



(Tenth Parliament - First Session)

No. 66.]

ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT

FOR

Wednesday, July 09, 2025 at 9.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1.

614/2025

Hon. (Mrs.) Chamindrane Kiriella, Attorney at Law,—To ask the Minister of Health and Mass Media,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) of the total extent of the lands in the possession of the Kandy National Hospital;
 - (ii) whether he is aware that various government institutions and individuals have unlawfully acquired the lands in the possession of the aforesaid hospital at present;
 - (iii) whether he admits that this situation is a hindrance to the future development activities of that hospital; and
 - (iv) if so, of the action that will be taken in this regard?
- (b) If not, why?

2.

637/2025

Hon. Hector Appuhamy,— To ask the Minister of Fisheries, Aquatic and Ocean Resources,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the —
 - (i) fish catch in Sri Lanka from year 2015 to date, separately in respect of each year;
 - (ii) income earned from fish exports during the aforesaid period, separately in respect of each year;
 - (iii) amount spent by Sri Lanka on fish imports during the aforesaid period, separately in respect of each year; and
 - (iv) steps that are being taken to increase the fish catch of Sri Lanka ?
- (b) If not, why?

(2)

3.

651/2025

Hon. (Dr.) Kavinda Heshan Jayawardhana,— To ask the Minister of Urban Development, Construction and Housing,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware that the Ragama-Peralanda tank is situated in the Ja-Ela Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) of the date on which the tank concerned was chosen to develop as the ‘Landscape Project’;
 - (iii) of the expected objectives of the project mentioned above;
 - (iv) of the amount of money spent on the said project as at present;
 - (v) whether he is aware that the above-mentioned project has been halted by now; and
 - (vi) if so, of the action that will be taken in that regard?
- (b) If not, why?

4.

712/2025

Hon. Mujibur Rahman,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Education, Higher Education and Vocational Education,— (1)

- (a) Will she inform this House —
 - (i) of the number of cases that have been filed by the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption against politicians and public officials during the period from 2020 to 2024 in relation to fraud, corruption and murder incidents that occurred during the period from 2015 to 2019;
 - (ii) of the number of cases whose prosecution has been concluded by now, out of the aforesaid cases;
 - (iii) of those cases;
 - (iv) of the number of cases that have been withdrawn, out of the cases mentioned in (i) above; and
 - (v) of those cases?
- (b) If not, why?

(3)

5.

950/2025

Hon. Rajeevan Jeyachandramoorthy,— To ask the Minister of Health and Mass Media,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) whether he is aware that the post office established in the Velanai Divisional Secretariat Division of the Jaffna District is operated in a temporary building as there is no permanent building for the post office;
 - (ii) if so, whether steps will be taken to construct a permanent building for the said post office; and
 - (iii) of the time within which the said building will be constructed;
- (b) If not, why?

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of Presentation of Bills

1.

The Minister of Plantation and Community Infrastructure,— Rubber Control (Amendment),— Bill to amend the Rubber Control Act.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

Notice of Motions

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No. 1),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 8 of the Parliament, the hours of sitting of Parliament on this day shall be 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 1.00 p.m. to 5.30 p.m.. At 11.30 a.m. Standing Order 8(5) of the Parliament shall operate. At 5.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament.

3.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No. 2),— That this Parliament at its rising this day do adjourn until 9.30 a.m. on Friday, July 11th, 2025.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*1.

Budgetary Relief Allowance of Workers (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*2.

Budgetary Relief Allowance of Workers (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*3.

National Minimum Wage of Workers (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*4.

Companies (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*5.

Sri Lanka Electricity (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*6.

Gambling Regulatory Authority Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*7.

Bills of Exchange (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*8.

Samurdhi (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.
(Cabinet approval signified.)

*9.

Personal Data Protection (Amendment) Bill — Committee.

*10.

Report of the Commission of Inquiry into the establishment and maintenance of places of unlawful detention and torture chambers at the Batalanda Housing Scheme,—
Adjourned debate on question (10th April 2025) Motion made and question proposed,—
“Report of the Commission of Inquiry into the establishment and maintenance of places of unlawful detention and torture chambers at the Batalanda Housing Scheme, which was tabled in Parliament on 14th March 2025, be considered by Parliament.”

* *Indicates Government Business.*
