



[Sixth Parliament — Third Session]

No. 7.]

**ORDER PAPER
OF
PARLIAMENT
FOR**

Wednesday, July 09, 2008 at 9.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0015/'08

1.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Petroleum and Petroleum Resources Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the total production capacity of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation (CPC);
 - (ii) all the products manufactured;
 - (iii) the production cost, gross profit and the costs related to administration, distribution and marketing separately; and
 - (iv) the selling price of above products and the margins marked up?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) all the taxes subject to CPC in buying, producing, and selling of all products given above;
 - (ii) the import and selling cost of the items if such products are not manufactured by Ceylon Petroleum Corporation;
 - (iii) the total labour employed by CPC and other related companies; and
 - (iv) the profit or loss of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation as a group and LIOC for the last 4-5 years?
- (c) If not, why?

0016/'08

2.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Power and Energy,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the total power generation of Ceylon Electricity Board as of today on the basis of Thermal and Hydro Electric Power, separately;
- (ii) a list of ownership by the Ceylon Electricity Board and the private sector separately;
- (iii) the date of completion of the above projects along with the maximum capacity; and
- (iv) the total operational cost and throughput cost of all the above projects?

(b) Will he state—

- (i) whether the EPF or ETF, or both has financed the power generation costs of the Kerawalapitiya plant owned by Lakdhani;
- (ii) if so, the amount spent;
- (iii) whether it is legal; and
- (iv) the dividends expected along with the period?

(c) Will he also state—

- (i) whether there are any other projects of Ceylon Electricity Board or Lakdhani which have been funded by EPF or ETF; and
- (ii) if so, advise as per (b) above?

(d) If not, why?

0017/'08

3.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the three worst periods of inflation (minimum of three continuous months to be considered as a period) of this country since the Central Bank was enacted;
- (ii) the amount of inflation; and

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- (iii) the action taken by the Central Bank to ameliorate the situation?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) the reason attributed to such a high inflation trend; and
 - (ii) the impact to the National Economy in running into such high inflationary trends?
- (c) Will he submit to this House a comparison of inflation trends during the same periods with India, Pakistan, Thailand, Singapore and Dubai?
- (d) If not, why?

0326/'08

4.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources,—(1)

- (a) Will he state in this House—
 - (i) of the names of the institutions which are under the Ministry of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources;
 - (ii) of the places in which the aforesaid institutions are situated; and
 - (iii) whether the buildings in which the aforesaid institutions are housed belong to the Government or private owners?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) the names of such institutions that are operated in buildings belonging to private owners as aforesaid;
 - (ii) the names of the owners of such buildings; and
 - (iii) the square area and the monthly rent in respect of each of the aforesaid buildings separately?
- (c) If not, why?

0327/'08

5.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Construction and Engineering Services,—(1)

- (a) Will he state in this House—
 - (i) whether the Ministry of Construction and Engineering Services is housed in a Government-owned building, or else in a building belonging to a private owner;

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- (ii) if it is a building belonging to a private owner, the name of the owner; and
- (iii) the square area of the building and its monthly rent?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the names of the other institutions which are under the said Ministry;
 - (ii) of the places in which the aforesaid institutions are situated; and
 - (iii) whether the buildings in which the aforesaid institutions are housed belong to the Government or private owners?
- (c) Will he state—
 - (i) the names of such institutions that are operated in buildings belonging to the private owners as aforesaid;
 - (ii) the names of the owners of such buildings; and
 - (iii) the square area and the monthly rent in respect of each of the aforesaid buildings separately?
- (d) If not, why?

0329/'08

6.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,— To ask the Minister of Mass Media and Information,—(1)

- (a) Will he state in this House—
 - (i) whether the Ministry of Mass Media and Information is housed in a Government-owned building, or else in a building belonging to a private owner;
 - (ii) if it is a building belonging to a private owner, the name of the owner; and
 - (iii) the square area of the building and its monthly rent?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the names of the other institutions which are under the said Ministry;
 - (ii) of the places in which the aforesaid institutions are situated; and
 - (iii) whether the buildings in which the aforesaid institutions are housed belong to the Government or private owners?

(c) Will he state—

- (i) the names of such institutions that are operated in buildings belonging to the private owners as aforesaid;
- (ii) the names of the owners of such buildings; and
- (iii) the square area and the monthly rent in respect of each of the aforesaid buildings separately?

(d) If not, why?

0384/'08

7.

Hon. Achala Jagodage,— To ask the Minister of Transport,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House whether a new batch of employees has been recruited, for his Ministry or Departments, Corporations or other institutions that come under it in the year 2007?

(b) Will he submit to this House—

- (i) separately, the number that has been recruited for each institution if such a batch has been recruited;
- (ii) separately, the number that has been recruited for each post; and
- (iii) separately, the number that has been confirmed in service and the number of graduates out of the aforesaid batch of employees?

(c) If not, why?

0385/'08

8.

Hon. Achala Jagodage,— To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Minister of Ports and Aviation,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House whether a new batch of employees has been recruited, for the Ministry of Irrigation and Water Management or Departments, Corporations or other institutions that come under it in the year 2007?

(b) Will he submit to this House—

- (i) separately, the number that has been recruited for each institution if such a batch has been recruited;
- (ii) separately, the number that has been recruited for each post; and
- (iii) separately, the number that has been confirmed in service and the number of graduates out of the aforesaid batch of employees?

(c) If not, why?

0386/'08

9.

Hon. Achala Jagodage,— To ask the Minister of Child Development and Women's Empowerment,—(1)

- (a) Will she inform this House whether a new batch of employees has been recruited, for her Ministry or Departments, Corporations or other institutions that come under it in the year 2007?
- (b) Will she submit to this House—
 - (i) separately, the number that has been recruited for each institution if such a batch has been recruited;
 - (ii) separately, the number that has been recruited for each post; and
 - (iii) separately, the number that has been confirmed in service and the number of graduates out of the aforesaid batch of employees?
- (c) If not, why?

0433/'08

10.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware of the Pananwela-Kebalipola road in the Hakmana Divisional Secretariat Division in Matara District?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) the amount of money that has been allocated for developing this road;
 - (ii) the length and the width of the aforesaid road; and
 - (iii) the names, addresses and designations of the parties who prepared the estimates pertaining to this road?
- (c) If not, why?

0434/'08

11.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of times the ships belonging to the Liverpool Navigation Private Limited have transported goods to the North in the year 2006 and up to 30th April 2007 in respect of their departure and destination respectively;

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- (ii) whether the aforesaid shipping company is a registered shipping company in Sri Lanka;
 - (iii) the names of its proprietor, the chairman, and the members of the board of Directors of the Company;
 - (iv) separately, the names of the ships which were used to transport goods to the North by the company as mentioned above; and
 - (v) separately, the amount of goods transported by the aforesaid ships, in relation to each type of good and the ship that transported them during the aforesaid years?
- (b) Will he submit to this House separately the names, designations and Permanent addresses of the crews of the ships which transported the goods along with the name of the ship in which they served and the period of service in the relevant ship?
- (c) If not, why?

0435/'08

12.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(1)

- (a) Will he submit to this House separately—
- (i) the amounts of vegetables, fruits, grain and spices and the amounts of their sub-categories that were exported and imported within the year 2006;
 - (ii) the expenditure and the income earned with respect to (i) above in American dollars and Rupees;
 - (iii) the importers and exporters who were involved in the process; and
 - (iv) the names, addresses and telephone numbers of their institutions?
- (b) Will he state—
- (i) the names, relevant institutions, addresses and telephone numbers of the producers who produce the aforesaid types of food locally;
 - (ii) whether the government possesses a systematic programme to produce those types of food locally and save foreign exchange; and
 - (iii) if so, what it is?
- (c) If not, why?
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AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of motions

1.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament,— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 7 and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 05.06.2008, the hours of sitting this day shall be 09.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and 01.00 p.m. to 04.30 p.m. At 04.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament without question put.

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Committee on High Posts,— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 128a, the Committee on High Posts shall consist of thirty one (31) members to be nominated by the Committee of Selection.

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*1.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Excise (Special Provisions) Act,—That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 3 of the Excise (Special Provisions) Act No. 13 of 1989, relating to Excise Tax and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1540/15 of 14th March, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*2.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Inland Revenue Act (No.1),—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 24D (2) of the Inland Revenue Act No. 10 of 2006, relating to Income Tax and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/5 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*3.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Inland Revenue Act (No.2),—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 23(1)(C) of the Inland Revenue Act No. 10 of 2006, relating to Income Tax and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/8 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*4.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Inland Revenue Act (No.3),—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 212 of the Inland Revenue Act No. 10 of 2006, relating to Income Tax and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/10 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*5.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Finance Act,—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 2 of Finance Act No. 11 of 2002, relating to Port and Airport Development Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/6 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*6.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Stamp Duty (Special Provisions) Act,—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 5 of Stamp Duty (Special Provisions) Act No. 12 of 2006, relating to Stamp Duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/7 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*7.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under Economic Service Charge Act,—That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 12 of the Economic Service Charge Act No. 13 of 2006, relating to Economic Service Charge and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1546/9 of 22nd April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*8.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act, (No.1),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.26 hereto, be approved.

ORDER

Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006

Order No.26 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 25002 “Advances for Payments on behalf of other Government Advance Accounts” Department of State Accounts of the Second schedule to that Act.

- (i) Maximum limit of expenditure
specified in Column II of the
Second Schedule to that Act.

Not Revised

(ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act.	From	Rs.	—	5,300,000
	To	Rs.	—	4,900,000

(iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act.				Not Revised
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(iv) Maximum limit of debit liabilities specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act.				Not Revised
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(This Order is valid upto 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

22.02.2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*9.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.2),—That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.35 hereto, be approved.

ORDER

Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006

Order No.35 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 31003 “Government Factory Work Done Advance Account” Government Factory of the Second schedule to that Act.

(i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Second Schedule to that Act.	From	Rs.	—	140,000,000
	To	Rs.	—	275,000,000

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| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of debit liabilities specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

21.04 .2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*10.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.3),—That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.36 hereto, be approved.

ORDER

Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006 Order No.36 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 31002 “Government Factory Stores Advance Account” Government Factory of the Second schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Second Schedule to that Act. | <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">From</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">Rs.</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">—</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">45,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">To</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">Rs.</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">—</td> <td style="padding: 0 10px;">135,000,000</td> </tr> </table> | From | Rs. | — | 45,000,000 | To | Rs. | — | 135,000,000 |
| From | Rs. | — | 45,000,000 | | | | | | |
| To | Rs. | — | 135,000,000 | | | | | | |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised | | | | | | | | |

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| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of debit liabilities specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

21.04 .2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*11.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.4),—That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.38 hereto, be approved.

ORDER
Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006
Order No.38 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 01602 “Raid Advance Account” Commission to Investigate Allegation of Bribery or Corruption of the Second schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From
To | Rs.
Rs. | —
— | 3,000,000
6,500,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From
To | Rs.
Rs. | —
— | 800,000
2,000,000 |

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| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of debit liabilities specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act. | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

30.04.2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*12.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.5),—That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.13 hereto, be approved.

ORDER
Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006
Order No.13 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 23202 “Industrial and Agricultural Advance Accounts” Department of Prison of the Second schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | — | 65,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. | — | 75,000,000 |
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| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | — | 66,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. | — | 76,000,000 |

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- (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance
specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act.
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| From | Rs. | — | 30,000,000 |
| To | Rs. | — | 31,000,000 |
- (iv) Maximum limit of debit liabilities
specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act.
- Not Revised

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

05.05.2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*13

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.6),—That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the Order No.39 hereto, be approved.

ORDER

Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006

Order No.39 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No: 21302 “Printing, Publicity and Sales of Books” Department of Educational Publications of the Second schedule to that Act.

- (i) Maximum limit of expenditure
specified in Column II of the Second Schedule to that Act.
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| From | Rs. | — | 1,300,000,000 |
| To | Rs. | — | 2,398,400,000 |

(ii)	Minimum limit of receipts specified				
	in Column III of the Second	From	Rs.	—	1,300,000,000
	Schedule to that Act.	To	Rs.	—	2,264,000,000
(iii)	Maximum limit of debit balance				
	specified in Column IV of the	From	Rs.	—	600,000,000
	Second Schedule to that Act.	To	Rs.	—	800,000,000
(iv)	Maximum limit of debit liabilities				
	specified in Column V of the	From	Rs.	—	150,000,000
	Second Schedule to that Act.	To	Rs.	—	1,490,000,000

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

16.05.2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*14.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under Appropriation Act (No.7),— That this Parliament resolves that the Orders made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.47 of 2006 and specified in the schedule hereto, be approved.

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE OF VARIATION OF LIMITS OF ADVANCE ACCOUNTS PERTAINING TO ADVANCES TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AUTHORIZED BY THE MINISTER OF FINANCE AND PLANNING UNDER SECTION 8 OF THE APPROPRIATION ACT, NO. 47 OF 2006 IN RESPECT OF FINANCIAL YEAR 2007

Sri No.	Ministry / Department	Item No.	Maximum Limit of Expenditure in Column II		Minimum Limit of Receipts in Column III		Maximum Limit of Debit Balance in Column IV		Order No.
			From	To	From	To	From	To	
1.	Department of Police	22501	1,225,000,000	1,145,000,000	698,160,000	663,160,000	3,150,000,000	2,918,000,000	1
2.	Minister of Defence, Public Security Law and Order	10301	42,000,000	122,000,000	17,880,000	52,880,000	150,000,000	390,000,000	2
3.	Department of Registrar General	25401	-	-	-	-	70,000,000	135,000,000	5
4.	District Secretariat / Kachcheri, Jaffna	26401	-	-	15,720,000	14,000,000	-	-	6
5.	Department of Agriculture	28501	-	-	97,320,000	86,000,000	-	-	7
6.	Minister of Regional Development	15501	-	-	6,120,000	1,500,000	-	-	8
7.	Department of Forest	28301	-	-	28,920,000	23,100,000	-	-	9
8.	Minister of Land & Land Development	15301	-	-	840,000	5,600,000	14,000,000	25,962,000	10
9.	Department of Export Agriculture	28901	-	-	13,560,000	13,200,000	-	-	11
10.	Minister of Education	12601	-	-	516,000,000	475,000,000	-	-	12
11.	District Secretariat, Galle	26101	-	-	44,520,000	33,000,000	-	-	14
12.	Sri Lanka Army	22201	-	-	921,000,000	800,000,000	-	-	15
13.	Sri Lanka Railways	30601	-	-	-	-	1,765,000,000	1,865,000,000	16
14.	Department of Survey	28801	-	-	78,120,000	72,000,000	-	-	17
15.	Minister of Youth Affairs	15601	-	-	-	-	6,000,000	18,000,000	18

16.	Department of Police	22501	-	-	663,160,000	600,000,000	-	-	19
17.	Minister of Home Affairs	14701	-	-	-	-	8,000,000	12,000,000	20
18.	District Secretariat, Anuradhapura	27401	-	-	31,920,000	25,000,000	-	-	21
19.	Minister of Nation Building and Estate Infrastructure Development	13101	-	-	1,000,000	200,000	-	-	22
20.	Sri Lanka Navy	22301	-	-	208,920,000	150,000,000	-	-	23
21.	District Secretariat, Ampara	27001	-	-	-	-	65,000,000	129,000,000	24
22.	District Secretariat, Matara	26201	-	-	30,780,000	29,000,000	-	-	25
23.	Department of Food Commissioner	30001	-	-	8,400,000	7,000,000	-	-	27
24.	Sri Lanka Air Force	22401	-	-	235,560,000	220,000,000	-	-	28
25.	Department of Trade Tariff and Investment Policy	24401	-	-	-	-	4,000,000	6,500,000	29
26.	Minister of Rural Livelihood Development	15901	-	-	-	-	50,000,000	65,000,000	30
27.	Minister of Coconut Development	14101	-	-	840,000	500,000	-	-	31
28.	Department of Civil Security	32001	-	-	192,000	96,000	-	-	32

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Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

09.05 .2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*15.

The Minister of Environment and Natural Resources,— Supplementary Sum— Head 160 — Programme 2,— †That a supplementary sum not exceeding Rupees One Hundred and Eighty Eight million (Rs. 188,000,000) be payable out of the Consolidated Fund of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka or any other fund or moneys of, or at the disposal of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka or from the proceeds of any loans obtained by the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the services of the Financial year beginning on 1st January, 2008 and ending on 31st December 2008 and that the said sum may be expended as specified in the schedule hereto:

Schedule

Head 160	—	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources
Programme 02	—	Development Activities
Project 3(24)	—	Forest Resources Management Project
	Recurrent Expenditure	= Rs. _____
	Capital Expenditure	= Rs. <u>188,000,000</u>
	Total	= Rs. <u>188,000,000</u>

(Cabinet approval signified)

†Vide Supplementary Estimate No.1 of 2008 presented on 05th June,2008

*16.

The Minister of Environment and Natural Resources,— Supplementary Sum— Head 160 — Programme 01,— †That a supplementary sum not exceeding Rupees One Hundred and Thirty million (Rs. 130,000,000) be payable out of the Consolidated Fund of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka or any other fund or moneys of, or at the disposal of the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka or from the proceeds of any loans obtained by the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka for the services of the Financial year beginning on 1st January, 2008 and ending on 31st December 2008 and that the said sum may be expended as specified in the schedule hereto:

Schedule

Head 160	—	Ministry of Environment and Natural Resources
Programme 01	—	Operations
Project 02	—	Administration and Establishment
Object Code 2104	—	Building and Construction
	Recurrent Expenditure	= Rs. _____
	Capital Expenditure	= Rs. <u>12,700,000</u>
	Total Expenditure	= Rs. <u>12,700,000</u>
Object Code 2105	—	Land and Land improvements
	Recurrent Expenditure	= Rs. _____
	Capital Expenditure	= Rs. <u>117,300,000</u>
	Total Expenditure	= Rs. <u>117,300,000</u>

(Cabinet approval signified)

†Vide Supplementary Estimate No.02 of 2008 presented on 20th June,2008. Total of Supplementary Estimate No.1 Rs. 188,000,000

*17.

Assistance and Protection to Victims of Crime and Witnesses Bill,— Adjourned debate on question (17th June, 2008) [1].

*18.

Sri Lanka Electricity Bill—Second Reading.

*19.

National Housing Development Authority (Special Provisions) Bill—Second Reading.

*20.

School Teachers Pension (Amendment) Bill—Second Reading.

*21.

Marine Pollution Prevention Bill—Second Reading.

*22.

Grant of Citizenship to Persons of Chinese Origin (Special Provisions) Bill—Second Reading.

*23.

Credit Information Bureau of Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*24.

Anti-Dumping and Countervailing Duties Bill — Adjourned Debate on question — (04th April, 2006) [1]

*25.

Recovery of Loans by Banks (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill — Adjourned Debate on question — (18th July, 2006) [1]

*26.

Non-performing Assets (Recovery) Bill — Adjourned Debate on question — (18th July, 2006) [1]

*27.

Gaming (Special Provisions) Bill — Adjourned Debate on question — (18th July, 2006) [1]

*28.

Safeguard Measures Bill — Adjourned Debate on question — (04th April, 2006) [1]

*29.

Governors' Pension Bill—Second Reading.

*30.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Order under Special Commodity Levy Act,— That the Order made by the President under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No.48 of 2007, read with Article 44(2) of the Constitution, relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No.1531/13 of 09th January, 2008, which was presented on 04.03.2008, be approved.

*31.

The Minister of Plantation Industries,—Regulations under the Sri Lanka Tea Board Law,—That the “Sri Lanka Tea Board (Tea Factories Construction and Operation) Minimum Standards Regulations No.01 of 2008” made by the Sri Lanka Tea Board under Paragraph (g) of Section 25 of the Sri Lanka Tea Board Law No.14 of 1975 and approved by the Minister of Plantation Industries and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No.1531/17 of January 10, 2008 which was presented on 09.04.2008, be approved.

*32.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Rules under Excise Ordinance,—That the Rules made by His Excellency President under Section 32 of Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), relating to Excise Tax and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1544/17 of 10th April, 2008 which was presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*33.

Regulations under the Medical Ordinance,— Adjourned Debate on Question (3rd October, 2006),— Motion made and question proposed,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition under Section 19 read with Section 72 of the Medical Ordinance (Chapter 105) in consultation with the Sri Lanka Medical Council and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1458/16 of 17th August, 2006 which were presented on 05.09.2006, be approved.

*34.

The Minister of Posts and Telecommunications,— Rule under the Post Office Ordinance,— That the rule made by the Minister of Posts and Telecommunication with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance under Sections 12, 21, 25, 27, 81, 62, 06, 39, 49, 44, 68, 67, 40, 24, 59, 60, 35, 59, 67 and 64 of the Post Office Ordinance (Chapter 190) and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1494/10 of 25th April 2007 which was presented on 17.07.2007, be approved.

*35.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs,— Notification under the Consular Functions Act,— That the notification made by the Minister of Foreign Affairs under Section 8 of the Consular Functions Act, No.4 of 1981 regarding the fees levied for consular services and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No.1501/10 of 11th June, 2007, which was presented on 05.02.2008, be approved.

*36.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Determination under the Constitution (No.1),— That this Parliament hereby determines that the monthly allowance paid to the Chairman and Members of the Judicial Service Commission shall be an amount equivalent to 1/3rd of their monthly salary of their substantial position and such allowance be payable from January 01, 2007. It is further determined by this Parliament that the Allowance determined earlier by Parliament as payable to the Members of the Judicial Service Commission shall be substituted by the Allowance determined by this Resolution.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*37.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Determination under the Constitution (No.2),— That Mr. Dayananda Dissanayake, who retired from Government Service with effect from 28-01-2002 was re-appointed to that post on 29-01-2002 under Section 27(2) of the Seventeenth Amendment to the Constitution and subsequently, the salary of the Commissioner of Elections was determined by Parliament on 23-11-2006 in keeping with the salary revisions effected in the Public Service, but, since on that occasion a determination has not been made on the payment of Annual Salary Increments that fell due to this post in terms of the Minute of Secretaries to Ministries, this Parliament determines that Mr. Dayananda Dissanayake, Commissioner of Elections be paid his salary with the amount of the Salary Increments he became entitled to from 29-01-2002, the date he was re-appointed to the post of Commissioner of Elections, until such time he remains in that post.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*38.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under the Constitution (No.1),— It is determined by this Parliament that the remuneration and the Allowances of the Chairman and the Members of the Public Service Commission established under Article 54 (1) of the Constitution shall be as set out below with effect from 01.01.2006:

Chairman (Full time)

Remuneration	Rs. 65,000.00 per month
Fuel Allowance	<u>Rs. 14,400.00</u> per month
Total	<u>Rs. 79,400.00</u>

Members

Remuneration	Rs. 30,000.00 per month
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It is further determined by this Parliament that while 50% of the increased remuneration (excluding allowances) of the Chairman and Members of the Public Service Commission shall be payable with effect from 01.01.2006 and the balance with effect from 01.01.2007. The remuneration and the allowances previously determined and adopted by Parliament as payable to the said Chairman and Members of the Commission shall be substituted by the remuneration and allowances determined by this resolution.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*39.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under the Constitution (No.2),— It is determined by this Parliament that the allowances of the Chairman and Members of the National Police Commission established under Article 155a (1) of the Constitution shall be as set out below with effect from 01.01.2006:

Chairman (Full time)

Allowance	Rs. 65,000.00 per month
Fuel Allowance	<u>Rs. 14,400.00</u> per month
Total	<u>Rs. 79,400.00</u>

Members

Allowance	Rs. 30,000.00 per month
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It is further determined by this Parliament that while 50% of the increased allowances (excluding fuel allowances) in respect of the Chairman and Members of the National Police Commission shall be payable with effect from 01.01.2006 and the full amount from 01.01.2007. The allowances previously determined and adopted by Parliament as payable to the Chairman and the Members of the said Commission shall be substituted by allowances determined by this resolution.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*40.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Determination under the Commission to investigate Bribery or Corruption Act,— That this Parliament hereby determines under Section 2(7) of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption Act, No.19 of 1994, that the salary and allowances payable to the Chairman and the Members of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption shall be as follows with effect from 01.01.2006.

Chairman (Full time)

Salary	Rs. 66,000.00 Monthly
Fuel Allowance	<u>Rs. 14,400.00</u> Monthly
Total	<u>Rs. 80,400.00</u>

Members

Salary	Rs. 65,000.00 Monthly
Fuel Allowance	<u>Rs. 12,000.00</u> Monthly
Total	<u>Rs. 77,000.00</u>

The Parliament further resolves that 50% of the increased salary (excluding allowances) should be paid with effect from 01.01.2006 and the full salary inclusive of the balance 50% with effect from 01.01.2007 and that the salaries and allowances to be determined by Parliament by this resolution should be substituted for the salaries and allowances determined by resolutions previously passed in Parliament in respect of Chairman and Members of the Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*41.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under the Human Rights Commission of Sri Lanka Act,— That this Parliament determines that the Salaries and Allowances of the Chairman and Members of the Human Rights Commission of Sri Lanka established under the Section 8 of the Human Rights Commission of Sri Lanka Act, No.21 of 1996, be as follows with effect from 01.01.2006:

Chairman (Full time)

Salary	Rs. 65,000.00 Monthly
Fuel Allowance	<u>Rs. 14,400.00 Monthly</u>
Total	<u>Rs. 79,400.00</u>

Members

Salary	Rs. 30,000.00 Monthly
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This Parliament further resolves that 50% of the enhanced salary (excluding the Allowances) be paid with effect from 01.01.2006 and the full salary with the balance 50% with effect from 01.01.2007 and such Salaries and Allowances as were determined by this Resolution be substituted for the salaries and allowances previously determined by Parliament.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*42.

The Minister of Construction and Engineering Services,—Annual Report of the State Engineering Corporation of Sri Lanka 2004,— That the Annual Report and the final Accounts of the State Engineering Corporation of Sri Lanka together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year 2004 and presented on 21.07.2006 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by Consultative Committee on Housing and Construction)

*43.

The Minister of Construction and Engineering Services,—Annual Report of the Institute of Construction Training and Development 2005,— That the Annual Report and the final Accounts of the Institute of Construction, Training and Development together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year 2005 and presented on 24.11.2006 under Section 13(1) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by Consultative Committee on Construction and Engineering Services)

44.

Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution Bill — Second Reading

45.

Abolition of the Temporary Amalgamation of the Northern and Eastern Provinces (Special Provisions) Bill — Second Reading.

46.

Mahaweli Cultural Foundation Trust (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

47.

Ranga Art Institute (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading

* Indicates Government Business

[1] Motion made and Question proposed "That the Bill be now read a Second time."
