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Tuesday, December 08, 2009 at 9.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0217/'09

1.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,—To ask the Minister of Foreign Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House whether Mr. Yasushi Akashi, the Special Envoy of the Japanese Government, came to Sri Lanka during the month of January in the year 2009?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) whether Mr. Yasushi Akashi came to Sri Lanka on an invitation of the Government of Sri Lanka;
 - (ii) if so, who invited him to Sri Lanka as mentioned above; and
 - (iii) the matters discussed by him with the above mentioned parties?
- (c) If not, why?

0284/'09

2.

Hon. M. Joseph Michael Perera,— To ask the Minister of Nation Building and Estate Infrastructure Development,—(4)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) the number of Samurdhi recipients in each of the Divisional Secretariat Divisions in Gampaha District as at 30th June in each year from the year 2004 to the year 2007;
 - (ii) the amounts of money paid for them along with their names and addresses; and
 - (iii) the amount of money paid for the Samurdhi Recipients in the years 2004, 2005, 2006 and 2007?

(2)

(b) Will he state—

- (i) the number of persons who were Samurdhi recipients during the aforesaid four years but whose names were removed from the list of Samurdhi recipients subsequently and their names and addresses;
- (ii) the basis on which they were removed from the list of Samurdhi recipients as mentioned above; and
- (iii) if there are new Samurdhi recipients, the amount of money paid for them and their addresses?

(c) If not, why?

0365/'09

3.

Hon. R.M. Gamini Ratnayake,— To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(3)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the number of police stations newly initiated by the Police Department in the years 2007 and 2008; and
- (ii) out of them, the number of police stations newly constructed in the North and East?

(b) Will he state—

- (i) the names of companies which constructed the above police stations;
- (ii) whether tenders were called to award the constructions to the relevant companies;
- (iii) separately, the police stations that were constructed and handed over in accordance with tenders and the names of companies that carried out the construction;
- (iv) the amount of payments made up to now to the said companies by the Police Department;
- (v) the amount of money yet to be paid for the construction of the new police stations; and
- (vi) as to when such payments will be made?

(c) If not, why?

0419/'09

4.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Pallepola Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0513/'09

5.

Hon. Thilakaratne Withanachchi,—To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of unauthorized settlers in land No. 35 in Thawalama Divisional Secretariat Division in Galle District, which belongs to the Land Reform Commission;
 - (ii) the names and addresses of those settlers; and
 - (iii) how long they have been residing on this land?
- (b) Is he aware that road facilities and electricity supply have been provided to this village?
- (c) Will he state the timeframe within which action will be taken to grant title deeds for these lands as these settlers have been living there for a long time, having built their houses and engaging in farming activities?
- (d) If not, why?

0550/'09

6.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the number of telephone communication towers installed by telephone companies in the Ratgama Pradeshiya Sabha area and the addresses of their locations; and
 - (ii) the relevant companies and the year?
- (b) Will he submit to this House—
 - (i) the conditions that have to be fulfilled with regard to the installation of these towers; and
 - (ii) whether the relevant conditions have been fulfilled separately as per each location by the relevant telephone companies?
- (c) Will he admit that it is an offence, if the local government authority had given permission to install telephone towers when the relevant conditions have not been fulfilled?
- (d) Will he state—
 - (i) if so, the measures taken in this regard;
 - (ii) separately, the amount of money payable to the local government authority in installing the towers and the amount of money that had been received;
 - (iii) if the relevant money had not been received, the measures that will be taken in that regard; and
 - (iv) the purposes for which the above money, received by the local government authority, had been spent?
- (e) If not, why?

0633/'09

7.

Hon. L.G. Wasantha Piyatissa,—To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of police stations in the Ampara District;
 - (ii) separately, of the number of jeeps, trucks and motorcycles (usable) belonging to each of those police stations;

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- (iii) separately, of the amount of money allocated for fuel for each police stations for the first six months of 2009; and
- (iv) of the amount so allocated for the first six months of 2008?
- (b) If not, why?

0645/'09

8.

Hon. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera,—To ask the Minister of Sports and Public Recreation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House whether a Committee will be appointed to investigate into the matters that have arisen with regard to the Dehiwela Zoological Garden?
- (b) Will he submit to this House—
 - (i) the number of animals that died during the years 2006, 2007 and 2008; and
 - (ii) the number of new animals added to the zoological garden in the aforesaid years?
- (c) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the extent of land belonging to the Dehiwala zoological garden;
 - (ii) the daily and annual income and expenditure of the zoological garden separately;
 - (iii) the number of veterinary surgeons required for the zoological garden;
 - (iv) the number of veterinary surgeons employed at the zoological garden at present; and
 - (v) the number of staff required for the zoological garden?
- (d) Will he submit to this House a report on the required number of employees at present and the number of excess employees at the zoological garden separately?
- (e) Will he state the measures that will be taken to develop the zoological garden?
- (f) If not, why?

0709/'09

9.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Planning,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House for the last 10 years—
 - (i) the Government's budgeted revenue figures and the actual figures;

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- (ii) the Government's budgeted expenditure (re-current and capital) separately and actual expenditure on yearly basis; and
- (iii) the deficit of the budget on a budgeted and actual basis?
- (b) Will he state how the deficit been bridged from the envisaged debit to the actual?
- (c) Will he also state the Gross Domestic Product (GDP) of the country on a constant basis and real money basis for the last 10 years annually?
- (d) If not, why?

0756/'09

10.

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

- (a) Is he aware that an agreement was entered into with a Malaysian Company in the year 2003, to construct the Colombo-Kandy Express Way when Mr. Ranil Wickramasinghe, the then Prime Minister, toured Malaysia?
- (b) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the reasons for not taking any steps to construct this road even though five years have elapsed since the People's Alliance Government came into power; and
 - (ii) the steps to be taken in future regarding this matter?
- (c) If not, why?

0224/'09

11.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,—To ask the Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) as to when the order was placed to import 'Pethadine' injections to the country;
 - (ii) the quantity of the aforesaid injections so ordered;
 - (iii) as to when the distribution of the 'Pethadine' injections to the government hospitals was started;
 - (iv) of the quantity of the 'Pethadine' injection left without being used; and

(7)

- (v) the financial loss incurred through the waste of the 'Pethadine' injections?
- (b) Will he inform—
 - (i) as to when the order was placed to import 'Morphine' injections to this country;
 - (ii) the quantity so ordered; and
 - (iii) as to when the distribution of the 'Morphine' injections to the government hospitals was started?
- (c) If not, why?

0445/'09

12.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Ports and Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the total number of tanks in the Laggala Pallegama Divisional Secretariat Division in the Matale District, that belong to the Mahaweli Authority and the Department of Irrigation?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the extent of land on the reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the year in which surveying was done, last, to identify these reservations;
 - (iii) whether there are settlers on these reservations;
 - (iv) if so, the legal basis on which they live on these lands; and
 - (v) if so, that basis and the duration?
- (c) If not, why?

0627/'09

13.

Hon. M. Joseph Michael Perera,—To ask the Minister of Labour Relations and Manpower,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House whether the cabinet memorandum No. 06/1540/230/039 dated 18.08.2006 has been submitted to the cabinet by the then Minister of Labour Relations and Foreign Employment with regard to the payment of salary arrears of textile workers who were involved in the July strike of 1980?

- (b) Is he aware that the cabinet of ministers approved the said memorandum on the observation of the Minister of Finance and Planning and instructed the Ministry of Labour Relations and Manpower (formerly, Labour Relations and Foreign Employment) to make the relevant payments?
- (c) Will he admit that affidavits indicating salary arrears have been issued accordingly in order to make payments after identifying the correct owners by the Commissioner General of Labour to make the payments in early December 2006?
- (d) Will he submit to this House—
 - (i) the number of affidavits for which payments are to be made; and
 - (ii) their names and addresses?
- (e) Will he state—
 - (i) whether necessary steps will be taken to pay the salary arrears of the relevant textile employees on the basis of above factors; and
 - (ii) if so, when?
- (f) If not, why?

0731/'09

14.

Hon. Gamini Jayawickrama Perera,—To ask the Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) of the number of temporary identity cards issued at the Western Provincial Council election held for the districts of Colombo, Gampaha and Kalutara;
 - (ii) of the amount of money spent on that purpose;
 - (iii) the amount of money that has to be spent to issue permanent identity cards instead of issuing temporary identity cards in this manner;
 - (iv) whether the Government will take speedy measures to issue permanent identity cards; and
 - (v) whether measures will be taken to complete this programme before the Parliamentary election and the Presidential election?
- (b) If not, why?

15.

Hon. Pemasiri Manage,—To ask the Minister of Agricultural Development and Agrarian Services,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware of the fact that a part of the fallow paddy field of Kapugama lying by the Matara-Kataragama main road in the Devinuwara Pradeshiya Sabha area has been filled and a hotel has been built on it?
- (b) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) whether permission was granted to fill a part of the fallow paddy field of Kapugama;
 - (ii) if so, when; and
 - (iii) whether it is not inconsistent with the 'Mahinda Chinthana' manifesto to grant permission to fill fallow paddy fields?
- (c) Will he state—
 - (i) the name and address of the owner of the aforesaid hotel and the land;
 - (ii) whether action will be taken, if the above mentioned filling and the construction of the hotel are illegal; and
 - (iii) if so, when?
- (d) If not, why? _____

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of Presentation of Bills

1.

The Minister of Child Development and Women's Empowerment,—National Commission on Women,— Bill to establish a Commission to advance, respect, promote and protect the rights of women and to give effect to the provisions of international treaties and standards in respect of women's rights; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

2.

The Minister of Labour Relations and Manpower,—National Institute of Labour Studies,— Bill to establish a National Institute of Labour Studies, to establish a Board of Governors for the administration of the Institute; to establish Technical Committees and a School for Trade Unions; to conduct research, carry out surveys and provide training for the promotion of labour studies in Sri Lanka; and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

3.

The Minister of Construction and Engineering Services,—Construction Industry Development,— Bill to provide for the Overall Development of the Construction Industry in Sri Lanka; to regulate, formalize and standardize the activities of the Construction Industry; to provide for the establishment of the National Advisory Council on Construction, the establishment of the Construction Industry Development Fund and the Establishment of the Construction Industry Development Authority; and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

Notice of Motions

4.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Business of the Parliament,— That the proceedings on Item 1 of Public Business appearing on the Order Paper be exempted at this day's sittings from the provisions of the Standing Order 23.

5.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No.1),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order 7 and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 26.05.2009, the hours of sitting on this day shall be 9.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.. At 4.30 p.m. Mr. Speaker shall adjourn the Parliament without question put.

6.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No.2),— That this Parliament at its rising this day do adjourn until 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, January 05, 2010.

7.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Select Committee of Parliament to investigate and recommend steps to be taken to prevent man-made disasters,— That in terms of Standing Order 96, this Parliament do grant the Select Committee of Parliament to investigate and recommend steps to be taken to prevent man-made disasters appointed by the Hon. Speaker, on 20th July 2006, an extension of time till 31st March 2010 as the Committee is unable to report its findings to Parliament within the time limit granted by the motion agreed to by the Parliament on 09th June, 2009.

8.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Select Committee of Parliament on Electoral Reforms,— That in terms of Standing Order 96, this Parliament do grant the Select Committee of Parliament on Electoral Reforms, appointed by the Hon. Speaker, on 04th April 2006, an extension of time till 31st March 2010 as the Committee is unable to report its findings to Parliament within the time limit granted by the motion agreed to by the Parliament on 09th June, 2009.

9.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Select Committee of Parliament to look into the alarming increase in traffic accidents,— That in terms of Standing Order 96, this Parliament do grant the Select Committee of Parliament to look into the alarming increase in traffic accidents, appointed by the Hon. Speaker, on 08th May 2007, an extension of time till 31st March 2010 as the Committee is unable to report its findings to Parliament within the time limit granted by the motion agreed to by the Parliament on 09th June, 2009.

10.

Hon. Nandimithra Ekanayake,— Leave to introduce Bill (No.1),— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“Bill to incorporate the Rehabilitation of Buddhist Temples Foundation”

11.

Hon. Sarana Gunawardena,— Leave to introduce Bill (No.2),— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“Bill to incorporate the T.B. Ekanayaka Foundation”

12.

Hon. (Ven.) Athuraliye Rathana Thero,— Leave to introduce Bill (No.3),— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“Bill to incorporate the Samanalagiri Satharanga (Nadi) Medical Council”

13.

Hon. Jayantha Samaraweera,— Leave to introduce Bill (No.4),— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“Bill to incorporate the Sri Lanka Institute of Draughting Technologists”

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,—Resolution under the Public Security Ordinance,— That the Proclamation made by the President under Section 2 of the Public Security Ordinance (Chapter 40), as amended by Act, No. 8 of 1959, Law No. 6 of 1978, and Act, No. 28 of 1988, bringing into operation the provisions of Part II of the aforesaid Ordinance throughout Sri Lanka with effect from 02nd December, 2009, be approved.

*2.

The Minister of Transport,— Supplementary Sum— Head 306 — Programme 02,—
†That a supplementary sum not exceeding Rupees four thousand seven hundred fifty million (Rs. 4,750,000,000) 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, 2009 and ending on 31st December 2009 and that the said sum may be expended as specified in the schedule hereto:

Schedule

Head 306 — Sri Lanka Railways
Programme 02 — Development Programme

Capital Expenditure = Rs. 4,750,000,000
Rs. 4,750,000,000

(Cabinet approval signified)

†Vide Supplementary Estimate No.27 of 2009 presented on 17th November, 2009;
Total of Supplementary Estimate Nos. 1 to 26, Rs. 88,406,003,938/-

*3.

The Minister of Agricultural Development and Agrarian Services,— Supplementary Sum— Head 285 — Programme 01,— †That a supplementary sum not exceeding Rupees fifty million (Rs. 50,000,000) 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, 2009 and ending on 31st December 2009 and that the said sum may be expended as specified in the schedule hereto:

Schedule

Head 285 — Department of Agriculture
Programme 01 — Operational Programme
Project 01 — Administration and Institutional services

Development Assistance 1504 = Rs. 50,000,000
Rs. 50,000,000

(Cabinet approval signified)

†Vide Supplementary Estimate No.26 of 2009 presented on 17th November, 2009;
 Total of Supplementary Estimate Nos. 1 to 25, Rs. 88,356,003,938/-.

*4.

Elections (Special Provisions) (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*5.

Employees' Provident Fund (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*6.

Indian Immigrant Labour (Repeal) Bill — Second Reading.

*7.

Regulation of Asset Backed Securitization Bill — Second Reading.

*8.

Regulation of Insurance Industry (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*9.

Default Taxes (Special Provisions) Bill — Second Reading.

*10.

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

*11.

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

*12.

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

*13.

Governors' Pension Bill—Second Reading.

*14.

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

*15.

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

*16.

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

*17.

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

*18.

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

*19.

Civil Aviation Bill— Second Reading.

*20.

Civil Procedure Code (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*21.

Sri Lanka Institute of Development Administration (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*22.

Protection of the Rights of Elders (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*23.

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 under Article 108(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the monthly salaries payable to the Hon. Chief Justice, the Judges of the Supreme Court, the President of the Court of Appeal and the Judges of the Court of Appeal, with effect from 01.01.2006, shall subject to the provisions of the Public Administration Circular No.6/2006 dated 25.04.2006, be as follows:

Hon. Chief Justice	Rs. 70,000.00
	Rs. 1,500.00
Judges of the Supreme Court and the	
President of the Court of Appeal	Rs. 65,000.00
Judges of the Court of Appeal	Rs. 63,500.00

And this Parliament further resolves that the salaries determined by this resolution, replace the salaries determined by the resolution moved in Parliament on September 09, 2004, relating to the salaries payable to the judges of the Supreme Court and of the Court of Appeal.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*24.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Determination under the Constitution (No.2),— That this Parliament hereby determines under Article 108(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the monthly personal allowance payable to the Hon. Chief Justice, the Judges of the Supreme Court, the President of the Court of Appeal and the Judges of the Court of Appeal shall be an amount equivalent to 25% of their respective salaries, with effect from 01.07.2008.

And this Parliament further resolves that the personal allowance determined by this resolution, replaces the personal allowances determined by resolution moved in Parliament on March 17th, 1998, relating to the personal allowances payable to the Judges of the Supreme Court and of the Court of Appeal.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*25.

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 under Article 108(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the monthly rent allowance payable to the Hon. Chief Justice, Judges of the Supreme Court, the President of the Court of Appeal and the Judges of the Court of Appeal with effect from 01.08.2007, be as follows:

Hon. Chief Justice	Rs. 27,500.00
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Judges of the Supreme Court and the

President of the Court of Appeal	Rs. 25,000.00
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Judges of the Court of Appeal	Rs. 22,500.00
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And this Parliament further resolves that the rent allowances determined by this resolution, replaces the rent allowances determined by Parliament on September 09, 2004, as payable to the judges of the Supreme Court and of the Court of Appeal.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*26.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Determination under the Constitution (No.4),— That this Parliament hereby determines under Article 108(1) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka that the Hon. Chief Justice shall be paid a monthly allowance of Rs. 3,500/- as an entertainment allowance with effect from 01.07.2008.

And this Parliament further resolves that the entertainment allowance determined by this resolution, replaces the entertainment allowance determined earlier by the resolution moved in Parliament, relating to the entertainment allowance payable to the Hon. Chief Justice.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*27.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,—Order under Tobacco Tax Act,— That the Order made by the Acting Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 21 of the Tobacco Tax Act, No.8 of 1999 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No.1610/28 of 17th July, 2009, relating to raw material used for producing finished products, storing, import and export of Cigarette, Cigar, Beedi and Pipe Tobacco , which was presented on 08.10.2009 be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*28.

The Prime Minister, Minister of Internal Administration and Deputy Minister of Defence, Public Security, Law and Order,— Rules under the Excise Ordinance,— That the Rules made by the 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.

*29.

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.

*30.

The Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—Regulations under the Medical Ordinance,— 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.1590/13 of 25th February, 2009 which were presented on 21.04.2009, be approved.

*31.

The Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceuticals Manufacturing Corporation of Sri Lanka- 2007,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceuticals Manufacturing Corporation of Sri Lanka together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year ended by 31.12.2007 and presented on 08.07.2009 under the Section 30(2) of State Industrial Corporation Act, No.49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Healthcare and Nutrition)

*32.

The Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—Annual Report and Accounts of the Wijaya Kumarathunga Memorial Hospital - 2007,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Wijaya Kumarathunga Memorial Hospital together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year ended by 31.12.2007 and presented on 08.07.2009 under the Section 30(2) of State Industrial Corporation Act, No.49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Healthcare and Nutrition)

*33.

The Minister of Healthcare and Nutrition,—Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital - 2006,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year ended by 31.12.2006 and presented on 08.07.2009 under the Section 30(2) of State Industrial Corporation Act, No.49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Healthcare and Nutrition)

*34.

The Minister of Science and Technology,—Annual Report of Sri Lanka Standard Institution, 2007,— That the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Standard Institution together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year from 01st January, 2007 to 31st December, 2007 and presented on 09.09.2009 under Sri Lanka Standard Institution Act, No.06 of 1984 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Science and Technology)

*35.

The Minister of Science and Technology,—Annual Report of Sri Lanka Industrial Technology Institute - 2006,— That the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Industrial Technology Institute together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year from 01st January, 2006 to 31st December, 2006 and presented on 06.09.2009 under the Section 40(3) of Science and Technology Development Act, No.11 of 1994 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Science and Technology)

*36.

The Minister of Science and Technology,—Annual Report of Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment - 2006,— That the Annual Report of the Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment together with the Auditor General's observations prepared for the year from 01st January, 2006 to 31st December, 2006 and presented on 09.09.2009 under the Section 29(5) of Sri Lanka Accreditation Board for Conformity Assessment Act, No.32 of 2005 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Consultative Committee on Science and Technology)

37.

Nineteenth Amendment to the Constitution Bill — Second Reading.

38.

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

39.

Piliyandala Dharmashastrodaya Piriven Viharastha Sanwardhana Sabhawa (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

40.

Rahula College Matara Past Students Association (Colombo Branch) (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

41. Labour Officers' Association Welfare Fund (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.
42. Premadasa Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.
43. Sri Sumangala Saranaseva Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.
44. Al-Jamiathul Ghawsiyyah (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.
45. Hanguranketha Madanwela Rajamaha Vihara Development Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.
46. Prohibition of Forcible Conversion of Religion Bill — Consideration.
47. Zam Trust (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
48. Sri Lanka Chamber of Small Industry (Incorporation) (Amendment) Bill — Consideration.
49. Al Haj S.M.M. Hussain Charitable Trust (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
50. Mahindananda Aluthgamage Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
51. Institute of Project Managers Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
52. Samoda Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
53. Grassroots Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.
54. Wariyapola Rajamaha Vihara Development Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.

* Indicates Government Business

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

QUESTIONS NOT FOR ORAL ANSWERS

0420/'09

1.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Naula Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0421/'09

2.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Laggala Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and

- (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0422/'09

3.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Vilgamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0423/'09

4.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Ambanganga Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0424/'09

5.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Yatawatta Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0425/'09

6.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Ukuwela Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0426/'09

7.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Rattota Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0427/'09

8.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Matale Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0428/'09

9.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Matale Municipal Council area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Municipal Council was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Municipal Council was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0429/'09

10.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Galewela Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0430/'09

11.

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

- (a) Will he inform this House of—
 - (i) the types of roads in the Dambulla Pradeshiya Sabha area;
 - (ii) the name and the length of each road;
 - (iii) the length of each of the aforesaid roads that had been tarred or laid with concrete at the time this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (iv) the names of the roads that have been repaired by laying concrete up to December, 2008, after this Pradeshiya Sabha was elected in the year 2006;
 - (v) the length of each road;
 - (vi) the amount of money spent for it; and
 - (vii) the expenditure head from which this money was spent?
- (b) If not, why?

0446/'09

12.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Ports and Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the total number of tanks in the Dambulla Divisional Secretariat Division in the Matale District, that belong to the Mahaweli Authority and the Department of Irrigation?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the extent of land on the reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the year in which surveying was done, last, to identify these reservations;
 - (iii) whether there are settlers on those these reservations;
 - (iv) if so, the legal basis on which they live on those lands; and
 - (v) if so, that basis and the duration?
- (c) If not, why?

0447/'09

13.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Ports and Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the total number of tanks in the Galewela Divisional Secretariat Division in the Matale District, that belong to the Mahaweli Authority and the Department of Irrigation?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the extent of land on the reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the year in which surveying was done, last, to identify these reservations;
 - (iii) whether there are settlers on those these reservations;
 - (iv) if so, the legal basis on which they live on those lands; and
 - (v) if so, that basis and the duration?
- (c) If not, why?

0448/'09

14.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Ports and Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the total number of tanks in the Naula Divisional Secretariat Division in the Matale District, that belong to the Mahaweli Authority and the Department of Irrigation?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the extent of land on the reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the year in which surveying was done, last, to identify these reservations;
 - (iii) whether there are settlers on those these reservations;
 - (iv) if so, the legal basis on which they live on those lands; and
 - (v) if so, that basis and the duration?
- (c) If not, why?

15.

Hon. Ranjith Aluvihare,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Management and Ports and Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the total number of tanks in the Vilgamuwa Divisional Secretariat Division in the Matale District, that belong to the Mahaweli Authority and the Department of Irrigation?
 - (b) Will he state—
 - (i) separately, the extent of land on the reservations of the aforesaid tanks;
 - (ii) the year in which surveying was done, last, to identify these reservations;
 - (iii) whether there are settlers on those these reservations;
 - (iv) if so, the legal basis on which they live on those lands; and
 - (v) if so, that basis and the duration?
 - (c) If not, why?
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