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No. 218.]

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FOR

Tuesday, November 21, 2017 at 9.30 a.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1.

115/15

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(2)

(a) Is he aware that —

- (i) plans have been formulated to use an area of eight acres from the mangrove forests connected to the Negambo Lagoon that come under the Department of Forest Conservation for development activities including a housing project; and
- (ii) environmentalists have expressed objection to this project?

(b) Will he inform this House —

- (i) of the construction work that has been proposed for the aforesaid land area as per the said plan;
- (ii) whether permission has been obtained from the Department of Forest Conservation to engage in construction work on the said mangrove forest;
- (iii) if so, of the date on which construction work will commence;
- (iv) whether the documentation pertaining to getting approval for engaging in construction work will be presented; and
- (v) if not, of the lawful methodology that will be adopted to implement the said project?

(c) If not, why?

(2)

2.

1201/16

Hon. Padma Udayashantha Gunasekara,—To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Resources Management,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House in relation to the Trincomalee District by the year 1983 —
 - (i) the number of irrigation systems that had existed ;
 - (ii) the number of small-scale tanks, anicuts and canals that had existed ; and
 - (iii) the extent of lands that had been brought under cultivation ?
- (b) Will he also inform this House, separately on per year basis —
 - (i) from year 1983 until the war situation had ended in 2009 the amount of money that had been allocated for restoration of irrigation schemes, tanks, anicuts and canals; and
 - (ii) from the time the war situation ended until year 2015 the total amount of money the government had allocated for the restoration of irrigations systems, tanks, anicuts and canals?
- (c) If not, why?

3.

1418/16

Hon. Bandula Gunawardana,—To ask the Minister of Development Strategies and International Trade,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House of the Foreign Investments received by Sri Lanka for the fields of—
 - (i) oil refining;
 - (ii) renewable energy;
 - (iii) joint motor vehicle production;
 - (iv) steel bridge production for the region;
 - (v) fertilizer, Triple Superphosphate production;
 - (vi) satellite technology;
 - (vii) aircraft repair and supportive activities; and
 - (viii) joint sugar production;
- within 2015 and 2016 as indicated in budget proposal No. 198 of 2016?

(3)

- (b) Will he also inform this House of—
- (i) the amount of foreign investments in Sri Lanka Government Securities as at 01.01.2015;
 - (ii) the amount of foreign investments in Government Securities as at 01.01.2017; and
 - (iii) the International Credit Ratings awarded to Sri Lanka by Fitch Rating and Moody Institute in the years, 2014,2015 and 2016?
- (c) If not, why?

4.

1511/17

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila,—To ask the Minister of Law and Order and Southern Development,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
- (i) the number of road accidents reported within the year 2016 and the deaths occurred due to them; and
 - (ii) the increase in road accidents reported within the year 2016 and the deaths occurred due to them in numbers, in comparison to years 2014 and 2015?
- (b) If not, why?

5.

1585/17

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,—To ask the Minister of Public Enterprise Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
- (i) whether a bank account named Commonwealth Game is maintained in the Bank of Ceylon;
 - (ii) if so, of the name of the person who maintains the aforesaid account;
 - (iii) of the date on which it was opened;
 - (iv) of the amount of government funds and donations which have been credited to the aforesaid account; and
 - (v) of the balance that remains in the aforesaid account at present?
- (b) If not, why?

(4)

6.

1620/'17

Hon. Heshan Withanage,—To ask the Minister of Buddhasasana,—(1)

- (a) Will he inform this House whether—
 - (i) he is aware that businessmen who own business premises in the Embilipitiya town have to pay taxes to the Department of Buddhist Affairs for their business premises;
 - (ii) such taxes are levied for the relevant plot of land or for the buildings constructed by businessmen with their own money;
 - (iii) he will submit the documents recommended by the Commissioner of Buddhist Affairs as to the levying of these taxes;
 - (iv) there is an order by the Commissioner of Buddhist Affairs that 25% of the proceedings from the sale of a business premises to another person shall be paid to the relevant temple; and
 - (v) if so, he will admit that a grave injustice is caused to them in selling their business premises together with large buildings constructed thereon with their own funds?
- (b) If not, why?

7.

1630/'17

Hon. Ajith Mannapperuma,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he admits that the generation of electricity from solar power is the renewable energy source with the lowest production cost in the world as of now;
 - (ii) if so, the measures initiated by the government for generating electricity from solar power; and
 - (iii) the amount of electricity added to the national grid by now through the programme called “Soorya Bala Sangramaya” launched by the government on 06.09.2016?
- (b) If not, why?

8.

1636/'17

Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha,—To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House —
 - (i) of the objective of establishing Lanka Coal Company (Pvt.) Ltd;
 - (ii) the total number of employees of the company to date;
 - (iii) of the Chairman and the Board of Directors of the aforesaid company;

(5)

- (iv) of the salaries and all allowances obtained by the Chairman, the Board of Directors and the employees of aforesaid company, in the month of July 2016;
 - (v) whether the objectives of establishing aforesaid company, have been achieved; and
 - (vi) whether aforesaid company is capable of handling a serious business undertaking like purchasing coal?
- (b) If not why?

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS
Notice of Presentation of Bills

1.

The Minister of Foreign Employment and Minister of Justice,— Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka (Amendment),— Bill to amend the Commercial Mediation Centre of Sri Lanka Act, No. 44 of 2000.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*a1.

Appropriation Bill (2018) — (Tenth Allotted Day) — Committee (Progress 20th November).

*2.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 04.05.2016 under Section 34 of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka Act, No. 23 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands on 09.03.2017)

*3.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 15.11.2016 under Section 34 of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka Act, No. 23 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands on 09.03.2017)

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*4.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of State Timber Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of State Timber Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14 of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Sustainable Development and Environment and Natural Resources on 09.03.2017)

*5.

The Minister of Sports,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 24.06.2016 under Section 14(2)(c) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Youth, Sports, Arts and Heritage on 21.02.2017)

*6.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

*7.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

*8.

The Minister of Development Assignments and Minister of Foreign Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Employees' Trust Fund - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Employees' Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.11.2016 under Section 11 of the Employees' Trust Fund Board Act, No. 46 of 1980, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

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*9.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

*10.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 07.03.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 24.03.2017)

*11.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 03.05.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.05.2017)

*12.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.12.2016 under Section 14 (2) (c) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

*13.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 14 (2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

*14.

The Minister of Women and Child Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Child Protection Authority - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Child Protection Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 07.06.2016 under Section 32 of National Child Protection Authority Act, No. 50 of 1996 and Section 14(2) (e) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Women and Gender on 21.02.2017)

*15.

The Minister of Foreign Employment and Minister of Justice,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 08.06.2016 under Section 19 of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment Act, No. 21 of 1985, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on International Relations on 05.10.2016)

*16.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Regulations under the Merchant Shipping Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Ports and Shipping under Sections 126 and 321 of the Merchant Shipping Act, No. 52 of 1971 relating to Standards of Training, Certification and Watch keeping for Seafarers and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1987/19 of 04th October 2016 amended by the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2018/3 published on 08th May 2017, which were presented on 17.10.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*17.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Regulations under the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel operating Common Carriers and Container Operators Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Ports and Shipping under Section 10 of the Licensing of Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel operating Common Carriers and Container Operators Act, No. 10 of 1972 relating to Shipping Agents, Freight Forwarders, Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier and Container Operators (Structure of Charges) Regulations 2017 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2041/10 of 17th October 2017, which were presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*18.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. - 2012/2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2013 and presented on 28.01.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

*19.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

*20.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 08.10.2015 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

*21.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 21.06.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 24.01.2017)

*22.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.11.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

*23.

The Minister of Industry and Commerce,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. - 2012/2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.03.2013 and presented on 07.07.2016 under Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Act, No. 33 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Manufacturing and Services on 04.10.2016)

*24.

The Minister of Industry and Commerce,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 09.02.2017 under Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Act, No. 33 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Manufacturing and Services on 07.04.2017)

*25.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation - 2011,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2011 and presented on 10.12.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

*26.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*27.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Bank of Ceylon - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 25.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*28.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 08.03.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*29.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd. - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd. together with the observations of Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 21.03.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

*30.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the K.P.M.G Chartered Accountants prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.03.2017 in terms of the Companies Act, No. 07 of 2007 and regulation of Insurance Industry Act, No. 43 of 2000, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*31.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*32.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.09.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*33.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*34.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 15.11.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*35.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 28.10.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

*36.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2014/2015,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended 31.03.2015 and presented on 09.08.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

*37.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2015/2016,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2016 and presented on 25.07.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

*38.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 04.03.2015 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

*39.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank together with the observations of S.J.M.S. Chartered Accountants, Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 23.05.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

*40.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank together with the observations of S.J.M.S. Chartered Accountants, Independent Auditors for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 09.08.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

*41.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Housing Development Financial Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 04.07.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act, No. 58 of 1949 and under section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

*42.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 08.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the State Industrial Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*43.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 21.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital Board Act, No. 54 of 1983 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*44.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Reports and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 11.08.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the 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 Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*45.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 12.08.2016 under Section 30(2) of the Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital Board Act, No. 38 of 1999 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*46.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ayurvedic Drugs Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ayurvedic Drugs Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 09.01.2017 under Section 30 of State Industrial Corporations Act, No. 49 of 1957, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*47.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Homoeopathy Medical Council - 2011,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Homoeopathy Medical Council together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2011 and presented on 25.01.2017 under Section 40 of Homoeopathy Act, No. 07 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

*48.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 25.10.2016 under National Housing Development Authority Act, No. 17 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

*49.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 25.10.2016 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Gazette Extraordinary No. 718/15 of 10th June 1992, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

*50.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 24.01.2017 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

*51.

The Minister of Petroleum Resources Development,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 05.04.2016 under Section 32(3) of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation Act, No. 28 of 1961, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Energy on 07.10.2016)

*52.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance,— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) read with Sections 12, 14 and 22 regarding Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2029/51 of 28th July 2017, which was presented on 09.10.2017, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 996)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*53.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Excise (Special Provisions) Act,— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 3 of the Excise (Special Provisions) Act, No. 13 of 1989, relating to Excise Duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2032/31 of 17th August 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*54.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.1),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2021/7 of 30th May 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*55.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.2),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2022/7 of 06th June 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*56.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.3),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 5 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2022/8 of 06th June 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*57.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.4),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2025/44 of 30th June 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*58.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.5),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2028/44 of 19th July 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*59.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.6),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2029/25 of 26th July 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*60.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.7),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2030/10 of 31st July 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*61.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.8),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2030/20 of 01st August 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*62.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.9),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2032/11 of 15th August 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*63.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.10),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2032/24 of 16th August 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*64.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.11),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2033/31 of 23rd August 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*65.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.12),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2035/28 of 08th September 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*66.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Order under the Special Commodity Levy Act (No.13),— That the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 relating to Special Commodity Levy and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2039/2 of 02nd October 2017, which was presented on 07.11.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*67.

Revised Draft Standing Orders of Parliament,— Report of the Committee on Standing Orders in relation to the revised Draft of the Standing Orders of Parliament presented on Tuesday, 07th November 2017,— Consideration.

*68.

Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution Bill— Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*69.

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*70.

Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*71.

Theravadi Bhikku Kathikawath (Registration) Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*72.

Resolution under the Constitution,— Adjourned Debate on Question (22nd June, 2016) Motion made and question proposed,—“Media guidelines to be followed/ Policies to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections published by the Election Commission in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1955/19 of 25th February 2016 in terms of the provisions of Article 104B (5)(a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka which was presented on 06.05.2016, be approved.”

73.

Institute of Personnel Management, Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

74.

Child Rehabilitation Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

75.

United Christian Fellowship of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

76.

Sri Lanka Women’s Conference (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

77.

Moneragala District Kantha Maha Sangamaya (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

78.

Lasallian Community Education Services (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

79.

International Women's and Children's Rights (IWCRC) (Incorporation) Bill—
Second Reading.

80.

Aloka Social Service Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

81.

Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

* *Indicates Government Business.*

NOTICES OF AMENDMENTS RELATING TO ORDERS OF THE DAY

a1.

For amendments in Committee on the Appropriation Bill (2018)—See separate Paper
“Supplement to the Orders of the Day”.
