# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

# ORDER PAPER

# FOR THE 17TH SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSUMBLY OF THE FIRST SESSION (1986) OF THE FIFTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

AT 2.00 P.M.

ON FRIDAY, 11TH JULY, 1986

IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, GOORGETOWN

#### BUSIN'SS FOR SITTING

# PRAYERS -

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT -

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER -

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS -

# PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND REPORTS, STC.

(1) By the Speaker:

Report of the Standing Orders Committee on a Motion to amend the Standing Orders to provide for a Recess for the National Assembly.

(2) By the Prime Minister:

Annual Report of the Police Force for the year 1984.

(HAP: 21) (Circulated)

(3) By the Deputy Prime Minister, Planning and Development:

Annual Report of the Ministry of Energy and Mines for the year 1985.

(TM: 4/19) (Circulated)

(4) By the Minister of Finance:

Pensions (President, Parliamentary and Special Offices) (Designation of Offices of Chairman and Vice-Chairman of National Congress of Local Democratic Organs) Order 1986 (No. 30), made under section 2 of the Pensions (President, Parliamentary and Special Offices) Act, Chapter 27:03, on 18th June, 1986, and published in the Gazette on 28th June, 1986.

(ST: 34/2/1/15)(Circulated)

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QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS -

STATEM INTS 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 ASS MBLY AND MOVED BY A SINISTER -

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

Presentation and First Reading

CINEMATOGRAPH (AMENDMENT) BILL 1986 - Bill No. 9/1986 published 1986-07-05

The Minister of Information and the Public Service, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A Bill intituled An Act to amend the Cinematograph Act to provide for the regulation of video exhibitions and to make consequential amendment to the Tax Act.

#### PUBLIC BUSINESS

BILL - Second Reading

1. EXPORT AND IMPORT (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) BILL - Bill No. 8/1986 published 1986-06-21

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

A Bill intituled An Act to make certain special provisions of a temporary nature in respect of the export and import of goods from and into Guyana, including the payment of export and import duties in certain cases in specified foreign currency, for the purpose of increasing the foreign exchange carnings of the Government.

(Read a first time on 1986-06-18)

## ₹2. CHARGES BY CORFORATIONS

Cde. Reepu Daman Persaud to move the following motion:
BE IT RESOLVED:

That all variations upwards in the charges made by Corporations providing a service to the community be subject to approval by the National Assembly.

(Notice Paper No. 18 published 1986-03-06)

<sup>\*</sup> Not to be proceeded with at this sitting.

## \*3. AGREEMENTS WITH IMF

Cde. Reepu Daman Persaud to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That before any other Agreement is signed with the IMF, the terms and conditions be debated in the National Assembly.

(Notice Paper No. 19 published 1986-03-06)

# \*4. INCOME TAX RELIEFS

Cde. Reepu Daman Persaud to move the following mction:

WHEREAS the income tax laws and regulations made no provision for certain dependent relatives over the age of 16 who are unmarried, have no children and are unemployed, even though they are dependent on the tax-payer for living expenses;

AND WHEREAS there are many single-parent families, where one person is the sole provider, but no special tax allowances are made for this human situation;

AND WHEREAS many persons have savings in co-operative societies and credit unions;

#### BE IT RESOLVED:

- That (i) allowances be given for dependent relatives over the age of 16 once they are unmarried and unemployed;
  - (ii) an additional personal allowance be given heads of one-parent families, and
  - (iii) income tax relief be given on savings in co-operative societies and credit unions.

(Notice Paper No. 20 published 1986-03-06)

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1986-07-09

Mot to be proceeded with at this sitting.