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Tuesday, August 06, 2019

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

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The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,— Resolution under the Public Security Ordinance,— That the Proclamation made by the President under Section 2 of the Public Security Ordinance (Chapter 40), as amended by Act, No. 8 of 1959, Law No. 6 of 1978 and Act, No. 28 of 1988, bringing into operation the provisions of Part II of the aforesaid Ordinance throughout Sri Lanka with effect from 22nd July, 2019, be approved.

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The Minister of Finance,— Order under the Finance Act,— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance under Section 22 read with Section 26 of the Finance Act, No. 11 of 2004 relating to International Telecommunications Operators Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2123/19 of 14th May 2019, which was presented on 25.07.2019, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

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The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,— Order under the Sri Lanka Export Development Act,— That the Order made by the Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade under Section 14(1) of the Sri Lanka Export Development Act, No. 40 of 1979 relating to Cess and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2117/46 of 04th April 2019, which was presented on 26.07.2019, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

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The Non Cabinet Minister of Science, Technology & Research,— Regulations under the Intellectual Property Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Science, Technology & Research under Section 204 of the Intellectual Property Act, No. 36 of 2003 read with Sections 6, 9, 17, 18 and 25 of the aforesaid Act relating to implementation of the mechanism for royalty payments to rights holders of songs or musical works and empowering the Collective Societies and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2128/6 of 17th June 2019, which were presented on 24.07.2019, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

* *Indicates Government Business.*

Friday, August 09, 2019

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

P. 72/19

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,— Inclusion of the Panduvasnuwara Kingdom into the Tourism Plan and Developing it,— That this Parliament resolves that the Panduvasnuwara Kingdom, which is considered as an ancient seat of Kings of Sri Lanka, be included into the Tourism Plan and developed.

P. 73/19

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— Inclusion of the health right of citizens into the Constitution,— That this Parliament resolves that the right of every citizen to obtain qualitative rehabilitation services and prevention and counseling services in a fair manner to prevent communicable and non communicable diseases and also the right to obtain free treatment at the expense of the government for any accident encountered by him and for any disease contracted by him should be accepted and the said rights should also be included into the Constitution of Sri Lanka.

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Hon. Roshan Ranasinghe,— Formulating a common system of laws for Sri Lankan citizens in regard to marriages,—That this Parliament resolves that a common system of laws should be formulated for Sri Lankan citizens in regard to marriages to the effect that the marriage law should not be differentiated as upcountry marriage law and Muslim marriage law and one citizen can contract only one marriage after completing 18 years of age due to the fact that laws that divide the different races that live in Sri Lanka do exist and hence especially the marriage law should be a common law for every citizen in order to rectify the aforesaid situation.

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Tuesday, September 17, 2019
QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

23/'18

Hon. Heshu Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(3)

- (a) Is he aware that the road from Ambewila junction to Udawela via Ranwala in the Weligepola Divisional Secretariat Division in Ratnapura district has fallen into disrepair as a result of not being repaired for many years?
- (b) Will he state this House—
 - (i) of the institution to which the said road belongs to;
 - (ii) whether it has been planned to repair this road to be suitable for transport;
 - (iii) if so, the proposed dates for the commencement and completion of the repair;
 - (iv) the amount estimated for the development of this road; and
 - (v) whether money has been allocated as of now?
- (c) If not, why?

138/'18

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Hill Country New Villages, Infrastructure & Community Development,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that malnutrition is high among estate workers and their families in Badulla district;
 - (ii) whether he admits that provision of a 'nutrition pack' to the aforementioned people through plantation companies parallel to the 'nutrition pack' issued by the current good governance government with the objective of improving nutrition levels of the people; and
 - (iii) if so, of the action that will be taken by the Ministry to implement such a programme through the plantation companies?
- (b) If not, why?

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194/'18

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the foreign tours that the Presidents of Sri Lanka engaged in and the objectives of such tours from 2013 to date;
 - (ii) of the number of individuals participated in each foreign tour and their designations; and
 - (iii) of the amount of money spent for each foreign tour, separately in terms of each year?
- (b) If not, why?

242/'18

Hon. (Mrs.) Rohini Kumari Wijerathna,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) many houses have been damaged due to the Uma Oya development project; and
 - (ii) of the number of people whose houses have been damaged, 220 people have been informed to vacate their houses?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the names and the addresses of the house owners to whom the notices to vacate the houses have been issued;
 - (ii) the promises that were made before they vacated their houses have not been fulfilled up to now; and
 - (iii) the steps that will be taken by the Ministry to solve the problem of approximately 220 house owners?
- (c) If not, why?

342/'18

Hon. Ishak Rahuman,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that several years have lapsed since the laying of a foundation stone to build a bridge connecting the village Sriimagama in Ipalogama Divisional Secretariat Division and Kalawewa; and
 - (ii) if so, the date on which that construction is expected to be commenced?
- (b) If not, why?

373/'18

Hon. Velu Kumar,—To ask the Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the number of estate labourers who served in 2002 in the Rahathangoda estate that belonged to Janatha Estate Development Board;
 - (ii) separately, the number of male and female estate labourers who went on retirement from 2000 – 2015 after serving in this estate;
 - (iii) the number of retired labourers out of the aforesaid labourers who have not been paid Employees Provident Fund (EPF), Employees Trust Fund (ETF) and Pension Gratuity; and
 - (iv) the name of the each of the aforesaid Labourer, the membership number and the amount due from the EPF, ETF and Pension Gratuity separately?
- (b) If not, why?

381/'18

Hon. S. M. Marikkar,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) the Sri Lanka Scouting and Guiding Movement which completes 106 years has over 75,000 Scouts and Girl Guides affiliated to it;
 - (ii) during the past five years, the sum of Rs. 8 million which is received by the Scout Head Quarters as earnings sent annually from the 'Job Week' of the scouts has been spent without adhering to a proper methodology;
 - (iii) when the building which houses the Head Quarters was built, action had been taken without approval from the Scout Committee to pay to a company which had a friendly relationship with the former Chief Commissioner Mr. Nimal de Silva, a sum of Rs. 8 million as consultation fees together with a sum of Rs. 14 million for the building which had not been properly built; and
 - (iv) the cement cottages built in the Nuwara Eliya area for a scout camp using funds earned from the scout 'job week' without obtaining proper approval from the Department of Forest Conservation were banned causing a grave financial loss?

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- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) whether a formal inquiry into the said misuse of funds has been started by now;
 - (ii) if so, of the progress of the said inquiry; and
 - (iii) if not, whether a full inquiry in to this matter will take place in future?
- (c) If not, why?

427/'19

Hon. Kanaka Herath,— To ask the Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the area brought under pepper cultivation in Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) of the pepper yield of this country from 2015 to 2018, separately for each year;
 - (iii) of the amount of pepper exported from this country from 2015 to 2018, separately for each year;
 - (iv) whether an amount of pepper exceeding that produced locally, has been exported within the said years;
 - (v) if so, whether pepper is imported to Sri Lanka; and
 - (vi) of the countries from which pepper is imported to Sri Lanka?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that only a few high level businessmen enjoy benefits as a result of importing pepper to Sri Lanka while it is destroying pepper cultivation in the country causing injustice to the innocent pepper farmers;
 - (ii) whether any programme is implemented to uplift pepper industry again;
 - (iii) if so, what that programme is; and
 - (iv) of the date on which that programme will be implemented?
- (c) If not, why?

437/'19

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— To ask the Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the extent of land belonging to the Janata Estate Development Board that has been given to outsiders on lease basis as at 30.06.2018;
 - (ii) the name, address, lease period, the extent of land leased out and the lease amount of the persons and institutions they have been given to; and
 - (iii) whether the properties have been valued according to the rates in the open market and lease amount charged accordingly in leasing out these lands?

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(b) Will he also inform this House—

- (i) if the persons who leased those lands have sub-leased them, what those lands are;
- (ii) the name, address, lease period, the extent of land and the lease amount of the persons to whom those lands have been sub-leased separately;
- (iii) the amount of money the Board lost as a result of not updating the levying of lease and illegal sub-leasing; and
- (iv) the measures that can be taken against sub-leasing in terms of the lease agreement?

(c) If not, why?

446/'19

Hon. Susantha Punchinilame,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) why the security provided to the President and Mr. Gotabhaya Rajapaksa former Secretary to the Ministry of Defence has not been increased since DIG Nalaka Silva, who is accused of hatching a conspiracy against them, had contacts with a LTTE member, Tamil diaspora and a notorious underworld member;
- (ii) the reason for not providing bullet proof vehicles or such facilities to the President and the former Secretary to the Ministry of Defence since they engage in various public meetings and other activities throughout the country; and
- (iii) the reason for IGP to retain the said DIG in service while the inquiry was on since technical evidence related to the incident can be destroyed within 05 minutes as stated by Namal Kumara who divulged information in this regard?

(b) If not, why?

453/'19

Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage,— To ask the Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the functions of the National Council for the Elderly and the National Secretariat for Elders;
- (ii) of the programmes that were implemented in 2017 for promoting public welfare; and
- (iii) the amount of money that was spent of those programmes?

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- (b) Will he admit that—
- (i) the number of the elderly in the population in Sri Lanka is rapidly increasing at present;
 - (ii) the majority of the elderly do not have any means making a living;
 - (iii) they do not have adequate knowledge about ways of making a living; and
 - (iv) they have been rendered helpless as their children have refused to look after them?
- (c) If so, will he also inform this House of the nature of the measures that will be taken to remedy this situation?
- (d) If not, why?

1052/19

Hon. Sanath Nishantha Perera,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the number officers of the Sri Lanka Administrative Service employed in the Department of Immigration and Emigration;
 - (ii) of the number of vacancies in the cadre positions of the Department, if there are any;
 - (iii) of the grade in the Sri Lanka Administrative Service to which the position of the Controller general of Immigration and Emigration belong;
 - (iv) of the date on which the aforesaid post has become vacant, if it has so happened;
 - (v) whether it is accepted the fact that a direct impact on the security condition of the country owing to the security risk prevailing in the country at the moment as steps have not been taken to fill the said position; and
 - (vi) if so, of the date on which the aforesaid vacancy will be filled?
- (b) If not, why?

528/19

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether there is a programme to grant full or semi scholarships through the President's Fund to Sri Lankans for local or foreign academic purposes;

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- (ii) if so, the basis and the methodology for the selection of suitable persons for scholarships as per the said programme;
- (iii) whether there is a system to award scholarships for students securing the highest marks at the G.C.E. (Advanced Level) examination;
- (iv) whether there is a system to award scholarships to graduates for postgraduate studies;
- (v) whether there is a system to award local or foreign scholarships except in (iii) and (iv) above;
- (vi) if so, what that system is; and
- (vii) separately the names of persons who received local or foreign scholarships outside the systems indicated in (iii) and (iv) above, the amount of money, institution and if a foreign country the name of same in respect of each year from the year 2005 to year 2017?

(b) If not, why?

565/'19

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,— To ask the Minister of Finance,— (3)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the date on which the 'Govisetha Lottery' was started;
- (ii) the primary objectives thereof;
- (iii) separately, the income generated annually from the sale of the said lottery from its inception up to now;
- (iv) of the said income, the amount given as prizes annually;
- (v) the amount spent for the welfare of the farmer community; and
- (vi) the measures to be taken by the Ministry to spend a higher amount for the welfare of the farmer community?

(b) If not, why?

630/'18

Hon. Udaya Prabath Gammanpila,— To ask the Minister of Housing, Construction and Cultural Affairs,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the number of vacancies in the post of Director and Assistant Director in the Department of National Archives as at 30 September 2018;
- (ii) of the date on which the aforementioned posts became vacant; and
- (iii) of the reasons why steps have not been taken up to now, to fill the aforementioned vacancies?

(b) If not, why?

Wednesday, September 18, 2019
QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

24/'18

Hon. Heshu Withanage,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a telephone tapping system has been brought to or installed in the country to listen to or record telephone conversations taking place over telephone networks operated in Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) if so, the value of said system;
 - (iii) the number of telephones covered by that system; and
 - (iv) the object of bringing down such a system?
- (b) If not, why?

81/'18

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) of the number of job opportunities generated by now under the government scheme to generate one million jobs;
 - (ii) of the employment programmes implemented for the graduates;
 - (iii) of the number of graduates recruited under these programmes;
 - (iv) of the number of graduates directed towards the private sector; and
 - (v) of the number of graduates directed towards government jobs?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of persons recruited to permanent positions in the government service;
 - (ii) of the number of persons recruited to casual posts in the government;
 - (iii) of the number of persons recruited to government from each district; and
 - (iv) separately of the number of persons attached to government departments, corporations etc.?
- (c) If not, why?

143/'18

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Megapolis & Western Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether institutions undertaking matters of garbage management exist under the Ministry of Megapolis and Western Development;
 - (ii) if so, of the names and addresses of the aforesaid institutions;
 - (iii) whether officers of the aforesaid institutions have participated in trainings on Garbage Management from the year 2010 to date;
 - (iv) if so, separately of the names and positions of the officers who participated in those programmes, the cities in which the workshops were conducted and the expenditure borne; and
 - (v) of the steps that were taken by the Ministry regarding garbage management, utilizing the expertise and experiences of the officers who underwent foreign training?
- (b) If not, why?

196/'18

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the foreign tours that the Prime Minister engaged in from the period of 09.01.2015 to 30.06.2018;
 - (ii) of the objectives of such tours;
 - (iii) of the number of individuals participated in each foreign tour and their designations; and
 - (iv) separately, of the amount of money spent for each foreign tour?
- (b) If not, why?

833/'19

Hon. K. Kader Masthan,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) whether he is aware various aids were received through local and international institutions for the benefit of thousands of families who were directed to Manikfarm camp of the displaced in Vavuniya district during the final war against terrorism in the period from year 2009 to 2012;

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- (ii) of the number of free vehicles provided by local and international organizations as well as foreign countries for the activities of Manikfarm camp during aforesaid period;
 - (iii) the types of vehicles and local registration numbers of the aforesaid vehicles;
 - (iv) of the persons who have used the aforesaid vehicles; and
 - (v) of the persons who are currently using the aforesaid vehicles?
- (b) If not, why?

429/'19

Hon. Kanaka Hearth,— To ask the Minister of Finance,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) Whether a new rural development programme known as 'Gamperaliya' has been started;
 - (ii) if so, the nature of the rural projects implemented under that;
 - (iii) of the methodology of obtaining development proposals for this and the committee through which such proposals are obtained; and
 - (iv) the value of the allocations made to an electorate through this?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the methodology through which contracts of these projects are intended to be handled?
- (c) If not, why?

438/'19

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— To ask the Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
- (i) whether he will submit a detailed description of the statutory allowances paid to the employees of Janatha Estate Development Board, including the benefits of the Employees Provident Fund and the Employees Trust Fund, during the period from the year 2015 up to 2018, separately for each year;
 - (ii) the cumulative total of the allowances that have not been paid yet, separately for each year; and
 - (iii) the number of cases filed by the Labour Commissioner's Office in regard to the non-payment of the contributions of the aforesaid Funds?
- (b) If not, why?

490/'19

Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage,— To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development and Petroleum Resources Development,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the number of fuel filling stations located in the district of Kandy;
 - (ii) of the addresses of the aforesaid filling stations;
 - (iii) separately, of the filling stations coming under the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation and the Indian Oil Company (IOC);
 - (iv) of the number of filling station permits that have been issued in the district of Kandy from the year 2010 to date;
 - (v) of the names and the addresses of the persons who obtained the aforesaid permits;
 - (vi) of the amount of money earned by the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation by so issuing the permits; and
 - (vii) of the criteria considered by the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation in issuing the permits for Fuel filling stations?
- (b) If not, why?

506/'19

Hon. S. M. Marikkar,— To ask the Minister of Finance,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that —
- (i) it has been disclosed by the Price Water House Coopers audit firm that corruption and frauds have taken place in the Lanka Puthra Bank during the period in which the position of the CEO was held by Mrs. Shiromani Wickramasinghe, the sister of Ajith Niwad Cabral, the former governor of the Central Bank;
 - (ii) loans had been granted to persons with political affiliations contravening the Bank Act from the year 2006 to 2014; and
 - (iii) certain loans had been granted without considering the re-paying ability keeping as sureties, the lands possessed by the government, lands possessed by the temples, barren lands and quartz depicted as gems?

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(b) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the persons and institutions that have obtained loans in this manner;
- (ii) of the loan amount obtained by each of the aforesaid persons and the institutions;
- (iii) of the amount that has been hitherto paid back, out of the aforesaid loans;
- (iv) whether legal action has been taken against the then Board of Directors including the CEO that approved the grant of such loans;
- (v) if so, of the progress of the legal proceedings; and
- (vi) if not so, whether proper legal measures will be taken pertaining to this matter?

(c) If not, why?

540/'19

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

(a) Is he aware that—

- (i) Air Vice Marshall K. T. B. G. Jayampathi of Sri Lanka Air force, having obtained a permit on 08.01.2008 for the import of a car on concessionary basis had got his vehicle released from the Customs;
- (ii) though the said officer can obtain another car on concessionary basis only after five years, having submitted an application again for the import of a car on concessionary basis on 14.01.2011 with the recommendation of the then Commander of the Air force and the Secretary to the Ministry of Defence, he had obtained the relevant permit on 07.06.2011 and imported a motor car; and
- (iii) he has thus violated the provisions of circulars?

(b) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the legal action constituted against this officer; and
- (ii) the legal action constituted against the then Secretary to the Ministry of Defence and the Commander of the Air force for issuing recommendations for the import of a motor car under the concessionary basis in breach of the regulations of the relevant circulars?

(c) If not, why?

569/'19

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,—To ask the Minister of Health, Nutrition & Indigenous Medicine,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of Kidney patients reported from Kurunegala district since year 2010 to date;
 - (ii) separately, in terms of each Divisional Secretariat Division, of aforesaid number of patients;
 - (iii) of the measures that the Ministry has taken to provide medical facilities and other facilities to aforesaid patients; and
 - (iv) of the measures that the Ministry takes in controlling the Kidney disease that spreads rapidly in Kurunegala district?
- (b) If not, why?

601/'18

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Non Cabinet Minister of Mass Media,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the Independence Television Network, which had once been rated No. 01, has now fallen down to the 06th position; and
 - (ii) if so, of the reasons that led this Television Network to the present situation?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) separately of the annual income of the Independence Television Network in years 2014 and 2017;
 - (ii) whether an arrangement is underway to sell the Independence Television Network;
 - (iii) whether salaries of the employees of this institute are being paid utilizing the money in the fixed deposits of the institute; and
 - (iv) if so, of the reasons for doing so?
- (c) If not, why?

631/'18

Hon. Udaya Prabath Gammanpila,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the number of Indian or Pakistan nationals who have been granted Sri Lankan citizenship in each year from 1947 to 2000?
- (b) If not, why?

638/'18

Hon. Susantha Punchinilame,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a statement has been recorded from the former Deputy Inspector General of Police who was in charge of the Terrorism Investigation Division in regard to the conspiracy which is said to have been made by him against the President and Mr. Gotabaya Rajapaksa the former Secretary to the Ministry of Defence;
 - (ii) whether an investigation has been conducted in regard to the his official, residential and mobile telephone calls; and
 - (iii) whether the security of Mr. Namal Kumara who is said to be the Operational Director of “Dushana Virodee Balakaya” will be assured until the veracity of the fact that he said to have received life threats is confirmed?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the current situation of this incident in a manner in which the future legal action in that regard is not disturbed?
- (c) Will he further inform this House whether action will be taken to enhance the security of the former President Mahinda Rajapaksa and the former Secretary to the Ministry of Defence, Mr. Gotabaya Rajapaksa even though the security of the President can be determined in accordance with his discretion?
- (d) If not, why?

674/'18

Hon. Chandima Gamage,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) the Maha Wewa bridge situated at Grama Niladhari Division No.635 in Kekirawa Pradeshiya Sabha area of Anuradhapura district is in a dilapidated condition;
 - (ii) an estimate, requesting funds for the renovation of the bridge has been forwarded to your Ministry by the Commissioner of Local Government of the North Central Province;
 - (iii) the Secretary to the Ministry has not provided funds for the purpose so far; and
 - (iv) around 7000 farmers living in 8 villages will face difficulties in transportation if the bridge is destroyed during the upcoming rainy season?

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- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) whether measures will be taken to renovate this bridge; and
 - (ii) if so, the time that will take for the purpose?
- (c) If not, why?

Thursday, September 19, 2019
QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

26/'18

Hon. Heshu Withanage,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of complaints regarding rapes, sexual abuse and child abuse received by Sri Lanka Police from the year 2012 up to now, separately in respect of each District; and
 - (ii) of the number of complaints out of those complaints, in respect of which investigations have been completed?
- (b) If not, why?

106/'18

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Health, Nutrition & Indigenous Medicine,—(1)

- (a) Will he state in respect of each year separately from 2015—
 - (i) the number of kidney patients who have died;
 - (ii) the number of patients who are afflicted with the kidney disease; and
 - (iii) the number of Kidney transplant operations conducted?
- (b) Will he also state—
 - (i) the areas where the Kidney disease is widely prevalent;
 - (ii) whether an arrangement has been worked out with the Ministry of Agriculture to control the Kidney disease, If the use of agrochemicals has been a cause for the disease;
 - (iii) if so, whether that arrangement would be tabled;
 - (iv) whether a national policy has been prepared to control the Kidney disease;
 - (v) if so, whether that national policy would be tabled; and
 - (vi) whether the hospitals have the drugs required by the Kidney patients sufficiently at their disposal?
- (c) If not, why?

220/'18

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) of the date on which the government decided to ban the use of asbestos;
 - (ii) of the reasons for taking such a decision;
 - (iii) of the reports by committees of experts on which the government's decision for that ban was based;
 - (iv) of the date on which the government decided to lift the said ban;
 - (v) of the reasons for taking such a decision; and
 - (vi) of the experts who recommended that the use of asbestos again was suitable?
- (b) If not, why?

834/'19

Hon. K. Kader Masthan,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he state —
 - (i) whether he is aware that thousands of families displaced during the final phase of the war had been sheltered at Manikfarm camp in Vavuniya district in the period from year 2009 to 2012;
 - (ii) separately, the number of families stayed there during the aforesaid period according to each month; and
 - (iii) total number of persons in the aforesaid families?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the amount allocated by the government to provide cooked food to them on a daily basis;
 - (ii) of the amount allocated for breakfast, lunch and dinner per person;
 - (iii) whether the distributed food were up to the standard;
 - (iv) the full details of the contributions made by international, local organizations and individuals when providing food to them;
 - (v) whether complaints have been received regarding the quality of the food being provided; and
 - (vi) if so, the measures taken regarding the complaints?
- (c) If not, why?

424/'19

Hon. Padma Udayashantha Gunasekera,— To ask the Minister of Housing, Construction and Cultural Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the date on which the location of Yan Oya stupa in Trincomalee district was gazetted as an archaeological site;
 - (ii) of the archaeological surveys or explorations carried out at that site up to now;
 - (iii) whether a complete report in that regard will be submitted;
 - (iv) whether a complete report about the destruction caused will be submitted, as the Yan Oya stupa has been bulldozed; and
 - (v) of the legal action taken in relation to that destruction?
- (b) If not, why?

439/'19

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— To ask the Highways & Road Development and Petroleum Resources Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the number of advisors and public relations officers that had been recruited to Road Development Authority without its approval by 31.12. 2016, separately;
 - (ii) the names and addresses of the aforesaid persons, the allowance paid to them, the projects to which they have been attached, the methodology adopted to recruit them their educational qualifications and other qualifications and the privileges provided to them, separately;
 - (iii) the number of persons out of them, who are in service presently; and
 - (iv) the steps that will be taken by the Ministry in this regard?
- (b) If not, why?

541/'19

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) motorcycles were provided to police officers at a concessionary price of Rs 150,000/- a few years ago;
 - (ii) no conditions were imposed in providing those motorcycles;
 - (iii) nonetheless, almost all retired police officers who obtained motorcycles have been pressured to pay a sum between Rs 150,000-200,000;

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- (iv) they have been informed by their places of work that the payment of pensions would not commence until the settlement of the said amount; and
- (v) a large number of police officers are in a state of despair over a long period of time due to the non-receipt of their pensions?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a programme will be drawn up without delay to pay pensions to these officers; and
 - (ii) if so, the date on which it will be done?
- (c) If not, why?

570/'19

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,—To ask the Minister of Industry & Commerce, Resettlement of Protracted Displaced Persons, Co-operative Development and Vocational Training & Skills Development,—(2)

- (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?

633/'18

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House on a per year basis separately—
 - (i) the number of persons that were sent or went to reside in India from Sri Lanka under various agreements and laws during the period from the year 1948 up to 2015;
 - (ii) the number of persons that went to India as refugees during the period from the year 1983 up to 2009; and
 - (iii) the number of persons who returned to Sri Lanka out of the persons that went to India as refugees during the period from the year 2009 up to 2017?
- (b) If not, why?

761/'19

Hon. Susantha Punchinilame,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(3)

(a) Is aware that—

- (i) Dr. I. H. K. Mahanama had held the post of Additional Secretary to the Prime Minister before he held the post of Secretary to the Ministry at the Ministry of Lands; and
- (ii) as chief accounting officer during that period, he not only took decisions at Ministerial Tender Boards, but also functioned in Cabinet Appointed Tender Boards?

(b) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the periods in which Dr. Mahanama had served as Chairman/Member of the Cabinet Appointed Tender Boards, together with the positions he held in affairs such as import of pharmaceuticals;
- (ii) of the names and addresses of Chairpersons, Managing Director and Members of the Boards of Directors of establishments that had submitted tenders to the Tender Boards referred to above during such service;
- (iii) of the establishments whose tenders were accepted from among those submitted and the prices pertaining to those tenders;
- (iv) of the pharmaceuticals imported with quantities thereof and the countries from which they were imported on the approval of the Tender Boards in which Dr. Mahanama had been the Chairman or a Member; and
- (v) the dates on which the Tender Board of the Ministry of Health held its meetings and the Members belonging to such Board from 2010 to date?

(c) If not, why?

856/'19

Hon. Kanaka Herath,— To ask the Minister of Transport & Civil Aviation,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether the executive level officers of the Sri Lanka Transport Board were removed under a scheme to pay compensation;
- (ii) if so, of the reason for such removal;
- (iii) whether action will be taken to re-appoint the executive level officers of the Sri Lanka Transport Board;
- (iv) if so, of the reasons for doing so;
- (v) of the education and other qualifications required for the abovementioned posts; and
- (vi) whether the persons who will be re-appointed are in possession of the aforementioned qualifications?

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- (b) Will he inform this House whether action has been taken to make legal, only the appointments, promotions and transfers which were effected from 20.12.2018?
- (c) If not, why?

863/'19

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) Mr. G. M. W. M. Premathilaka and his ancestors have resided on the land called Thalawa in Udamadura, Nildandahinna, for over 100 years;
 - (ii) they planted about 13 Turpentine trees on one border of their land in 1986;
 - (iii) those plants had been provided to them by the tobacco companies at that time to be used for day to day firewood requirement; and
 - (iv) even though several letters had been sent to the Forest Officer of the area and the Divisional Secretary seeking permission to fell some of the mature Turpentine trees to thatch the roof of the very old house that they occupy because that roof is near collapse, permission has not been granted up to now to fell those trees?
- (b) Will he inform this House whether he will look into this matter and take steps to grant Mr. Premathilaka permission to fell the 13 Turpentine trees they had planted, to enable him to repair his house?
- (c) If not, why?

879/'19

Hon. Wimalaweera Dissanayake,— To ask the Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) separately of the number of Samurdhi recipient families in Ampara district in terms of each Divisional Secretariat Division;
 - (ii) whether new recipients will be chosen;
 - (iii) if so, of the basis on which aforesaid recipients will be chosen;
 - (iv) of aforesaid criterion?
- (b) If not, why?

885/'19

Hon. S. C. Mutukumarana, — To ask the Minister of Finance,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the date on which “Enterprise Sri Lanka” scheme was launched under the Ministry of Finance;
 - (ii) the core objective of the aforesaid scheme; and
 - (iii) to what extent the aforementioned objective has been achieved by now?
- (b) Will he also state—
 - (i) the number of new businesses in Kaluthara District, which have been provided with loan facilities under the abovementioned scheme as at 08.03.2019;
 - (ii) separately, the volume of loans granted on the basis of each business?
- (c) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the number of new businesses in the Anuradhapura District, which have been provided with loan facilities under the abovementioned scheme as at 08.03.2019;
 - (ii) separately, of the volume of loans granted on the basis of each business;
 - (iii) of the extent to which the objective of this loan scheme has been fulfilled in Anuradhapura District;
 - (iv) whether there is a disparity between the two districts in terms of the implementation of the aforementioned loan scheme; and
 - (v) whether action will be taken to change this situation?
- (d) If not, why?

916/'19

Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage— To ask the Minister of Telecommunication, Foreign Employment and Sports—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the amount of money spent for the construction of Suriyawewa Stadium;
 - (ii) the funding sources of it;
 - (iii) the number of cricket matches held in the stadium so far and the types of matches held;
 - (iv) the amount of income generated through the stadium and the maintenance cost incurred for it so far; and
 - (v) the steps taken by the Ministry to develop this stadium?
 - (b) If not, why?
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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

34/'18

Hon. Hesha Withanage,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies, Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province Development and Youth Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) separately of the rate of unemployment in Ratnapura District on per Divisional Secretariat Division basis;
 - (ii) of the solutions that would be provided to address the issue of unemployment in the aforesaid District;
 - (iii) of the targets that are expected to be achieved through such solutions; and
 - (iv) of the steps that have been taken to achieve those targets?
- (b) If not, why?

110/'18

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Public Administration, Disaster Management and Rural Economic Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the amount spent by the government annually to raid illegal drugs from year 2015 to date;
 - (ii) the manner in which that money was spent;
 - (iii) the annual amount of fine charged by the government with regard to crimes related to illegal drugs from year 2015 to date;
 - (iv) the type of drug for which the maximum fine was imposed; and
 - (v) the measures taken by the government for the prevention of drugs?
- (b) If not, why?

164/'18

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the number of students who got through the G.C.E. (Advanced Level) examination with high scores in the Uva Province in 2016;
 - (ii) the names of those students;
 - (iii) whether the Uva Provincial Council has initiated a programme to provide scholarships to those students; and
 - (iv) if so, will he present the particulars such as the names of the students to whom scholarships were provided and the financial value of those scholarships?
- (b) If not, why?

835/'19

Hon. K. Kader Masthan,— To ask the Minister of Highways & Road Development and Petroleum Resources Development,—(3)

- (a) Is he aware that the internal road from Veppamkulam to Silawathura belonging to the Musali Pradeshiya Sabha of Mannar District was constructed by the Ministry of Resettlement and Disaster Relief in the year 2010?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the dates on which the construction activities of the said road were commenced and concluded;
 - (ii) the length of the road;
 - (iii) the villages that lie across this road;
 - (iv) the institution to which the contract was awarded;
 - (v) the owners (shareholders) of that institution at the time;
 - (vi) the amount allocated for that purpose; and
 - (vii) whether the said road is being used now?
- (c) If not, why?

545/'19

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) a large number of individuals who applied for the Elders' Allowance which is provided to the citizens above 70 years have not received the said allowance;
 - (ii) when inquiries are made in this regard at the Divisional Secretariats, it is stated that arrangements would be made to provide the allowance to the remaining individuals as per the number of vacancies created among those who are already provided with the Elders' Allowance?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of individuals who have been provided with the Elders' Allowance after the appointment of the incumbent subject Minister;
 - (ii) whether arrangements would be made to provide the Elders' Allowance to those who have applied but not hitherto received the allowance; and
 - (iii) if so, with effect from which date will it be done?
- (c) If not, why?

556/'19

Hon. S. Shritharan,— To ask the Minister of Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the Post offices & sub post offices of Kilinochchi district are in operation according to the grades;
 - (ii) separately, of the number of Post Offices and Sub Post Offices of aforesaid district, according to the grades;
 - (iii) of the number of Post Offices and Sub Post Offices that have been built in freehold lands?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware of the necessity of establishing Sub Post Offices in Parathipuram, Punneyiniravi and Pallikuda areas of Killinochchi district;
 - (ii) if so, of the reasons for not taking measures as per my the letter dated 2016.09.05 and as per the letter bearing No. PPS & MR / HR / 09-182, dated 2016.09.09 which was sent to the Post Master General with copies to myself;
 - (iii) as to when the permanent buildings will be provided to establish Kalmadunagar, Thirunagar, Konavil, Karadipokku, Thiruweyyaru, Ambalkulam, Murusumottei, Dharmapuram, Kandawalei, Puliampokkane, Kunjuparanthan, Sivanagar, Muhamalei, iyakkachchi, Kilali, Eludumattuwal, Soranpattu, Thattuwanakotti, Sundikkulam, Settiyakkuruchchi, Iraneithu, Gaudarimune, pallawarayankattu, Nallur, Kiranji, and Veravil Sub Post Offices;
 - (iv) whether Kilinochchi, Paranthan, Pachchaleipalli and Punakari main Post Offices are equipped with the up-to-date computer facilities?
- (c) If not, why?

784/'19

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— To ask the Minister of Plantation Industries,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the amount spent by Sri Lanka Tea Board to open the sales outlet established at Colombo Race Course with the aim of popularizing tea among foreigners who come to Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) of the cumulative profit earned or loss incurred by the said institution from 2014 to 2017;
 - (iii) whether he is aware of the fact that operations of the said sales outlet were suspended in 2017; and
 - (iv) of the person who took that decision?

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- (b) Will he also inform this House—
- (i) the total loss incurred by the Tea Board as a result of closing this sales outlet;
 - (ii) whether he will submit the details of the loss incurred by the Board in terms of equipment, furniture, rent etc. separately;
 - (iii) of the measures taken against the officers who did not use the resources of that centre productively; and
 - (iv) of the instructions provided by the Secretary to the Ministry in this regard?
- (c) If not, why?

812/19

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
- (i) while Mr. K.M.M. Marzook, who has been residing at No. 389/3F/2A, Kotikawatta, Mulleriyawa for nearly 12 years, was abroad, an unauthorized parapet wall had been erected by blocking the drainage system adjacent to his house and the gully had been closed fully;
 - (ii) this unauthorized construction had been erected by a person named Mohamad Yousuf residing at No. 240/20B; and
 - (iii) arrangements had been made to settle this dispute by summoning the two parties in terms of the letter of the Kotikawatta, Mulleriyawa Pradesheeya Sabha bearing No. KMPS/04/1/CL/59/2017 dated 30.05.2018?
- (b) Will he admit that—
- (i) the blockage of the drainage system remains the same even after that summoning; and
 - (ii) failing all efforts to settle this issue through any institution or authority it was finally brought to the notice of His Excellency the President, the Hon. Prime Minister and the relevant Minister in writing but to no avail so far?
- (c) Will he therefore inform this House whether arrangements will be made to provide a solution to this problem through the Kotikawatta, Mulleriyawa Pradesheeya Sabha?
- (d) If not, why?

821/'19

Hon. Susantha Punchinilame, — To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that although the construction work of the Teacher Training Center of Tricomalee North zone which was built on the Gomarankadawala Maha Vidyalaya premises has been completed, the Center remains closed due to the inability to obtain pipe-borne water facilities;
 - (ii) of the manner in which it was envisioned to obtain water facilities for drinking and other purposes when this Teacher Training Center was designed;
 - (iii) whether it would not be possible to fulfill the requirement for water by increasing the depth of the wells located in the Gomarankadawala Maha Vidyalaya and the primary school premises and by using a RO plant to purify the water from the said wells; and
 - (iv) of the date on which training activities will commence in the aforesaid teacher training center?
- (c) If not, why?

931/'19

Hon. Mohammadu Nazeer,— To ask the Minister of Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the commercial value and the domestic value of the immovable property (lands, shops houses) as per its location belonging to the Kadeer Jumma mosque and the Osanagoda mosque registered under No. R/0552/g/18 of the Department of Muslim Religious and Cultural Affairs (WAKF division) and specified by the WAKF board, separately;
 - (ii) whether the WAKF board will take steps to charge the lease amount in accordance with the commercial or domestic value, when releasing those WAKF property to the lessees legally under a lease agreement; and
 - (iii) whether the WAKF board will make arrangements to identify the persons who have not entered in to legal lease agreements or identify unauthorized settlers and take legal action against them?
- (b) If not, why?

941/'19

Hon. (Dr.) Bandula Gunawardana,— To ask the Minister of Plantation Industries,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether he is aware that a decision was taken in October 2018 to import 6000 Metric Tonnes of cashew nuts in shell, and permits were issued for that;
- (ii) if so, whether he will submit a list including the names and addresses of those permit holders;
- (iii) the production of cashew nuts in shell, in Sri Lanka from the year 2000 up to date in relation to each type, separately;
- (iv) the volumes of cashew nuts in shell, imported to this country from the year 2000 up to date in relation to each year, separately; and
- (v) the countries which they are imported from?

(b) If not, why?

979/'19

Hon. Ishak Rahuman,— To ask the Highways & Road Development and Petroleum Resources Development,—(1)

(a) Is he aware that—

- (i) the people using the one kilometer and 300-meter road on which the Kekirawa CTB Depot and international schools are located and which is connected to the Anuradhapura-Thalawa main road via Olukaranda village situated approximately one and a half kilometer along the Maradankadawala road from the Kekirawa town have been greatly inconvenienced as the road is in a highly dilapidated condition; and
- (ii) the majority of politicians who were in power did not develop this road as a large number of their political opponents were residing on either side of this road?

(b) Will he inform this House whether action will be taken to renovate this road speedily which has not been renovated hitherto due to political reasons?

(c) If not, why?

1014/'19

Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath,— To ask the Minister of City Planning, Water Supply and Higher Education,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) Whether he is aware that the constructions of the Divulapitiya Drinking Water Project, which was planned in the year 2014 with a view to accomplishing the drinking water requirements of the people of the Divulapitiya Divisional Secretariat Division in the District of Gampaha have not hitherto been commenced;
 - (ii) of the estimated investment of the aforesaid project;
 - (iii) of the local and foreign sources that procure funds for the purpose respectively;
 - (iv) of the name and the address of the Construction Company that contracted for the constructions of this project;
 - (v) of the factors that contributed towards the delay in commencing the constructions relevant to the project;
 - (vi) whether the steps which have been taken to solve the aforesaid issues and to proceed with the project, deem satisfactory; and
 - (vii) of the dates on which the construction work of this project would be commenced and completed?
- (b) If not, why?

1033/'19

Hon. Gamini Lokuge, — To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) complaints were made to the Secretary to the Ministry of Education and the Director of National Schools regarding the injustice that occurred at the interview held at the Royal College of Colombo in year 2009 to admit to grade one, Vidura Vidath Amarathunga, the son of Mrs. L.P. Kodithuwakku of No. 191/C, Kekulavita, Makandana, Piliyandala;
 - (ii) as per the instructions received there, Mrs. Kodithuwakku made a complaint to the Human Rights Commission of Sri Lanka and that the Commission made a recommendation to the Secretary to the Ministry of Education to admit the aforementioned child to the Royal College;
 - (iii) since the Ministry of Education took no further steps in this regard, Mrs. Kodithuwakku submitted a petition in this regard to the Public Petitions Committee of Parliament; and
 - (iv) the Secretary to the Ministry of Education has failed to take any action with respect to admitting the aforementioned child to the aforementioned school from year 2009 to date?

- (b) Will he state whether steps will be taken to admit Vidura Vidath Amarathunga to the Royal College of Colombo?
- (c) If not, why?

1035/'19

Hon. Dullas Alahapperuma, — To ask the Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether there are foreign nationals who have not departed from the island till 01.05.2019, out of the foreign nationals who arrived in Sri Lanka after 01.09.2014;
 - (ii) if so, of the countries from which they came and the period for which they have obtained visa;
 - (iii) of the names of the foreign nationals who remain on the island illegally;
 - (iv) of the travel document numbers of the abovementioned persons; and
 - (v) whether he will submit the addresses furnished by these persons as their Sri Lankan addresses?
 - (b) If not, why?
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