

RAJYA SABHA

REVISED LIST OF BUSINESS

Friday, December 14, 2018

11 A.M.

PAPERS TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE

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

1. SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD for Ministry of Law and Justice;
2. SHRI RADHA MOHAN SINGH for Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare;
3. SHRI VIJAY GOEL for Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation;
4. SHRI PARSHOTTAM RUPALA for Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare;
5. SHRIMATI KRISHNA RAJ for Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.

REPORTS OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT, TOURISM AND CULTURE

SHRI DEREK O'BRIEN

SHRI SAMBHAJI CHHATRAPATI

DR. L. HANUMANTHAIAH to present the following Reports (in English and Hindi) of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture:—

- (i) Two Hundred Sixty Second Report on the "Development of Buddhist Circuit in India";
- (ii) Two Hundred Sixty Third Report on the "Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Fifty Seventh Report on the Demands for Grants (2018-19) of Ministry of Civil Aviation";
- (iii) Two Hundred Sixty Fourth Report on the "Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Fifty Eighth Report on the Demands for Grants (2018-19) of Ministry of Culture";
- (iv) Two Hundred Sixty Fifth Report on the "Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Fifty Ninth Report on the Demands for Grants (2018-19) of Ministry of Road Transport and Highways;

- (v) Two Hundred Sixty Sixth Report on the “Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Sixtieth Report on the Demands for Grants (2018-19) of Ministry of Shipping”; and
- (vi) Two Hundred and Sixty Seventh Report on the “Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Sixty First Report on the Demands for Grants (2018-19) of Ministry of Tourism”.

STATEMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT RELATED PARLIAMENTARY
STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

SHRI HARNATH SINGH YADAV

SHRI RAJMANI PATEL to lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the Statements showing further action taken by the Government on the following Reports:—

- (i) Fifty-fifth Report on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Thirty-ninth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on the Subject "Comprehensive Agriculture Research based on Geographical Conditions and Impact of Climatic Changes to ensure Food Security in the Country" of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Department of Agricultural Research and Education);
- (ii) Fifth-sixth Report on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Forty-seventh Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2018-19)' of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare); and
- (iii) Fifth-ninth Report on the action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Forty-eighth Report on 'Demands for Grants (2018-19)' of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Department of Agricultural Research and Education).

REPORTS OF THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE

SHRI BHUBANESWAR KALITA

SHRI SUKHENDU SEKHAR RAY to lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Reports of the Public Accounts Committee (2018-19):—

- (i) One Hundred and Thirteenth Report on Action taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations of the Committee contained in their Eighty-ninth Report (Fifteenth Lok Sabha) on 'Defence Estates Management';
- (ii) One Hundred and Fourteenth Report on the subject "Performance Audit of Design, Development, Manufacture and Induction of Light Combat Aircraft ";

- (iii) One Hundred and Fifteenth Report on Action taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations of the Committee contained in their Sixty-seventh Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on "Performance Audit of Employees State Insurance Corporation and Special Audit of Medical Education Projects of ESIC";
- (iv) One Hundred and Sixteenth Report on Action taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations of the Committee contained in their Thirty-sixth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on "Excesses over voted grants and charged appropriations (2013-14)"; and
- (v) One Hundred and Seventeenth Report on Action taken by the Government on the Recommendations/Observations of the Committee contained in their Sixty-eighth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on "Excesses over voted grants and charged appropriations (2014-15)".

STATEMENTS BY MINISTER

SADHVI NIRANJAN JYOTI to make the following statements regarding:—

- (i) Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Forty-fifth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture on the subject "Implementation of Scheme for Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructures" pertaining to the Ministry of Food Processing Industries; and
- (ii) Status of implementation of recommendations/observations contained in the Fiftieth Report of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Agriculture on Demands for Grants (2018-19) pertaining to the Ministry of Food Processing Industries.

STATEMENT REGARDING GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

SHRI VIJAY GOEL to make a statement regarding Government Business for the week commencing Monday, the 17th of December, 2018.

#QUESTIONS

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

At 12 Noon.

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

PRIVATE MEMBERS' LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Bills for introduction

The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development (Amendment) Bill, 2018. 1. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006.
ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Railways (Amendment) Bill, 2018. 2. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Railways Act, 1989.
ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Employment Bill, 2018. 3. DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide employment or means and resources for self-employment atleast one adult member of every family and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Protection of Farmers Families Bill, 2018. 4. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for protection of the families of farmers by the State who have lost their lives in accident of any nature, due to disease, natural death or by committing suicide by extending welfare measures, financial assistance etc. so as to enable the bereaved families to bear the loss of their bread winners and live a respectable life and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Prevention of Contamination of Groundwater Bill, 2018. 5. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the prevention of contamination of groundwater due to arsenic, fluoride, zinc and other mineral residues which adversely affect the health of millions of people and for identification of risk areas of contamination, formulation of national policy for preventing contamination of groundwater and for the establishment of a Board for specifically concentrating on this issue so as to protect the people from adverse effects of water contamination and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Compulsory Yoga and Sports Education in Schools Bill, 2018. 6. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for compulsory yoga and sports education from primary to senior secondary level in all the schools throughout the country in order to prepare talent of sports from school level thereby ensuring good health of students and for making it obligatory for the Central and State Governments to provide requisite infrastructure for the purpose and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

7. SHRI RIPUN BORA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to repeal the Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act, 1958. *The Armed Forces (Special Powers) Repeal Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
8. SHRI RIPUN BORA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to ensure equal participation of women in representing the Government of India while entering into any international treaty, agreement, covenant, resolution or negotiation, including those relating to war and peace, in order to uphold the values of international human rights and convention to which India is a signatory and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto. *The Women (Equal Participation in International Peace Negotiations, Treaties and Agreements) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
9. SHRI RIPUN BORA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to modify the National Anthem “Jana Gana Mana”. *The National Anthem (Modification) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
10. SHRI C. M. RAMESH to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Constitution of India. *The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2018 (amendment of articles 85 and 174).*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
11. SHRI MAHESH PODDAR to move for leave to introduce a Bill to curb food waste by empowering and mobilizing food procedures, processors and distributors, consumers and associations and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto. *The Food Waste (Reduction) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
12. SHRI V. VIJAYASAI REDDY to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973. *The Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
13. SHRI V. VIJAYASAI REDDY to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Registration of Births and Deaths Act, 1969. *The Registration of Births and Deaths (Amendment) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
14. SHRI NARAYAN LAL PANCHARIYA to move for leave to introduce a Bill further to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908. *The Code of Civil Procedure (Amendment) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.
15. DR. VIKAS MAHATME to move for leave to introduce a Bill to develop a new method of implementing reservation policy through the weighted indexing system, to achieve social justice and reservation benefits to the most deserving individuals and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto. *The Other Backward Classes (Sub-Categorization) Bill, 2018.*
- ALSO to introduce the Bill.

The Safeguarding and Adjudicating Farmers' Economic Rights Commission Bill, 2018.

16. SHRI PARTAP SINGH BAJWA to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment of an autonomous body, called the Safeguarding and Adjudicating Farmers' Economic Rights Commission, to help improve the economic conditions of farmers, reduce their indebtedness and for all matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

ALSO to introduce the Bill.

Bills for consideration and passing

The Parliament (Enhancement of Productivity) Bill, 2017.

17. Further consideration of the following motion moved by Shri Naresh Gujral on the 3rd August, 2018:-

“That the Bill to provide for the establishment of an effective system to prevent and address the decline in productivity of Parliament due to disruptions of sittings, by means of an appropriate legal framework to fix the minimum number of days in a year for which Parliament shall be in Sessions, introduction of special Session in addition to the existing three Sessions, compensation for the hours unutilised due to disruptions, and to provide obligations of the Presiding Officers of both Houses and the Members of Parliament and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto, be taken into consideration.

SHRI NARESH GUJRAL to move that the Bill be passed.

The Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill, 2014.

18. PROF. M. V. RAJEEV GOWDA to move that the Bill further to amend the Representation of the People Act, 1951, be taken into consideration.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2016 (insertion of new article 21B).

19. SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD 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.

20. 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 Companies (Amendment) Bill, 2018.

21. SHRI RIPUN BORA to move that the Bill further to amend the Companies Act, 2013, be taken into consideration.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

22. SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD to move that the Bill to provide for special financial assistance to the Bundelkhand region of the State of Uttar Pradesh for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes, Minorities and poor farmers and for the development, exploitation and proper utilization of its resources and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto, be taken into consideration.

#The Special Financial Assistance to the Bundelkhand Region of the State of Uttar Pradesh Bill, 2016.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

GOVERNMENT LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Bill for withdrawal

1. SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ to move for leave to withdraw a Bill to amend the Nalanda University Act, 2010.

**The Nalanda University (Amendment) Bill, 2013.*

ALSO to withdraw the Bill.

Bills for consideration and passing

2. FURTHER CONSIDERATION of the following motion moved by Shri Prakash Javadekar on the 26th July, 2018:—

The National Council for Teacher Education (Amendment) Bill, 2018.

"That the Bill further to amend the National Council for Teacher Education Act, 1993, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration."

SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR to move that the Bill be passed.

3. SHRI PRAKASH JAVADEKAR to move that the Bill further to amend the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration.

The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (Amendment) Bill, 2018.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

4. SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD to move that the Bill further to amend the Representation of the People Act, 1950 and the Representation of the People Act, 1951, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration.

The Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill, 2018.

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

NEW DELHI;
December 13, 2018

DESH DEEPAK VERMA,
Secretary-General.

[#] Subject to receiving of the President's recommendation under article 117(3) of the Constitution by 11.00 A.M. on Friday, the 14th December, 2018.

^{*} The Bill was introduced on the 26th August, 2013.