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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0282/06

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he submit to this House separately,—
 - (i) the number of civilians, armed personnel including Police Officers killed and injured as a result of the ongoing North and East civil disturbances as at 22 February, 2002;
 - (ii) the number of persons lost their lives from 1975 to-date per year basis; and
 - (iii) the number of persons injured or killed from April 02, 2004 to-date per year basis?
- (b) Will he inform this House the cost incurred as the capital and the recurrent expenditure separately for the Districts in the North and East from 1990 to-date on per year basis?
- (c) Will he state,—
 - (i) whether the cease-fire agreement signed on the 22 February 2002 has helped to increase investments and reduce killings;
 - (ii) the facilitators and co-sponsors of the peace process;
 - (iii) whether the Government accepts the cease-fire agreement; and
 - (iv) if not, the reason for not rejecting or abrogating the cease-fire agreement?
- (d) If not, why?

0460/06

Hon. Vijitha Herath,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he submit to this House separately and on the basis of each institution, the number of posts of Class I Grade I and Class II Grade II of the Sri Lanka Planning Service that have been approved by the Department of Management Services and exist in all the Ministries, Departments and Provincial Councils?
- (b) Will he inform this House,—
 - (i) separately, the number of vacancies that exist for each post in the aforesaid institutions;
 - (ii) the number of officers of Class II Grade I of the Planning Service who have completed the required number of years in each of the aforesaid institutions along with their names and the institutes?
- (c) Will he state,—
 - (i) whether action will be taken to appoint Class II Grade I officers who have completed the relevant period of service for the Class I posts which have fallen vacant as mentioned above;
 - (ii) if not so, the reason for that;
 - (iii) whether action will be taken to fill the vacancies that exist in Planning Service at present;
 - (iv) if so in what manner?
- (d) If not, why?

Wednesday, October 04, 2006

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0510/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Trade, Commerce, Consumer Affairs and Marketing Development and Minister of Highways,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) roads which come under Norwood Region of RDA have no pedestrian crossings and this causes road accidents; and
 - (ii) many schools are situated near main roads in areas which come under the above authority?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the actions taken to control the situation; and
 - (ii) the reasons for not constructing pedestrian crossings on these roads?
- (c) If not, why?

0511/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) there are no medicine in estate hospitals;
 - (ii) hospitals with ambulance facilities, provide such facilities to patients after holding lengthy inquiries;
 - (iii) pregnant ladies in this area are transported in lorries to obtain treatment in town hospitals;
 - (iv) Thripasha is prepared unhygienically at creches in estates; and
 - (v) as a result of this unhygienic preparation, children often fall sick?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the reason for not educating people about hygienic practices; and
 - (ii) the action taken to improve the poor state of the health sector?
- (c) If not, why?

0514/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the date that the applications were received to fill the vacancy for the post of Principal at Karainagar Thiyagaraja Maha Vidyalaya;
 - (ii) the particulars of those who applied for the above post;
 - (iii) the reason why the above vacancy was not filled for the last one year;
 - (iv) the actions that have been taken in this regard; and
 - (v) how long it would take to give this appointment?
- (b) If not, why?

0386/06

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Public Administration and Home Affairs,—

- (a) Is he aware that the Government pledged to grant 50% salary increase to the Public Servants?
- (b) Will he inform this House whether the above pledge has been fulfilled?
- (c) Will he state separately,—
 - (i) the cost of salaries of all Public Servants per year;
 - (ii) the expected salary increase like; and
 - (iii) the number of Public Servants as at date?
- (d) Will he mention who is responsible for breach of any promise given to the Public Servants?
- (e) If not, why?

0480/06

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the total number of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) generated into Sri Lanka as at date for the last 10 years per year basis; and
 - (ii) the FDI for infrastructure development separately?
- (b) Will he state separately for the last 10 years per year basis that —
 - (i) the FDI came in and moved out of the Stock Exchange;
 - (ii) the FDI that has come to the country in respect of the service industry?
- (c) Will he inform this House the FDI as a percentage of GDP?
- (d) If not, why?

0476/'06

Hon. Abdul Bais Kamardeen,— To ask the Minister of Agricultural Development,—

- (a) Will he inform this House,—
 - (i) the details of lands owned by Government, Government Departments or Corporations and Institutions affiliated to Corporations within the Puttalam, Kalpitiya and Mundhall Divisional Secretariat Divisions of Puttalam District separately;
 - (ii) the extent of those lands and whether they are cultivated or barren lands;
 - (iii) whether all these lands or some of them have been handed over to individuals or organizations; and
 - (iv) if so, the extent of lands so handed over and the procedures followed?
- (b) If not, why?

0477/'06

Hon. Abdul Bais Kamardeen,— To ask the Minister of Agricultural Development,—

- (a) Will he inform this House,—
 - (i) whether one or more lands belonging to the Government or Government Departments, Corporations and associated Institutions in the Puttalam, Kalpitiya and Munthal Divisional Secretariat Divisions of Puttalam District were encroached by private individuals;
 - (ii) if so, name such lands separately;
 - (iii) the extent and locations of those lands;
 - (iv) the actions taken against such encroachments; and
 - (v) the present situation in relation to this matter?
- (b) If not, why?

0478/'06

Hon. Abdul Bais Kamardeen,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—

- (a) Will he state separately,—
 - (i) the Ministries in the Northwestern Provincial Council and Ministers in charge of these Ministries;
 - (ii) the details of financial allocations to these Ministries during the present regime of the above Provincial Council;
 - (iii) the amount allocated to Kurunegala and Puttalma District out of these allocations; and

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- (iv) the amount spent on the Puttalam Electorate out of the allocation for Puttalam District?

(b) If not, why?

0487/06

Hon. Anura Dissanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he inform this House whether the Supreme Court has given a ruling that there has been a massive fraud in the construction of the Hilton Hotel and who should be held responsible for such fraud?
- (b) Will he state,—
 - (i) the names of the officers who were served with charge sheet following investigations conducted by the Presidential Commission in 1995;
 - (ii) the positions held by such officers at that time;
 - (iii) whether an investigation was commenced by the Criminal Investigation Department in March 2004 as instructed by the Attorney-General after the term of the Presidential Commission was over; and
 - (iv) if so, its progress?
- (c) Will he state in this House,—
 - (i) whether a new plan with correct measurements has been drawn by the UDA having accepted that the plans of the Hilton Hotel are irregular and fraudulent; and
 - (ii) if any fraud has been committed, the steps taken by the government regarding it?
- (d) If not, why?

0482/06

Hon. Mussammil Mohamed,— To ask the Minister of Labour Relations and Foreign Employment,—

- (a) Will he inform this House of —
 - (i) the number of foreign employment agencies which have been registered under the Ministry of Labour Relations and Foreign Employment; and
 - (ii) the dates on which they were registered, separately?
- (b) Will he state —
 - (i) the complaints or charges of corruption, fraud or other malpractices that have been received in respect of the said agencies; and
 - (ii) the actions which have been taken regarding those complaints?
- (c) If not, why?

Hon. Mussammil Mohamed,— To ask the Minister of Indigenous Medicine and Deputy Minister of Religious Affairs,—

- (a) Will he inform this House of —
 - (i) the sum of money which has been allocated by the Ministry of Religious Affairs for Muslim cultural and religious affairs in 2006;
 - (ii) the projects which are being implemented by the Ministry for developing Muslim cultural and religious affairs;
 - (iii) the projects which are being contemplated as per the above subject in due course; and
 - (iv) the sums of money which have already been allocated and the sums which are intended for allocation, separately in respect of each project?
- (b) Will he state —
 - (i) whether acts of fraud, corruption or irregularities have been reported in respect of the projects under implementation at present; and
 - (ii) if so, what measures have been taken regarding them?
- (c) If not, why?

Hon. Mussammil Mohamed,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

- (a) Will he state separately in respect of each school—
 - (i) the number of schools which are termed “Muslim National Schools”;
 - (ii) the number of students studying in them;
 - (iii) the number of teachers currently attached to them; and
 - (iv) the number of teachers that should have been assigned to them?
 - (b) Will he submit to this House separately in respect of each school —
 - (i) the subjects for which there exists a shortage of teachers; and
 - (ii) the measures which have been taken to remedy it?
 - (c) If not, why?
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Thursday, October 05 , 2006

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0524/'06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Railways and Transport and Minister of Petroleum and Petroleum Resources Development,—

(a) Is he aware that —

- (i) the bus services to Ratnapura-Bambarakanda and Hewahatta-Delthota which come under the purview of Kandy South CTB are not regular;
- (ii) with this type of irregular bus services, people of various categories are affected;
- (iii) due to lack of resources in the schools of the above mentioned areas, the students have to go to urban schools;
- (iv) due to irregular bus services, various people, including students, patients etc. have to spend large sums of money on transport; and
- (v) the students of the above mentioned areas rely on CTB buses?

(b) Will he inform this House —

- (i) the number of buses deployed in the above mentioned areas;
- (ii) the times of bus services and the destinations;
- (iii) the details of drivers and conductors serving in these areas;and
- (iv) the steps to be taken to ensure regular services?

(c) If not, why?

0527/'06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

(a) Is he aware that —

- (i) over 100 students study in classes from Grade I to Grade V at the Moragolla Tamil Maha Vidyalaya at Hali-Ela, Badulla;
- (ii) the above school building collapsed due to an earth-slide that took place in this area about an year ago; and

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- (iii) as a result, the students and teachers are faced with various hardships without a permanent building for the last one year?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the reason for not providing a permanent building for the last one year; and
 - (ii) how long it will take to provide the above school with a permanent building?
- (c) If not, why?

0528/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) the Sabaragamuwa Provincial Council Building has many shortcomings;
 - (ii) the above building was constructed at a cost of Rs. 200 million; and
 - (iii) a large number of employees of various categories work here?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) when this Provincial Council Building was constructed;
 - (ii) who gave the contract for this construction;
 - (iii) who undertook the said contract; and
 - (iv) the particulars of those working in this building?
- (c) If not, why?

0330/06

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

- (a) Is he aware that,—
 - (i) applications were called for teaching foreign languages namely French, German, Japanese and Russian, when graduates were recruited to the Teacher's Service;
 - (ii) the persons who were recruited after calling for applications as mentioned above have been given posts of Development Assistant without giving them the opportunity to teach the relevant languages?
- (b) Will he inform this House the steps that will be taken to rectify the injustice caused to these persons who have been recruited as mentioned above, when vacancies exist for the relevant teaching appointments?
- (c) If not, why?

0395/06

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare, —To ask the Minister of Samurdhi and Poverty Alleviation,—

- (a) Is she aware that the Samurdhi assistance of Rs. 400/= which has been given to a person by the name of G.G. Sunil of No. 134, Acre 30, Aluthwaththa, Rajawella in Kundasale electorate upto now, has been cancelled this time?
- (b) Does she admit that the house of this person, who is married and a father of two children, has been built with cadjans and he does not have any other source of income either to maintain his family?
- (c) Will she state -
 - (i) whether he will be given the Samurdhi assistance that has been cancelled, with arrears; and
 - (ii) if it will be given, the date on which it will be done?
- (d) If not, why?

0622/06

Hon. Manicavasagar Kanagasabapathy Eelaventhana,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) the Multiple Book Option Scheme was introduced to decentralize textbook production and enable schools to have access to more than one text book;
 - (ii) the State Printing Corporation too was involved in printing various textbooks for Grades 6, 7, 8 and 9 for various subjects under the Multiple Book Option Scheme;
 - (iii) the State Printing Corporation got millions of rupees, after entering into agreement with the Educational Publications Department, which comes under the purview of the Ministry of Education;
 - (iv) authors of “Tamil Language and Literature for Grade 7” (First Print in 2004), are Mr. N. Sithamparanathan and Mrs. Sheela Sritharan; and
 - (v) they have not been paid even a cent for writing that textbook?
- (b) Will he take steps to pay the agreed amount due to the above mentioned authors?
- (c) If not, why?

0495/'06

Hon. Dimuthu Bandara Abayakoon,— To ask the Minister of Rural Industries and Self-employment Promotion,—

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the number of vehicles to which the chairman of the Sri Lanka Handicrafts Board is officially entitled;
 - (ii) the number of vehicles that have so far been allocated to this chairman from the relevant institution;
 - (iii) their makes and registration numbers;
 - (iv) the amount of money spent monthly as fuel expenses in respect of aforesaid vehicles?
- (b) Will he state separately the salaries, subsistence and all the other allowances of this chairman within the past two months?
- (c) If not, why?

0565/'06

Hon. Anura Dissanayake,—To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Is he aware that, on account of the tsunami disaster, various non-governmental organisations have imported vehicles in large numbers duty free or under concessionary tariff rates?
- (b) Will he submit to this House separately, the number of vehicles so imported under tariff concessions by each of such non-governmental organisations?
- (c) Will he state the make of those vehicles and the tariff concession rates given to each of those vehicles?
- (d) If not, why?

0566/'06

Hon. Anura Dissanayake,— To ask the Minister of Agricultural Development,—

- (a) Will he inform this House, separately -
 - (i) the extent of land distributed among the public and various institutions during the period from January 2002 to January 2006, out of the lands belonging to the Land Reform Commission and the state owned plantation companies?
 - (ii) on what basis they were distributed;
 - (iii) the beneficiaries (including the institutions) who had obtained land on various bases; and

- (iv) their addresses and the extents of land so distributed?
- (b) If any sum of money had been charged for that purpose, will he state such prices under each of such bases?
- (c) If not, why?

0572/'06

Hon. (Ven.) Alawwe Nandaloka Thero,—To ask the Minister of Housing and Construction,—

- (a) Is she aware that the buildings which housed the sales outlet of the Building Materials Corporation, adjoining the Attanagalla Divisional Secretariat in Nittambuwa in the Gampaha District has been closed for many years?
- (b) Will she take steps to reopen this sales outlet of the Building Materials Corporation using these premises and the buildings?
- (c) If not, why?

0579/'06

Hon. Sunil Handunnetti,—To ask the Minister of Co-operatives and Co-operative Development and Deputy Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—

- (a) Will he inform this House -
 - (i) the name of the present Chairman of the Sri Jayawardanapura Multi-purpose Co-operative Society;
 - (ii) whether the said Chairman has functioned as a Provincial Councilor or a Member of Pradeshiya Sabha; and
 - (iii) whether he has served in the co-operative field before and was interdicted on charges made against him?
- (b) Will he state the names and positions held by the relatives of the said Chairman, if his relatives hold office in the Sri Jayawardanapura Multi-purpose co-operative society?
- (c) If not, why?

0597/'06

Hon. Gamini Lokuge,—To ask the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Minister of Ports and Aviation,—

(a) Will he inform this House, of —

- (i) the name of the Chairman of the Sri Lanka Ports Authority;
- (ii) the names of the other Directors;
- (iii) the educational qualifications of each of them;
- (iv) the allowances paid to them monthly; and
- (v) the vehicles provided to them and their registration numbers?

(b) Will he state separately —

- (i) the number of consultants attached to the Sri Lanka Ports Authority in addition to the Directors;
- (ii) the names and educational qualifications of each of them;
- (iii) the monthly allowances paid to them;
- (iv) the particulars of the vehicles, if vehicles have been provided to them; and
- (v) the amount of money paid to them as travelling expenses and overtime in the month of July?

(c) If not, why?

0598/'06

Hon. Gamini Lokuge,— To ask the Minister of Samurdhi and Poverty Alleviation,—

- (a) Is she aware that Mr. L.P. Premadasa of No. 215/3, Samupakara Mawatha, Honnantara, Piliyandala, has a mandatory Savings Pass Book Bearing No. 0109/04/19/CSA1030 at the Samurdhi Bank?
- (b) Will she accept that at present he receives a sum of Rs. 340/= monthly as allowance?
- (c) Will she state the reasons as to why the money deposited in his Samurdhi Savings Pass Book is not paid back to him?
- (d) If not, why?

0388/06

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,—To ask the Minister of Agriculture, Irrigation and Mahaweli Development and Minister of Environment,—

- (a) Is he aware that the Government pledged to purchase paddy at Rs. 22/= per kilo?
- (b) Will he inform this House whether the above pledge has been fulfilled?
- (c) Will he state separately —
 - (i) how much money has been allocated for this purpose;
 - (ii) the Government institutions which purchase paddy at the above rate; and
 - (iii) how many kilos of paddy had been purchased by the Government to date per district basis?
- (d) Will he state why farmers agitate that thier paddy is not purchased even at Rs. 9/= per kilo?
- (e) Will he also state —
 - (i) what steps the farmers could take;
 - (ii) the number of farmers committed suicide since 17 November 2005; and
 - (iii) the total cost or loss incurred by the Government in purchasing paddy?
- (f) If not, why

Tuesday, October 17 , 2006

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0512/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran, —To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the reason for the tension in Bambegamuwa estate in Eheliyagoda recently;
 - (ii) names and details of relief provided to the people affected by the above problem;

- (iii) details of refugee camps where the displaced people were accommodated after the incident;
- (iv) action taken to prevent such incidents in the future;
- (v) action taken to restore normalcy in the area;
- (vi) the action to be taken against those who were involved in the attack; and
- (vii) the reason why the police did not take prompt action even though they had been informed of the incident immediately?

(b) If not, why?

0530/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Estate Infrastructure and Livestock Development,—

(b) Is he aware that —

- (i) the estate workers' children do not have any nutritious food other than the "Thripasha" balls, at a time when their income is making a heavy impact on their life;
- (ii) as a result of this, the efficiency of these students is decreased; and
- (iii) no nutritional measures are being taken at a time when price escalation and high cost of living are making a serious impact on the life of these workers who are daily paid?

(b) Will he inform this House —

- (i) the action taken in respect of nutrition;
- (ii) assistance granted to the students been affected on account of this;
- (iii) details of Estate Creche;
- (iv) names and other details of the children in these centres; and
- (v) the details of food provided to them?

(c) If not, why?

0532/'06

Hon. T. Maheswaran,— To ask the Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) there is no single hospital in the Nuwara-Eliya District which has all facilities;
 - (ii) thousands of estate workers are living in this district;
 - (iii) they go to hospitals in the other cities for their medical needs; and
 - (iv) they undergo immense hardships due to this situation?
- (b) Will he inform this House the action taken to remedy the above?
- (c) If not, why?

0473/'06

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Labour Relations and Foreign Employment,—

- (a) Will he state,—
 - (i) the number of employees sent to Malaysia as labourers with the involvement of the aforesaid Ministry;
 - (ii) the names of the Foreign Employment Agencies through which they were sent and the particulars about their properties; and
 - (iii) the break down of the personnel that have been sent abroad by the respective Agencies?
- (b) Will he inform this House,—
 - (i) whether there is an agreement or an understanding between Malaysia and Sri Lanka on securing employment in Malaysia;
 - (ii) if so, what that agreement or the understanding is?
- (c) Is he aware that the minimum salaries and facilities that have been agreed upon to be paid to the labourers are not provided to them?
- (d) If so, will he state the names of the Employment Agencies that violate the relevant conditions?
- (e) If not, why?

Hon. Anura Dissanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,—

- (a) Will he inform this House,—
 - (i) when the provision of public funds to the Hotel Developers (Lanka) Company Ltd. commenced as loans along with such amounts;
 - (ii) separately, the amount of loans provided so by the State; and
 - (iii) the interest payable on such loans?
- (b) Will he state,—
 - (i) if there is an evasion in the payment of outstanding loans and interest payable to the government, the amount so unsettled;
 - (ii) the steps that will be taken by the Government to recover such dues;
 - (iii) whether the Cabinet of Ministers has taken any decision to issue shares of the said Hotel Developers (Lanka) Ltd. in order to settle the loans;
 - (iv) whether action has been taken according to such decision; and
 - (v) if not, from when it will be implemented?
- (c) If not, why?

0458/06

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake- To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence,-

- (a) Will he inform this House -
 - (i) when was the Hilton Hotel constructed;
 - (ii) the names of the shareholders along with their percentage of shares held at the inception;
 - (iii) the names of the present shareholders;
 - (iv) the anticipated cost outlay at the beginning and the final cost;
 - (v) the amount paid by the Government against outstanding; and
 - (vi) the amount due and to whom?
 - (b) Will he state the net asset value as at today of the Hilton Hotel to the owing shareholders?
 - (c) If not, why?
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Wednesday, October 18 , 2006

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0246/'06

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Labour Relations and Foreign Employment,—

- (a) Will he submit to this House separately, the names and addresses of the persons who were interviewed from April 2004 upto now, for employment abroad in Korea?
- (b) Will he state separately the names of those who have in fact gone abroad, out of the persons who appeared for the said interviews?
- (c) Will he state to this House, —
 - (i) whether those who have thus gone abroad, had spent some money for it; and
 - (ii) if so, how much it was?
- (d) If not, why?

0331/'06

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Education,—

- (a) Is he aware that an injustice has been caused to students during the assessment of answer scripts of the last General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level) examination?
- (b) Will he state separately, the courses of action that will be followed in order to —
 - (i) neutralize the impact of this on the Z-score of the final result of the students, and
 - (ii) to prevent the delay that will be caused in enrolling students to the universities as a result of the above mentioned reason?
- (c) If not, why?

0450/'06

Hon. Vijitha Ranaweera,— To ask the Minister of Power and Energy,—

- (a) Will he inform this House of the Grama Niladhari Divisions with their respective Divisional Secretariat Divisions, which come under the jurisdiction of the Consumer Services Centre of the Ceylon Electricity Board of Kataragama in the Hambantota District?

- (b) Will he state separately the number of transformers stationed in the area of this Consumer Services Centre as at June 01, 2006 and where they are stationed?
- (c) Will he state in this House separately,—
 - (i) the number of consumers who have obtained connections from each such transformer for purposes such as religious, domestic, commercial etc.;
 - (ii) the number of transformers in the entire area covered with three phase electricity lines; and
 - (iii) will he state, with reference to the electrical transformer concerned, the areas identified by the Ceylon Electricity Board as those which do not get the proper voltage in the above Consumer Services centre area?
- (d) If not, why?

451/06

Hon. Vijitha Ranaweera,— To ask the Minister of Power and Energy,—

- (a) Will he inform this House of the Grama Niladhari Divisions with their respective Divisional Secretariat Divisions, which come under the jurisdiction of the Consumer Services Centre of the Ceylon Electricity Board of Hambantota?
- (b) Will he state separately the number of transformers stationed in the area of this Consumer Services Centre as at June 01, 2006 and where they are stationed?
- (c) Will he state in this House separately,—
 - (i) the number of consumers who have obtained connections from each such transformer for purposes such as religious, domestic, commercial etc.;
 - (ii) the number of transformers in the entire area covered with three phase electricity lines; and
 - (iii) will he state, with reference to the electrical transformer concerned, the areas identified by the Ceylon Electricity Board as those which do not get the proper voltage in the above Consumer Services centre area ?
- (d) If not, why?

0452/06

Hon. Vijitha Ranaweera,— To ask the Minister of Power and Energy,—

- (a) Will he inform this House of the Grama Niladhari Divisions with their respective Divisional Secretariat Divisions, which come under the jurisdiction of the Consumer Services Centre of the Ceylon Electricity Board of Angunakolapelessa?

- (b) Will he state separately the number of transformers stationed in the area of this Consumer Services Centre as at June 01, 2006 and where they are stationed ?
- (c) Will he state in this House separately,—
 - (i) the number of consumers who have obtained connections from each such transformer for purposes such as religious, domestic, commercial etc.;
 - (ii) the number of transformers in the entire area covered with three phase electricity lines; and
 - (iii) will he state, with reference to the electrical transformer concerned, the areas identified by the Ceylon Electricity Board as those which do not get the proper voltage in the above Consumer Services centre area?
- (d) If not, why?

0523/06

Hon. T. Maheswaran, —To ask the Minister of Estate Infrastructure and Livestock Development,—

- (a) Is he aware that —
 - (i) the line rooms occupied by the estate workers in the Panvilla Rakyawa estate workers in Wathugama area, are in very bad condition and on the verge of collapse;
 - (ii) the estate administration or the trade unions have not come forward to renovate the above line rooms;
 - (iii) these line rooms are in a dilapidated condition for the last 20 years;
 - (b) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) the steps to be taken to renovate these line rooms;
 - (ii) the time it will take to renovate them;
 - (iii) though N.G.O.s issued roofing sheets for the above line rooms, the reason for not given them to the workers?
 - (c) The action he is going to take against the trade union, and the estate administration for not empathizing with this situation?
 - (d) If not, why?
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