



(Eighth Parliament - Third Session)

No. 70.]

MINUTES OF PARLIAMENT

Thursday, June 20, 2019 at 10.30 a.m.

PRESENT :

Hon. Karu Jayasuriya, Speaker

Hon. J. M. Ananda Kumarasiri, Deputy Speaker and the Chair of Committees

Hon. Selvam Adaikkalanathan, Deputy Chairperson of Committees

Hon. Ranil Wickremesinghe, Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies,
Economic Affairs, Resettlement & Rehabilitation, Northern Province
Development and Youth Affairs

Hon. (Mrs.) Thalatha Atukorale, Minister of Justice & Prison Reforms

Hon. Wajira Abeywardana, Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial
Councils & Local Government

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

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

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake, Minister of Power, Energy and Business Development

Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam, Minister of Education

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

Hon. Mano Ganesan, Minister of National Integration, Official Languages, Social
Progress and Hindu Religious Affairs

Hon. Daya Gamage, Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment

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

Hon. Navin Dissanayake, Minister of Plantation Industries

Hon. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera, Minister of Buddhasasana & Wayamba
Development

Hon. Harin Fernando, Minister of Telecommunication, Foreign Employment and
Sports

Hon. (Mrs.) Chandrani Bandara, Minister of Women & Child Affairs and Dry Zone
Development

- Hon. R. M. Ranjith Madduma Bandara**, Minister of Public Administration, Disaster Management and Rural Economic Affairs
- Hon. Tilak Marapana**, Minister of Foreign Affairs
- Hon. Sagala Ratnayaka**, Minister of Ports & Shipping and Southern Development
- Hon. Arjuna Ranatunga**, Minister of Transport & Civil Aviation
- Hon. Patali Champika Ranawaka**, Minister of Megapolis & Western Development
- Hon. Malik Samarawickrama**, Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade
- Hon. Mangala Samaraweera**, Minister of Finance
- Hon. (Dr.) Rajitha Senaratne**, Minister of Health, Nutrition & Indigenous Medicine
- Hon. Abdul Haleem**, Minister of Postal Services & Muslim Religious Affairs
- Hon. Kabir Hashim**, Minister of Highways & Road Development and Petroleum Resources Development
- Hon. P. Harrison**, Minister of Agriculture, Livestock Development, Irrigation and Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development
- Hon. (Dr.) Harsha De Silva**, Non Cabinet Minister of Economic Reforms and Public Distribution
- Hon. Ajith P. Perera**, Non Cabinet Minister of Digital Infrastructure and Information Technology
- Hon. (Dr.) V. Radhakrishnan**, Non Cabinet Minister of Special Areas Development
- Hon. Ruwan Wijewardene**, Non Cabinet Minister of Mass Media and State Minister of Defence
- Hon. Ravindra Samaraweera**, Non Cabinet Minister of Labour & Trade Union Relations
- Hon. Sujeewa Senasinghe**, Non Cabinet Minister of Science, Technology & Research
- Hon. Ashok Abeysinghe**, State Minister of Transport & Civil Aviation
- Hon. J. C. Alawathuwala**, State Minister of Internal & Home Affairs and Provincial Councils and Local Government
- Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare**, State Minister of Tourism Development, Wildlife & Christian Religious Affairs
- Hon. Wasantha Aluwihare**, State Minister of Agriculture, Irrigation and Rural Economic Affairs
- Hon. Lucky Jayawardana**, State Minister of City Planning & Water Supply
- Hon. Niroshan Perera**, State Minister of National Policies & Economic Affairs
- Hon. A. D. Premadasa**, State Minister of Power & Renewable Energy
- Hon. (Mrs.) Vijayakala Maheswaran**, State Minister of Education
- Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma**, State Minister of Mahaweli Development and Environment
- Hon. Eran Wickramaratne**, State Minister of Finance

Hon. Dilip Wedaarachchi, State Minister of Fisheries & Aquatic Resources Development
Hon. Vadivel Suresh, State Minister of Plantation Industries
Hon. Vasantha Senanayake, State Minister of Foreign Affairs
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Anoma Gamage, Deputy Minister of Petroleum Resources Development
Hon. Edward Gunasekara, Deputy Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms
Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha, Deputy Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade
Hon. Buddhika Pathirana, Deputy Minister of Industry & Commerce
Hon. Karunarathna Paranawithana, Deputy Minister of Skills Development & Vocational Training

Hon. Hector Appuhamy
Hon. Rohitha Abeygunawardana
Hon. Mahinda Amaraweera
Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena
Hon. Lasantha Alagiyawanna
Hon. Ananda Aluthgamage
Hon. (Dr.) S. M. Mohamed Ismail
Hon. Faizal Cassim
Hon. A. Aravindh Kumar
Hon. Velu Kumar
Hon. Nalaka Prasad Colonne
Hon. Kaveendiran Kodeeswaran
Hon. Dunes Gankanda
Hon. Chandima Gamage
Hon. Piyasena Gamage
Hon. Siripala Gamalath
Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila
Hon. Nihal Galappaththi
Hon. Dinesh Gunawardena
Hon. (Dr.) Bandula Gunawardane
Hon. Padma Udayashantha Gunasekera
Hon. Mohan Lal Grero
Hon. S. M. Chandrasena
Hon. D. V. Chanaka
Hon. Sisira Jayakody
Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa
Hon. Anuradha Jayaratne

Hon. Piyankara Jayaratne
Hon. Anura Sidney Jayarathne
Hon. (Dr.) Kavinda Heshan Jayawardana
Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara
Hon. Premalal Jayasekara
Hon. (Mrs.) Sumedha G. Jayasena
Hon. Mylvaganam Thilakarajah
Hon. K. Thurairetnasingam
Hon. Janaka Bandara Tennakoon
Hon. M. S. Thowfeek
Hon. Arumugan Thondaman
Hon. Sirinal de Mel
Hon. Piyal Nishantha De Silva
Hon. Mohan Priyadarshana De Silva
Hon. T. Ranjith De Zoysa
Hon. Anura Dissanayaka
Hon. S. B. Dissanayake
Hon. Mayantha Dissanayake
Hon. Wimalaweera Dissanayaka
Hon. Weerakumara Dissanayake
Hon. Salinda Dissanayake
Hon. H. R. Sarathie Dushmantha
Hon. Douglas Devananda
Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara
Hon. Mohamadu Nazeer
Hon. I. Charles Nirmalanathan
Hon. (Dr.) Ramesh Pathirana
Hon. K. K. Piyadasa
Hon. Susantha Punchinilame
Hon. Dilan Perera
Hon. Sanath Nishantha Perera
Hon. Lakshman Wasantha Perera
Hon. Sujith Sanjaya Perera
Hon. Ashoka Priyantha
Hon. Arundika Fernando
Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Sudarshini Fernandopulle
Hon. A. D. Susil Premajayantha
Hon. S. Premarathna

Hon. Palitha Range Bandara
Hon. Shantha Bandara
Hon. Bandula Lal Bandarigoda
Hon. Rishad Bathiudeen
Hon. Tharanath Basnayaka
Hon. Tharaka Balasuriya
Hon. Vijitha Berugoda
Hon. Muhammad Ibrahim Muhammad Mansoor
Hon. S. M. Marikkar
Hon. K. Kader Masthan
Hon. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana
Hon. Imran Maharooof
Hon. Abdullah Mahrooff
Hon. (Prof.) Ashu Marasinghe
Hon. S. C. Mutukumarana
Hon. Nishantha Muthuhettigamage
Hon. Anura Priyadharshana Yapa
Hon. Seeniththamby Yoheswaran
Hon. Bimal Rathnayake
Hon. C. B. Rathnayake
Hon. Lohan Ratwatte
Hon. Prasanna Ranatunga
Hon. Prasanna Ranaweera
Hon. Keheliya Rambukwella
Hon. Ishak Rahuman
Hon. Mujibur Rahuman
Hon. Harshana Rajakaruna
Hon. Chamal Rajapaksa
Hon. Mahinda Rajapaksa, Leader of the Opposition in Parliament
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. Lakshman Ananda Wijemanne

Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Thusitha Wijemanna
Hon. (Mrs.) Rohini Kumari Wijerathna
Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri
Hon. Kanchana Wijesekera
Hon. Duleep Wijesekera
Hon. Hesha Withanage
Hon. Thenuka Vidanagamage
Hon. Chandima Weerakkody
Hon. Kumara Welgama
Hon. S. Shritharan
Hon. Gnanamuthu Srineshan
Hon. (Mrs.) Shanthi Sriskandarasa
Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera
Hon. Sandith Samarasinghe
Hon. Rajavarothiam Sampanthan
Hon. Dharmalingam Sithadthan
Hon. Annamalai Nadesu Sivasakthi
Hon. Ameer Ali Shihabdeen
Hon. M. A. Sumanthiran
Hon. Lakshman Senewiratne
Hon. Mavai S. Senathirajah
Hon. Shehan Semasinghe
Hon. Wijith Wijayamuni Zoysa
Hon. D. M. Swaminathan
Hon. Rauff Hakeem
Hon. Sunil Handunnetti
Hon. H. M. M. Harees
Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi
Hon. Indika Anuruddha Herath
Hon. Kanaka Herath
Hon. A. H. M. Fowzie
Hon. Field Marshal Sarath Fonseka

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 : (1) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the Annual Report of the State Timber Corporation for the year 2015 and moved that the Report be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Sustainable Development and Environment and Natural Resources.

Question put, and agreed to.

(2) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the —

- (i) Annual Report of the Ministry of Finance for the year 2018;
- (ii) Annual Performance Report of the Department of Management Services for the year 2018; and
- (iii) Annual Report of the National Savings Bank for the year 2017

and moved that those Reports be referred to the Committee on Public Finance.

Question put, and agreed to.

(3) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the —

- (i) Annual Report of the Ayurveda Medical Council for the year 2016;
- (ii) Performance Report of the Department of Ayurveda for the year 2017; and
- (iii) Annual Performance Report of the Ministry of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine for the year 2018

and moved that those Reports be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment.

Question put, and agreed to.

(4) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the Annual Report of the Rubber Research Institute of Sri Lanka for the year 2017 and moved that the Report be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands.

Question put, and agreed to.

(5) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the Supplementary Estimate No. 32 of 2019 and moved that the Supplementary Estimate be referred to the Committee on Public Finance and the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication.

Question put, and agreed to.

(6) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the —

- (i) Annual Performance Report of the Ministry of Agriculture, Rural Economic Affairs, Livestock Development, Irrigation and Fisheries and Aquatic Resources Development - Irrigation Sector for the year 2018; and
- (ii) Annual Report of the Lanka Phosphate Ltd. for the year 2017/18

and moved that those Reports be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands.

Question put, and agreed to.

(7) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the Performance Report of the Government Analyst's Department for the year 2017 and moved that the Report be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Legal Affairs (anti - corruption) and Media.

Question put, and agreed to.

(8) The Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade presented the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Export Development Board for the year 2016 and moved that the Report be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development.

Question put, and agreed to.

(9) The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development presented the Performance Report of the Food Commissioner's Department for the year 2018 and moved that the Report be referred to the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development.

Question put, and agreed to.

2. Presentation of Public Petitions :

- (1) Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha presented a petition dated 19.03.2019 from Mr. N. A. Nimal Ranjith De Silva of Pahala Galpola, Ilukhena.
- (2) Hon. Buddhika Pathirana presented —
 - (i) a petition dated 25.03.2019 from Mr. A. D. Jayaratne of Warella, Deegala, Lenama, Akuressa;
 - (ii) a petition dated 08.03.2019 from Mr. A. K. Senarath of Mada Wiyangoda Farmer's Association, Athamala Mulana, Yatiyana;
 - (iii) a petition dated 21.02.2019 from Mrs. H. G. Rasika Princy of Madawalahena, Beralaliya, Welipitiya;
 - (iv) a petition dated 29.03.2019 from Mrs. Hemamala Labunahewa of No. 04, Preeman Mawatha, Anuradhapura;
 - (v) a petition dated 10.10.2018 from Mr. Hewa Ramanayakage Cyril of Narawelwila, Bopagoda, Akuressa;
 - (vi) a petition dated 14.02.2019 from Mr. K. M. Dhanapala of Thal Landa, Gamewela;
 - (vii) a petition dated 07.02.2019 from Mrs. M. D. Chandralatha Dayawathie of No. 03, Jathika Niwasa Paha, Bellana Road, Agalawaththa;
 - (viii) a petition dated 12.03.2019 from Mr. P. L. Athula Laknath of "Dewneth", Malhathawa, Hiniduma, Galle;
 - (ix) a petition dated 05.02.2019 from Mr. R. G. D. Jinadasa of No. 187/F, Old Hakmana Road, Nadugala Damp, Nadugala, Matara;
 - (x) a petition dated 03.10.2018 from Mrs. Ramani Perera Wickramasinghe of Dunkoratuwa, Ihala Athuraliya, Athuraliya; and
 - (xi) a petition dated 02.01.2019 from Mr. T.M. Kumara of No. 199/4A, Thotupala Road, Bolgoda.

- (3) Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi presented a petition dated 18.01.2019 from Mrs. H. L. Nandawathi of No. 222 D, Adamwatta, Mabotuwana Road, Waduraba.

The Petitions stood referred under Standing Order 30(10) of the Parliament, to the Committee on Public Petitions.

(At 11.17 a.m. the Deputy Speaker took the Chair.)

3. Revival of Underperforming Enterprises or Underutilized Assets (Repeal) Bill :
Order for Second Reading read.

The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development moved,— That the Bill be now read a second time.

(At 1.30 p.m. the Deputy Chairperson of Committees took the Chair.)

The Minister of Buddhasasana & Wayamba Development moved,—That Hon. Anura Sidney Jayarathne do take the Chair.

Question put, and agreed to.

(At 2.31 p.m. Hon. Anura Sidney Jayarathne took the Chair.)

The Minister of Women & Child Affairs and Dry Zone Development moved,—That Hon. Tharaka Balasuriya do take the Chair.

Question put, and agreed to.

(At 3.30 p.m. Hon. Tharaka Balasuriya took the Chair.)

The Minister of Primary Industries and Social Empowerment moved,—That Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Thusitha Wijemanna do take the Chair.

Question put, and agreed to.

(At 4.19 p.m. Hon. (Dr.) (Mrs.) Thusitha Wijemanna took the Chair.)

The Minister of Plantation Industries moved,—That Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi do take the Chair.

Question put, and agreed to.

(At 5.11 p.m. Hon. Wijepala Hettiarachchi took the Chair.)

(At 6.03 p.m. the Speaker took the Chair.)

Question put, and agreed to; Parliament having divided as follows : Ayes: 91; Noes: 69.

The following One hundred and fifty four (154) Hon. Members of Parliament voted by using the electronic voting system under the Standing Order 47(2)(b) of the Parliament, as follows:—

G 001. Rauff Hakeem	Yes
G 002. Mangala Samaraweera	Yes
G 003. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera	Yes
G 004. John Amaratunga	Yes
G 005. Gayantha Karunatileka	Yes

G 006. Lakshman Kiriella	Yes
G 007. Ranil Wickremesinghe	Yes
G 009. Tilak Marapana	Yes
G 012. Rajitha Senaratne	Yes
G 013. Rishad Bathiudeen	Yes
G 014. Patali Champika Ranawaka	Yes
G 015. Kabir Hashim	Yes
G 017. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam	Yes
G 018. Malik Samarawickrama	Yes
G 019. Mano Ganesan	Yes
G 020. Navin Dissanayake	Yes
G 022. P. Harrison	Yes
G 024. Arjuna Ranatunga	Yes
G 025. Palany Thigambaram	Yes
G 026. Chandrani Bandara	Yes
G 027. Thalatha Atukorale	Yes
G 028. Abdul Haleem	Yes
G 029. Sagala Ratnayake	Yes
G 030. Harin Fernando	Yes
G 031. Daya Gamage	Yes
G 032. Ravindra Samaraweera	Yes
G 033. Sujeewa Senasinghe	Yes
G 034. Harsha De Silva	Yes
G 035. Ajith P. Perera	Yes
G 037. Ruwan Wijayawardene	Yes
G 038. Vasantha Senanayake	Yes
G 039. Lucky Jayawardana	Yes
G 040. Dilip Wedaarachchi	Yes
G 041. Niroshan Perera	Yes
G 042. A.D. Premadasa	Yes
G 043. Wasantha Aluwihare	Yes
G 045. Eran Wickramaratne	Yes
G 046. Ranjith Aluvihare	Yes
G 047. J.C. Alawathuwala	Yes
G 048. Vadivel Suresh	Yes
G 050. Ashok Abeysinghe	Yes
G 051. Ajith Mannapperuma	Yes
G 052. Edward Gunasekara	Yes
G 053. Anoma Gamage	Yes
G 054. Karunarathna Paranawithana	Yes
G 056. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha	Yes
G 059. Piyasena Gamage	Yes
G 060. Lakshman Senewiratne	Yes
G 061. Wijith Wijayamuni Zoysa	Yes
G 062. D.M. Swaminathan	Yes
G 064. Ameer Ali Shihabdeen	Yes
G 066. Palitha Range Bandara	Yes

G 068. H.M.M. Harees	Yes
G 069. Seyed Ali Zahir Moulana	Yes
G 070. M.S. Thowfeek	Yes
G 072. Abdullah Mahrooff	Yes
G 073. Sirinal de Mel	Yes
G 074. Anura Sidney Jayarathne	Yes
G 075. K.K. Piyadasa	Yes
G 076. Lakshman Ananda Wijemanne	Yes
G 077. A. A. Wijethunga	Yes
G 078. Hector Appuhamy	Yes
G 080. Thushara Indunil Amarasena	Yes
G 081. A. Aravindh Kumar	Yes
G 082. Velu Kumar	Yes
G 083. Nalaka Prasad Colonne	Yes
G 084. Chandima Gamage	Yes
G 085. Kavinda Heshan Jayawardana	Yes
G 086. Mylvaganam Thilakarajah	Yes
G 088. Sujith Sanjaya Perera	Yes
G 090. Bandula Lal Bandarigoda	Yes
G 091. M. Ibrahim Muhammad Mansoor	Yes
G 092. S.M. Marikkar	Yes
G 093. Imran Maharooof	Yes
G 094. Ishak Rahuman	Yes
G 095. Mujibur Rahuman	Yes
G 096. Harshana Rajakaruna	Yes
G 097. Thusitha Wijemanna	Yes
G 098. Rohini Kumari Wijerathna	Yes
G 099. Chaminda Wijesiri	Yes
G 100. Hesha Withanage	Yes
G 101. Sandith Samarasinghe	Yes
G 103. Wijepala Hettiarachchi	Yes
G 104. Ashu Marasinghe	Yes
G 105. Jayampathy Wickramaratne	Yes
G 106. Mohamadu Nazeer	Yes
G 107. S.M. Mohamed Ismail	Yes
G 115. Indika Anuruddha Herath	No
O 002. Sumedha G. Jayasena	No
O 005. Dinesh Gunawardana	No
O 007. Chamal Rajapaksa	No
O 008. Mahinda Rajapaksa	No
O 009. Mahinda Amaraweera	No
O 011. Pavithradevi Wanniarachchi	No
O 015. A.D. Susil Premajayantha	No
O 016. Gamini Lokuge	No
O 019. Anura Dissanayake	No
O 022. Anura Priyadharshana Yapa	No
O 023. Bandula Gunawardana	No

O 026. Janaka Bandara Tennakoon	No
O 027. C.B. Ratnayake	No
O 030. Dilan Perera	No
O 031. Keheliya Rambukwella	No
O 032. Kumara Welgama	No
O 039. Nihal Galappaththi	No
O 041. S.M. Chandrasena	No
O 044. Piyankara Jayaratne	No
O 045. Vasudeva Nanayakkara	No
O 048. Rohitha Abeygunawardana	No
O 050. Chandima Weerakkody	No
O 051. Dayasiri Jayasekara	No
O 053. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila	No
O 054. Susantha Punchinilame	No
O 055. Lasantha Alagiyawanna	No
O 056. Premalal Jayasekera	No
O 060. Bimal Rathnayake	No
O 062. Mohan Lal Grero	No
O 063. Sudarshini Fernandopulle	No
O 064. Weerakumara Dissanayake	No
O 066. Dunes Gankanda	No
O 067. Siripala Gamalath	No
O 068. Duleep Wijesekara	No
O 069. S.C. Mutukumarana	No
O 070. Lakshman Wasantha Perera	No
O 072. Shantha Bandara	No
O 073. Arundika Fernando	No
O 074. Tharanath Basnayake	No
O 075. Nimal Lanza	No
O 076. Anuradha Jayaratne	No
O 080. Nalinda Jayathissa	No
O 081. H.R. Sarathie Dushmantha	No
O 082. K. Kader Masthan	No
O 083. Angajan Ramanathan	No
O 084. Ananda Aluthgamage	No
O 087. Wimalaweera Dissanayaka	No
O 088. Jayantha Samaraweera	No
O 089. P. Udayashantha Gunasekara	No
O 091. Mohan Priyadarshana De Silva	No
O 092. T. Ranjith De Zoysa	No
O 093. Ramesh Pathirana	No
O 094. Vijitha Berugoda	No
O 096. Lohan Ratwatte	No
O 102. Janaka Wakkumbura	No
O 104. Thenuka Vidanagamage	No
O 105. Shehan Semasinghe	No
O 107. D.V. Chanaka	No

O 108. Sisira Jayakody	No
O 109. Piya Nishantha De Silva	No
O 110. Sanath Nishantha Perera	No
O 111. S. Premarathna	No
O 112. Tharaka Balasuriya	No
O 114. Prasanna Ranatunga	No
O 115. Prasanna Ranaweera	No
O 116. Kanchana Wijesekara	No

The following Six (06) Hon. Members of Parliament cast their votes having being asked the names by the Secretary-General under the Standing Order 47(2)(c) of the Parliament as follows:—

O 012. Salinda Dissanayake	No
O 106. Kanaka Herath	No
G 063. Field Marshal Sarath Fonseka	Yes
G 067. Faizal Cassim	Yes
G 036. (Dr.) V. Radhakrishnan	Yes
G 058. A. H. M. Fowzie	Yes

Bill accordingly read a second time.

The Minister of Plantation Industries on behalf of the Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandy Heritage and Kandy Development moved,— That the Bill be referred to a Committee of the whole Parliament.

Question put, and agreed to.

Parliament immediately resolved itself into Committee.

(In the Committee)

The Speaker took the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 3 were agreed to.

Clause 4

The Minister of Plantation Industries proposed an amendment to leave out line 7, in page 2 and substitute the following,—

“charge of the subject of Finance with the concurrence of the Cabinet of Ministers”;

Question that the amendment be agreed to, put, and agreed to.

Question that the Clause as amended, stand part of the Bill, put, and agreed to.

Clause 5 was agreed to.

Enacting Clause and Title

Question that the Enacting Clause and Title stand part of the Bill, put, and agreed to.

Bill reported with Amendments.

The Minister of Plantation Industries on behalf of the Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development moved,— That the Bill, as amended, be now read the third time.

Question put, and agreed to.

Bill, as amended, accordingly read the third time and passed.

4. Adjournment (Prevention of Illegal Sand Mining in Kavutharimunai Area) : The Leader of the House of Parliament moved,— That this Parliament do now adjourn.

Question proposed, and debated.

The Minister of Public Enterprise, Kandyan Heritage and Kandy Development moved,—That Hon. Mujibur Rahuman do take the Chair.

Question put, and agreed to.

(At 6.38 p.m. Hon. Mujibur Rahuman took the Chair.)

Question put, and agreed to; the Parliament was at 7.06 p.m. adjourned until 10.30 a.m. on Friday, June 21, 2019.