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Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

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Indicates Government Business

Thursday, May 10, 2012

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1731/'11

Hon. Anura Dissanayaka,— To ask the Minister of Telecommunication and Information Technology,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

(i) of the number of Sri Lanka Telecom call centres established in the island;

(ii) of the areas in which the aforesaid call centres are located;

(iii) of the number of employees employed in the aforesaid call centres;

(2)

- (iv) of the number of employees in the age group of 55-60 years, out of the aforesaid employees;
 - (v) of the methodology adopted in employing the aforesaid group of persons;
 - (vi) whether a flexible shift system has been introduced in employing them; and
 - (vii) if so, whether it is admitted that through the employment of women in the age group of 55-60 years according to the aforesaid methodology their human rights are being violated?
- (b) If not, why?

1908/'11

Hon. M. T. Hasen Ali,— To ask the Minister of Mass Media and Information,— (3)

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
- (i) the basic qualification required for a person to be appointed to the post of permanent producer in the Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation;
 - (ii) the number of permanent producers currently serving in the Tamil Service of the Sri Lanka Broadcasting Corporation; and
 - (iii) the detailed qualifications of each of the aforesaid permanent producers ?
- (b) If not, why?

2028/'11

Hon. Sajith Premadasa,— To ask the Minister of Technology and Research,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform whether there is a methodology to obtain information on the new inventions, new discoveries and machinery produced by the talented craftsmen living in various parts of this country?
- (b) Will he admit the facts that—
- (i) most of the new inventors of this country are unable to improve their inventions and make progress for want of a strong economic footing ; and
 - (ii) those with necessary means in the society are reluctant to help this category of people financially?

(3)

(c) Will he state whether he will take necessary steps to—

- (i) subject to a correct evaluation the benefits accrued to the economy and the people of this country through the products of the new inventors ; and
- (ii) encourage the inventors who have produced useful new inventions and promote the production of such items as an industry?

(d) If not, why ?

2108/'11

Hon. John Amaratunga,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Planning,— (2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether the Employees Provident Fund deals in the share market ;
- (ii) if so, the names of the brokers who act on behalf of the Employees Provident Fund ; and
- (iii) the names of the directors of the respective stock brokering companies?

(b) If not, why?

Friday, May 11, 2012

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1758/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—

- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
- (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;

of the Chairman of the Bope-Poddala Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

(4)

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1847/'11

Hon. (Al-Haj) A.H.M. Azwer,— To ask the Minister of Construction, Engineering Services, Housing and Common Amenities,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether there is an arrangement in place to provide houses to minor employees at the Hambantota Saltern ; and
 - (ii) the cost incurred to construct one house?
- (b) Will he state the period during which these houses are expected to be transferred to these employees?
- (c) If not, why?

1925/'11

Hon. Ajith P. Perera,— To ask the Minister of Foreign Employment Promotion and Welfare,—(2)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) separately the number of women who migrated to foreign countries as housemaids in the years 2008,2009 and 2010;
 - (ii) whether the Foreign Employment Bureau has the statistics regarding mothers who were among the women who migrated as housemaids in the above years; and
 - (iii) if so, the number of mothers who migrated as housemaids, separately in relation to each year?

- (b) Will he admit that—
 - (i) the children of the families in which mothers migrated have been adversely affected; and
 - (ii) the government is vested with a special responsibility of protecting the family units in implementing state policies in terms of article 27(12) of the constitution ?
- (c) If so, whether the government will take steps to stop women with children from going abroad as housemaids?
- (d) If not, why?

2051/'11

Hon. Sajith Premadasa,— To ask the Minister of Ports and Highways,—(2)

- (a) Will he state whether the first phase of the Hambanthota Port Development Project has been completed ?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) whether work on second phase of the Hambanthota Port Development Project has been planned out ;
 - (ii) what are the development programmes, relevant to it ;
 - (iii) whether steps will be taken to acquire lands for the second phase of the project ;
 - (iv) if so, the Grama Niladhari Divisions where those lands are expected to acquire ;
 - (v) the number of families to be evacuated from such areas ;
 - (vi) the names and addresses of those who will be evacuated ;
 - (vii) the Grama Niladhari Divisions where the alternative lands will be provided for them ; and
 - (viii) the basis on which compensation will be paid for lands acquired?
- (c) If not, why ?

2142/'11

Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam,— To ask the Minister of Construction, Engineering Services, Housing and Common Amenities,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether free hold deeds have been provided in respect of blocks of lands at Muruthenge, the possession of which was handed over by the Kurunegala Office of the National Housing Development Authority in 1996 subsequent to the division of the land and charging money for the blocks so divided;
- (ii) if not, whether arrangements will be made to provide those deeds;
- (iii) if deeds are to be provided, the date on which it will be done;
- (iv) of the reasons that delay the provision of deeds; and
- (v) whether plans are afoot to charge the current market value for these blocks of lands despite the fact that certain other lands which were provided along with these lands have been given at the then value in 1996 ?

(b) If not, why ?

2053/'11

Hon. Sajith Premadasa,— To ask the Minister of Private Transport Services,—(2)

(a) Will he accept that—

- (i) certain vehicles used for the transportation of school children, are not in a proper running condition ; and
- (ii) the lives of the school children who travel in such vehicles are not safe?

(b) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether there is an institution, established to detect the condition of the vehicles used to transportation of school children ;
- (ii) whether there is a method followed, for charging fees for the transportation of school children ; and
- (iii) whether he is aware that some persons who run school transport services charge fees even for the vacations?

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- (c) Will he state whether a systematic methodology will be prepared to look into the condition of vehicles which are used for transportation of school children and the charging of fees?
- (d) If not, why ?

QUESTIONS NOT FOR ORAL ANSWERS
(Friday, May 11, 2012)

1759/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Akmeemana Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1760/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—

(i) the salaries and allowances; and

(ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;

of the Chairman of the Yakkalamulla Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

(b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—

(i) the health clinics;

(ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;

(iii) the road development; and

(iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

(c) If not, why?

1761/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—

(i) the salaries and allowances; and

(ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;

of the Chairman of the Baddegama Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1762/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Neluwa Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1763/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Thawalama Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1764/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Niyagama Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1765/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Rathgama Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1766/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Imaduwa Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1767/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Nagoda Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1768/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Elpitiya Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1769/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Benthota Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1770/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Welivitiya-Divithura Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1771/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Karadeniya Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1772/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
- (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;
- of the Chairman of the Balapitiya Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1773/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Chairman of the Ambalangoda Pradeshiya Sabha in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid Pradeshiya Sabha that were spent annually within that Pradeshiya Sabha area for—
 - (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?

1774/'11

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House separately of the amounts of money spent for—
 - (i) the salaries and allowances; and
 - (ii) the official telephone and the mobile phone;of the Mayor of the Ambalangoda Urban Council in each of the years during the period from the year 2006 up to now?

- (b) Will he state separately the amounts of funds of the aforesaid urban council that were spent annually within that Urban Council area for—
- (i) the health clinics;
 - (ii) the mosquito control programmes including dengue control programmes and disease prevention activities;
 - (iii) the road development; and
 - (iv) the buying of books for libraries during the period from the year 2006 up to now?
- (c) If not, why?
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