



(Eighth Parliament - First Session)

No. 251,]

MINUTES OF PARLIAMENT

Wednesday, April 04, 2018 at 9.30 a.m.

PRESENT :

Hon. Karu Jayasuriya, Speaker

Hon. Thilanga Sumathipala, Deputy Speaker and Chairman of Committees

Hon. Selvam Adaikkalanathan, Deputy Chairman of Committees

Hon. Ranil Wickremesinghe, Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs

Hon. (Mrs.) Thalatha Atukorale, Minister of Justice

Hon. Wajira Abeywardana, Minister of Home Affairs

Hon. John Amaratunga, Minister of Tourism Development and Christian Religious Affairs

Hon. Gayantha Karunatileka, Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms and the Chief Government Whip

Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam, Minister of Education

Hon. Lakshman Kiriella, Minister of Public Enterprise and Kandy Development and Leader of the House of Parliament

Hon. Mano Ganesan, Minister of National Co-existence, Dialogue and Official Languages

Hon. Daya Gamage, Minister of Primary Industries

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara, Minister of Sports

Hon. Palany Thigambaram, Minister of Hill Country New Villages, Infrastructure and Community Development

Hon. Navin Dissanayake, Minister of Plantation Industries

Hon. S. B. Dissanayake, Minister of Social Empowerment, Welfare and Kandyan Heritage

Hon. S. B. Nawinne, Minister of Internal Affairs, Wayamba Development and Cultural Affairs

Hon. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera, Minister of Buddhasasana

- Hon. Harin Fernando**, Minister of Telecommunication, Digital Infrastructure and Foreign Employment
- Hon. A. D. Susil Premajayantha**, Minister of Science, Technology and Research
- Hon. Sajith Premadasa**, Minister of Housing and Construction
- Hon. Rishad Bathiudeen**, Minister of Industry and Commerce
- Hon. R. M. Ranjith Madduma Bandara**, Minister of Public Administration and Management and Minister of Law and Order
- Hon. (Mrs.) Chandrani Bandara**, Minister of Women and Child Affairs
- Hon. Tilak Marapana**, Minister of Foreign Affairs
- Hon. Faiszer Musthapha**, Minister of Provincial Councils and Local Government
- Hon. Anura Priyadharshana Yapa**, Minister of Disaster Management
- Hon. Sagala Ratnayaka**, Minister of Project Management, Youth Affairs and Southern Development
- Hon. Arjuna Ranatunga**, Minister of Petroleum Resources Development
- Hon. Patali Champika Ranawaka**, Minister of Megapolis and Western Development
- Hon. Chandima Weerakkody**, Minister of Skills Development and Vocational Training
- Hon. Malik Samarawickrama**, Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade
- Hon. Mangala Samaraweera**, Minister of Finance and Mass Media
- Hon. Ravindra Samaraweera**, Minister of Sustainable Development and Wildlife
- Hon. Mahinda Samarasinghe**, Minister of Ports and Shipping
- Hon. Ranjith Siyambalapitiya**, Minister of Power and Renewable Energy
- Hon. W. D. J. Senewiratne**, Minister of Labour, Trade Union Relations and Sabaragamu Development
- Hon. (Dr.) Rajitha Senaratne**, Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine
- Hon. D. M. Swaminathan**, Minister of Prison Reforms, Rehabilitation, Resettlement and Hindu Religious Affairs
- Hon. Rauff Hakeem**, Minister of City Planning and Water Supply
- Hon. Abdul Haleem**, Minister of Post, Postal Services and Muslim Religious Affairs
- Hon. Kabir Hashim**, Minister of Higher Education and Highways
- Hon. P. Harrison**, Minister of Rural Economic Affairs
- Hon. Field Marshal Sarath Fonseka**, Minister of Regional Development
- Hon. Lakshman Yapa Abeywardena**, State Minister of Public Enterprise Development
- Hon. Wasantha Aluwihare**, State Minister of Agriculture

Hon. T. B. Ekanayake, State Minister of Lands

Hon. Piyasena Gamage, State Minister of Project Management, Youth Affairs and Southern Development

Hon. (Dr.) Harsha De Silva, State Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs

Hon. Ajith P. Perera, State Minister of Power and Renewable Energy

Hon. Dilan Perera, State Minister of Highways

Hon. Niroshan Perera, State Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs

Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Sudarshini Fernandopulle, State Minister of City Planning and Water Supply

Hon. A. D. Premadasa, State Minister of Industry and Commerce Affairs

Hon. Palitha Range Bandara, State Minister of Irrigation

Hon. (Mrs.) Vijayakala Maheswaran, State Minister of Child Affairs

Hon. V. S. Radhakrishnan, State Minister of Education

Hon. Eran Wickramaratne, State Minister of Finance

Hon. Ruwan Wijewardene, State Minister of Defence

Hon. (Mrs.) Sriyani Wijewickrama, State Minister of Provincial Councils and Local Government

Hon. Dilip Wedaarachchi, State Minister of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development

Hon. Sujeewa Senasinghe, State Minister of International Trade

Hon. Lakshman Senewiratne, State Minister of Science, Technology and Research

Hon. Vasantha Senanayake, State Minister of Foreign Affairs

Hon. A. H. M. Fowzie, State Minister of National Integration and Reconciliation

Hon. Ashok Abeysinghe, Deputy Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation

Hon. Lasantha Alagiyawanna, Deputy Minister of Finance and Mass Media

Hon. J. C. Alawathuwala, Deputy Minister of Home Affairs

Hon. Faizal Cassim, Deputy Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine

Hon. Dunesh Gankanda, Deputy Minister of Disaster Management

Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Anoma Gamage, Deputy Minister of Petroleum Resources Development

Hon. Anuradha Jayaratne, Deputy Minister of Mahaweli Development and Environment

Hon. (Mrs.) Sumedha G. Jayasena, Deputy Minister of Sustainable Development and Wildlife

Hon. Palitha Kumara Thewarapperuma, Deputy Minister of Internal Affairs, Wayamba Development and Cultural Affairs

Hon. Karunarathna Paranawithana, Deputy Minister of Skills Development and Vocational Training

Hon. Susantha Punchinilame, Deputy Minister of Public Administration and Management

Hon. Lakshman Wasantha Perera, Deputy Minister of Plantation Industries

Hon. Indika Bandaranayake, Deputy Minister of Housing and Construction

Hon. Tharanath Basnayaka, Deputy Minister of Telecommunication and Digital Infrastructure

Hon. Nishantha Muthuhettigamage, Deputy Minister of Ports and Shipping Affairs

Hon. Ranjan Ramanayake, Deputy Minister of Social Empowerment, Welfare and Kandy Heritage

Hon. Muthu Sivalingam, Deputy Minister of Primary Industries

Hon. Ameer Ali Shihabdeen, Deputy Minister of Rural Economic Affairs

Hon. H. M. M. Harees, Deputy Minister of Sports

Hon. Hector Appuhamy

Hon. Rohitha Abeygunawardana

Hon. Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena

Hon. Sisira Kumara Abeysekara

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena

Hon. Dilum Amunugama

Hon. Dullas Alahapperuma

Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage

Hon. Mahindananda Aluthgamage

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake

Hon. A. Aravindh Kumar

Hon. J. M. Ananda Kumarasiri

Hon. Velu Kumar

Hon. Nalaka Prasad Colonne

Hon. Kaveendiran Kodeeswaran

Hon. Chandrasiri Gajadeera

Hon. Chandima Gamage

Hon. Siripala Gamalath

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila

Hon. Nihal Galappaththi

Hon. Dinesh Gunawardena

Hon. (Dr.) Bandula Gunawardane
Hon. Edward Gunasekara
Hon. Padma Udhayashantha Gunasekera
Hon. S. M. Chandrasena
Hon. D. V. Chanaka
Hon. Sisira Jayakody
Hon. Malith Jayathilake
Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa
Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha
Hon. Anura Sidney Jayarathne
Hon. Piyankara Jayaratne
Hon. (Dr.) Kavinda Heshan Jayawardana
Hon. Lucky Jayawardana
Hon. Premalal Jayasekara
Hon. Mylvaganam Thilakarajah
Hon. K. Thurairetnasingam
Hon. Janaka Bandara Tennakoon
Hon. Arumugan Thondaman
Hon. M. S. Thowfeek
Hon. Sirinal de Mel
Hon. Piyal Nishantha De Silva
Hon. Mohan Priyadarshana De Silva
Hon. T. Ranjith De Zoysa
Hon. Anura Dissanayaka
Hon. Mayantha Dissanayake
Hon. Wimalaweera Dissanayaka
Hon. Weerakumara Dissanayake
Hon. Salinda Dissanayake
Hon. Douglas Devananda
Hon. Mohamed Navavi
Hon. Mohamadu Nazeer
Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara
Hon. I. Charles Nirmalanathan
Hon. Buddhika Pathirana
Hon. (Dr.) Ramesh Pathirana
Hon. K. K. Piyadasa
Hon. Sanath Nishantha Perera
Hon. Sujith Sanjaya Perera
Hon. Arundika Fernando

Hon. Johnston Fernando
Hon. Ashoka Priyantha
Hon. (Mrs.) Hirunika Premachandra
Hon. S. Premarathna
Hon. Bandula Lal Bandarigoda
Hon. Tharaka Balasuriya
Hon. Vijitha Berugoda
Hon. Muhammad Ibrahim Muhammad Mansoor
Hon. S. M. Marikkar
Hon. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana
Hon. K. Kader Masthan
Hon. Imran Maharoof
Hon. Abdullah Mahrooff
Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma
Hon. (Prof.) Ashu Marasinghe
Hon. S. C. Mutukumarana
Hon. Seeniththamby Yoheswaran
Hon. (Ven.) Athuraliye Rathana Thero
Hon. Bimal Rathnayake
Hon. C. B. Rathnayake
Hon. Lohan Ratwatte
Hon. Prasanna Ranatunga
Hon. Prasanna Ranaweera
Hon. Roshan Ranasinghe
Hon. Keheliya Rambukwella
Hon. Ishak Rahuman
Hon. Mujibur Rahuman
Hon. Harshana Rajakaruna
Hon. Chamal Rajapaksa
Hon. Namal Rajapaksa
Hon. Mahinda Rajapaksa
Hon. (Dr.) Wijeyadasa Rajapakshe
Hon. Angajan Ramanathan
Hon. Nimal Lanza
Hon. Gamini Lokuge
Hon. Janaka Wakkumbura
Hon. (Mrs.) Pavithradevi Wanniarachchi
Hon. Vidura Wickramanayaka
Hon. (Dr.) Jayampathy Wickramaratne

Hon. A. A. Wijethunga
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Thusitha Wijemanna
Hon. Lakshman Ananda Wijemanne
Hon. (Mrs.) Rohini Kumari Wijerathna
Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri
Hon. Duleep Wijesekera
Hon. Kanchana Wijesekara
Hon. Heshan Withanage
Hon. Thenuka Vidanagamage
Hon. S. Viyalanderan
Hon. Wimal Weerawansa
Hon. Kumara Welgama
Hon. S. Shritharan
Hon. Gnanamuthu Srineshan
Hon. (Mrs.) Shanthi Sriskandarasa
Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera
Hon. Sandith Samarasinghe
Hon. Rajavarothiam Sampanthan, Leader of the Opposition in Parliament
Hon. E. Saravanapavan
Hon. Dharmalingam Sithadthan
Hon. (Dr.) S. Sivamohan
Hon. Annamalai Nadesu Sivasakthi
Hon. M. A. Sumanthiran
Hon. Vadivel Suresh
Hon. Mavai S. Senathirajah
Hon. Chathura Sandeepa Senaratne
Hon. Shehan Semasinghe
Hon. Sunil Handunnetti
Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi
Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath
Hon. Kanaka Herath
Hon. Vijitha Herath

Mr. Dhammika Dasanayake, Secretary-General of Parliament

Mr. Neil Iddawala, Chief of Staff and Deputy Secretary-General of Parliament

Mrs. Kushani Rohanadeera, Assistant Secretary-General

Mr. Tikiri K. Jayathilake, Assistant Secretary-General

Parliament met pursuant to adjournment. The Speaker took the Chair.**1. Presentation of Papers :** The Speaker presented the—

- (i) The Second Instalment – Part XXIII and Ninth Instalment – Part VII of the Report of the Auditor-General for the Financial Year 2015; and
- (ii) Tenth Instalment – Special Audit Report – Part IV

in terms of Article 154(6) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

Ordered that the said Report do lie upon the Table and to be printed.

2. Sittings of the Parliament : The Leader of the House of Parliament moved,— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order No. 7 of the Parliament, and the motions agreed to by Parliament on 08.03.2016, the hours of sittings of Parliament on this day shall be 9.30 a.m. to 9.30 p.m.. At 9.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament without question put.

Question put, and agreed to.

3. Business of the Parliament : The Leader of the House of Parliament moved,— That the proceedings on Item No. 1 of Public Business appearing on the Order Paper be exempted at this day's sittings from the provisions of the Standing Order No.7 of the Parliament and the motion agreed to by Parliament on this day.

Question put, and agreed to.

4. Vote of No Confidence on the Hon. Ranil Wickremesinghe, Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs : Hon. Dinesh Gunawardena seconded by Hon Dullas Alahapperuma moved,—

Whereas Hon. Ranil Wickramasinghe, the Prime Minister, has severed the Central Bank of Sri Lanka from the Ministry of Finance contrary to the norm and brought it under himself with the motive of committing a fraud associated with Treasury Bonds;

And whereas he has proposed a non-citizen of Sri Lanka named Mr. Arjun Mahendran, who is shrouded with an infamous track record and a conflict of interests, to the post of Governor of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka;

And whereas he has been obviously associated with the Bond fraud which occurred at the Central Bank of Sri Lanka, which is the most colossal financial fraud in the world in the recent era;

And whereas he has made an attempt to save the fraudsters involved in that fraud by appointing the Pitipana Committee comprising his political cronies to save them;

And whereas he has misled the Parliament by making a special statement on 17th March, 2015 to protect the said fraudsters involved in the Treasury Bond fraud and to conceal the true facts;

And whereas he has made an attempt to exonerate the accused persons through the Committee on Public Enterprises (COPE), which had been investigating the Treasury Bond fraud by that time, by removing a Member of Parliament of the United National Party from the said Committee and replacing the said Member with another new Member to function as a Member of the said Committee;

And whereas he has influenced upon the Members of the Committee on Public Enterprises (COPE) on how to act regarding the Treasury Bond Fraud while the said Committee was investigating the said fraud;

And whereas he has recommended to the Cabinet of Ministers to make Mr. P. Samarasiri, Deputy Governor of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka, who was revealed by the Presidential Commission as he has been involved in the Treasury Bond Fraud, to an Advisor post at the Ministry of Finance;

And whereas he has made a herculean effort to re-appoint Mr. Arjun Mahendran to the post of Governor of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka while the President was taking measures to appoint some other person in place of Mr. Arjun Mahendran, who had become an accused in the Treasury Bond Fraud;

And whereas he has given a post of Advisor to Mr. Arjun Mahendran at his Ministry even after he had lost the post of Governor of the Central Bank of Sri Lanka because he being an accused person of the Treasury Bond Fraud;

And whereas he has made way for Mr. Arjun Mahendran to go abroad and evade appearance before the Court by refraining, until after Mr. Arjun Mahendran left Sri Lanka, from obtaining a court order to prevent him from leaving the country;

And whereas he has violated the pieces of legislation, namely:—

- i. Finance Act, No. 58 of 1949
- ii. Exchange Control Act, No. 24 of 1953
- iii. Local Treasury Bills Ordinance No. 8 of 1923
- iv. Registered Stocks and Securities Ordinance No. 7 of 1937
- v. Financial Reserve Funds Ordinance No. 16 of 1944
- vi. Banking Act, No. 30 of 1988
- vii. Contingency Fund Act, No. 35 of 1979
- viii. Prevention of Money Laundering Act, No. 5 of 2006
- ix. Financial Transactions Reporting Act, No. 6 of 2006,

which are quite important pieces of legislation for the economy and for the financial control of the country, by taking over the Central Bank of Sri Lanka under his sway and exercising powers under such statutes, knowing that powers under such statutes can only be exercised by the Minister of Finance;

And whereas he has created a huge economic crisis by keeping under him the Ministry of Economic Affairs, taking control of the Ministry of Finance through the Economic Management Committee and keeping the Central Bank of Sri Lanka under him by managing the national economy for the past three years, resulting the retardation of economic growth, collapse of the share market, escalation of rate of inflation uncontrollably, increase of interest rates rapidly and withdrawal of investments by foreign investors, thereby putting people into hardship ;

And whereas he has tarnished the image of the country before the international community by failing to take immediate measures to provide protection to Sinhalese, Tamil and Muslim people during the unrest that occurred in the Kandy District while holding the portfolio of Minister of Law and Order, resulting in loss of lives and damage to property;

That this Parliament resolves that it has no confidence in Hon. Ranil Wickramasinghe's ability to function as Prime Minister and as a Minister of the Cabinet and as well as the Government in which he holds the office of Prime Minister any longer. [P. 216/'18]

(At 1.56 p.m. the Deputy Chairman of Committees took the Chair.)

(At 2.55 p.m. the Speaker took the Chair.)

(At 7.41 p.m. the Deputy Chairman of Committees took the Chair.)

(At 8.01 p.m. the Speaker took the Chair.)

Question put and negatived; the Parliament having divided : Ayes : 76, Noes : 122, Absent: 26 as follows:

AYES

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara	Hon. Dilum Amunugama
Hon. S. B. Dissanayake	Hon. Dullas Alahapperuma
Hon. A. D. Susil Premajayantha	Hon. Mahindananda Aluthgamage
Hon. Anura Priyadharshana Yapa	Hon. Chandrasiri Gajadeera
Hon. Chandima Weerakkody	Hon. Siripala Gamalath
Hon. W. D. J. Senewiratne	Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila
Hon. Thilanga Sumathipala	Hon. Nihal Galappaththi
Hon. Lakshman Yapa Abeywardena	Hon. Dinesh Gunawardena
Hon. T. B. Ekanayake	Hon. Bandula Gunawardana
Hon. Dilan Perera	Hon. Padma Udhayashantha
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Sudarshini Fernandopulle	Gunasekera
Hon. Anuradha Jayaratne	Hon. S. M. Chandrasena
Hon. (Mrs.) Sumedha G. Jayasena	Hon. D. V. Chanaka
Hon. Susantha Punchinilame	Hon. Sisira Jayakody
Hon. Lakshman Wasantha Perera	Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa
Hon. Tharanath Basnayaka	Hon. Piyankara Jayaratne
Hon. Rohitha Abeygunawardana	Hon. Premalal Jayasekara
Hon. Mahinda Yapa Abeywardena	Hon. Janaka Bandara Tennakoon
	Hon. Piyal Nishantha De Silva

Hon. Mohan Priyadarshana De Silva	Hon. Chamal Rajapaksa
Hon. T. Ranjith De Zoysa	Hon. Namal Rajapaksa
Hon. Anura Dissanayaka	Hon. Mahinda Rajapaksa
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Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara	Hon. Janaka Wakkumbura
Hon. (Dr.) Ramesh Pathirana	Hon. (Mrs.) Pavithradevi
Hon. Sanath Nishantha Perera	Wanniarachchi
Hon. Arundika Fernando	Hon. Vidura Wickramanayaka
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Hon. S. Premarathna	Hon. Kanchana Wijesekera
Hon. Tharaka Balasuriya	Hon. Thenuka Vidanagamage
Hon. Vijitha Berugoda	Hon. Wimal Weerawansa
Hon. S. C. Mutukumarana	Hon. Kumara Welgama
Hon. Bimal Rathnayake	Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera
Hon. C. B. Rathnayake	Hon. Shehan Semasinghe
Hon. Lohan Ratwatte	Hon. Sunil Handunnetti
Hon. Prasanna Ranatunga	Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath
Hon. Prasanna Ranaweera	Hon. Kanaka Herath
Hon. Roshan Ranasinghe	Hon. Vijitha Herath
Hon. Keheliya Rambukwella	

NOES

Hon. Ranil Wickremesinghe	Hon. Sajith Premadasa
Hon. (Mrs.) Thalatha Atukorale	Hon. Rishad Bathiudeen
Hon. Wajira Abeywardana	Hon. R. M. Ranjith Madduma Bandara
Hon. John Amaratunga	Hon. (Mrs.) Chandrani Bandara
Hon. Gayantha Karunatileka	Hon. Tilak Marapana
Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam	Hon. Sagala Ratnayaka
Hon. Lakshman Kiriella	Hon. Arjuna Ranatunga
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Hon. Daya Gamage	Hon. Malik Samarawickrama
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Hon. Navin Dissanayake	Hon. Ravindra Samaraweera
Hon. S. B. Nawinne	Hon. (Dr.) Rajitha Senaratne
Hon. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera	Hon. D. M. Swaminathan
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Hon. Ajith P. Perera	Hon. Lucky Jayawardana
Hon. Nirosan Perera	Hon. Mylvaganam Thilakarajah
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Hon. V. S. Radhakrishnan	Hon. Mayantha Dissanayake
Hon. Eran Wickramaratne	Hon. Douglas Devananda
Hon. Ruwan Wijewardene	Hon. Mohamed Navavi
Hon. Dilip Wedaarachchi	Hon. Mohamadu Nazeer
Hon. Sujeewa Senasinghe	Hon. I. Charles Nirmalanathan
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Hon. Ashok Abeysinghe	Hon. K. K. Piyadasa
Hon. J. C. Alawathuwala	Hon. Sujith Sanjaya Perera
Hon. Faizal Cassim	Hon. Ashoka Priyantha
Hon. Dunes Gankanda	Hon. (Mrs.) Hirunika Premachandra
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Anoma Gamage	Hon. Bandula Lal Bandarigoda
Hon. Palitha Kumara Thewarapperuma	Hon. Muhammad Ibrahim Muhammad Mansoor
Hon. Karunarathna Paranawithana	Hon. S. M. Marikkar
Hon. Ranjan Ramanayake	Hon. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana
Hon. Ameer Ali Shihabdeen	Hon. Imran Maharroof
Hon. H. M. M. Harees	Hon. Abdullah Mahrooff
Hon. Hector Appuhamy	Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma
Hon. Sisira Kumara Abeysekara	Hon. (Prof.) Ashu Marasinghe
Hon. Thushara Indunil Amaraseena	Hon. Seeniththamby Yoheswaran
Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage	Hon. Ishak Rahuman
Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare	Hon. Mujibur Rahuman
Hon. Ravi Karunanayake	Hon. Harshana Rajakaruna
Hon. A. Aravindh Kumar	Hon. (Dr.) Wijeyadasa Rajapakshe
Hon. J. M. Ananda Kumarasiri	
Hon. Velu Kumar	

Hon. (Dr.) Jayampathy Wickramaratne	Hon. Sandith Samarasinghe
Hon. A. A. Wijethunga	Hon. Rajavaritham Sampanthan
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Thusitha Wijemanna	Hon. E. Saravanapavan
Hon. Lakshman Ananda Wijemanne	Hon. Dharmalingam Sithadthan
Hon. (Mrs.) Rohini Kumari Wijerathna	Hon. (Dr.) S. Sivamohan
Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri	Hon. Annamalai Nadesu Sivasakthi
Hon. Heshan Withanage	Hon. M. A. Sumanthiran
Hon. S. Viyalanderan	Hon. Vadivel Suresh
Hon. S. Shritharan	Hon. Mavai S. Senathirajah
Hon. Gnanamuthu Srineshan	Hon. Chathura Sandeepa Senaratne
Hon. (Mrs.) Shanthi Sriskandarasa	Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi

ABSENT

Hon. Mahinda Amaraweera	Hon. A. H. M. Fowzie
Hon. (Dr.) Sarath Amunugama	Hon. Lasantha Alagiyawanna
Hon. Nimal Siripala de Silva	Hon. H. R. Sarathie Dushmantha
Hon. Duminda Dissanayake	Hon. Manusha Nanayakkara
Hon. Faiszer Musthapha	Hon. Indika Bandaranayake
Hon. Mahinda Samarasinghe	Hon. Nishantha Muthuhettigamage
Hon. Ranjith Siyambalapitiya	Hon. Muthu Sivalingam
Hon. Wijith Wijayamuni Zoysa	Hon. Malith Jayathilake
Hon. Piyasena Gamage	Hon. Arumugan Thondaman
Hon. Mohan Lal Grero	Hon. Weerakumara Dissanayake
Hon. (Mrs.) Sriyani Wijewickrama	Hon. K. Kader Masthan
Hon. Lakshman Senewiratne	Hon. (Ven.) Athuraliye Rathana
Hon. M. L. A. M. Hizbullah	Hon. Angajan Ramanathan

5. Adjournment : The Leader of the House of Parliament moved,— That this Parliament do now adjourn.

Question put, and agreed to; the Parliament was at 10.04 p.m. adjourned until 10.30 a.m. on Thursday, April 05, 2018, pursuant to the Resolution of Parliament of 08th March 2016.