

RAJYA SABHA

REVISED LIST OF BUSINESS

Friday, August 4, 2017

11 A.M.

PAPERS TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE

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

1. SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI for Ministry of Textiles;
2. SHRI MANOJ SINHA for Ministry of Communications;
3. SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI for Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs;
4. SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA for Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare;
5. SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL for Ministry of Finance;
6. SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA for Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers;
7. SHRI C.R. CHAUDHARY for Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and
8. SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY for Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology and Ministry of Law and Justice.

II. SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL to lay on the Table, under clause (1) of article 151 of the Constitution, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Reports:—

- (i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Payment of Tax by certain companies under special provisions of section 115JB for the year ended March-2017-Union Government-Department of Revenue- Direct taxes, Report No. 30 of 2017 (Performance Audit).
- (ii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Levy and collection of Service Tax on Entertainment Sector for the year ended March 2017- Union Government-Department of Revenue, Indirect Taxes- Service Tax, Report No. 31 of 2017.

III. SHRI C.R. CHAUDHARY to lay on the Table, under clause (2) of Section 19A of the Comptroller and Auditor General's (Duties, Powers and Conditions of Service) Act, 1971, a copy (in English and Hindi) of the Audit Report on Food Corporation of India for the year ended March 2016- Union Government, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Report No. 18 of 2017 (Compliance Audit).

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

1. SHRI ARUN JAITLEY to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Forty-sixth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Finance on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Finance.

2. SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Thirteenth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Railways on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Railways.

3. SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Twenty-fourth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture on Demands for Grants (2016-17) pertaining to the Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.

4. SHRI MANSUKH L. MANDAVIYA to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Seventeenth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Chemicals and Fertilizers on 'Petroleum, Chemicals and Petrochemicals Investment Regions (PCPIRs)' pertaining to the Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers.

5. SHRI C.R. CHAUDHARY to make a statement regarding Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Fifteenth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Department of Food and Public Distribution, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution.

STATEMENT REGARDING GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI to make a statement regarding Government Business for the remaining part of the Session.

#QUESTIONS

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

(FROM 2.30 P.M. TO 5.00 P.M.)

PRIVATE MEMBERS' LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Bills for introduction

*The Labour
(Welfare and
Rehabilitation) Bill,
2017.*

1. SHRI VIVEK GUPTA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to establish a Labour Welfare and Rehabilitation Authority to look into the dynamic trends in the labour market, provide for schemes to give interest free loans to workers unemployed for certain periods, issue guidelines for social sector schemes including universal basic income for all working in private and public sector, provide for wages during non-work time for seasonally employed workers, provide for hardship bonus for plantation workers, formulate schemes for rehabilitation of workers of closed industries and for all matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

At 12 Noon.

2. SHRI VIVEK GUPTA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to establish a Women Empowerment and Welfare Authority to provide for monthly incentive schemes for girl children to delay marriage until the age of twenty one years, special saving schemes for women with higher rate of interest inclusive of annual bonus if husband is non-alcoholic, special fund for micro credit schemes, guidelines for mobile healthcare facilities for agricultural labour, regulation of private placement agencies, schemes for widows and for all matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

The Women (Empowerment and Welfare) Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

3. SHRI NARAYAN LAL PANCHARIYA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for prevention of acid attacks by regulation of sale, supply and use of acid and other measures and rehabilitation of women victims of acid attacks and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

The Prevention of Acid Attacks and Rehabilitation of Acid Attack Victims Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

4. SHRI NARAYAN LAL PANCHARIYA to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Indian Contract Act, 1872.

The Indian Contract (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

5. DR. K.V.P. RAMACHANDRA RAO to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of India.

The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2017 (amendment of articles 75 and 164).

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

6. SHRI HUSAIN DALWAI to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act, 1958 and the Armed Forces (Jammu and Kashmir) Special Powers Act, 1990.

The Armed Forces Special Powers (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

7. SHRI HUSAIN DALWAI to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Indian Penal Code, 1860.

The Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

8. DR. KANWAR DEEP SINGH to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act, 1971.

The Medical Termination of Pregnancy (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

Bills for consideration and passing

9. SHRI PRADEEP TAMTA to move that the Bill to provide for the setting up of a Council to be called the Central Himalayan States Development Council to formulate development plans and schemes and also to monitor their implementation for the balanced and all-round development of the hilly States comprising the Central Himalayan region and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto, be taken into consideration.

The Central Himalayan States Development Council Bill, 2016.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

10. SHRI VEER SINGH to move that the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, be taken into consideration.

The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2015 (amendment of articles 341 and 342).

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (amendment of articles 109, 117, 198 and 207).

11. DR. K.V.P. RAMACHANDRA RAO to move that the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, be taken into consideration.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

The Arsenic Contamination (Prevention) Bill, 2017.

12. SHRI NEERAJ SHEKHAR to move that the Bill to provide for effective regulation of the level of arsenic in ground water and identification of the risk areas of arsenic contamination, formulate a national policy for mitigating and preventing arsenic contamination in food and drinking water in the country for the overall welfare, care and protection of the citizens and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto, be taken into consideration.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2017 (amendment of article 51A).

13. SHRI PRABHAT JHA to move that the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, be taken into consideration.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

GOVERNMENT LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Bill for consideration and passing

The Companies (Amendment) Bill, 2017.

FURTHER CONSIDERATION of the following motion moved by Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal on the 2nd August, 2017:—

“That the Bill further to amend the Companies Act, 2013, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration”

SHRI ARJUN RAM MEGHWAL to move that the Bill be passed.

[§]STATEMENT BY MINISTER

DR. HARSH VARDHAN to make a statement regarding organisation of India International Science Festival (IISF).

NEW DELHI;
August 3, 2017.

SHUMSHER K. SHERIFF,
Secretary-General.

[§] To be made before the House rises for the day.