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Legislative Branch-I

PROGRESS OF BILLS DURING THE WEEK ENDED ON FRIDAY, THE 28TH JUNE, 2019

Sl. No.	Title of the Bill	Member-in-charge	Remarks
1	2	3	4
1.	The Jammu and Kashmir Reservation (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Shri Amit Shah	The Bill was introduced on 24.6.2019 and passed on 28.6.2019.
2.	The Aadhaar and Other Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad	Introduced on 24.6.2019.
3.	The Special Economic Zones (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Shri Piyush Goyal	The Bill was introduced on 24.6.2019 and passed on 26.6.2019.
4.	The Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Teachers' Cadre) Bill, 2019	Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal 'Nishank'	Introduced on 27.6.2019.
5.	The Indian Medical Council (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Dr. Harsh Vardhan	- do -
6.	The Dentists (Amendment) Bill, 2019	Dr. Harsh Vardhan	- do -
7.	The Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Bill, 2019.	Shri Shripad Yesso Naik	Passed on 27.6.2019.

LODGEMENT OF SHRI ATUL KUMAR SINGH ALIAS ATUL RAI

The following communication dated 25 June, 2019 addressed to Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha by 1st Judicial Magistrate, Varanasi was received on 28 June, 2019:-

“This is to inform that in exercise of my powers u/s 70 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973, Shri Atul Kumar Singh *alias* Atul Rai, the then contesting candidate of the House of the People from Ghosi Parliamentary constituency, U.P. (now elected) was directed *vide* order dated 03 May, 2019 to be arrested/detained in pursuance of the allegation for commission of crimes punishable u/s 376, 420 and 506 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, concerning crime number 548/2019, Police Station Lanka, Varanasi. Shri Atul Rai, elected member of the House of the People from Ghosi constituency surrendered before my Court on 22 June, 2019 at around 1205 hrs. and was accordingly directed to be sent for judicial custody till 05 July, 2019. The bail application of the member has been rejected by me on the very same day. Shri Atul Rai at present is lodged in the district jail, Varanasi.”

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Question Branch

**RESULTS OF BALLOTS OF NOTICES OF
STARRED AND UNSTARRED QUESTIONS**

Members are informed that ballots in respect of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received upto 1000 hrs. on 01st July, 2019 for the sitting of Lok Sabha to be held on **17th July, 2019** was held in the presence of **SHRI NARENDRA KUMAR, MP** in Question Branch, Room No. 324, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi. A total of 855 notices were received and 227 Members participated in the ballots for the day.

2. The results of the ballots have been uploaded on the Homepage *viz.* loksabha.nic.in.
3. The Hard Copies of the ballots are also placed in Parliamentary Notice Office for the information of Members.

**RESULTS OF BALLOTS OF NOTICES OF
STARRED AND UNSTARRED QUESTIONS**

Members are informed that ballots in respect of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received upto 1000 hrs. on 29th June, 2019 for the sitting of Lok Sabha to be held on **16th July, 2019** was held in the presence of **SHRI R.C. Tiwari, Joint Secretary** in Question Branch, Room No. 324, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi. A total of 785 notices were received and 210 Members participated in the ballots for the day.

2. The results of the ballots have been uploaded on the Homepage viz. loksabha.nic.in.
 3. The Hard Copies of the ballots are also placed in Parliamentary Notice Office for the information of Members.
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PROCEDURE FOR SUBMITTING CHITS IN THE HOUSE

Attention of Members is invited to Rule 349 (xiii) of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha which is reproduced below:

“Whilst the House is sitting, a member-

shall not approach the Chair personally in the House. The Member may send chits to the Officers at the Table, if necessary.”

Members are requested to adhere to the above procedure.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

Process to submit notice and procedure for raising matters of urgent public importance after Question Hour, i.e. during 'Zero Hour'

Hon'ble members are informed that an e-portal has been put in place to facilitate the members to submit their notices online to raise the **Matters of Urgent Public Importance after Question Hour, i.e. during 'Zero Hour'**. Members can also physically hand over the notices of 'Zero Hour' for which **printed form is available** in the Parliamentary Notice Office. The following **procedure for raising** matters of urgent public importance after Question Hour, i.e. during 'Zero Hour' shall be followed: -

- (i) Notices may be given **either through printed form at Parliamentary Notice Office or online** by the members **from 1700 hours to 1800 hours on the day prior to the day/date** on which the members desire to raise their matters in the House.
 - (ii) The notices received **after 1800 hours** shall be treated as **time-barred**.
 - (iii) **Twenty matters** as per their priority in the **ballot** will be allowed to be raised on a day. However, 4-5 notices over and above these twenty matters of national/international importance could also be tabled on the same day morning on which the matter is sought to be raised in the House, *for which no ballot would be held* and **may** be allowed on the basis of their importance and that too **only at the discretion of Hon'ble Speaker**.
 - (iv) The order in which the matters will be raised, shall be decided by the Hon'ble Speaker at her/his discretion.
 - (v) A matter proposed to be raised **should be under the jurisdiction of the Government of India only** so that it would be easier for the Minister concerned to respond to it, in case she/he desires to do so.
 - (vi) Matter proposed to be raised **shall not contain any statement making allegations**.
2. **Notices for Monday or first working day of a week may be given on Friday or last working day of the previous week between 1700 hours and 1800 hours.**

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble members is solicited.

Display of result of ballot regarding matters of urgent public importance after Question Hour, i.e. during 'Zero Hour'

Hon'ble members are informed that the notices on matters of urgent public importance to be raised after Question Hour, i.e. during 'Zero Hour' received between 1700 hours and 1800 hours on the day prior to the day/date on which the members desire to raise their matters in the House shall be balloted in the Parliamentary Notice Office after 1800 hours on the day of receiving of notices. The result of ballot shall immediately, thereafter, be displayed in P.N.O. and Table Office for information of Members.

A copy of the result of ballot shall also be displayed on the Notice Boards in the Outer Lobby of the Lok Sabha Chamber, Parliament House at 1015 hours on the day on which the members are supposed to raise their matters in the House.

The result of the ballot shall also be displayed in scrolled format on the 'updates' column of Lok Sabha website immediately after the ballot process is over.

Process to submit the notice as well as procedure to call the attention of the Minister to a matter of urgent public importance Under Rule 197

Hon'ble members are informed that **an e-portal has been put in place to facilitate the members of Lok Sabha to submit their notices online** to call the attention of the Minister to any matter of urgent public importance under rule 197 (Calling Attention). However, **the printed form is also available** in the Parliamentary Notice Office to submit the notice to call the attention of Minister. The following process to submit the notice as well as procedure to call the attention of Minister under Rule 197 will be followed: -

- (i) Notices may be submitted **either through printed form or online**;
- (ii) No member shall give more than two notices for any one sitting;
- (iii) A notice signed by more than one member to call the attention of Minister shall be deemed to have been given by the first signatory only;
- (iv) Notices for a sitting received upto 1000 hours shall be deemed to have been received at 1000 hours on that day and a ballot shall be held to determine the relative priority of each such notice on the same subject. Notices received after 1000 hours shall be deemed to have been given for the next sitting;
- (v) Notices received during a week commencing from its first sitting till 1000 hours on the last day of the week on which the House sits, shall be valid for that week. Notices received after 1000 hours on the last day of the week on which the House sits, shall be valid for the following week;
- (vi) In case of five or less number of members giving notices on same subject that is admitted by the Speaker, their *inter se* priority shall be determined with reference to the date and time of receipt of Notices;
- (vii) All the notices which have not been taken up during the week for which they have been given, shall lapse at the end of the week unless the Speaker has admitted any of them for a subsequent sitting;

Provided that a notice referred for facts to a Minister shall not lapse till it is finally disposed of by the Speaker.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble members is solicited.

Attendance Register of Members

Section 3 of the ***Salary, Allowances and Pension of Members of Parliament Act, 1954*** (as amended by Act. No. 17 of 2018) relating to 'Salary and daily allowances' provides as follows: -

"3. Salaries and Daily Allowances. – (1) A member shall be entitled to receive a salary, at the rate of **one lakh** rupees per mensem during the whole of his term of office and subject to any rules made under this Act an allowance at the rate of **two thousand** rupees for each day during any period of residence on duty:

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Provided that no member shall be entitled to the aforesaid allowance unless he signs the register, maintained for this purpose by the Secretariat of the House of People or, as the case may be, Council of States, on all the days (except intervening holidays for which no such signing is required) of the session of the House for which the allowance is claimed".

2. Since the division numbers have not been allotted to members, the Attendance Register has now been arranged State-wise followed by Union Territory-wise in alphabetical order. For the convenience of members, the Attendance Register, split into four parts, is kept on separate rostrums in the Inner Lobby for signature of members.

3. In view of the provisions of section 3 of the *Salary, Allowances and Pension of Members of Parliament Act, 1954*, quoted in para 1 above, members are requested to sign in ink, in the space provided against their names in the Attendance Register and as per the specimen signatures furnished to the Lok Sabha Secretariat.

Scheme of Financial Entitlement of Members of Lok Sabha for procurement of Computer Equipment

Members are informed that they are entitled to purchase computer equipment under the 'Scheme of Financial Entitlement of Member for Purchase of Computer Equipment' 2009.

2. The salient features of the Scheme are as under:-

- (i) The financial entitlement of a member for purchase of computer equipment is Rs.3,00,000 w.e.f 13.01.2015.
- (ii) Member is free to purchase more than one unit of any mix of following computer equipment within their financial limit of Rs.3,00,000 from anywhere and from any vendor:
 - (1) Desktop (HP, Dell, Accer, Wipro, Lenovo, Apple, Sony, Samsung, PCS Ltd.). Assembled Desktops are not allowed under the Scheme.
 - (2) Laptop (Any Brand)
 - (3) Pen Drive
 - (4) CDs/DVDs (Maximum number of 100)
 - (5) Printer (Deskjet/Laserjet/Multi-functional/portabal) (Any Brand)
 - (6) Scanner (Any Brand)
 - (7) UPS (With Desktop only)
 - (8) Handheld Communicator/Palmtop Computer (Any Brand)
 - (9) Data Internet Cards
 - (10) MS Office
 - (11) Anti Virus Software
 - (12) Language Software and Speech Recognition Software
 - (13) Other Computer Accessories
 - (14) eReader (iOS or Android based devices or devices having facilities of eReading)
- (iii) Member may purchase the above mentioned items and submit the bill duly signed and stamped by the vendor. Serial/IMEI Number of computer equipment must be mentioned on the Bill.

- (iv) Member may also submit the quotation of a vendor and consent form duly filled in by the vendor along with cancelled cheque for ePayment purpose. The advance shall be issued to vendor through e-payment. Member may take delivery of the items and submit the bill within 30 days of issue of Advance to vendor for settlement of advance for audit purpose.
- (v) The Bill/ Proforma Invoice may be submitted at Members' Query Booth (Computer Management Branch – Hardware Unit), FB-91, Parliament Library Building.
- (vi) Members may access the Scheme of Financial Entitlement of Member of Lok Sabha for Purchase of Computer Equipment under the (i) The Provision of Computer Equipment (Members of Lok Sabha) Rules 2009; and ii) Detailed Procedure governing the scheme on the Lok Sabha website <http://loksabha.nic.in> under the Heading “Members – Sitting Members – Scheme for Computer Equipment”.

3. For any query in this regard, Members are requested to contact Members' Query Booth (Computer Management Branch – Hardware Unit), FB-91, Parliament Library Building New Delhi (Tel.No. 23035055/23794886).

Deposit of archival/historical material in Parliamentary Museum & Archives. Books and Photographs are available in Parliamentary Museum & Archives for reference

The Parliamentary Museum & Archives undertakes acquisition, storage and preservation of precious records, historical documents and articles connected with the origin, growth and functioning of parliamentary institutions and the Constitution in India. It is felt that these objects, which are part of our national heritage are collected, scientifically treated and preserved for the benefit of posterity.

Members are requested to consider depositing material which they have in their possession like *Private correspondence, Notes, Articles, records, Manuscripts, Speeches, Memoirs, Diaries, Relics, Art pieces, Mementos, Personal belongings and collections, Paintings, Photographs or any other material of archival/historical value connected with their career and activities as Parliamentarians and freedom fighters*, in the **Parliamentary Museum & Archives, FB-094, Parliament Library Building (Tel.No.23034131, 23034226, Fax No.23035326)** for permanent preservation and display. The material will enrich the Parliamentary Museum & Archives and be useful for research work. If desired, the material received would be returned after making necessary copies. Any secretarial assistance in sorting out and listing the material will be made available to them.

The Parliamentary Museum and Archives have 724 books on/by Members of Parliament. Members who are desirous of consulting these books may contact the PMA.

The Photo Archives too has a collection of 19,500 photographs relating to Parliamentary events and passport size photographs of Members of Parliament from 1st to 16th Lok Sabha. All these Photographs have been digitized and can be retrieved with a click of mouse with help of keywords through software available in the branch.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

**ORIENTATION PROGRAMME FOR NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE SEVENTEENTH
LOK SABHA FROM 03 to 4 JULY AND 09 to 10 JULY 2019**

Orientation Programme for Newly Elected Members of the Seventeenth Lok Sabha is being organised by the Bureau of Parliamentary Studies and Training (BPST) from 03 to 04 July and 09 to 10 July 2019 as per the following schedule:

- 1) Wednesday, 03 July 2019
 - 6.15 PM to 7.00 PM: "Inaugural Session"
- 2) Thursday, 04 July 2019
 - 6.15 PM to 7.30 PM: Session on "Parliamentary Questions and Procedural Devices to Raise Matters in the House"
- 3) Tuesday, 09 July 2019
 - i. 6.15 PM to 7.30 PM: Session on "Jan Sampark Prabhari-Legislative Process-Bills (including Private Members' Bill's) Resolutions/Motions"
 - ii. 7.45 PM to 8.45 PM: Session on "Budgetary Process and Parliamentary Committees (including Financial Committees)"
- 4) Wednesday, 10 July 2019
 - i. 6.15 PM to 7.30 PM: Session on "How to Make Legislation", "Parliamentary Privileges & Ethics"
 - ii. 7.45 PM to 8.45 PM: Session on "Presentation on Facilities for Members including:
 - (a) E-Parliament-Members' Portal
 - (b) Salaries, Allowances, Pensions-Member Services (Housing, Transport, Medical facilities, etc.)
 - (c) Parliament Research, Library & Members' Reference Service

The venue is the Main Committee Room, Parliament House Annexe.

Hon'ble Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the Orientation Programme.

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