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NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 77TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST
SESSION (1992-1996) OF THE SIXTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

AT 2.00 P.M.

ON THURSDAY, 29TH FEBRUARY, 1996

IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, 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. -

(1) By the Senior Minister of Education and Cultural Development:

Annual Report of the Ministry of Education and
Cultural Development for the year 1993.

(Circulated)

(2) By the Senior Minister of Finance:

Financial Paper No. 1/1996 - Supplementary Estimates
(Current and Capital) totalling \$596,291,470, for the
period ended 31st December, 1995 - Advances made from
the Contingencies Fund.

(Circulated)

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 -

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

Presentation and First Reading

(1) TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (AMENDMENT) BILL 1996 - Bill No. 5/1996

The Senior Minister of Labour, Human Services and Social Security,
on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the
Town and Country Planning Act.

(2) DOMESTIC VIOLENCE BILL 1996 - Bill No. 6/1996

The Senior Minister of Labour, Human Services and Social Security,
on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to afford protection
in cases involving domestic violence by the
granting of a protection order; to provide
the police with powers of arrest where a
domestic violence offence occurs and for
matters connected therewith or incidental
thereto.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

MOTIONS

1. SYMPATHY ON DEATH OF MR. EARL MAXWELL GLADSTONE WILSON, O.R.

The Senior Minister of Agriculture (Leader of the House) to
move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly record its deep
regret at the death of Mr. Earl Maxwell Gladstone
Wilson, O.R., and pay tribute to the distinguished
service which he rendered to Guyana and to the
Parliament in his capacity as a Member of Parliament
and as Minister of Communications;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That this Assembly direct that an expression of
its sympathy be conveyed to his sorrowing family
and relatives.

(Notice Paper No. 95 (M75 Govt 62) published 21.2.96)

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2. SYMPATHY ON DEATH OF MR. MOHAMED KASIM, C.C.H.

The Minority Leader to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly record its deep regret at the death of Mr. Mohamed Kasim, C.C.H., and pay tribute to the dedicated and distinguished service which he rendered to Guyana and to the Parliament in his capacity as a Member of Parliament and as Minister of Works and Hydraulics, Minister of Communications and Minister of State for Agriculture;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That this Assembly direct that an expression of its sympathy be conveyed to his bereaved family and other relatives.

(Notice Paper No. 96 (M76 Opp 13) published 21.2.96)

3. SYMPATHY ON DEATH OF MRS. ROSE ISABELLA SEMPLE

Dr. Patrick McKenzie to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly record its deep regret at the death of Mrs. Rose Isabella Semple and pay tribute to the dedicated and distinguished service which she rendered to Guyana and to the Parliament in her capacity as a Member of Parliament;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That this Assembly direct that an expression of its sympathy be conveyed to her bereaved family and other relatives.

(Notice Paper No. 97 (M77 Opp 14) published 21.2.96)

BILLS - Second Reading

4. LICENCES (INCREASE OF DUTIES) BILL 1996 - Bill No. 1/1996 published 27.1.96

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to
amend certain Acts.

(Read a first time on 29.1.96)

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5. FISCAL ENACTMENTS (AMENDMENT) BILL 1996-Bill No. 2/1996 published 27.1.96

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Income Tax Act and the Corporation Tax Act.

(Read a first time on 29.1.96)

6. MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) BILL 1996 - Bill No. 3/1996 published 27.1.96

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act.

(Read a first time on 29.1.96)

MOTIONS

7. CONFIRMATION OF THE PURCHASE TAX (MOTOR VEHICLES)(AMENDMENT) ORDER 1996 (No. 1 of 1996)

The Senior Minister of Finance to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly, in accordance with section 5A(5) of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, Chapter 51:02, confirm the Purchase Tax (Motor Vehicles) (Amendment) Order 1996 (No. 1 of 1996), which was made on 19th January, 1996, under section 5A of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, Chapter 51:02, and published in an Extraordinary issue of the Official Gazette dated 20th January, 1996.

(Notice Paper No. 93 (M73 Govt 60) published 29.1.96)

8. REPORTS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR 1992 AND 1993

The Chairman, Public Accounts Committee, to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the National Assembly adopt the Reports of the Public Accounts Committee on its Examination of the Public Accounts of Guyana for the years 1992 and 1993, which were laid in the National Assembly 27th October, 1995, and refer them to the Government for consideration.

(Notice Paper No. 90 (M70) published 14.11.95)

BILLS - Second Reading

- *9. INTEGRITY COMMISSION BILL 1995 - Bill No. 17/ 1995 published 4.11.95

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the establishment of an Integrity Commission and to make provisions for the purpose of securing the integrity of persons in public life.

(Read a first time on 27.10.95)

- *10. CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY (FREE ENTRY OF SKILLED NATIONALS) BILL 1995 - Bill No. 21/1995 published 30.12.95

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to promote the free entry of skilled nationals of qualifying Caribbean Community States.

(Read an first time on 19.12.95)

- *11. IWOKRAMA INTERNATIONAL CENTRE FOR RAIN FOREST CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT BILL 1995 - Bill No. 22/1995 published 30.12.95

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the sustainable management and utilisation of approximately 360,000 hectares of Guyana's Tropical Rain Forest dedicated by the Government of Guyana as the Programme Site for the purposes of research by the Iwokrama International Centre to develop, demonstrate and to make available to Guyana and the international community systems, methods and techniques for the sustainable management and utilisation of the multiple resources of the Tropical Forest and the conservation of biological diversity; and for matters incidental thereto.

(Read a first time on 19.12.95)

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***Not to be proceeded with at this Sitting.**

*12. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BILL 1995 - Bill No. 20/1995

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the management, conservation, protection and improvement of the environment, the prevention or control of pollution, the assessment of the impact of economic development on the environment, the sustainable use of natural resources and for matters incidental thereto or connected therewith.

(Read a first time on 24.11.95)

*13. TRADE UNION RECOGNITION BILL 1994 - Bill No. 19/1994 published 26.11.94

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 provide for the improvement and promotion of industrial relations by the establishment of procedures for the certifying of trade unions as recognised majority unions and for matters connected therewith.

*14. LAW REFORM (MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS) BILL 1995 - Bill No. 10/1995 published 20.5.95

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Law Reform (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, the Motor Vehicles Insurance (Third Party Risks) Act and the Accidental Deaths and Personal Injuries (Damages) Act.

(Read a first time on 22.5.95)

*15. CONSTITUTION (AMENDMENT) BILL 1995 - Bill No. 11/1995 published 20.5.95

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to effect an alteration to article 142 of the Constitution in accordance with articles 66 and 164 thereof.

(Read a first time on 20.7.95)

F.A. NARAIN
Clerk of the National Assembly

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Georgetown

21st February, 1996