

# RAJYA SABHA

## REVISED LIST OF BUSINESS

Thursday, March 16, 2017

11 A.M.

### PAPERS TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE

Following Ministers to lay papers on the Table entered in the separate list:—

1. RAO INDERJIT SINGH for Ministry of Urban Development and Niti Aayog;
2. DR. JITENDRA SINGH for Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions;
3. SHRI KRISHAN PAL for Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment;
4. COL. RAJYAVARDHAN SINGH RATHORE for Ministry of Information and Broadcasting;
5. SHRI VIJAY SAMPLA for Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment;
6. DR. MAHENDRA NATH PANDEY for Ministry of Human Resource Development; and
7. SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ for Ministry of Women and Child Development.

### REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON INDUSTRY

SHRI SHARAD YADAV

SHRI RAM NARAIN DUDI

SHRI VIVEK K. TANKHA to present the following Reports (in English and Hindi) of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Industry:—

- (i) Two Hundred and Eightieth Report on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises;
- (ii) Two Hundred and Eighty-first Report on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises (Department of Heavy Industry); and
- (iii) Two Hundred and Eighty-second Report on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises (Department of Public Enterprises).

REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY  
STANDING COMMITTEE ON WATER RESOURCES

SHRI ANANDA BHASKAR RAPOLU

SHRI PRADEEP TAMTA to lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Reports of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Water Resources (2016-17):—

- (i) Thirteenth Report on the subject “Indigenous and Modern forms of Water Conservation – Techniques and Practices” relating to the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation;
- (ii) Fourteenth Report on the subject “Review of the Accelerated Irrigation Benefits Programme (AIBP)” relating to the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation;
- (iii) Fifteenth Report on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations / Recommendations contained in the Tenth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Committee on “Repair, Renovation and Restoration of Water Bodies – Encroachment on water bodies and steps required to remove the encroachment and restore the water bodies” relating to the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation; and
- (iv) Sixteenth Report on 'Demands for Grants (2017-18)' of the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation.

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STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

1. SHRI Y.S. CHOWDARY to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Two Hundred and eighty-ninth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in its Two Hundred and Eighty-first Report on Demands for Grants (2016-17) pertaining to the Ministry of Science and Technology.

2. SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA to make the following statements regarding:—

- (i) Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in its Two Hundred and Twentieth Report on Demands for Grants (2015-16) of the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways.
- (ii) Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Demands for Grants (2016-17) of the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways.
- (iii) Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Demands for Grants (2016-17) of the Ministry of Shipping.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS

SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI to move the following Motion:—

“That this House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha do agree to nominate seven Members from Rajya Sabha to associate with the Committee on Public Undertakings for the term beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2017 and ending on the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2018, and do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, seven Members from amongst the Members of the House to serve on the said Committee.”

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MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF  
SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI to move the following Motion:—

“That this House resolves that the Rajya Sabha do join the Committee of both the Houses on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes for the term beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2017 and ending on the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2018, and do proceed to elect, in accordance with the system of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote, ten Members from amongst the Members of the House to serve on the said Committee.”

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MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE  
COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI to move the following Motion:—

“That this House concurs in the recommendation of the Lok Sabha that the Rajya Sabha do agree to nominate seven Members from Rajya Sabha to associate with the Committee on Public Accounts for the term beginning on the 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2017 and ending on the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2018, and do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, seven Members from amongst the Members of the House to serve on the said Committee.”

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#QUESTIONS

QUESTIONS entered in separate lists to be asked and answers given.

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\*SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR  
GRANTS (RAILWAYS) 2016-17

SHRI SURESH PRABHU to lay on the Table, a statement (in English and Hindi) showing the Supplementary Demands for Grants (Railways) 2016-17.

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# At 12 Noon.

\* At 2-00 p.m.

THE UNION BUDGET, 2017-18

*Further Discussion*

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DISCUSSION ON THE WORKING OF THE  
MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

SHRI JAVED ALI KHAN to raise a discussion on the working of the  
Ministry of Railways.

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DISCUSSION ON THE WORKING OF THE  
MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS

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CLARIFICATIONS ON THE STATEMENT BY MINISTER

MEMBERS to seek clarifications on the statement made by Shri Rajnath  
Singh, Minister of Home Affairs, on the 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2017, regarding incidents  
which occurred in Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh on 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2017,  
respectively.

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% STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

1. SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ to make a statement regarding  
killing of Indian fishermen by Sri Lankan Navy off the coast of Tamil Nadu.

2. SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR to make a statement  
regarding recent attack on Security Forces at Sukma, Chhattisgarh on 11<sup>th</sup> March,  
2017.

NEW DELHI;  
March 15, 2017.

SHUMSHER K. SHERIFF,  
*Secretary-General.*

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% To be made before the House rises for the day.