**PARLIAMENTARY AGENDA**

**FOR THE WEEK**

**MONDAY, 3rd APRIL, 2017 – FRIDAY,**

**7th APRIL, 2017**

**MONDAY, 3rd APRIL, 2017**

 **SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

 **NIL**

**MEETINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES**

**Public Accounts Committee**

 **Time:** 10.00 a.m.

**Venue:** Parliament Chamber, Public Buildings, Brickdam,

Georgetown.

**Business:** (i) Corrections and Confirmation of Minutes of the

 22nd, 23rd, 24th and 1st Special Meetings held on 6th,

 13th, 20th and 27th February, 2017, respectively;

 \*(ii) To consider the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Quarterly

 Performance Report for the Audit Office of

 Guyana; and

**\*Not to be proceeded with at this Meeting**

 (iii) To continue consideration of the Public Accounts of

 Guyana for the fiscal year ended 31st December, 2015,

 together with the report of the Auditor General

 thereon, in respect of the following:

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| **Ministry/Department/Other** | **Paragraphs in the Auditor General’s Report** | **Accounting Officers** |  |
| **Region No.1- Barima/Waini** | **523-540 (18)** | **Mr. Leslie Wilburg** |
| **Region No. 2-Pomeroon/Supernaam** | **541-544 (14)** | **Mr. Rupert Hopkinson** |
| **Region No.7- Cuyuni/Mazaruni** | **625-646 (22)** | **Mr. Roderick Edinboro**  |
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**TUESDAY, 4th APRIL, 2017**

**SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

 **NIL**

 **MEETINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES**

 **NIL**

**WEDNESDAY, 5th APRIL, 2017**

 **SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

 **NIL**

**MEETINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES**

**\*1.Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Foreign Relations**

**Time:** 1.00 p.m.

**Venue:** Committee Room No.1, Committees Division, Public Buildings,

Brickdam, Georgetown.

**Business:** (i) Confirmation of Minutes of the 14th Meeting held on 1st March,

 2017;

 (ii) Matters Arising;

 (iii) Correspondence;

 (iv) To discuss documents on Desk Review of Government Websites relating to

 Foreign Service Matters;

 (v) To continue discussions on the Status of Legislation Reform to the Defence

 Act in keeping with the Recommendations of the Special Select Committee to

 consider the Recommendations of the 2004 Report of the Disciplined Forces

 Commission;

 **Not opened to the public**

 (vi) To discuss Guyana’s Negotiating Concerns at the WTO, EU CBI and ACP/EU

 relations from Guyana’s perspective.

* *Presentation by the Hon. Minister of Foreign Affairs*

 (vii) To discuss present or emerging matters before UNASUR, the Commonwealth,

 CARICOM and OAS of national interest to Guyana; and

 (viii) To discuss Guyana’s Bilateral Agreements with India, China, Japan, Cuba,

 Russia, Venezuela etc.

**\*2.Committee on Appointments**

**Time:** 3.00 p.m.

**Venue:** Committee Room No.1, Committees Division, Public Buildings,

Brickdam, Georgetown.

**Business:** (i) Call to order;

 (ii) Announcements;

 \*(iii) Confirmation of Minutes of the:

 -19th Meeting held on Wednesday, 22nd March, 2017; and

 - 2nd Special Meeting held on Wednesday 29th March, 2017.

 \*(iv) Correspondence;

 \*(v) Matters Arising;

 (vi) To consider the Draft Report with respect to the

 appointment of Members to the Anti-Money

 Laundering & Countering the Finance of Terrorism

 (AML&CFT) Authority;

**\*Not to be proceeded with at this Meeting**

 \***Not open to the public**

 (vii) To determine the appointment of the Attorney-at-Law

 to the Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU);

 (viii) To consider the Draft Report of the Accountant

 position to the Financial Intelligence Unit;

 \*(ix) To continue to identify the entities to nominate

 persons to be appointed Members of the Indigenous

 Peoples’ Commission; and

 \*(x) To continue discussions on the following Rights

 Commissions:

 - Women & Gender Equality Commission; and

 - Rights of the Child Commission.

**3. Parliamentary Sectoral Committee on Natural Resources**

**Time:** 3.00 p.m.

**Venue:** Parliament Chamber, Public Buildings, Brickdam,

Georgetown.

**Business:** (i) Confirmation of Minutes of the 12th Meeting held on the 22nd

 March, 2017;

(ii) Matters Arising;

(iii) To consider the Committee’s Draft Work Programme: and

(iv) To continue discussions on the following Draft Reports:

1. Barama Company Limited;
2. Vaitarna Holdings Inc; and
3. Meeting in Linden at the Constabulary Recreational Hall

**ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

**\*Not to be proceeded with at this Meeting**

**THURSDAY, 6th APRIL, 2017**

**SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**NIL**

**MEETINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES**

**NIL**

 **FRIDAY, 7th APRIL, 2017**

 **SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**NIL**

**MEETINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEES**

**NIL**

**Parliament Office**

**Public Buildings**

**Brickdam**

**Georgetown**

**3rd April, 2017**