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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

44/2020

Hon. Hesha Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether there is an institution named Hadabima Authority under the Ministry of Agriculture;
 - (ii) if so, the main functions of the said institution;
 - (iii) the name and address of the building in which the Head Office of the said institution is located;
 - (iv) the annual and monthly rent paid for this building; and
 - (v) the arrangement that the Ministry has to establish the said institution in the same building in which the Ministry of Agriculture has been established?
- (b) If not, why?

144/2020

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Power,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether there is a forecast on the electricity demand of Sri Lanka for the next 5 years;
 - (ii) if so, whether information about the electricity demand of Sri Lanka for the next 5 years will be submitted; and
 - (iii) the details of the generation plan lined up to be implemented within the aforesaid period?
- (b) If not, why?

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175/2020

Hon. S.M. Marikkar,— To ask the Minister of Trade,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that a sum of Rs. 95 Crores deposited by 115,000 depositors in 24 Rural Banks governed by the Multi-Purpose Co-operative Society of Hewagam Korala East in Awissawella, have not been refunded to them since 2015?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the steps that have been taken to refund those deposits to the relevant depositors; and
 - (ii) the time needed to refund those deposits to the relevant depositors?
- (c) If not, why?

237/2020

Hon. Mohomad Muzammil,— To ask the Minister of Trade,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately, pertaining to each of the year during the period from 2015 to 2019 of—
 - (i) the quantity of pepper imported into Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) the money that has been incurred on that;
 - (iii) the countries from which those pepper were imported; and
 - (iv) the companies which imported those pepper?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the total expenditure of importing pepper into Sri Lanka during the period concerned?
- (c) If not, why?

269/2020

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Education,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) in which Budget provisions had been allocated for the Programme to Give Tablet Computers (Tabs) to Students who Follow the General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) at Government Schools in Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) the amount allocated for that Programme;
 - (iii) whether tenders had been called for implementing that Programme;
 - (iv) if so, what institutions had submitted tenders;
 - (v) the name of the institution that was selected from among the institutions referred to above for implementing the Programme;
 - (vi) the specifications or criteria that were put forth in calling tenders;
 - (vii) whether the tabs concerned have been purchased by now; and

(3)

(viii) the expected date by which tabs will have been distributed among all the Students who follow the General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) at Government Schools in Sri Lanka and all the teachers who teach at Advanced Level classes at government schools?

(b) If not, why?

534/2020

Hon. Rohana Bandara,— To ask the Minister of Trade,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

(i) the number of outlets of the Lanka Sathosa Limited in the Anuradhapura district; and

(ii) the addresses of the locations of those outlets?

(b) Will he also inform this House of the measures to be taken by the Ministry to further expand the Lanka Sathosa Limited outlets network in the Anuradhapura district?

(c) If not, why?

585/2020

Hon. Velu Kumar,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

(a) Is he aware that—

(i) a large number of tea estates owned by the Janatha Estate Development Board are situated within the Central Province;

(ii) they have been incurring losses over a long period of time;and

(iii) workers who had retired after serving in those estates have not been provided the gratuity and the benefits of the Employees' Provident Fund and the Employees' Trust Fund?

(b) Will he inform this House of—

(i) the number of tea estates owned by the Janatha Estate Development Board situated within the Central Province; and

(ii) the names of those estates and the districts they are situated in?

(c) Will he state—

(i) the number of tea factories situated in the estates mentioned in (b) (i) above;

(ii) the number of tea factories operational at present out of the said number;

(iii) the number of tea factories leased to external parties out of the aforesaid factories and the names of those factories;

(iv) the number of tea factories closed down by now out of the aforesaid factories; and

(v) whether steps will be taken to reopen those factories?

(d) If not, why?

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658/2020

Hon. Shantha Bandara,— To ask the Minister of Transport,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that the railway stations in Sri Lanka should be developed systematically?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the amount allocated for the development of the Alawwa railway station; and
 - (ii) the institution which carries out development activities thereof?
- (c) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware that development activities of the Alawwa railway station have been delayed for years; and
 - (ii) if so, whether action will be taken to expedite the said development activities?
- (d) If not, why?

666/2020

Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious & Cultural Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that it was an ancient building that had situated in the heart of Kurunegala town that was destroyed by the Mayor of Kurunegala in an arbitrary manner?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether excavation in the site where that building was located has been commenced by the Department of Archaeology by now;
 - (ii) the period to which the destroyed building belonged;
 - (iii) the historic value of that building;
 - (iv) whether action will be taken to rehabilitate and conserve the said building;
 - (v) the cost of rehabilitating that building; and
 - (vi) the fund out of which the said amount is expected to be spent?
- (c) If not, why?

856/2020

Hon. Nalin Fernando,— To ask the Minister of Trade,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the number of outlets opened by Lanka Sathosa Limited;
 - (ii) separately, the number of outlets that incur profits and losses annually;
 - (iii) the measures taken to convert the outlets that incur losses profitable;
 - (iv) whether measures will be taken to close down the outlets that incur losses;
 - (v) if so, the reason is; and
 - (vi) the procedure followed by Lanka Sathosa Limited when opening new outlets?
- (b) If not, why?

864/2020

Hon. Amarakeerthi Athukorala,— To ask the Minister of Health,—(1)

- (a) Will she inform this House—
 - (i) the number of government pharmacies (“Osusala”) belonging to the State Pharmaceuticals Corporation located throughout the Island; and
 - (ii) the districts in which government pharmacies are not available, if any?
- (b) Is she aware of the fact that substandard and expired drugs were issued to the government pharmacies during the previous regime?
- (c) Will she also inform this House—
 - (i) the quantity of substandard and expired drugs that had been issued to the government pharmacies from 2015 to 2019; and
 - (ii) the value of the aforesaid drugs, separately?
- (d) Will she state—
 - (i) the reasons for issuing expired drugs to government pharmacies;
 - (ii) the steps taken to recover the value of those drugs from the relevant suppliers; and
 - (iii) the course of action taken against the suppliers from whom the value had not been recovered?
- (e) If not, why?

868/2020

Hon. Imran Maharoof,— To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the number of Sinhala medium teacher vacancies that exist in government schools in the Trincomalee North and Kantale education zones separately on per subject basis;
 - (ii) whether he is aware that the students studying in government schools in the aforesaid education zones have to face many difficulties due to such shortage of teachers; and
 - (iii) whether the Ministry will take immediate action to address this shortage of teachers as the Eastern Provincial Council is not functioning at present and the administration of that provincial council is carried out directly under the Governor of that province?
- (b) If not, why?

945/2020

Hon. Mayantha Dissanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious & Cultural Affairs and Minister of Urban Development & Housing,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that a fund named “Itukama Covid-19 Health and Social Security Fund” has been established?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the objectives of launching the said Fund;
 - (ii) the name of the institution which manages the said Fund;
 - (iii) whether a government officer has been appointed to administer the said Fund; and
 - (iv) if so, the name and post of the said officer?
- (c) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the balance of the said Fund as of now;
 - (ii) the benefits provided from the aforementioned Fund to the people affected by the Covid-19 pandemic; and
 - (iii) the amount spent for that purpose?
- (d) If not, why?

947/2020

Hon. Sivagnanam Shritharan,— To ask the Minister of Highways,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that the road leading to Kurikattuwan via Valukkiyaru-Arali-Velanai and Punguduthivu is the main road in the Velanai Divisional Secretariat Division in the Jaffna District?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the extent of the aforesaid road;
 - (ii) the date on which the aforesaid road was last renovated;
 - (iii) the amount of money that was spent on the aforesaid renovations; and
 - (iv) the funding source for such renovation?
- (c) Is he also aware that people in the above named areas are facing difficulties as the aforesaid road, which is a major transport route, has not been repaired?
- (d) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the reasons for not renovating the aforesaid road for a long time; and
 - (ii) the date on which that road will be renovated?
- (e) If not, why?

1108/2020

Hon. J.C. Alawathuwala,— To ask the Minister of Water Supply,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the date on which the work of the Galagedara, Mawathagama (Mallawapitiya) water supply project was commenced;
 - (ii) the estimated amount of the aforesaid project;
 - (iii) the number of institutions and houses to which it is expected to provide water through the aforesaid water supply project;
 - (iv) the current situation of the aforesaid project; and
 - (v) the date on which the aforesaid project will be opened having completed its work?
 - (b) If not, why?
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Wednesday, March 10, 2021

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

45/2020

Hon. Heshu Withanage,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance, Minister of Buddhasasana, Religious & Cultural Affairs and Minister of Urban Development & Housing,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether there are any payments due from public institutions to Sri Lanka Air Force for providing air travel services;
 - (ii) if so, whether the name of each such public institution, the amount due and the period for which such amount has been in arrears would be submitted; and
 - (iii) the measures taken by Sri Lanka Air Force to recover those dues?
- (b) If not, why?

194/2020

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Youth and Sports,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the number of new members appointed to the National Sports Council;
 - (ii) their names and qualifications, separately; and
 - (iii) the service expected from them for the development of sports?
- (b) If not, why?

238/2020

Hon. Mohomad Muzammil,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately, pertaining to each of the year during the period from 2015 to 2019 of—
 - (i) the quantity of ethanol imported into Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) the money that has been incurred on that;
 - (iii) the countries from which those ethanol were imported; and
 - (iv) the companies which imported those ethanol?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the total expenditure of importing ethanol into Sri Lanka during the period concerned?
- (c) If not, why?

351/2020

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Trade,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that—
 - (i) importation of competitive products has a negative impact on local manufacturers; and
 - (ii) thus, they are facing immense difficulties when selling their products?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a mechanism is in place to give priority to local manufacturers when obtaining goods for Co-operative Wholesale Establishment;
 - (ii) if so, what the aforesaid mechanism is;
 - (iii) if not, whether a mechanism be prepared; and
 - (iv) if so, how the mechanism will be prepared?
- (c) If not, why?

589/2020

Hon. Velu Kumar,— To ask the Minister of Public Services, Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that Mahayiyawa village where the labourers serving at Kandy Municipal Council reside is situated within the area of Kandy Municipal Council?
- (b) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the number of houses constructed when that village was created;
 - (ii) the number of families settled there at that time;
 - (iii) the number of houses in that village with registration numbers and electricity facility by now; and
 - (iv) the number of families residing in those houses?
- (c) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that a new housing scheme was planned for Mahayiyawa village in the recent past;
 - (ii) if so, whether he will provide details about the said housing scheme; and
 - (iii) whether steps will be taken to implement the said scheme?
- (d) If not, why?

667/2020

Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha,— To ask the Minister of Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the road towards Gongala by Hayes Tea Factory on A-17 road is developed by the Road Development Authority;
 - (ii) whether that road belongs to the Road Development Authority;
 - (iii) the amount spent on development of that road; and
 - (iv) the reason for giving priority to the development of that road?
- (b) If not, why?

865/2020

Hon. Amara Keerthi Athukorala,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Urban Development & Housing,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware that the State Engineering Corporation has an approved cadre;
 - (ii) if so, what that number is;
 - (iii) that number as permanent and casual employees;
 - (iv) the number of permanent and casual employees in the corporation in 2015; and
 - (v) the number of permanent, casual and contract employees that has been recruited from 2015 to 2019?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the number of employees of the corporation who had been released to the other Ministries from 2015 to 2019; and
 - (ii) whether the salaries paid to them had been reimbursed from the relevant ministries?
- (c) Will he state—
 - (i) whether he is aware that 98 employees who had been recruited to that institution had been released to other ministries targeting the 2015 election;
 - (ii) if so, the value of the salaries and allowances that had been paid to them;
 - (iii) whether those funds have been recovered; and
 - (iv) the steps taken against the officers who had made arrangements to release those employees?
- (d) If not, why?

1020/2020

Hon. Pramitha Bandara Tennakoon,— To ask the Minister of Trade,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the names of the Ministers in charge of the then Ministry of Trade, Commerce and Consumer Affairs from the years 2015-2019; and
 - (ii) the institutions belonged to the said Ministry?
 - (b) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the methods adopted during the period referred to in (a) (i) above, in importing or purchasing locally, the stocks of goods required for outlets run by the Cooperative Wholesale Establishment, Lanka Sathosa Limited and Cooperative Societies;
 - (ii) whether transparent procedures had been adopted in importing or purchasing locally, the stocks of goods for the above institution;
 - (iii) if not, whether any irregularities had taken place; and
 - (iv) if so, whether a comprehensive audit is conducted in that regard?
 - (c) If not, why?
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Friday, March 12, 2021

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

46/2020

Hon. Heshan Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Power,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a programme has been launched to provide electricity to low income families in Sabaragamuwa Province;
 - (ii) the number of families provided with electricity under this programme from the date that the former Good Governance government came to power up to now, separately per Divisional Secretariat Division; and
 - (iii) the methodology followed in selecting those families?
- (b) If not, why?

176/2020

Hon. S.M. Marikkar,— To ask the Minister of Highways,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) the construction work of the Marine Drive, which is constructed as a measure to minimizing the massive traffic congestion prevailing on the Galle road from Colombo to Moratuwa, has been done only up to Wasala road- Dehiwala; and
 - (ii) the construction work of that project is moving very slowly?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the total estimated cost of that project;
 - (ii) the name of the institution that obtained the contract of that project; and
 - (iii) the date on which the construction work of that project is expected to be completed?
- (c) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the amount of money paid as compensation to the people who lose their property owing to that project; and
 - (ii) if more compensation is to be paid, the dates on which such compensation would be paid?
- (d) If not, why?

195/2020

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Power,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that a wind power plant is situated in Norochcholai?
- (b) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the number of electricity units generated by that power plant;
 - (ii) the date on which the transformer of that power plant stopped working and the date on which it was repaired, separately; and
 - (iii) the steps taken by the Ministry to further develop the said power plant?
- (c) If not, why?

239/2020

Hon. Mohomad Muzammil,— To ask the Minister of Trade,— (1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately, pertaining to each of the year during the period from 2015 to 2019 of—
 - (i) the quantity of garlic imported into Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) the money that has been incurred on that;

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- (iii) the countries from which those garlic were imported; and
- (iv) the companies which imported those garlic?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the total expenditure of importing garlic into Sri Lanka during the period concerned?
- (c) If not, why?

352/2020

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Prime Minister and the Minister of Finance,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) permits are issued for hotels and restaurants to sell liquor with the objective of promoting tourism industry; and
 - (ii) permits have also been issued for hotels and restaurants situated in areas that are not frequented by tourists?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) separately, the number of permits issued in the years of 2018 and 2019 for hotels and restaurants to sell alcohol; and
 - (ii) the areas where the hotels and restaurants that permits have been issued are situated at?
- (c) Will he also inform this House whether the method of issuing permits to sell liquor be changed since the increasing number of places that sell liquor throughout Sri Lanka in the guise of promoting tourism industry can result in an increase in liquor consumption as well?
- (d) If not, why?

535/2020

Hon. Rohana Bandara,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately—
 - (i) the paddy harvest of each season in the Anuradhapura district from 2015, up to now; and
 - (ii) out of that harvest, the quantity of paddy purchased by the Paddy Marketing Board in each season?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of the measures to be taken by the Ministry for more quantity of the paddy harvest of the farmers in the Anuradhapura district to be purchased by the Paddy Marketing Board in future?
- (c) If not, why?

605/2020

Hon. Ishak Rahuman,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether chemical fertilizer will be provided free of charge for cultivations in the Maha season 2020/2021 in accordance with the “Vistas of Prosperity” policy statement of the government;
 - (ii) if so, whether fertilizer will be provided for the entire extents of land that will be cultivated;
 - (iii) whether fertilizer will be provided to the entire extent of land that will be cultivated with paddy;
 - (iv) if so, of the amounts of each type of fertilizer that will be provided per acre of paddy cultivation separately; and
 - (v) of the amount of fertilizer that will be provided per acre for cultivating additional crops;
- (b) If not, why ?

659/2020

Hon. Shantha Bandara,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Urban Development and Housing,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that—
 - (i) Kurunegala is one of the major towns in Sri Lanka; and
 - (ii) that town should be systematically developed?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a plan has been formulated as of now for the development of the Kurunegala town;
 - (ii) if so, whether a programme has been devised for securing funds required for the implementation of the plan;
 - (iii) if so, what such funding sources are; and
 - (iv) whether action will be taken to expedite the activities for the development of the Kurunegala town?
- (c) If not, why?

723/2020

Hon. Charles Nirmalanathan,— To ask the Minister of Public Services, Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) lack of a fire service unit in the Mannar and Mullativu districts to date causes damages to property and lives in the event of unforeseen fires;

- (ii) despite the pledges made to provide fire service units to Mannar Municipal Council and Mullativu Karaithuraipattu Pradeshiya Sabha, no fire service unit has been provided so far; and
 - (iii) in case of a fire emergency in the Mannar and Mullativu districts, a fire engine has to arrive all the way from Vavuniya, which takes about one and a half hours?
- (b) Will he inform this House of the date on which fire service units will be provided to the districts of Mannar and Mullativu?
- (c) If not, why?

859/2020

Hon. Jagath Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Transport,—(1)

- (a) Will he state separately—
- (i) the measures that have been taken by the government to develop the modes of transport such as buses, trains and three wheelers under the programme to strengthen the public transport system of Sri Lanka; and
 - (ii) the number of SLTB buses and private buses that are required to strengthen the present transport system in Sri Lanka?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether it is admitted that vacancies exist in the positions of bus drivers and conductors in the Sri Lanka Transport Board;
 - (ii) if so, of the number of vacancies in the said positions separately; and
 - (iii) of the steps that will be taken to fill the aforesaid vacancies?
- (c) Will he state—
- (i) the number of buses that have been deployed by the Thalangama depot for transport purposes;
 - (ii) whether the depot is equipped with a sufficient staff including the required number of bus drivers and conductors ;
 - (iii) if so, the aforesaid numbers separately; and
 - (iv) if not, the manner in which the transport activities are carried out?
- (d) If not, why?

869/2020

Hon. Imran Maharoof,— To ask the Minister of Highways,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) Kurinjakkeni bridge in Kinniya Divisional Secretariat Division in the Trincomalee District was destroyed due to the floods that occurred in year 2014, and the people living in those areas have been using a temporary bridge since then; and
 - (ii) tenders were called by the Road Development Authority in year 2019 for the construction of the aforesaid bridge, and the then Prime Minister laid the foundation stone for the construction of the aforesaid bridge?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the name of the person to whom the tender for the construction of the aforesaid bridge was awarded;
 - (ii) the value of the aforesaid tender;
 - (iii) the date on which the construction work of the aforesaid bridge will be commenced; and
 - (iv) the date on which the construction work is expected to be completed?
- (c) If not, why?

938/2020

Hon. Mujibur Rahuman,— To ask the Minister of Education,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) the previous government implemented a programme called “The Nearest School is the Best School”;
 - (ii) development of Susamayawardana Vidyalaya, St. Anthony's Boys' College, Mahabodhi Vidyalaya, Anuruddha Balika Vidyalaya, St. Anthony's Girls' College (Primary), Muthuwella Hindu Vidyalaya and Modara Ananda Vidyalaya in the Colombo Education Zone was commenced under the aforesaid programme; and
 - (iii) the previous government allocated funds for that?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he is aware that the foundation stone was laid for the construction of a building at Hameed Al Hussaini College, Colombo 12 under the aforesaid program; and
 - (ii) the steps that will be taken in connection with the aforesaid construction work?

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- (c) Will he also inform this House—
 - (i) the number of schools in the Colombo District that have been developed under this programme; and
 - (ii) whether the aforesaid programme will be implemented continuously?
- (d) Will he further state whether steps will be taken to complete the construction works of the buildings in the schools named in (a) (ii) above?
- (e) If not, why?

948/2020

Hon. Sivagnanam Shritharan,— To ask the Minister of Public Services, Provincial Councils & Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that sea transportation is the main mode of transport on the island of Neduntivu, which is a Pradeshiya Sabha area in the Jaffna District?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the number of crew members serving on the passenger vessel “Neduntharakai” operating on the aforesaid island; and
 - (ii) separately of the designation, date of appointment and the basis of employment of each of the aforesaid crew members?
- (c) Will he also inform this House —
 - (i) the name of the authority that has given appointments to the aforesaid crew members on contract basis;
 - (ii) whether the crew members William Yesudasan Anthony Raj, Sindakulam Melkiyas Milan, Alfred Mariadayalan, Anthony Amaladasan, and Andrews Rakeemlione will be given permanent appointments based on their educational and professional qualifications;
 - (iii) if so, the date on which permanent appointments will be given to the aforesaid persons; and
 - (iv) if not, the reasons for not giving such permanent appointments?
- (d) If not, why?

1017/2020

Hon. Premalal Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the date on which the implementation of the “I-Road Project” in Ratnapura district was commenced;
 - (ii) the length of the roads in that district approved for development by carpeting; and
 - (iii) the number of contractors who have entered into agreements under the said project?
- (b) Will he also state separately—
 - (i) the names and lengths of the roads each of the said contractors agreed to develop;
 - (ii) the names and lengths of the roads out of those that have been developed and commissioned to the public by now; and
 - (iii) the names and lengths of the roads that have not been completed by now?
- (c) Will he state the measures that will be taken to develop the roads that have not been completed?
- (d) If not, why?

1109/2020

Hon. J.C. Alawathuwala,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Finance,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the Iyon Lanka Financial Institution which is operated in Pallandeniya in Kurunegala has been brought under the purview of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) whether he is aware the fact that most of the depositors of the aforesaid financial institution are retired war heroes ;
 - (iii) the number of persons who have deposited money in the aforesaid financial institution; and
 - (iv) whether action will be taken to payback the deposits of the aforesaid depositors?
 - (b) If not, why?
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