

THIRD PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA

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ORDER PAPER

158TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

WEDNESDAY, 17TH MAY, 1978

AT 2.00 P.M.

PRAYERS -

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER -

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS -

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND REPORTS, ETC. -

QUESTION TO MINISTERS -

Question No. 23

Cde. Nokta to ask the Minister of Works and Transport the following question:

QUESTION:

Will the Minister of Works and Transport say when the Government proposes to acquire suitable equipment to effectively clear the channels of the Demerara and Essequibo Rivers to facilitate proper navigation of these rivers?

(Notice Paper No. 141 published 9.2.78)

Question No. 24

Cde. Nokta to ask the Minister of Agriculture the following question:

QUESTION:

Will the Minister of Agriculture say what is the total expenditure incurred during the period January 1974 to December 1976 on cassava cultivation in the Port Kaituma-Matthews Ridge Agriculture Project and how much has been derived from the Project during that period?

(Notice Paper No. 142 published 9.2.78)

Question No. 25

Cde. Nokta to ask the Minister of Works and Transport the following question:

QUESTION: Will the Minister of Works and Transport say whether the Government has given ~~no~~ consideration to the many requests from the residents of Rupununi South for the re-opening of the Wichabi Air Strip; and if the answer is in the affirmative, will the Minister say how soon will work commence?

(Notice Paper No. 143 published 9.2.78)

Question No. 26

Cde. Nokta to ask the Minister of Agriculture the following question:

QUESTION: Is the Minister of Agriculture aware that equipment for the construction of a meat-processing plant has been lying in the open at the Guyana Airways Compound, Lethem, Rupununi, for over four years?

Will the Minister say how soon the meat-processing factory is to be set up and put into operation? Doesn't the Minister regard this situation as a gross misapplication of the taxpayers' money?

(Notice Paper No. 147 published 9.2.78)

Question No. 27

Cde. Nokta to ask the Minister of Works and Transport the following question:

QUESTION: Will the Minister of Works and Transport indicate when work will commence on the new vessel to service the North West region, giving particulars of its capacity, speed and turn around schedule?

(Notice Paper No. 150 published 10.2.78)

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 -

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

PUBLIC BUSINESS

BILLS - Second Reading

1. REFERENDUM (AMENDMENT OF THE CONSTITUTION) BILL 1978 - No. 12/1978 published 8.5.78

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF THE CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT) BILL 1978 TO THE VOTE OF THE ELECTORS QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN AN ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 73 OF THE CONSTITUTION.

(Read a first time on 12.5.78)

2. SALE OF TRAVEL TICKETS BILL 1978 - Bill No. 9/1978 published 15.4.78

The Minister of Works and Transport to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT TO IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS ON THE SALE OF TRAVEL TICKETS IN RESPECT OF JOURNEYS BETWEEN GUYANA AND ANY OTHER COUNTRY.

(Read a first time on 12.5.78)

3. WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (AMENDMENT) BILL 1978 - Bill No.10/1978 published 8.5.78

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT TO AMEND THE WEIGHTS AND MEASURES ACT.

(Read a first time on 12.5.78)

4. SHIPPING CASUALTIES (INVESTIGATION AND PREVENTION) (AMENDMENT) BILL 1978 - Bill No. 11/1978 published 8.5.78

The Minister of Works and Transport to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT TO AMEND THE SHIPPING CASUALTIES (INVESTIGATION AND PREVENTION) ACT.

(Read a first time on 12.5.78)

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Georgetown.
12th May, 1978