

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 103RD SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST
SESSION (1992-1997) OF THE SIXTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

AT 2.00 P.M.

ON MONDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1997

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. -

By the Minister of Finance:

- (i) Financial Paper No. 3/1997 Supplementary Estimates
(Current) totalling \$25,00,000, for the period ended
31st December, 1996 Advances made from the
Contingencies Fund.

(Circulated)

- (ii) Financial Paper No. 4/1997 - Supplementary Estimates
(Current and Capital) totalling \$482,253,006, for the
period ended 10th October, 1997 - Advances made
from the Contingencies Fund.

(Circulated)

- (iii) Financial Paper No. 5/1997 - Supplementary Estimates
(Current and Capital) totalling \$3,718,395,730 for the
period ended 31st December, 1997.

(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) **PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION BILL 1997 - Bill No. 32/1997**
published 14.10.97

The Minister of Trade, Tourism and Industry, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to make provision
for the establishment, functions and
procedure of the Public Utilities Commission
and for matters connected therewith.

(2) **ELECTRICITY SECTOR REFORM BILL 1997 - Bill No. 33/1997**
published 14.10.97

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for a regular,
efficient, coordinated and economical supply
of electricity and for matters incidental thereto
or connected therewith.

(3) **GUYANA ENERGY AGENCY BILL 1997 - Bill No. 34/1997**
published 14.10.97

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to make provision for the
establishment of the Guyana Energy Agency
and for specifying its functions and for matters
connected therewith.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

BILL - Second Reading

1. **NATIONAL INSURANCE AND SOCIAL SECURITY (AMENDMENT)
BILL 1997 - Bill No. 31/1997 published 4.10.97**

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the
National Insurance and Social Security Act.

(Read a first time on 13.10.97)

MOTION

2. **CONFIRMATION OF THE CUSTOMS DUTIES (AMENDMENT) ORDER
1997 (No. 35)**

The Minister of Finance to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly, in accordance with section 9 of the Customs Act, Chapter 82:01, confirm the Customs Duties (Amendment) Order 1997 (No. 35 of 1997), which was made on 8th October, 1997 under section 8 of the Customs Act, Chapter 82:01, and published in the Gazette on 11th October, 1997.

(Notice Paper No. 122 (M102 Govt 85) published 13.10.97)

BILLS - Second Reading

*3. **OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH BILL 1997 - Bill No. 30/1997**

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the registration and regulation of industrial establishments, for occupational safety and health of persons at work, and for purposes connected therewith or material thereto.

(Read a first time on 13.10.97)

*4. **BANK OF GUYANA BILL 1997 - Bill No. 15/1997 published 9.7.97**

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

A BILL intituled AN ACT to revise and amend the law relating to the Bank of Guyana and to provide for related and consequential matters.

(Read a first time on 10.7.97)

*5. **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.

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

***6. 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)

***7. 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

PARLIAMENT OFFICE,
Public Buildings,
Georgetown.

15th October, 1997

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