*6. STATUS OF CHILDREN BILL 2009 – Bill No. 5/2009 published on 2009-01-27

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 repeal and re-enact the provisions of the Children Born Out of Wedlock (Removal of Discrimination) Act 1983; to provide for presumptions of parentage and parentage testing procedures; to effect reform of the law generally and for related purposes.

(Read a first time on 2009-01-29)

(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2009-01-29)

*7. ADOPTION OF CHILDREN BILL 2009 – Bill No. 6/2009 published on 2009-01-27

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 reform of laws for the adoption of children and for related matters.

(Read a first time on 2009-01-29)

(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2009-01-29)

(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.

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*Not to be proceeded at this sitting

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

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Clerk of the National Assembly

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Brickdam.

16th February, 2009.