

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY
ORDER PAPER
FOR THE 38TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SECOND
SESSION
(2002-2004) OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD
AT 2.00 P.M.
ON THURSDAY, 21ST OCTOBER, 2004
IN THE CONVENTION CENTRE, OCEAN VIEW INTERNATIONAL HOTEL,
LILIENDAAL, GREATER 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.

By the Speaker of the National Assembly:

The Report of the Ombudsman for the year 2002.

(To be Circulated)

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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 NATIONAL
ASSEMBLY AND MOVED BY A MINISTER -**

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Presentation and First Readings

1. **CARIBBEAN COURT OF JUSTICE BILL 2004 - Bill No. 15/2004**

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to implement the Agreement Establishing the Caribbean Court of Justice and to provide for other related matters.

2. **PROTOCOL TO THE AGREEMENT ESTABLISHING THE CARIBBEAN COURT
OF JUSTICE BILL 2004 - Bill No. 16/2004**

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to enable the implementation by Guyana of the Protocol to the Agreement Establishing the Caribbean Court of Justice.

3. **PROTOCOL ON THE PRIVILEGES AND IMMUNITIES OF THE CARIBBEAN COURT OF JUSTICE AND THE REGIONAL JUDICIAL AND LEGAL SERVICES COMMISSION BILL 2004 - Bill No. 17/2004**

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to enable the implementation by Guyana the Protocol on the Privileges and Immunities of the Caribbean Court of Justice and the Regional Judicial and Legal Services Commission and for related matters.

4. **CARIBBEAN COURT OF JUSTICE TRUST FUND AGREEMENT BILL 2004 - Bill No. 18/2004**

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to enable the implementation by Guyana of the Agreement for the establishment of the Caribbean Court of Justice Trust Fund and for purposes connected therewith.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

BILLS - Second Readings

MOTION

5. **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:

4.

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)

6. **COMBATING OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS BILL 2004 - Bill No. 12/ 2004**
published on 2004-07-27

The Minister in the Ministry of Labour, Human Services and Social Security to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide comprehensive measures to combat trafficking in persons.

(Read a first time on 2004-08-05)

7. **INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT FUND BILL 2004 - Bill No. 13/2004**
published on 2004-08-5

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to establish an infrastructure development fund, to provide for its funding and due administration and for purposes connected therewith.

(Read a first time on 2004-08-05)

5.

8. **FISCAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY (AMENDMENT) BILL 2004 -
Bill No. 11/2004 published on 2004-07-22**

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Fiscal Management and
Accountability Act 2003.

(Read a first time on 2004-07-22)

MOTION

*9. **PROTOCOL AND RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED AT THE 90TH SESSION OF
THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR CONFERENCE HELD IN JUNE, 2002**

The Minister of Labour, Human Services and Social Security to move the following motion:

WHEREAS as a member state of the International Labour Organisation, Guyana is obligated to examine Conventions, Recommendations and other Instruments adopted by the International Labour Conference in accordance with Article 19 of the Constitution of the International Labour Organisation;

AND WHEREAS Article 19 states that all Conventions, Recommendations and other Instruments adopted by the International Labour Conference must be submitted to the Competent Authority of members' states whether ratification of such Conventions is contemplated or not;

AND WHEREAS the submission of Conventions, Recommendations and other Instruments adopted at sessions of that Conference should always be accompanied or followed by a statement or proposal setting out the Government's view as to the action to be taken on the instruments;

AND WHEREAS the Government of Guyana, proposes to use the provisions of the Conventions, Recommendations and other Instruments adopted from time to time by the International Labour Conference as aims of policy and to ratify those Conventions which are in keeping with the social philosophy of the Guyanese society.

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*Not to be proceeded with at this sitting

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the National Assembly approve the conclusion set out in the State Paper on the undermentioned Protocol and Recommendations adopted at the 90th Session of the International Labour Conference held in June, 2002;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the decision of this National Assembly be conveyed to the Director General of the International Labour Organisation:

- (i) Protocol of 2002 to the Occupational Safety and Health Convention 1981.
- (ii) Promotion of Cooperatives Recommendation, 2002, No. 193.
- (iii) The List of Occupational Diseases Recommendation, 2002, No. 194.

(Notice Paper No. 79 (M28 Govt26) published on 2003-11-19)

BILL - Second Reading***10. 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)



S. E. ISAACS

Clerk of the National Assembly

**PARLIAMENT OFFICE,
Public Buildings,
Georgetown.**

12th October, 2004.

***Not to be proceeded with at this sitting**