



MEGHALAYA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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Bulletin Part - I

AUTUMN SESSION, FRIDAY, 22ND SEPTEMBER, 2023

The House met at 10.00 a.m. and sat till 1.25 P.m.

The day was allotted for Government Business.

1. QUESTIONS:

Question Nos. 174, 175, 176, 177 were taken up and disposed off.

2. ZERO HOUR:

Shri Adelbert Nongrum, MLA moved a Zero Hour notice under Rule 49 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business to the news item published in "East Mojo" under the caption "Meghalaya's Cherry Blossom to be held in November".

Shri Paul Lyngdoh, Minister Tourism replied.

3. CALLING ATTENTION:

- i. Shri Ardent Miller Basaiawmoit, MLA called the Attention of the Chief Minister under Rule 54 (1) Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business to the news item published in "The Shillong Times" dated 20th August, 2023 under the caption "Living standards in Meghalaya lowest: Data".

Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

- ii. Dr. M. Ampareen Lyngdoh, Minister laid a statement relating to a Call Attention Notice of Shri Adelbert Nongrum, MLA to the Caption "State open quota MBBS seat not for outsiders: Health Minister".
- iii. Shri Conrad K. Sangma laid a statement relating to a Call Attention Notice of Shri Mayralborn Syiem, MLA to the caption "Dei u khynnah ba dang pule Klass 10 uba khlieh ia ka NLCN kum u Chairman".

LAYING OF STATEMENTS:

- 4. Shri Prestone Tynsong, Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police) laid a Statement under Rule 55 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business on a matter relating to the Zero Hour Notice by Shri Adelbert Nongrum, MLA on 19th September, 2023.
- 5. Shri Prestone Tynsong, Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police) laid a Statement under Rule 55 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business on a matter relating to Starred Question No. 4 asked by Shri Mayralborn Syiem, MLA on 19th September, 2023.

SHORT DURATION DISCUSSION:

- 6. Shri Mayralborn Syiem, MLA raised a Short Duration Discussion under Rule 50 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business regarding to the news item published "The Shillong Times" dated 29th August, 2023 under the caption "Training prog on potential of natural farming."

Shri Balajied Kupar Synrem, MLA also participated.

Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

7. VOTING ON SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR GRANTS:

At 1:00 P.m., Grants Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25 were guillotined and passed by the House by applying Rule 144 (3) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business.

8. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS:

- a. Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister in-charge Finance introduced the Meghalaya Appropriation (No.III) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- b. Shri Prestone Tynsong, Deputy Chief Minister moved for suspension of the Second proviso of sub-rule © of Rule 72 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in its application to the Meghalaya Appropriation (No. II) Bill.**

- c. Shri Rakkam A. Sangma, Minister in-charge Education introduced the Captain Williamson Sangma Technical University (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- d. Shri Rakkam A. Sangma, Minister in-charge Education introduced the Rajitlal University (Repealing) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- e. Shri Abu Taher Mondal, Minister in-charge Taxation introduced the Meghalaya Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- f. Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister in-charge Home (Political) introduced the Meghalaya Lokayukta (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- g. Shri Prestone Tynsong, Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Parliamentary Affairs introduced the Legislative Assembly of Meghalaya (Members' Pension) (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- h. Dr. M. Ampareen Lyngdoh, Minister in-charge Health and Family Welfare introduced the Meghalaya Medical Council (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

- i. Dr. M. Ampareen Lyngdoh, Minister in-charge Law introduced the National Law University of Meghalaya (Amendment) Bill, 2023.**

The Bill was taken into consideration and passed by the House.

9. LAYING OF REPORTS:

Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister in-charge Finance laid the following:

- i. The Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Social and Economic Sectors for the year ended 31st March, 2022.
- ii. The Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (Revenue Sector) for the year ended 31st March, 2022.

10. ELECTION TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE:

The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that in pursuance of Rules 242 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Meghalaya Legislative Assembly that (1) one valid nomination was received in favour of Shri Charles Pyngrope, MLA to the Committee on Public Accounts.

Since the number of Candidate is equal to the number of seats to be filled up, Shri Charles Pyngrope, MLA is declared elected to the Committee on Public Accounts.

In pursuance of sub-Rule (1) of Rule 198 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Meghalaya Legislative Assembly, Shri Charles Pyngrope is hereby appointed as the Chairman of the Committee on Public Accounts.

11. PROROGATION/ADJOURNMENT SINE-DIE:

Since there was no more Business to be transacted, the House was adjourned sine-die.

12. NATIONAL ANTHEM:

National Anthem was played.



**Dr. Andrew Simons,
Commissioner & Secretary,
Meghalaya Legislative Assembly**

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Dated Shillong, the 22nd September, 2023

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