

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**  
**ORDER PAPER**  
**FOR THE 1<sup>ST</sup> SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SECOND SESSION**  
**(2002) OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD**  
**AT 2.00 P.M.**  
**ON THURSDAY, 5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2002**  
**IN THE CONVENTION CENTRE, OCEAN VIEW INTERNATIONAL HOTEL,**  
**LILIENDAAL, GREATER GEORGETOWN**

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**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, ETC.**

(1) By the Speaker of the National Assembly:

Report of the Auditor General on the Public Accounts of Guyana and on the Accounts of Ministries, Departments and Regions for the fiscal year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2001.

(To be Circulated)

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(2) By the Minister of Finance:

- (i) Financial Paper No. 2/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Current and Capital) totalling \$807,480,074, for the period 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2002 to 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2002 - Advances made from the Contingencies Fund.

(Circulated)

- (ii) Financial Paper No. 3/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Capital) totalling \$743,986,421, for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2002.

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**QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS -**

**STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS -**

**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 -**

(1) **Suspension of Standing Order No. 68**

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly approve of the suspension of Standing Order No. 68 to enable the following Financial Papers to be considered at the sitting of the Assembly on Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2002:-

- (i) Financial Paper No. 2/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Current and Capital) totalling \$807,480,074, for the period 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2002 to 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2002 - Advances made from the Contingencies Fund.
- (ii) Financial Paper No. 3/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Capital) totalling \$743,986,421, for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2002.  
**(Notice Paper No. 1 (M1 Govt1) published 2002-11-28)**

(2) **Suspension of Standing Order No. 46 (2) and (3)**

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That Standing Order No. 46 (2) and (3) be suspended to enable the Assembly to proceed at its sitting on Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2002, with the second reading and the remaining stages of the following Bills:-

- (i) Fiscal Enactments (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Bill No. 7/2002
- (ii) Fisheries Bill 2002 - Bill No. 8/2002
- (iii) Local Authorities (Elections) (Amendment) Bill 2002 - Bill No. 13/2002

**(Notice Paper No.2(M2 Govt2) published 2002-11-28)**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -**

**Presentation and First Reading**

1. **FISCAL ENACTMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL 2002 - Bill No. 7/2002**

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Tax Act and the Hotel  
Accommodation Tax Act 1993.

2. **LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ELECTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2002 -  
Bill No. 13/2002**

The Minister of Local Government and Regional Development, on behalf of the  
Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Local Authorities (Elections)  
Act to provide for the postponement of elections of councillors of  
local democratic organs.

3. **FISHERIES BILL 2002 - Bill No. 8/2002**

The Minister of Fisheries, Crops and Livestock, on behalf of the Government to  
present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the promotion, management,  
and development of fisheries and for matters connected therewith

**PUBLIC BUSINESS**

**MOTIONS**

1. **COMMITTEE OF SELECTION**

The Assembly to nominate the Members to comprise the Committee of Selection.

2. **CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 2/2002**

Assembly to resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

**In Committee of Supply**

The Minister of Finance to signify the recommendation or consent of the Cabinet and to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly approve of the proposals set out in Financial Paper No. 2/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Current and Capital) totalling \$807,480,074, for the period 17<sup>th</sup> April, 2002 to 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2002 - Advances made from the Contingencies Fund.

3. **CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 3/2002**

Assembly to resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

**In Committee of Supply**

The Minister of Finance to signify the recommendation or consent of the Cabinet and to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly approve of the proposals set out in Financial Paper No. 3/2002 - Supplementary Estimates (Capital) totalling \$743,986,421, for the period ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2002.

**BILLS - Second Reading**

4. **FISCAL ENACTMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL 2002 - Bill No. 7/2002**

The Minister of Finance to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Tax Act and the Hotel Accommodation Tax Act 1993.

5. **LOCAL AUTHORITIES (ELECTIONS) (AMENDMENT) BILL 2002 - Bill No. 13/2002**

The Minister of Local Government and Regional Development to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Local Authorities (Elections) Act to provide for the postponement of elections of councillors of local democratic organs.

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6. **FISHERIES BILL 2002 - Bill No. 8/2002**

The Minister of Fisheries, Crops and Livestock to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the promotion, management, and development of fisheries and for matters connected therewith.



S.E. ISAACS

**Clerk of the National Assembly**

**PARLIAMENT OFFICE,  
Public Buildings,  
Georgetown.  
28<sup>th</sup> November, 2002.**