NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 62ND SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SECOND SESSION

(2002-2005) OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD AT 2.00 P.M.

ON THURSDAY, 19TH MAY, 2005

IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS,

BRICKDAM, 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, ETC.

QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS-

For Written Reply

COMPENSATION GIVEN TO VICTIMS OF FIRE

Mr. Raphael Trotman, M.P., to ask the Minister of Labour, Human Services and Social Security the following questions:

Can the Minister say -

- (i) During the period 2001 October, 2004, how many victims of fire were given compensation and/or tax and duty concessions by the Government of Guyana, and what was the criteria used to identify such victims?
- (ii) What was the average value of the benefit received?

(Notice Paper No. 169 (Q102 Opp97) published on 2004-12-03)

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 NATIONAL ASSEMBLY AND MOVED BY A MINISTER-

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

PUBLIC BUSINESS

MOTION

1. ADOPTION OF REPORT ON THE INCREASE IN GEOGRAPHICAL CONSTITUENCIES SEATS

Mr. Donald Ramotar, M.P., Chairman of the Special Select Committee on the Increase in Geographical Constituencies Seats, to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Report of the Special Select Committee on the Geographical Constituencies Seats be adopted.

(Notice Paper No. 183 (M78 Govt 72) published on 2005-05-12)

BILLS - Report from Select Committee and Third Reading

*2. AGE OF CONSENT BILL 2004 - Bill No. 22/2004 published on 2004-11-29

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stage(s) of the following Bill, after the Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Criminal Law (Offences) Act and the Marriage Act.

(Read a first time on 2004-11-29)

(Read a second time on 2004-12-09 and committed to a Special Select Committee)

*3. VALUE-ADDED TAX BILL 2005 - Bill No. 3/2005 published on 2005-03-12

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stage(s) of the following Bill, after the Select Committee has reported hereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the imposition and collection of Value-Added Tax.

(Read a first time on 2005-03-10)

(Read a second time on 2005-04-14 and committed to a Special Select Committee)

*4. EXCISE TAX BILL 2005 - Bill No. 4/2005 published on 2005-04-11

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stage(s) of the following Bill, after the Select Committee has reported hereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the imposition and collection of Excise Tax.

(Read a first time on 2005-04-14)

(Read a second time on 2005-04-21 and committed to a Special Select Committee)

BILL - Second Reading

*5. CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT) (No. 3) BILL 2003 - Bill No. 10/2003 published on 2003-07-04

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to alter the Constitution in accordance with articles 66 and 164.

(Read a first time on 2003-07-10)

MOTION

*6. CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 1/2004

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. 1/2004 - Supplementary Estimates (Capital) totalling \$330,000,000 for the period ending 2004-12-31

(Notice Paper No. 118 (M59 Govt55) published on 2004-09-29) (Paper presented on 2004-08-05)

Clerk of the National Assembly

PARLIAMENT OFFICE,
Public Buildings,
Georgetown.

13th May, 2005.