



[*Seventh Parliament -First Session*]

No. 276.]

ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT

FOR

Wednesday, May 22, 2013 at 1.00 p.m.

QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

1935/'11

1.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Petroleum Industries,—(3)

(a) Will he state—

- (i) the supplier or suppliers of inferior quality petrol and other petroleum products to Sri Lanka during the period of May–July, 2011;
- (ii) as to how the Ministry is excluded from the scam of importing inferior petroleum products ;
- (iii) number of consumers affected by using sub-standard petrol;
- (iv) the names of the customers who made the complaints regarding the damages caused by the sub-standard petrol;
- (v) the amount compensated to each affected consumer separately;
- (vi) the number of filling stations of which machineries were affected by sub-standard petrol; and
- (vii) as to how those filling stations are compensated?

(b) Will he inform this House whether the concerned parties, who exposed this racket of inferior quality petrol to the public would be given a handsome bonus?

(c) If not, why?

2260/12

2.

Hon. Sajith Premadasa,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,—(3)

- (a) Will he state whether steps have been taken through the budget proposals of the year 2012, to increase the amount of money provided to the university students as Mahapola Scholarship at present ?
- (b) If not, why?

2278/12

3.

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Irrigation and Water Resources Management,—(2)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) whether action will be taken to commence the proposed Kalu Ganga scheme;
 - (ii) the reasons for the commencement of the aforesaid scheme;
 - (iii) the total area of land submerged by the aforesaid scheme;
 - (iv) the extent of the agriculturally important lands in the aforesaid area and the types of crops cultivated there;
 - (v) the villages that will be submerged;
 - (vi) the number of families and the population that will be displaced due to the aforesaid scheme; and
 - (vii) the public sector institutions, private institutions, temples and other important places that have to be removed under this scheme ?
- (b) Will he also state—
 - (i) whether he will submit environmental feasibility report obtained with regard to the aforesaid scheme;
 - (ii) the action to be taken regarding the people who will be displaced due to the implementation of the aforesaid scheme and the assets they will lose; and
 - (iii) whether action will be taken to stop this scheme or shift it to a location where minimum damage will be caused as land of high economic value will be lost and a large number of people will be displaced ?
- (c) If not, why ?

4. Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Co-operatives and Internal Trade,—(2)

- (a) Will he state —
 - (i) as to how the crate system imposed on the 15th January 2012 for vegetable transportation is working ;
 - (ii) the saving in vegetables being spoilt as a percentage and in rupee value after the introduction of crates; and
 - (iii) as to how the aforesaid saving is audited?
- (b) Will he also state—
 - (i) whether the prices of vegetables has come down owing to the implementation of the crate system;
 - (ii) if so, the amounts reduced in prices along with corroborative evidence;
 - (iii) the responsible person bearing the cost of transporting the crates back to the farmers ; and
 - (iv) the cost of transporting the crates back to the farmers per year?
- (c) If not, why?

5. Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Planning,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that there has not been any response up to now, with regard to the financial frauds that have been committed by the management of the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation, eventhough the relevant officials have made submissions with documentary proof to the authorities concerned?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether a report will be submitted, inclusive of the correct statistics of the amount of money that has been defrauded by the management of the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation by now, and the number of times that frauds have been so committed;
 - (ii) the reasons for not taking action so far against officials involved in financial frauds, by the relevant authorities ; and
 - (iii) whether action will be taken against the corrupt officials of the Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation without allowing them to embezzle public money?
- (c) If not, why ?

6.

Hon. Ajith P. Perera,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(1)

(a) Will he state —

- (i) the date on which the Central Provincial Council was established and commenced its functions;
- (ii) the number of statutes adopted by the Central Provincial Council by now; and
- (iii) separately, the title, number and the date of adoption of each of the aforesaid statutes?

(b) Will he inform this House—

- (i) of the statutes relevant to the subjects in the List I of the 9th Schedule of the Constitution (Provincial Councils List); and
- (ii) of the statutes relevant to the subjects in the List III of the 9th Schedule of the Constitution (Concurrent List);

which have been adopted by the aforesaid Provincial Council?

(c) Will he also state—

- (i) whether he admits that the imposition of statutes with regard to the subjects and the functions that have been specifically vested in the Provincial Councils by the Constitution is minimum; and
- (ii) if so, the reason for that ?

(d) If not why?

7.

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

(a) Will he state—

- (i) the number of milk bars established by the North-Central Provincial Council in Anuradhapura District;
- (ii) the locations where the aforesaid milk bars have been established;
- (iii) the money spent on one such milk bar;
- (iv) whether photographs of other people in addition to those of cattle are exhibited in the aforesaid milk bars; and
- (v) if so, of whom those photographs are ?

(5)

- (b) Will he inform this House—
- (i) the number of the aforesaid milk bars which have been opened for the use of the public by now;
 - (ii) the number of milk bars that have been closed down without making any use;
 - (iii) the number of staff that has been recruited for the maintenance of these milk bars;
 - (iv) from which basis the aforesaid staff appointments have been made, out of the bases of permanent, temporary and on service requirement; and
 - (v) the institutions that provide milk for these milk bars ?
- (c) If not, why?

3403/'13

8.

Hon. Ajith Kumara,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
- (i) whether a person called Sellapillai Mahendran, resident of Murakaddanchenni, Batticaloa, has been imprisoned;
 - (ii) if so, the name of the prison where he is held; and
 - (iii) whether he has been imprisoned as a prisoner or as a suspect ?
- (b) Will he inform this House of—
- (i) the date and location of his arrest and the person who arrested him; and
 - (ii) the charge on which he was arrested and the law relevant ?
- (c) Will he also state—
- (i) whether a case has been filed against him before a court of law;
 - (ii) if so, the charges relevant the date on which such case was filed, the case number and the court of law;
 - (iii) the current situation of that case; and
 - (iv) whether action will be taken to release the said person ?
- (d) If not, why?

3436/'13

9.

Hon. Ranjan Ramanayake,— To ask the Minister of Foreign Employment Promotion and Welfare,— (1)

- (a) Is he aware that—
 - (i) a woman named Walimunidewage Shilawathi who was a resident of Pothuhera died while being employed in Saudi Arabia; and
 - (ii) the post-mortem had revealed that her death was caused by strangulation with a tie ?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
 - (i) whether he will submit the report on the investigations into the death of this woman named Shilawathi;
 - (ii) the action to be taken regarding this death; and
 - (iii) whether measures will be taken to secure insurance claims and compensation entitled to the deceased ?
- (c) If not, why ?

3442/'13

10.

Hon. (Dr.) Harsha De Silva,— To ask the Minister of Ports and Highways,— (1)

- (a) Is he aware that the government has begun to borrow from local commercial banks for road construction projects ?
- (b) Will he state all amounts borrowed from all local commercial banks separately, identified with tenor, interest rates and other conditions?
- (c) If not, why ?

2514/'12

11.

Hon. Sajith Premadasa,— To ask the Minister of Resettlement,—(1)

- (a) Will he admit that the Gajabapura village of Sampathnuwara Divisional Secretariat Division in the Northern Province is a village created under the resettlement programme?
- (b) Will he state—
 - (i) the number of families that have been resettled in the aforesaid village ;
 - (ii) the relief provided for the resettled people of the aforesaid village under the sponsorship of the government ; and
 - (iii) the total amount of money spent by the government for a family, to provide the aforesaid relief?
- (c) If not, why ?

12.

Hon. Ravi Karunanayake,— To ask the Minister of Sports,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the cash reserves of Sri Lanka Cricket as at 2009, 2010, 2011 and from 2012 up to now separately;
 - (ii) whether the Sri Lanka Cricket has not been able to achieve the budget set at the beginning of each year; and
 - (iii) if so, the reasons for that situation?
- (b) Will he also state the revenue obtained by the Sri Lanka Cricket through selling the telecasting rights of cricket matches for the years 2009,2010,2011, and 2012 separately?
- (c) If not why?

2789/12

13.

Hon. Dayasiri Jayasekara,— To ask the Minister of Ports and Highways,—(1)

- (a) Will he state—
 - (i) the number of advisers that have been recruited to Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd; and
 - (ii) the dates on which the advisers were recruited and the dates on which they were removed ;
from the year 2006 up to now ?
- (b) Will he inform this House, separately —
 - (i) of the educational and professional qualifications;
 - (ii) of the values of the salaries and allowances paid, monthly ;
 - (iii) of previous places of employment; and
 - (iv) of the service rendered to the corporation during the period of service;
in respect of each of the aforesaid advisers ?
- (c) If not, why ?

2978/12

14.

Hon. Akila Viraj Kariyawasam,— To ask the Minister of Civil Aviation,—(2)

- (a) Is he aware that—
- (i) although 10 years have lapsed since the establishment of Civil Aviation Authority, that institution does not have a permanent building up to now; and
 - (ii) responsible officers of the aforesaid Authority have spent public funds in irregular and careless manner?
- (b) Will he state—
- (i) the amount of money paid as rent for the building in which the Civil Aviation Authority has been housed for the past 10 years;
 - (ii) whether action will be taken to construct a permanent building for the aforesaid Authority which is paying a large amount of money as rent; and
 - (iii) whether action will be taken against the officer who handled the funds of the aforesaid institution in a careless manner?
- (c) If not, why?

3067/12

15.

Hon. Ajith P. Perera,— To ask the Minister of Local Government and Provincial Councils,—(1)

- (a) Will he state —
- (i) the date on which the North Central Provincial Council was established and commenced its functions;
 - (ii) the number of statutes adopted by the North Central Provincial Council by now; and
 - (iii) separately, the title, number and the date of adoption of each of the aforesaid statutes?
- (b) Will he inform this House —
- (i) of the statutes relevant to the subjects in the List I of the 9th Schedule of the Constitution (Provincial Councils List); and
 - (ii) of the statutes relevant to the subjects in the List III of the 9th Schedule of the Constitution (Concurrent List);
- which have been adopted by the aforesaid Provincial Council?
- (c) If not, why?

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Notice of Motions

1.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No.1),— That notwithstanding the provisions of Standing Order No. 7 (1) and the motion agreed to by Parliament on 09.07.2010, the Parliament shall sit on Friday, May 31st, 2013.

2.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Sittings of the Parliament (No. 2),— That this Parliament at its rising this day do adjourn until 2.45 p.m. on Friday, May 31st, 2013.

3.

The Leader of the House of Parliament,— Select Committee of Parliament to Inquire and Report on Strengthening the Independent Character of the Parliamentary Service,— That in terms of Standing Order No.96, this Parliament do grant the Select Committee of Parliament appointed by the Hon. Speaker, on October 21st, 2010, to Inquire and Report on Strengthening the Independent Character of the Parliamentary Service, further extension of time till August 31st, 2013 as the Committee is unable to report its findings to the Parliament within the time limit granted by the motion agreed to by Parliament on February 20th, 2013.

4.

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

“ Bill to incorporate the Densri Education Foundation.”

5.

Hon. Eric Prasanna Weerawardhana,— Leave to introduce Bill (No.2),— That leave be granted to introduce the following Bill:—

“ Bill to incorporate the Kandy Dharmaraja College Past Pupils’ Association.”

NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

*1.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Regulations under the Import and Export (Control) Act,— That the Regulations made by the President under Section 20 of the Import and Export (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 read with Article 44 (2) of the Constitution and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1804/17 of 03rd April 2013, which were presented on 07.05.2013, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*2.

The Minister of Lands and Land Development,— Regulations under the Land Development Ordinance,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Lands and Land Development under Sections 155 and 156 of the Land Development Ordinance as amended by Act, No. 16 of 1969, Act, No. 21 of 1981, Act, No. 22 of 1993, Act, No. 9 of 1995 and Act, No. 20 of 1996 and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1787/36 of 07th December 2012, which were presented on 23.04.2013, be approved.

*3.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 1),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 22 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 22 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 01002 “Advancing monies to be used in Bribery detection as Bribes Advance Account– Commission to Investigate Allegations of Bribery or Corruption” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | 5,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. | 9,000,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | | Not Revised |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | 7,500,000 |
| | To | Rs. | 16,000,000 |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*4.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 2),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 23 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 23 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 21302 “Printing, Publicity and Sales of Books (public Notification of Publication rights, Acquiring Translation fees and staff wages inclusive of all allowances) Advance Account – Department of Education Publications” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 2,900,000,000 Rs. 1,850,000,000 |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 500,000,000 Rs. 1,450,000,000 |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013

Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*5.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 3),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 24 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 24 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 22302 “Stores Advance Account (Explosive Items) - Sri Lanka Navy” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 450,000,000 Rs. 550,000,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 450,000,000 Rs. 550,000,000 |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*6.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 4),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 25 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 25 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 25002 “Advances for Payments on behalf of other Government Advance Account - Department of State Accounts ” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | | | Not Revised |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. | 4,250,000 | |
| | To | Rs. | 4,062,000 | |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | | | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013

Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*7.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 5),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 26 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 26 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 28502 “Maintenance of Agricultural Farms and Seed Sales Advance Account - Department of Agriculture ” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 280,000,000 Rs. 385,000,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 290,000,000 Rs. 375,000,000 |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*8.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 6),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 27 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 27 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 30602 “Railway Stores Advance Account - Department of Sri Lanka Railways” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. 1,200,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. 1,000,000,000 |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. 5,311,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. 5,511,000,000 |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From | Rs. 800,000,000 |
| | To | Rs. 1,000,000,000 |

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*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,

Minister of Finance and Planning.

18.03.2013

Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*9.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 7),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 28 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011

Order No. 28 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 31002 “Government Factory Stores Advance Account - Government Factory” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 120,000,000 Rs. 130,000,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 10,000,000 Rs. 40,000,000 |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

21.03.2013

Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*10.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No. 8),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the Order No. 29 hereto, be approved.

Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011
Order No. 29 under Section 8

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No.52 of 2011, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, do by this Order, vary the limits specified against the activity Item No. 31003 “Government Factory Work Done Advance Account - Government Factory” of the Third Schedule to that Act.

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| (i) Maximum limit of expenditure specified in Column II of the Third Schedule to that Act. | From To | Rs. 260,000,000 Rs. 325,000,000 |
| (ii) Minimum limit of receipts specified in Column III of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iii) Maximum limit of debit balance specified in Column IV of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |
| (iv) Maximum limit of liabilities specified in Column V of the Third Schedule to that Act. | | Not Revised |

(This Order is valid up to 31.12.2012 only)

*Sgd./*MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
Minister of Finance and Planning.

21.03.2013
Colombo 01.

(Cabinet approval signified)

*11.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Resolution under the Appropriation Act (No.9),— That this Parliament resolves that the Order made by the Minister of Finance and Planning with the approval of the Government, by virtue of powers vested in him by Section 8 of the Appropriation Act, No. 52 of 2011 and specified in the schedule hereto, be approved.

(These Orders are valid only up to 31.12.2012)

SCHEDULE

Appropriation Act No. 52 of 2011 Order under Section 8

Schedule of variation of limits of Advance Accounts pertaining to Advances to public officers authorized by the Minister of Finance and Planning under Section 8 of the Appropriation Act No. 52 of 2011 in respect of Finance year 2012.

| Sl No. | Ministries/Departments | Item No. | II Maximum Limits of Expenditure of Activities of the Government Rs. | | III Minimum Limits of Receipts to be Credited to the Accounts of Activities of the Government Rs. | | IV Maximum Limits of Debit Balance of Activities of the Government Rs. | | Order No. |
|-----------|--|-------------|--|------------|--|------------|--|------------|--------------|
| | | | From | To | From | To | From | To | |
| 1 | Ministry of Public Administration and Home Affairs | 12101 | 20,000,000 | 24,000,000 | - | - | - | - | 1 |
| 2 | Ministry of Resettlement | 14501 | 10,000,000 | 4,000,000 | 7,000,000 | 2,500,000 | 17,500,000 | 13,000,000 | 2 |
| 3 | Department of Land Settlement | 28701 | - | - | - | - | 6,000,000 | 31,000,000 | 3 |
| 4 | District Secretariat, Kegalle | 27901 | - | - | 35,000,000 | 30,000,000 | - | - | 4 |
| 5 | District Secretariat, Moneragala | 27701 | - | - | 24,000,000 | 23,000,000 | - | - | 5 |
| 6 | District Secretariat, Mullaitivu | 26701 | 10,700,000 | 12,700,000 | - | - | - | - | 6 |
| 7 | Ministry of Finance and Planning | 10201 | 24,000,000 | 15,000,000 | - | - | - | - | 7 |
| 8 | Department of Registration of Persons | 22701 | - | - | 15,000,000 | 13,000,000 | - | - | 8 |
| 9 | Department of National Museums | 20801 | - | - | 5,000,000 | 4,600,000 | - | - | 9 |

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| 10 | Ministry of Productivity Promotion | 18101 | 4,500,000 | 3,500,000 | 3,500,000 | 1,000,000 | 5,500,000 | 8,800,000 | 10 |
| 11 | District Secretariat, Gampaha | 25601 | - | - | 57,000,000 | 53,500,000 | - | - | 11 |
| 12 | District Secretariat, Matara | 26201 | - | - | - | - | 180,000,000 | 182,000,000 | 12 |
| 13 | Ministry of Higher Education | 17101 | - | - | 4,000,000 | 2,300,000 | - | - | 13 |
| 14 | Department of State Accounts | 25001 | - | - | 2,000,000 | 1,800,000 | - | - | 14 |
| 15 | Ministry of Coconut Development and Janatha Estate Development | 17801 | - | - | - | - | 3,000,000 | 3,800,000 | 15 |
| 16 | Department of Rubber Development | 29301 | - | - | 11,000,000 | 10,500,000 | - | - | 16 |
| 17 | Law Commission of Sri Lanka | 23501 | - | - | 500,000 | 350,000 | - | - | 17 |
| 18 | District Secretariat, Kandy | 25801 | - | - | 55,000,000 | 53,000,000 | - | - | 18 |
| 19 | Ministry of Telecommunication and Information Technology | 18501 | - | - | - | - | 2,000,000 | 3,800,000 | 19 |
| 20 | Office of the Finance Commission | 01101 | - | - | 4,000,000 | 1,200,000 | - | - | 20 |
| 21 | Sri Lanka Customs | 24701 | 40,000,000 | 40,100,000 | - | - | - | - | 21 |
| Total | | | 109,200,000 | 99,300,000 | 223,000,000 | 196,750,000 | 214,000,000 | 242,400,000 | |

Sgd./MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA
Minister of Finance and Planning

20 March 2013
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(Cabinet approval signified)

* 12.

The Minister of Transport,— Regulations under the Motor Traffic Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Transport under Section 237, read with Section 19 of the Motor Traffic Act, (Chapter 203) and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1795/35 of 31st January 2013, which were presented on 08.05.2013, be approved.

*13.

Sri Lanka Electricity (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*14.

Defence Services Command and Staff College (Amendment) Bill— Second Reading.

*15.

Mines and Minerals (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

*16.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Regulations under the Imports and Exports (Control) Act,— That the Regulations made by the President under Section 20 read with Sub-section (3) of Section 4 and Section 14 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 and Article 44 (2) of the Constitution and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1799/15 of 01st March 2013, which were presented on 22.03.2013, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*17.

The Minister of External Affairs,— Resolution under the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka (No.1),— That this Parliament resolves under Article 157 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, that the Agreement between the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the Government of the State of Kuwait for the Reciprocal Promotion and Protection of Investments, signed on 05th November 2009, being an Agreement for the Promotion and Protection of Investments in Sri Lanka of such foreign State, its nationals or corporations, companies and other associations incorporated or constituted under its Laws, which was presented on 07.09.2011 be approved, as being essential for the development of the national economy.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*18.

The Minister of External Affairs,— Resolution under the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka (No.2),— That this Parliament resolves under Article 157 of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, that the Agreement between the Government of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam for the Promotion and Protection of Investments, signed on 22nd October 2009, being an Agreement for the Promotion and Protection of Investments in Sri Lanka of such foreign State, its nationals or of corporations, companies and other associations incorporated or constituted under its Laws, which was presented on 07.09.2011 be approved, as being essential for the development of the national economy.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*19.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Determination under the Constitution,— That this Parliament determines that the salary of Mr. H.A.S. Samaraweera, the incumbent Auditor-General appointed with effect from 15.08.2011 shall be as follows in terms of Article 153(2) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.

That this Parliament further determines that Mr. H.A.S. Samaraweera, Auditor-General shall be placed on the salary point of Rs. 48,940/- which is the 2nd step in the salary scale of SL-4-2006, with effect from 15.08.2011 when he was appointed to the said post and that he be paid the other allowances relevant to the post and such annual salary increments as specified in the salary scale.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*20.

The Minister of Lands and Land Development,— Regulations under the Registration of Title Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Lands and Land Development under Section 67 of the Registration of Title Act, No. 21 of 1998 read with Section 60 and 62 of that Act and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1616/23 of 24th August 2009, which were presented on 06.05.2010, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

*21.

Order under the Code of Criminal Procedure (Special Provisions) Act,—Adjourned Debate on Question (08th September 2011) Motion made and question proposed,— “Order made by the Minister of Justice under Sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Special Provisions) Act, No. 42 of 2007, and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1708/5 of 30th May 2011, which was presented on 23.08.2011, be approved.”

*22.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Buddha Sasana and Religious Affairs,— Order under the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance,— That the Order made by the Minister of Agrarian Services and Wildlife under subsection (1) of Section 2 of the Fauna and Flora Protection Ordinance (Chapter 469) and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1735/21 of 06th December 2011, which was presented on 13.12.2011, be approved.

23.

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

24.

State Employees’ Development Finance Corporation (Incorporation) Bill— Consideration.

25.

Institute of Martial Arts (Incorporation) Bill — Consideration.

26.

Bodhirajarama Educational and Cultural Foundation (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

27.

Al-Jamiathul Ghawsiyyah (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

28.

Computer Society of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

* *Indicates Government Business*
