



*(Eighth Parliament - Second Session)*

No. 23.]

## ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT

FOR

Thursday, July 19, 2018 at 10.00 a.m.

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### QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1.

49/18

Hon. (Dr.) Bandula Gunawardana,—To ask the Minister of Telecommunication, Digital Infrastructure and Foreign Employment,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether the sketch of the digital identity card proposed to be introduced through proposal No.187 of the 2016 budget;
  - (ii) of the issuing authority of that identity card;
  - (iii) of the estimated cost of providing identity cards to the citizens;
  - (iv) by which party such cost would be borne; and
  - (v) of the amount allocated from the State budget to implement the digital identity card scheme in 2017?
- (b) If not, why?

2.

165/18

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,—To ask the Minister of Justice & Prison Reforms,—(1)

- (a) Will she inform this House—
- (i) of the number of prisoners released on special presidential pardon during the period 2006-2015, each year separately;
  - (ii) whether the list of their names and the charges that led to the imprisonment be presented; and
  - (iii) of those pardoned, the number of prisoners convicted of murder, rape and child abuse separately?
- (b) If not, why?

(2)

3.

202/18

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Mass Media,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the value by which the Sri Lankan Rupee depreciated in relation to the US dollar from 09.01.2015 to 30.11.2017; and
  - (ii) the amount in rupees by which the foreign debt burden of the government increased due to the depreciation of the Rupee during the said period?
- (b) If not, why?

4.

222/18

Hon. Douglas Devananda,—To ask the Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
  - (i) the knuckles range received world heritage status on conditions from the United Nations Organization through the Gazette Notification No. 1130/22 dated 05.05.2000;
  - (ii) according to the main condition of the above conditions, an area with an extent of 2000 acres belonging to 8 Divisional Secretariat Divisions namely Minipe, Panvila, Pathadumbara, Laggala, Wilgamuwa, Rattota, Ukuwela and Matale in the close proximity to the knuckles range have not been amalgamated with it; and
  - (iii) as a result, the knuckles range faces the threat of being delisted from world heritage status?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether steps will be taken to amalgamate the above 2000 acres with the knuckles range in order to prevent it from being delisted from world heritage status; and
  - (ii) if so, the current status of it?
- (c) If not, why?

5.

247/18

Hon. Hesha Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Resources & Disaster Management,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
  - (i) of the number of Grama Niladhari Divisions that got affected in the Ratnapura District as a result of unfavorable weather conditions which were prevalent in 2017;

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- (ii) of the names of those Grama Niladhari Divisions;
  - (iii) separately of the number of families affected in each of the aforesaid Grama Niladhari Divisions; and
  - (iv) of the steps taken by the Ministry to grant them relief?
- (b) If not, why?

6.

397/18

Hon. T. Ranjith De Soyza,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the total number of Cabinet Ministers in the present government according to the last Cabinet reshuffle;
  - (ii) of the number of State Ministers and Deputy Ministers, separately;
  - (iii) how many Members of Parliament are assigned with Ministerial monitoring tasks;
  - (iv) of the total amount of money spent for each Cabinet Minister annually;
  - (v) whether the National Budget for the year 2017 has allocated funds for the Ministries newly added during the Cabinet reshuffle; and
  - (vi) if so, what amount of money was allocated for the purpose?
- (b) If not, why?

7.

420/18

Hon. Padma Udhayashantha Gunasekera,—To ask the Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) how many places of archaeological interest are located in the Mannar District;
  - (ii) in how many places conservation activities are being carried out of the aforesaid sites;
  - (iii) what amounts were allocated in the years 2015 and 2016 for this purpose, separately;
  - (iv) what places of archaeological interest were destroyed by the LTTE terrorists;
  - (v) if an assessment of such destructions has been done, what the estimated value is in respect of each site separately.
  - (vi) whether legal measures have been taken in respect of these destructions; and
  - (vii) whether he will submit a comprehensive report on all above?
- (b) If not, why?

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8.

429/18

Hon. Ishak Rahuman,— To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that though many years have been passed since the completion of the reconstruction of the stretch of road from Kekirawa town to Anuradhapura via Thalawa (Thalawa Road), Ipalogama from that point has not yet been developed;
  - (ii) of the reason as to why the development of this road, which has a considerable volume of traffic has come to a standstill; and
  - (iii) the date of commencement of work of the remaining development activities of this road?
- (b) If not, why?

9.

455/18

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Minister of Public Administration & Management and Law & Order,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House the number of complaints received by the Financial Crimes Investigation Division from 2015 to 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2017 separately in respect of each year?
- (b) Will he state separately in respect of each year from 2015 to 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2017—
  - (i) the number of complaints regarding which investigations have been completed, investigations are being conducted and investigations are yet to be commenced;
  - (ii) the number of complaints which cases have been filed in courts;
  - (iii) the number of cases referred to the Attorney-General for legal action or advice;
  - (iv) the number of complaints which no advice has been received to date from the Attorney-General; and
  - (v) of the cases filed, the number connected with politicians?
- (c) If not, why?

10.

496/18

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
  - (i) whether the Uva Provincial Council has initiated a programme for granting of deeds;
  - (ii) if so, the number of deeds granted by the present Chief Minister of the Uva Provincial Council since his appointment to the post of Chief Minister;
  - (iii) the names, addresses and the Grama Niladhari divisions of residence of the recipients of the deeds; and
  - (iv) the methodology adopted by the Provincial Council to grant these land deeds?
- (b) If not, why?

11.

521/18

Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath,— To ask the Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the amount allocated to provide dialysis machines to hospitals for the benefit of kidney patients from the budget for year 2017;
  - (ii) of the number of dialysis machines provided to government hospitals by mid 2017;
  - (iii) of the date when rest of the machines will be provided;
  - (iv) whether a proper tender procedure has been followed for the purpose; and
  - (v) if so, the suppliers and their rates?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) of the amount allocated in year 2017 to implement projects to manufacture drugs within the country; and
  - (ii) of the plans made / studies carried out to launch the above programme ?
- (c) If not, why?

(6)

12.

531/18

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he accepts that with the decentralized funds of the Members of Parliament, roofing sheets were distributed free, among the low income earning families who are residing in the Divisional Secretariat divisions;
  - (ii) whether distribution of roofing sheets by the Members of Parliament with the decentralized funds, has been banned;
  - (iii) if so, of the reasons for it; and
  - (iv) whether aforesaid ban will be lifted and measures will be taken to distribute roofing sheets through Members of Parliament, as it used to be?
- (b) If not, why?

13.

556/18

Hon. Ashoka Priyantha,— To ask the Minister of Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the date each local government institution in Puttalam district in North Western Province was dissolved, separately;
  - (ii) whether employees have been recruited, to continue the services of the local government bodies after they were dissolved;
  - (iii) if so, the names and addresses of those persons as well as the positions they were recruited for; and
  - (iv) whether it has been carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Establishment Code and the Financial Regulations?
- (b) If not, why?

14.

578/18

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,—To ask the Minister of Industry and Commerce,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the amount of money spent on milk powder imports to Sri Lanka from the year 2010 up to now separately in respect of each year; and
  - (ii) the names of companies that import milk powder to Sri Lanka and the names of their products?
- (b) If not, why?

15.

609/18

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Mass Media,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately in relation to each year—
  - (i) the quantity of gold imported to Sri Lanka and its value;
  - (ii) of that quantity the quantity given to local manufactures for making Jewellery;
  - (iii) the quantity of gold exported; and
  - (iv) the annual export value;from 2015 up to date?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) the number of identified local entrepreneurs engaged in the gold industry;
  - (ii) the types of taxes imposed on gold from 2015 up to date;
  - (iii) the annual percentages of the import taxes that have been so imposed; and
  - (iv) whether he will mention the measures taken by the government to protect the local gold industry?
- (c) If not, why?

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AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

**Notice of Presentation of Bills**

1.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Excise (Amendment),— Bill to amend the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52).

(Cabinet approval signified.)

**Notice of Motions**

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament,— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order No. 8 of the Parliament and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 20.06.2018, the hours of sitting of Parliament on this day shall be 10.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.. At 12.00 noon Standing Order No. 8(5) of the Parliament shall operate. At 7.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament without question put.

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NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

\*1.

Demutualization of the Colombo Stock Exchange Bill — Committee.

\*2.

Bribery (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*3.

Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*4.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Regulations under the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine under paragraph (u) of Section 142(2) read with the Sections 59 and 63 of the National Medicines Regulatory Authority Act, No. 5 of 2015 relating to Registration and Licensing of Medicines (fees) Regulations No. 2 of 2017 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2052/33 of 05<sup>th</sup> January 2018, which were presented on 03.04.2018, be approved.

\*5.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.1),— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) regarding on Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2054/42 of 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018, which was presented on 22.05.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 04/2018)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*6.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance (No.2),— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media, under Section 25 read with Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) relating to Annual Liquor License Fees and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2049/4 of 11<sup>th</sup> December 2017, which was presented on 20.03.2018, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 1004)

(Cabinet approval signified.)



\*7.

The Minister of Post, Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs,— Rules under the Post Office Ordinance,— That the Rules made by the Minister of Post, Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 7 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 190) relating to Postal Fees and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2074/32 of 07<sup>th</sup> June 2018., which were presented on 20.06.2018, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*8.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Resolution under the Constitution,— Whereas approval of the Cabinet of Ministers has been granted to revise the emoluments and other allowances with effect from 01.06.2018 to the Chairpersons and Members of the nine Independent Commissions stipulated in the schedule of Article 41B of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as amended by the Nineteenth amendment to the Constitution as follows:—

- (a) And whereas increase the monthly allowance of Rs. 100,000/- paid at present to the Chairpersons of Independent Commissions other than those the ex-officio Chairpersons to Rs. 135,000/- and to continue to pay the other allowances paid in addition at present unchanged;
- (b) And whereas pay a monthly allowance equivalent to 50% of the monthly allowance paid to Chairpersons of Independent Commissions to ex-officio Chairpersons of Independent Commissions in addition to salaries and allowances of their substantive posts;
- (c) And whereas increase the monthly allowance of Rs. 75,000/- paid at present to the non ex-officio Members of other Independent Commissions other than the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruptions, to Rs. 90,000/- and to continue to pay the other allowances paid in addition at present unchanged;
- (d) And whereas continue to pay to the ex-officio Members an allowance of Rs.10,000/- for attending a meeting of the Commission in terms of the provisions of the Public Enterprises Circular No. 03/2015, dated 17.06.2015;
- (e) And whereas since the powers have been delegated equally to the Chairperson and Members of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruptions under Section 8 of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption Act, No. 19, of 1994, increase the monthly allowance of Rs. 95,000/- paid at present to the Members to Rs. 130,000/- and to continue to pay the other allowances paid in addition at present unchanged; and
- (f) pay to the Chairperson and Members of the Election Commission a special allowance equivalent to  $\frac{3}{4}$  of their monthly allowance during the period from the day an election is declared to the day the results of that election is announced;

Accordingly, this parliament resolves to pay the above emoluments and other allowances to the Chairpersons and Members of the nine Independent Commissions stipulated in the Schedule of Article 41B of the Constitution.

- \*9.  
Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*10.  
Theravadi Bhikku Kathikawath (Registration) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*11.  
Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*12.  
Securities Exchange Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*13.  
Pradeshiya Sabhas (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*14.  
Prescription (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*15.  
Commissions of Inquiry (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*16.  
Apartment Ownership (Special Provisions) Bill — Second Reading.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*17.  
The Minister of Provincial Councils, Local Government and Sports,— Report of the Delimitation Committee for the Delimitation of Electorates in Provincial Councils,— That the Report of the Delimitation Committee submitted to the Minister by the said Committee in terms of the Section 3A.(11) of the Provincial Councils Elections Act, No. 2 of 1988 as amended by the Act, No.17 of 2017, which was presented on 06.03.2018, be approved.
- \*18.  
The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Resolution under the Constitution,— That the Media guidelines to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections made by the Election Commission in terms of Article 104B (5) (a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2048/1 of 04<sup>th</sup> December 2017, which was presented on 23.01.2018, be approved.  
(Cabinet approval signified.)
- \*19.  
The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Determination under the Constitution,— Whereas Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe has been appointed as the Auditor-General by the President with effect from 27.11.2015, subject to the approval of the Constitutional Council in terms of Article 153 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka;

(11)

And whereas the salary of the Auditor-General shall be determined by Parliament and shall be charged on the Consolidated Fund of the Government in terms of Article 153 (2) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka;

And whereas the approval of the Cabinet of Ministers has been granted on 05.12.2017 according to the Cabinet Memorandum of 14.11.2017 submitted by the President to pay salaries and other allowances to Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe, Auditor-General as follows:—

- (a) To pay salaries and other allowances entitled to the post placing on the 08<sup>th</sup> Salary Step of SL- 4 Salary Scale of the Public Administration Circular No. 06/2006 with effect from 27.11.2015;
- (b) To pay salaries under SL- 4 Salary Scale converted as instructed in the Public Administration Circular No. 03/2016 when the conversion of salaries is effected as per the said Circular with effect from 01.01.2016; and
- (c) To pay the annual salary increments as specified under the said salary scale.

Accordingly, that this Parliament determines that Mr. H. M. Gamini Wijesinghe, Auditor-General be paid the aforesaid monthly salary and allowances to be charged on the Consolidated Fund of the Government in terms of Article 153 (2) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

\*20.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank (2016),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2016 and presented on 16.11.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

\*21.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation (2015),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Cashew Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 24.11.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

\*22.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon (2016),— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2016 and presented on 04.12.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

\*23.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 07.11.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

\*24.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 23.06.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 21.09.2017)

\*25.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank (2015),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of State Mortgage & Investment Bank together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 11.11.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.03.2018)

\*26.

The Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy City Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Savings Bank (2014),— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Savings Bank together with the observations of

the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 08.08.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 21.09.2017)

\*27.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2012),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 19.10.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 10.11.2017)

\*28.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 07.12.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.03.2018)

\*29.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Board of Investment of Sri Lanka (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Board of Investment of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 07.12.2017 under Section 31 of the Greater Colombo Economic Commission Law No. 4 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.03.2018)

\*30.

The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Annual Report and Accounts - Sri Lanka Export Development Board (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Export Development Board together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 20.10.2017 under Section 16 of the Sri Lanka export Development Act No. 40 of 1979 and Section II of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.02.2018)

\*31.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Annual Report and Accounts of Securities & Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka (2016),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Securities & Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2016 and presented on 07.12.2017 under Section 37(2) of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Sri Lanka Act, No. 36 of 1987 and section 13(1) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 20.02.2018)

\*32.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment (2014),— That the Annual Report of Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.08.2016 under Section 29(5) of the Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment Act, No. 32 of 2005, and section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 to be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*33.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the National Science and Technology Commission (2013),— That the Annual Report of the National Science and Technology Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 09.06.2016 under Section 40(3) of the National Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994, and Article 154(6) of the Constitution, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*34.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the National Science Foundation (2013),— That the Annual Report of the National Science Foundation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 05.07.2016 under Section 40(3) of the National Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994, and Article 154(6) of the Constitution, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*35.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the National Science and Technology Commission (2014),— That the Annual Report of the National Science and Technology Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.03.2017 under Section 40(3) of the National Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994, and Article 154 (6) of the Constitution, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*36.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the Industrial Technology Institute (2014),— That the Annual Report of the Industrial Technology Institute together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 40(3) of the Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994 and section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*37.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the Industrial Technology Institute (2013),— That the Annual Report of the Industrial Technology Institute together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 29.01.2016 under Section 40(3) of the Science and Technology Development Act, No. 11 of 1994 and section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*38.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Standards Institution (2014),— That the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Standards Institution together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended by 31.12.2014 and presented on 02.12.2016 under Section 37(3) of the Sri Lanka Standards Institution Act, No. 6 of 1984, and Article 154(6) of the Constitution, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*39.

The Minister of Science, Technology, Research, Skills Development & Vocational Training and Kandyan Heritage,— Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment (2015),— That the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended by 31.12.2015 and presented on 22.06.2017 under Section 29(5) of the Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment Act, No. 32 of 2005, and section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 11.12.2017)

\*40.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Sabaragamuwa University (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Sabaragamuwa University together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 17.10.2017 under Section xiii (110) of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*41.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Sabaragamuwa University (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Sabaragamuwa University together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 17.10.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*42.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayawardenepura University (2015),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayawardenepura University together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 17.10.2017 under Section xiii (110) of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*43.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Uva Wellassa University (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Uva Wellassa University together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 23.03.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)



\*44.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Uva Wellassa University (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Uva Wellassa University together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 10.08.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*45.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 26.10.2016 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 03.05.2017)

\*46.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 03.05.2017)

\*47.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo (2015),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 21.02.2018 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 23.05.2018)

\*48.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and the Accounts of University of Colombo, School of Computing (2013),— That the Annual Report and the Accounts of University of Colombo School of Computing together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 20.07.2016 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 03.05.2017)

\*49.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and the Accounts of University of Colombo, School of Computing (2014),— That the Annual Report and the Accounts of University of Colombo School of Computing together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.02.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 03.05.2017)

\*50.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya (2012),— That the Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 21.11.2015 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, and Section II of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 20.11.2017)

\*51.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya (2013),— That the Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978 and section II of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 20.11.2017)

\*52.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya (2014),— That the Annual Report and the Accounts of the University of Peradeniya together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.02.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978 and section II of the Finance Act No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 20.11.2017)

\*53.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Gampaha Wickramarachchi Ayurveda Institute, University of Kelaniya (2013),— That the Annual Report of the Gampaha Wickramarachchi Ayurveda Institute, University of Kelaniya together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended by 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*54.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Sciences (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Sciences together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 11.08.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*55.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Postgraduate Institute of Management (2013),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Postgraduate Institute of Management together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 23.03.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*56.

The Minister of Higher Education & Cultural Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Postgraduate Institute of Management (2014),— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Postgraduate Institute of Management together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 23.03.2017 under Section 110 of chapter xiii of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Education and Human Resources Development on 08.12.2017)

\*57.

Resolution under the Constitution,— Adjourned Debate on Question (22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2016) Motion made and question proposed,—“Media guidelines to be followed/ Policies to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections published by the Election Commission in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1955/19 of 25<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in terms of the provisions of Article 104B (5)(a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka which was presented on 06.05.2016, be approved.”

58.

Institute of Personnel Management, Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

59.

Child Rehabilitation Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

60.

United Christian Fellowship of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

61.

Sri Lanka Women’s Conference (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

62.

Moneragala District Kantha Maha Sangamaya (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

63.

Lasallian Community Education Services (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

64.

International Women’s and Children’s Rights (IWCRC) (Incorporation) Bill— Second Reading.

65.

Aloka Social Service Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

66.

Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

67.

Sri Shakyasinharoma Viharastha Karyasadhaka Sanvidanaya (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

68.

Pharmaceutical Society of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

\* *Indicates Government Business.*

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