



[Sixth Parliament — Third Session]

No. 33.]

**ORDER PAPER
OF
PARLIAMENT
FOR**

Friday, October 24, 2008 at 9.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0064/'08

1.

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

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the number of dry lease and wet lease aircrafts been used by Mihin Air;
- (ii) whether they were selected through a tender process;
- (iii) if so, names of the companies quoted and the selection process; and
- (iv) the person who decided that?

(b) Will he state—

- (i) the cost been charged per month from dry or wet lease basis;
- (ii) whether the interviews been held;
- (iii) the Panel and their recommendation for the final selection approved by the auditors;
- (iv) the number of staff members, working;
- (v) their salary scales and the impact to the company, per month basis;
- (vi) the accounts of the Mihin Air to-date;
- (vii) the date and the amount transferred to Mihin Air from the Government;
- (viii) the Head that the money transferred from and the date that the Parliament approved the payment; and

(2)

- (xi) the Head under which, the Mihin Air got the allocation of funds in 2006 and 2007 through the Appropriation Bills?
- (c) Will he submit to this House the names of the key officers of the Treasury and Mihin Air, who are involved in Mihin Air Limited financial transactions?
- (d) Will he admit that the money has not been legally allocated and therefore all the officers are subjected to misuse of public funds?
- (e) If not, why?

0095/'08

2.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Transport,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether the Indian Government has given a credit line to develop the transportation of this country; and
 - (ii) if so, the amount and the date?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) whether a credit line of US\$ 150 million has been given by Rites Limited in India to the Railway Department;
 - (ii) whether it has been received or negotiated;
 - (iii) the names of the local agents; and
 - (iv) the reasons for taking 2 years to negotiate this offer?
- (c) If not, why?

0096/'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 total cost of His Excellency the President's trip to Japan in December, 2007;
 - (ii) the number of people accompanied;
 - (iii) the benefits received to the country;
 - (iv) the name and the quantity of them;

(3)

- (v) the quantity received to date;
 - (vi) the date and the quantity to be received; and
 - (vii) the areas that the benefits are relevant to?
- (b) Will he state what we have offered Japan in return?
- (c) If not, why?

0168/'08

4.

Hon. Lakshman Nipunaarachchi,— To ask the Minister of Re-settlement and Disaster Relief Services,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware of the fact that Miss. U.D. Mahinsa Pradeepanie died of the bomb that exploded opposite a garment shop in Nugegoda?
- (b) Will he admit that—
- (i) only Rs. 25,000/= has been given to her parents residing at No.14/1, Hill Crest Watta, Niwungama, Piliyandala, as compensation;
 - (ii) publicity was given through media that a compensation of Rs. 100,000/= would be made to the families of the victims of the bomb explosion;
 - (iii) however, by limiting the compensation paid by the Government to Rs. 25,000/= for a victim below 18 years of age, there is a difference between the actual payment of compensation and the publicity given to it; and
 - (iv) the parents whose child was killed in the bomb blast are put into a difficult position as a result of this situation?
- (c) Will he take necessary steps to pay the compensation to those parents as publicized?
- (d) If not, why?

0169/'08

5.

Hon. Lakshman Nipunaarachchi,— To ask the Minister of Highways and Road Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that—
- (i) the construction work was started to expand and develop Kottawa-Mount Lavinia road bearing route No.255 and Piliyandala-Moratuwa road bearing route No.158;

(4)

- (ii) the development work has been stopped halfway for several years; and
 - (iii) this situation is an obstruction for the flow of traffic and a cause for accidents?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
- (i) the date on which the development work of the aforesaid roads was stopped halfway;
 - (ii) the reasons for stopping work in that manner;
 - (iii) whether steps will be taken to develop these roads again; and
 - (iv) if so, when?
- (c) If not, why?

0213/'08

6.

Hon. R.P.A. Ranaweera Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Social Services and Social Welfare,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether an official residence has been provided for the Minister of Social Services and Social Welfare (Cabinet);
 - (ii) if so, whether it is a property owned by the State; and
 - (iii) if it is not owned by the State, the basis on which it has been allocated?
- (b) Will he submit to this House separately—
- (i) if an official residence has been allocated, whether it has been repaired or upgraded during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007;
 - (ii) if it has been repaired, the amount of money spent in each year for that purpose;
 - (iii) whether furniture or any other equipment for the use of the aforesaid official residence, has been purchased at Government expense during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and
 - (iv) if so, the amount spent on them?
- (c) Will he state—
- (i) separately, the number of units of electricity and water that have been used at this official residence during each month of the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and

(5)

- (ii) the amount of money spent by the relevant Ministry for electricity and water used at the above mentioned official residence in each month of the aforesaid years?

(d) If not, why?

0214/'08

7.

Hon. R.P.A. Ranaweera Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Justice and Law Reforms,—(1)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) whether an official residence has been provided for the Minister of Justice and Law Reforms (Cabinet);
- (ii) if so, whether it is a property owned by the State; and
- (iii) if it is not owned by the State, the basis on which it has been allocated?

(b) Will he submit to this House separately—

- (i) if an official residence has been allocated, whether it has been repaired or upgraded during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007;
- (ii) if it has been repaired, the amount of money spent in each year for that purpose;
- (iii) whether furniture or any other equipment for the use of the aforesaid official residence, has been purchased at Government expense during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and
- (iv) if so, the amount spent on them?

(c) Will he state—

- (i) separately, the number of units of electricity and water that have been used at this official residence during each month of the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and
- (ii) the amount of money spent by the relevant Ministry for electricity and water used at the above mentioned official residence in each month of the aforesaid years?

(d) If not, why?

0215/'08

8.

Hon. R.P.A. Ranaweera Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Supplementary Plantation Crops Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether an official residence has been provided for the Minister of Supplementary Plantation Crops Development (Cabinet);
 - (ii) if so, whether it is a property owned by the State; and
 - (iii) if it is not owned by the State, the basis on which it has been allocated?
- (b) Will he submit to this House separately—
 - (i) if an official residence has been allocated, whether it has been repaired or upgraded during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007;
 - (ii) if it has been repaired, the amount of money spent in each year for that purpose;
 - (iii) whether furniture or any other equipment for the use of the aforesaid official residence, has been purchased at Government expense during the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and
 - (iv) if so, the amount spent on them?
- (c) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the number of units of electricity and water that have been used at this official residence during each month of the years 2005, 2006 and 2007; and
 - (ii) the amount of money spent by the relevant Ministry for electricity and water used at the above mentioned official residence in each month of the aforesaid years?
- (d) If not, why?

0487/'08

9.

Hon. Vijitha Ranaweera,— 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 number of Cabinet Ministers, Non-Cabinet Ministers and Deputy Ministers who are granted the Rupees One Hundred Thousand allowance (Rs.100,000) for obtaining houses on rent basis;

(7)

- (ii) the names of Ministers to whom the said allowance is granted and their posts according to the order of Cabinet Minister, Non-Cabinet Minister and Deputy Minister; and
 - (iii) the date on which the facility of obtaining houses on rent basis was granted to the Ministers for the first time?
- (b) Will he state the total amount of money spent from 01.06.2004 to 31.12.2007 for obtaining houses for the ministers on rent basis?
- (c) If not, why?

0539/'08

10.

Hon. Bimal Rathnayake,— To ask the Minister of Rural Industries and Self Employment Promotion,—(1)

- (a) Will he submit to this House—
- (i) whether there is a group of buyers registered with the Industrial Development Board to buy scrap materials from the aforesaid Board;
 - (ii) whether the persons other than the aforesaid buyers have been provided with the opportunity of buying scrap materials;
 - (iii) the quantity of scrap materials that have been provided to the registered buyers during the year 2007;
 - (iv) the quantity of scrap materials that have been provided to buyers other than the registered buyers during the year 2007;
 - (v) whether there have been any instances of issuing more than 1000 kilograms of various scrap materials on one occasion, within the year 2007; and
 - (vi) if so, the names of the persons to whom such quantities of scrap materials were issued as mentioned in (v) above?
- (b) If not, why?

0545/'08

11.

Hon. M. Joseph Michael Perera,— To ask the Minister of Environment and Natural Resources,—(1)

- (a) Is he aware that the production and sale for local use and the use of polythene with a thickness of 20 Microns or less have been prohibited by the order issued under Section 23 of the National Environment Act, No.47 of 1980 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka bearing No.1466/5 and dated 10.10.2006?

- (b) Will he admit that polythene is still produced according to the old system of production and issued to the market for use?
- (c) Will he inform this House of the measures which have been taken so far and the measures which will be adopted in due course to enforce the laws according to the aforesaid Gazette Notification?
- (d) If not, why?

0650/'08

12.

Hon. M.D. Namal Karunaratne,— To ask the Minister of Agricultural Development and Agrarian Services,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House the nature of the 'Jathika Govijana Pola' (National Agrarian Fair) and Exhibition which was held as a project to upgrade the farming community?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the places where the aforesaid 'Jathika Govijana Pola' and Exhibition were held;
 - (ii) the amount of money spent on holding each Govijana Pola and Exhibition; and;
 - (iii) the profit or loss made from each Govijana Pola and Exhibition?
- (c) Will he state—
 - (i) whether a lottery under the name of 'Govijana Wasana' was printed and sold concurrently with the aforesaid Govijana Pola and Exhibition;
 - (ii) the income received from the sale of the aforesaid lotteries;
 - (iii) separately, the value of the prizes that were offered by the aforesaid lottery with their corresponding places in the order in which, they were offered;
 - (iv) whether these prizes or prize money have been given to the relevant winners; and
 - (v) if they have not been given, the steps that will be taken to give the aforesaid prizes or prize money?
- (d) If not, why?

0680/'08

13.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) separately, the total number of tanks that belong to the categories of minor irrigations and major irrigations in the Naththandiya Divisional Secretariat Division;
 - (ii) separately, the extent of reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (iii) the year in which the surveys have been carried out for the last time for the purpose of identifying the aforesaid reservations;
 - (iv) whether there are occupants in the aforesaid reservations;
 - (v) if there are occupants, whether they occupy the aforesaid reservations on any legal basis; and
 - (vi) the relevant year, the basis and the duration of their occupation?
- (b) Will he submit to this House—
 - (i) separately, the names and addresses of the persons occupying the aforesaid reservations in respect of minor irrigations and major irrigations;
 - (ii) whether alternative lands have been identified for the distribution to the aforesaid occupants of the reservations of tanks;
 - (iii) if so, the locations of those lands; and
 - (iv) if alternative lands have not been identified, the date on which action will be taken to grant them?
- (c) If not, why?

0681/'08

14.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) separately, the total number of tanks that belong to the categories of minor irrigations and major irrigations in the Wanathawilluwa Divisional Secretariat Division;
 - (ii) separately, the extent of reservations of the aforesaid tanks;

- (iii) the year in which the surveys have been carried out for the last time for the purpose of identifying the aforesaid reservations;
 - (iv) whether there are occupants in the aforesaid reservations;
 - (v) if there are occupants, whether they occupy the aforesaid reservations on any legal basis; and
 - (vi) the relevant year, the basis and the duration of their occupation?
- (b) Will he submit to this House—
- (i) separately, the names and addresses of the persons occupying the aforesaid reservations in respect of minor irrigations and major irrigations;
 - (ii) whether alternative lands have been identified for the distribution to the aforesaid occupants of the reservations of tanks;
 - (iii) if so, the locations of those lands; and
 - (iv) if alternative lands have not been identified, the date on which action will be taken to grant them?
- (c) If not, why?

0682/'08

15.

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

- (a) Will he submit to this House separately the number of minor irrigation tanks and major irrigation tanks which have been reconstructed during the period from the year 2000 up to the year 2007, in the Arachchikattuwa Divisional Secretariat Division?
- (b) Will he submit to this House—
- (i) separately, the places that were reconstructed and the amount of money allocated for such reconstructions in respect of each of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the names and addresses of the institutions that carried out the relevant contracts; and
 - (iii) the names of the tanks which have been abandoned by now, due to the inability of obtaining water from those tanks for agricultural purposes?
- (c) Will he state whether he will take necessary steps to restore the aforesaid tanks?
- (d) If not, why?

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of motions

1.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Business of the Parliament,— That Friday 07th, Saturday 08th, Monday 10th, Tuesday 11th, Thursday 13th, Friday 14th and Saturday 15th November, 2008, be allotted days for the consideration of the “Appropriation Bill (2009)”.

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,—Sittings of the Parliament (No.1),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 70(2), the hours of sittings on allotted days for the consideration of “Appropriation Bill (2009)” from 07th to 15th November, 2008 shall be 09.30 a.m. to 05.30 p.m. At 05.00 p.m. paragraph (5) and (6) of Standing Order 7 shall operate.

3.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,—Sittings of the Parliament (No.2),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 7 and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 05.06.2008, the hours of sittings this day shall be 09.30 a.m. to 02.00 p.m.. At 12.00 noon, Standing Order 7(5) shall operate.

4.

Hon. (Mrs.) Nirupama Rajapakse,— Leave to introduce Bill,— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“Bill to incorporate the Ramakrishna Sarada Mission (Lanka Branch) ”

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*1.

Motor Traffic (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*2.

Appropriation Bill (2009)—Second Reading.

*3

Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*4.

Public Enterprises Reform Commission of Sri Lanka (Repeal) Bill—Second Reading.

*5.

National Institute of Textile and Clothing Bill— Second Reading.

*6.

Civil Aviation Bill— Second Reading.

*7.

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

*8.

Sri Lanka Electricity Bill—Second Reading.

*9.

Governors' Pension Bill—Second Reading.

*10.

Grant of Citizenship to Persons of Indian Origin (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*11.

Grant of Citizenship to Stateless Persons (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*12.

Land Development Ordinance (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*13.

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

*14

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

*15

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

*16

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

*17.

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

*18.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act,— 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.37 hereto, be approved.

ORDER
Appropriation Act. No.47 of 2006
Order No. 37 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: 30602 “Railway Stores Advance Account” Department of Sri Lanka Railway 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. | | | | Not Revised |
| (ii) | Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | — | 1,000,000,000 |
| | | To | Rs. | — | 680,000,000 |
| (iii) | Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | — | 3,800,000,000 |
| | | To | Rs. | — | 3,900,000,000 |
| (iv) | Maximum limit of debit liabilities specified in Column V of the Second Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | — | 400,000,000 |
| | | To | Rs. | — | 550,000,000 |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2007 only)

Sgd. MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning.

28.08.2008
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*19.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.1),— 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.1547/19 of 30th April, 2008, which was presented on 07.10.2008, be approved.

*20.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.2),— 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.1564/3 of 26th August, 2008, which was presented on 07.10.2008, be approved.

*21.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Regulations under the Financial Transactions Reporting Act,— That the Regulations made by the President, under paragraph (b) of Section 6 of the Financial Transactions Reporting Act, No.6 of 2006, read with Section 29 of the aforesaid Act, and with paragraph (2) of Article 44 of the Constitution prescribing the minimum limit of the electronic fund transfer to be reported to the FIU made at a request of a customer, and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No.1555/9 of 25th June, 2008, which were presented on 07.10.2008, be approved.

*22.

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 10th January, 2008 which were presented on 09.04.2008, be approved.

*23.

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 were presented on 19.06.2008, be approved.

*24.

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.

*25.

The Minister of Posts and Telecommunication,— 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.

*26.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Determination under the Constitution (No.1),— That Mr. Dayananda Dissanayake, Commissioner of Elections 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 Minutes 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)

*27.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Determination under the Constitution (No.2),— Mr. S. Swarnajothi was appointed to the post of Auditor-General with effect from 04.01.2008 in terms of Article 153 (1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka. Subsequently it was decided that he be placed on the salary step of Rs. 58,915/- of the salary scale SL - 4 - Rs.47,515 - 12 × 1,425 - 64,615/- attached to the post. It was decided by the Cabinet of Ministers on 06.08.2008 that Mr. Swarnajothi be paid annual increments of salary so long as he holds the post of Auditor-General. This Parliament, therefore, determines that Mr. S. Swarnajothi, Auditor-General shall be paid a monthly salary of Rs. 58,915/- with effect from 04.01.2008. And that he shall be paid the annual increments of salary attached to the post so long as he holds the post of Auditor-General.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*28.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration, and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Determination under the Constitution (No.3),— 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)

*29.

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 remunerations 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 remunerations 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 remunerations and allowances determined by this resolution.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*30.

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 per month</u>
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)

*31.

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 salaries 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 Monthly</u>
Total	<u>Rs. 80,400.00</u>

Members

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

*32.

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, shall 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 determined by this resolution should be substituted for the salaries and allowances previously determined by Parliament.

(Cabinet approval signified)

33.

Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution Bill — Second Reading

34.

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

* Indicates Government Business

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