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**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS**

1540/2023

Hon. (Mrs.) Rajika Wickramasinghe,— To ask the Minister of Industries,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
  - (i) the number of handloom manufacturers in each province in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) the areas with a high concentration of handloom manufacturers;
  - (iii) the number of stores that sell handloom clothing;
  - (iv) the areas with a high concentration of such sales outlets; and
  - (v) the annual income generated by selling handloom materials in each provincial council area?
- (b) If not, why?

1576/2023

Hon. Sanjeeva Edirimanna,— To ask the Minister of Transport and Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the methodology adopted by the National Transport Commission to issue Route Permits;
  - (ii) the number of Route Permits that has been issued for ordinary routes and Express ways; and
  - (iii) whether there is any possibility of the permits issued so far being transferred to another party?
- (b) If not, why?

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1614/2023

Hon. Tissa Attanayake,— To ask the Minister of Environment,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that—
  - (i) research reports have claimed the composition of noxious air in Kandy city is much higher than the standard concentration levels;
  - (ii) an air resource management and monitoring system had been initiated in year 2017 to tackle the aforesaid issue with the involvement of relevant stakeholders; and
  - (iii) subsequently the implementation of the aforesaid programmes was suspended?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the reasons for suspending the aforesaid programmes; and
  - (ii) whether measures will be taken to resume the aforesaid programmes?
- (c) If not, why?

1631/2023

Hon. Gunathilaka Rajapaksha,— To ask the Minister of Wildlife and Forest Resources Conservation,—(2)

- (a) Will she inform this House—
  - (i) the extent of land owned by the Department of Forest Conservation in acres;
  - (ii) whether she is aware that a large part of such lands has been acquired illegally;
  - (iii) the extent of illegally acquired lands in hectares; and
  - (iv) the steps that have been taken in order to get the possession of the aforesaid lands back to the Department of Forest Conservation?
- (b) If not, why?

1634/2023

Hon. Milan Jayathilake,— To ask the Minister of Public Security,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of Non Governmental Organizations registered in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) the number of Non Governmental Organizations currently functioning in Sri Lanka, out of the above; and
  - (iii) the number of Non Governmental Organizations that have applied for fresh registration?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) whether the Non Governmental Organizations registered in Sri Lanka have submitted Account reports annually; and
  - (ii) if not, the measures taken in relation to that?
- (c) If not, why?

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1673/2023

Hon. Charles Nirmalanathan,— To ask the Minister of Foreign Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that—
  - (i) thousands of Tamil people who lived in the Northern and Eastern Provinces of Sri Lanka, migrated to India owing to the situation of war that prevailed in Sri Lanka and stay within and outside camps there;
  - (ii) nearly 100,000 people out of the above people are unable to return to Sri Lanka, even though the war is over now; and
  - (iii) owing to the refusal of the Indian government to grant Visa to most of the people out of the above mentioned people who live in places outside the camps, they have to pay Visa charges for the entire period they lived in India when they return to Sri Lanka?
- (b) Will he inform this House of the measures to be taken to bring back the above-mentioned people to Sri Lanka?
- (c) If not, why?

1754/2023

Hon. Samanpriya Herath,— To ask the Minister of Plantation Industries,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the volume of plastic brooms, plastic Ekel brooms and the plastic brushes used for cleaning purposes that is imported to Sri Lanka annually, separately; and
  - (ii) the amount of money spent to import them annually?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) the measures that have been taken to encourage and promote coir related products at present; and
  - (ii) whether a policy decision has been taken to discourage the importation of alternatives to coir related products?
- (c) If not, why?

1800/2023

Hon. Kumarasiri Rathnayaka,— To ask the Minister of Trade, Commerce and Food Security,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the number of co-operative societies in Monaragala district;
  - (ii) of the number of regional co-operative sales outlets in that district;
  - (iii) of the number of employees serving in those regional sales outlets; and
  - (iv) whether Lanka Sathosa Ltd provides consumer goods for those outlets?
- (b) If not, why?

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1809/2023

Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware of the fact that—
  - (i) Vijaya Kumaranatunga public ground in Peliyagoda is coming under the purview of the Municipal Council of Peliyagoda; and
  - (ii) the iron gates of the aforesaid public ground have been sold for scrap?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the names of the persons who have been alleged of the above incident; and
  - (ii) what legal action has been taken against them so far?
- (c) If not, why?

2529/2023

Hon. Imran Maharoof,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Local Government,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
    - (i) of the number of people who have received employment from 2020 to 2021 as part of the programme to provide 100,000 jobs in accordance with the policy statement “Vistas of Prosperity and Splendour”; and
    - (ii) of the mechanism to provide the remaining number of jobs that haven’t been provided until now?
  - (b) Will he also inform this House—
    - (i) of the number of Sinhalese, Tamils, and Muslims who received jobs under this programme with respect to each district;
    - (ii) of the number of people who received jobs in the Eastern Province under this programme;
    - (iii) of the number of people who received jobs in the Eastern Province with respect to each district; and
    - (iv) of the number of people who received jobs in the Trincomalee district with respect to each divisional secretariat division?
  - (c) If not, why?
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**Wednesday, May 10, 2023**

**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS**

2574/2023

Hon. D. Weerasingha,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the current number of dairy cattle in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) of the annual requirement of liquid milk in Sri Lanka;
  - (iii) of the extent of grazing land reserved for dairy cattle;
  - (iv) of the areas in which such grazing lands are situated; and
  - (v) whether action will be taken to provide dairy cattle to meet the liquid milk requirement of Sri Lanka;
- (b) If not, why?

2621/2023

Hon. Madhura Withanage, Attorney at Law,— To ask the Minister of Defence,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
  - (i) whether any irregularity, irregular appointment, any act of corruption or any illegal activity has taken place in National Council for Disaster Management during the period from year 2015 to 2019;
  - (ii) if so, separately the nature of such acts that have taken place at the aforesaid fund; and
  - (iii) separately, the value of the financial, property and human resources that the government has lost due to each of the aforesaid acts?
- (b) Will he also state—
  - (i) whether investigations have been carried out to identify the officers who are responsible for the acts mentioned in (a) (i) above;
  - (ii) if the responsible officers have been identified, the action that has been taken against them;
  - (iii) if no action has been taken against them, the reasons for that;
  - (iv) whether action will be taken against them in future; and
  - (v) the measures that will be taken to prevent the occurrence of such acts in future?
- (c) If not, why?

2690/2023

Hon. K. P. S. Kumarasiri,— To ask the Minister of Agriculture,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
  - (i) finding high quality seeds is a major problem faced by farmers engaged in agriculture;
  - (ii) seeds are sold in the market at exorbitant prices;
  - (iii) such seeds are not of the proper standard; and
  - (iv) farmers have been inconvenienced owing to the aforesaid situation?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the nature of the programmes that have been implemented at present to provide high-quality seeds to farmers;
  - (ii) whether a programme will be implemented under the sponsorship of the government to provide the seeds that the farmers require;
  - (iii) whether steps will be taken to fix a control price for seeds;
  - (iv) whether a programme will be implemented to produce the seeds that Sri Lanka needs in this country itself and to provide them to farmers at low prices; and
  - (v) whether steps will be taken to upgrade the Agrarian Service Centers as Regional Seed Storage Centres?
- (c) If not, why?

2842/2023

Hon. U. K. Sumith Udukumbura,— To ask the Minister of Industries,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the measures that have been taken so far to improve the quality of life of those that are engaged in the blacksmith industry as a profession in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) whether he is aware that they are making various products whilst carrying on in the industry in the face of great difficulty;
  - (iii) of the measures taken to promote blacksmiths' products in the local market;
  - (iv) whether he is aware that the blacksmith industry can be protected by discouraging the importation of agricultural implements; and
  - (v) if so, of the measures taken for it?
- (b) If not, why?

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2932/2023

Hon. Hector Appuhamy,— To ask the Minister of Labour and Foreign Employment,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the date on which the Police unit of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment was established and the date on which it was removed;
  - (ii) of the reasons for removing that unit;
  - (iii) whether he admits that the decision to remove the said Police unit was taken without a legal and logical basis in a backdrop where bribery, fraud and corruption have increased in the foreign employment sector; and
  - (iv) if so, of the measures taken to reestablish that Police unit?
- (b) If not, why?

2969/2023

Hon. Hesha Withanage,— To ask the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this house—
  - (i) of the amount of plastic that has been imported into Sri Lanka since 2018 to date;
  - (ii) of the amount of money that has been spent thereon; and
  - (iii) of the measures that will be implemented to control the import of plastic into Sri Lanka?
- (b) If not, why?

3074/2023

Hon. Ashok Abeysinghe,— To ask the Minister of Transport and Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) separately, the number of employees served in Sri Lanka Railway Department by their position;
  - (ii) separately, the number of employees served on permanent and contract/casual basis; and
  - (iii) the action that will be taken to confirm the service of employees on contract/casual basis?
- (b) If not, why?

3090/2023

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

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of—
  - (i) the dates on which development of the cities of Kandy, Galle and Jaffna with foreign aid was commenced;
  - (ii) the international organizations that had consented to provide aid for the development of each of the said cities;
  - (iii) the amount that had been provided for the development of each of the said cities; and
  - (iv) the due date for completion of the development of each of the said cities?
- (b) Will he also inform this House of—
  - (i) the reasons for the delay in the project to develop the said cities;
  - (ii) the amount of aid lost due to the delay in that project; and
  - (iii) the measures taken to implement the project under World Bank aid within the scheduled time frame?
- (c) If not, why?

**Thursday, May 11, 2023**

**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS**

3/2023

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,— To ask the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the time period in which Mr. Arjun Mahendran functioned as the Governor of the Central Bank;
  - (ii) whether he admits that a bond scam occurred there during that time;
  - (iii) whether he is aware that the Presidential Commission appointed in this regard accused Mr. Arjun Mahendran of having a direct involvement in that bond scam; and
  - (iv) the names of the political authorities who recommended and approved the appointment of Mr. Arjun Mahendran as the Governor of the Central Bank?
- (b) If not, why?

384/2023

Hon. Wasantha Yapabandara, Attorney at Law,— To ask the Minister of Irrigation,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
  - (i) the maximum water storage capacity of Victoria reservoir had been 723 million cubic metres by 2021 and that it had come down to 428 million cubic metres by the end of January 2022; and
  - (ii) a crack in the middle of Mahaweli river has caused rapid decrease of water in that reservoir?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether an investigation would be conducted regarding the rapid decline of the water capacity of Mahaweli river; and
  - (ii) whether steps will be taken to conduct an annual water audit at reservoir level?
- (c) Will he also inform this House whether he admits that obtaining water required for cultivation on timely basis could become a problem as a result of drying up/evaporation of water in rivers owing to the use of water in rivers mostly for hydro electricity generation?
- (d) If not, why?

420/2023

Hon. Gayantha Karunatileka,— To ask the Minister of Labour and Foreign Employment,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the number of Sri Lankans who migrated for employment from 2015 to 2019;
  - (ii) the newly identified countries for sending Sri Lankans for foreign employment during the above period;
  - (iii) the number of Sri Lankans who were sent for employment in those countries; and
  - (iv) the amount of foreign exchange earned by the Sri Lankans who were employed in foreign countries for Sri Lanka, from 2015 to 2019 separately?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) whether the contributory pension scheme that has been proposed by the “Vistas of Prosperity and Splendour” manifesto for the migrant workers who have server for over 6 years in foreign countries, is in operation at present;
  - (ii) if so, the date on which it was implemented; and
  - (iii) the number of people who benefitted from that pension scheme?
- (c) If not, why?

474/2023

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the taxis and taxi service related foreign companies operating in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) separately, the income earned by each of such company from 01.01.2017 to 31.12.2021 on per year basis in rupees; and
  - (iii) separately, the amount of tax paid by each of these companies during the aforesaid period on per year basis in rupees?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) whether he admits that Sri Lankan taxi service providers operating in the business have faced with difficulties as a result of the entry by foreign taxi service companies;
  - (ii) whether measures have been taken to monitor and secure Sri Lankan Taxi Service; and
  - (iii) if so, such measures taken?
- (c) If not, why?

689/2023

Hon. Shanakiyan Rajaputhiran Rasamanickam,— to ask the Minister of Health,—(1)

- (a) Will he accept that—
  - (i) a permanent doctor has not been appointed to the divisional hospital in Kaludavalai within the Kaluvanchikudy Divisional Secretariat Division of the Batticaloa District; and
  - (ii) people of the area have been suffering as a result?
- (b) Will he inform the House—
  - (i) of the reasons for not appointing a permanent doctor to the hospital referred to above;
  - (ii) of the reasons for not appointing a pharmacist to the hospital; and
  - (iii) of the date on which the vacancies that exist at present in the hospital will be filled?

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- (c) Will he also inform the House—
  - (i) whether he admits that no renovation has been carried out in respect of the hospital from the time of its inception up to now?
  - (ii) If so, what the reasons for it are; and
  - (iii) what steps will be taken for the renovation of this hospital?
- (d) If not, why?

816/2023

Hon. Jagath Kumara Sumithraarachchi,— To ask the Minister of Public Security,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of police officers who shirked their responsibility during the clashes that occurred in Sri Lanka on 09.05.2022, separately according to each rank;
  - (ii) the measures taken against those officers;
  - (iii) whether he admits that there were individuals who harassed some police officers including a Deputy Inspector General of Police and behaved in a provoking manner disrupting their performance of duties on the said date and within the months around the said time;
  - (iv) whether those persons have been identified by now; and
  - (v) if so, whether legal action has been taken against them?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware of the fact that a Member of Parliament was assassinated amidst the clashes that occurred on 09.05.2022;
  - (ii) whether the persons involved in that assassination have been identified;
  - (iii) if so, the number of persons involved; and
  - (iv) whether legal action has been taken against them?
- (c) If not, why?

834/2023

Hon. Premnath C. Dolawatte, Attorney at Law,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Local Government,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) separately, the number of Cabinet Ministries and the State Ministries;
  - (ii) the names of aforesaid Ministries;
  - (iii) separately, among the above Ministries, the number of the Cabinet and the State Ministries that maintain their ministerial offices in private buildings;

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- (iv) the names of aforesaid Ministries;
  - (v) separately, of the amount of monthly rent, paid for each office;
  - (vi) the steps that will be taken to shift the Ministry offices, housed in private buildings to Government buildings?
- (b) If not, why?

850/2023

Hon. Gamini Waleboda,— To ask the Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether he is aware that a substantial portion of the foreign exchange due for Sri Lanka for exported goods, is held overseas without being remitted to Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) whether steps have been taken to identify the amount of foreign exchange so held; and
  - (iii) if so, of the steps?
- (b) Will he also inform this House—
- (i) of the existing laws in Sri Lanka to prevent, detect and take action against the perpetrators of internal foreign exchange frauds; and
  - (ii) whether steps will be taken to make the necessary amendments to the Foreign Exchange Act in order to prevent the aforesaid exchange frauds?
- (c) If not, why?

3100/2023

Hon. Lalith Varna Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the number of employees of the National Savings Bank who have been granted promotions after 2015;
  - (ii) of the methodology adopted in granting those promotions;
  - (iii) whether there was bias towards the employees at the Head Office branch of the National Savings Bank in granting promotions; and
  - (iv) whether showing outstanding progress at the branches where the managers had served previously has been considered in granting them promotions?
- (b) If not, why?

3103/2023

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

- (a) Will he inform this House—
    - (i) the number of principals who serve in the schools island wide on the basis of acting principals; and
    - (ii) out of the above principals, the number of principals who serve in the Northern and Eastern provinces?
  - (b) Will he also inform this House—
    - (i) the reasons for not granting the salary increments, promotions and transfers to the aforesaid principals who have been appointed on acting basis;
    - (ii) the dates on which the salary increments, promotions and transfers will be given to the aforesaid principals;
    - (iii) the reasons for not absorbing the aforesaid principals to the permanent service at present, in spite of the fact that under the general procedure, the acting principals are absorbed to the permanent principals service; and
    - (iv) the date of absorbing the aforesaid principals to the permanent service?
  - (c) If not, why?
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**Friday, May 12, 2023**

**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS**

859/2023

Hon. Rauff Hakeem, Attorney at Law,— To ask the Minister of Health,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether the Minister of Health is in agreement with the statement made by the State Minister of Indigenous Medicine on 29.11.2022 that the Ministry of Health was misled on its policy decision with regard to the cremation of COVID-19 deaths by a ‘Committee of Experts’; and
  - (ii) whether the aforementioned Committee was a government appointed Committee?
- (b) If the above Committee was a government appointed Committee, will he also inform this House—
  - (i) the recommendations of it specifically on COVID-19 death disposals;
  - (ii) appointing authority;

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- (iii) terms of Reference and/or mandate;
  - (iv) names of the members and designations;
  - (v) name of the Chair;
  - (vi) whether it meets continuously;
  - (vii) if not, the last date it met;
  - (viii) number of meetings held to date;
  - (ix) the place where meetings held; and
  - (x) separately, the names of the individuals chaired each of the meetings?
- (c) If not, why?

867/2023

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

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the area under maize cultivation in Vanni Palugollawa village in the Anuradhapura district;
  - (ii) whether the maize crop has been affected due to a new virus; and
  - (iii) if so, of the measures that will be taken to provide relief to the farmers, cultivating maize in the aforesaid village?
- (b) If not, why?

1713/2023

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,— To ask the Minister of Public Security,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) of the number of drug related cases that are currently pending in the courts in Sri Lanka;
  - (ii) of the number of persons who appeared as witnesses for the drug related cases and were assassinated on the roads from 01.01.2020 until now;
  - (iii) whether he is aware that the unarmed peaceful civilians are frightened due to those assassinations; and
  - (iv) if so, the courses of action taken by the Ministry to control such assassinations?
- (b) If not, why?

1305/2023

Hon. Kins Nelson,— To ask the Minister of Transport and Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the number of buses that has been deployed in the Polonnaruwa district under the “Sisu Seriya” programme at present;
  - (ii) the routes on which each such bus is run, separately; and
  - (iii) the measures that would be taken to further expand the “Sisu Seriya” programme throughout the Polonnaruwa district?
- (b) If not, why?

1314/2023

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

- (a) Will he state—
  - (i) the estimated cost and the final cost of Deduru Oya reservoir project separately;
  - (ii) whether the work of that project has been completed by now;
  - (iii) the objectives of commencing that project; and
  - (iv) whether those objectives have been achieved by now?
- (b) Will he also state—
  - (i) the maximum amount of water planned to be released through the right bank canal and left bank canal of Deduru Oya reservoir separately;
  - (ii) whether water is released as planned through the right bank canal and left bank canal after the completion of that project; and
  - (iii) whether he admits that the structures of the right bank and the left bank have been constructed without a proper foundation or proper connections?
- (c) Will he further state—
  - (i) the expected benefits of the said project; and
  - (ii) the cost of acquisition of land for the project and payment of compensation for the lands submerged, separately?
- (d) If not, why?

1317/2023

Hon. Mohomad Muzammil,— To ask the Minister of Justice, Prisons Affairs and Constitutional Reforms,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of Quazi courts functioning in Sri Lanka at present;
  - (ii) the number of divorce cases that have been heard from the year 2015 to date based on the determinations given by the Quazi courts;
  - (iii) the number of Quazis above the age of 60 serving in the Quazi courts;
  - (iv) the number of Quazis with degree qualifications; and
  - (v) the methodology adopted to select Quazis?
- (b) If not, why?

1323/2023

Hon. (Mrs.) Rohini Kumari Wijerathna,— To ask the Minister of Health,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware that a new regional hospital has been constructed in Laggala new town;
  - (ii) if so, of the amount spent on the construction of aforesaid hospital;
  - (iii) whether he is aware that aforesaid hospital does not have a labour room and a dialysis unit for kidney patients; and
  - (iv) of the steps that will be taken by the Ministry to complete the existing deficiencies of the hospital and develop it further?
- (b) If not, why?

1328/2023

Hon. Ishak Rahuman,— To ask the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of branches of Peoples' Bank situated in Anuradhapura district;
  - (ii) separately, the number of companies and persons who have been granted loans worth more than Rs. 5 million by the aforesaid bank branches from 2015 to 2020;
  - (iii) the amount yet to be recovered from the loans that had been granted during the aforesaid period;
  - (iv) whether legal action has been taken to recover the aforesaid loans; and
  - (v) the amount that had been written off as bad debt out of the debt mentioned in (iii) above?
- (b) If not, why?

1459/2023

Hon. Mayadunna Chinthaka Amal,— To ask the Minister of Plantation Industries,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the extent of lands in which cashew has been cultivated;
  - (ii) the annual cashew production;
  - (iii) whether cashew plants and various concessions will be given to encourage the farmers who engage in cashew cultivation; and
  - (iv) the actions that will be taken to promote cashew cultivation; with respect to Puttalam district?
- (b) If not, why?

1505/2023

Hon. (Mrs.) Kokila Gunawardene,— To ask the Minister of Environment,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
    - (i) whether the "School Environment Programs" are operative at present;
    - (ii) if so, of the number of schools in which "School Environment Programmes" are implemented;
    - (iii) whether school students as well as teachers have been involved in the said programmes;
    - (iv) of the current progress of the said project; and
    - (v) of the schools that contribute most actively to "School Environment Programmes"?
  - (b) If not, why?
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