

MEGHALAYA LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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Bulletin Part - I

AUTUMN SESSION THURSDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER, 2023

The House met at 10 a.m. with Hon'ble Speaker in the Chair and sat till 3.15 P.m. The day was allotted for Government Business.

1. QUESTIONS:

Questions Nos. 118 & 119 were taken up and disposed off.

2. ZERO HOUR NOTICE:

A Zero Hour Notice was tabled by Shri Gavin M. Mylliem, MLA under Rule 49 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business on the news item published in "The Shillong Times" dated 7th May, 2023 under the caption "BSF troops allegedly gun down trucker".

Shri Conrad Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

3. CALL ATTENTION NOTICE:

Shri Nujorki Sungoh, MLA called the attention of the Deputy Chief Minister in-charge Home (Police) under Rule 54 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business to the News item published in "Mawphor" dated 2nd August, 2023 under the caption "Mih ka kynhun kaikhlaw thymmai ki Karbi shong syier ki Khasi-Pnar ba shong ha Block-I".

Shri Conrad Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

4. LAYING OF STATEMENT:

Dr. M. Ampareen Lyngdoh, Minister in-charge Health & Family Welfare laid a Statement under Rule 55 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business on a matter arising from Stared Question No. 117 replied on 20th September, 2023.

5. RESOLUTIONS:

No.1 - Shri Ardent Miller Basaiawmoit, MLA: "Whereas, land is a God's given right to the indigenous people.

And whereas, our leaders in the past had enacted a legislation namely 'The Meghalaya Transfer of Land Regulation Act 1972' to prevent the alienation of land.

And whereas, rampant violation of the acts is taking place.

Therefore, this House do now resolve to stop this gross violation of the Meghalaya Transfer of Land Regulation Act, 1972.

The Hon'ble Member initiated discussion.

Shri Renikton Lyngdoh Tongkhar also participated.

Shri Ardent M. Basaiawmoit did not withdraw his Resolution. It was put to vote and rejected by the House by voice vote.

No.2 - Shri Charles Marngar, MLA: "This House do now resolve to oppose the implementation of the Uniform Civil Code in the State".

Shri Charles Marngar, MLA initiated discussion.

Other Hon'ble Members who participated were Shri R.V. Lyngdoh, Shri Saleng Sangma, Smti Miani D. Shira, Shri Heavingstone Kharpran, Shri Adelbert Nongrum and Dr. Mukul Sangma.

Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

Shri Charles Marngar, MLA withdrew his Resolution.

No.3 - Shri Adelbert Nongrum, MLA moved: "This House do now resolve to oppose the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Act, 2023 in order to protect the right of the indigenous people of Meghalaya over land and resources."

Shri Conrad K. Sangma, Chief Minister replied.

Shri Adelbert Nongrum did not withdraw his Resolution. It was put to vote and rejected by the House by voice vote.

6. MOTIONS:

Shri Ardent Miller Basaiawmoit, MLA: "This House do now discuss the menace of drugs and substance abuse in the State:.

Shri Adelbert Nongrum, MLA continued with his speech.

Other Hon'ble Members who participated were Shri Banteidor Lyngdoh, Shri Synshar Kupar Roy Lyngdoh Thabah.

Shri Paul Lyngdoh Minister Social Welfare replied.

7. ADJOURNMENT:

Since there was no more business to be transacted, the House was then adjourned till 10 a.m. on Friday, the 22^{nd} September, 2023.

Dr. Andrew Simons Commissioner & Secretary Meghalaya Legislative Assembly

No.MLA/BLT/AUTUMN/4,.

Dated Shillong, the 21st September, 2023

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