

LOK SABHA

BULLETIN – PART I (Brief Record of Proceedings)

Tuesday, August 3, 2021/Sravana 12, 1943 (Saka)

No. 125

11.00 A.M.

1. Starred Questions

Question Nos. 201–203, 205 and 206 were orally answered. Reply to Question No. 204 was laid on the Table.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 11.40 A.M.
and re-assembled at 12.00 Noon)*

Replies to Question Nos. 207–220 were laid on the Table.

2. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos. 2301–2530 were laid on the Table.

3[#] Observation by the Speaker

The Speaker made an observation regarding maintaining Parliamentary tradition in the House.

[#]Made at 11.39 A.M. Original in Hindi. For details, please see the debate for the day.

12.00 Noon**4. Papers laid on the Table**

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of Health and Family Welfare; and Minister of Chemicals and Fertilizers (Shri Mansukh Mandaviya) laid on the Table a copy of the Memorandum of Understanding (Hindi and English versions) between the Karnataka Antibiotics and Pharmaceuticals Limited and the Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, for the year 2020-2021.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation; Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Planning; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (Rao Inderjit Singh) laid on the Table a copy of the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (Accounting, Audit, Transfer and Refund) Amendment Rules, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.396(E) in Gazette of India dated 9th June, 2021 under sub-section (4) of Section 469 of the Companies Act, 2013.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Shri Ashwini Kumar Choubey) laid on the Table a copy of the Removal of Licensing Requirements, Stock Limits and Movement Restrictions on Specified Foodstuffs (Second Amendment) Order, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. S.O.2871(E) in Gazette of India dated 19th

July, 2021 under sub-section (6) of Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development (Sadhvi Niranjana Jyoti) laid on the Table:-

(1) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section 1(b) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

(i) Review by the Government of the working of the Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2019-2020.

(ii) Annual Report of the Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

(2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

(3) A copy of the Sugar Development Fund (Amendment) Rules, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.210(E) in Gazette of India dated 26th March, 2021, under sub-section (3) of Section 9 of the Sugar Development Fund Act, 1982.

(4) A copy of the Sugarcane (Control) Amendment Order, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. S.O.2071(E) in Gazette of India dated 31st May, 2021 under Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955.

(5) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (5) of Section 45 of the Food Corporations Act, 1964:-

- (i) The Food Corporation of India (Staff) (Second Amendment) Regulations, 2021 published in Notification No. EP-17(1)2020 in Gazette of India dated 7th June, 2021.
- (ii) The Food Corporation of India (Staff) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2021 published in Notification No. EP.14(1)/2017 in Gazette of India dated 7th June, 2021.
- (iii) The Food Corporation of India (Staff) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2021 published in Notification No. EP.1(1)/2015(Pt.) in Gazette of India dated 18th June, 2021.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying (Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Balyan) laid on the Table:-

- (1)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Animal Welfare Board of India, Chennai, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Animal Welfare Board of India, Chennai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Nityanand Rai) laid on the Table:-

(1) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (2) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

(i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Chandigarh Industrial and Tourism Development Corporation Limited, Chandigarh, for the year 2018-2019.

(ii) Annual Report of the Chandigarh Industrial and Tourism Development Corporation Limited, Chandigarh, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

(2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

(3) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure, New Delhi, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Sushri Shobha Karandlaje) laid on the Table:-

(1) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section 1(b) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

(a) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Jammu and Kashmir Horticultural Produce Marketing and Processing Corporation Limited, Srinagar, for the years 2001-2002 to 2010-2011.

(ii) Annual Report of the Jammu and Kashmir Horticultural Produce Marketing and Processing Corporation Limited, Srinagar, for the

years 2001-2002 to 2010-2011, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (b) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Jammu and Kashmir State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Srinagar, for the years 2004-2005 to 2014-2015.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Jammu and Kashmir State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Srinagar, for the years 2004-2005 to 2014-2015, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (2) Twenty-one statements (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (2) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-
 - (a) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Andhra Pradesh State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad, for the year 2019-2020.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Andhra Pradesh State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
 - (b) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Bihar State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Patna, for the years 2017-2018 and 2018-2019.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Bihar State Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Patna, for the years 2017-2018 and 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the

Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (c) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Maharashtra Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2018-2019.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Maharashtra Agro Industries Development Corporation Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (4) Four statements (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (3) above.
- (5) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955:-
- (i) S.O.1542(E) published in Gazette of India dated 9th April, 2021, constituting the Central Biostimulant Committee consisting 8 members, mentioned therein.
- (ii) The Fertiliser (Inorganic, Organic or Mixed)(Control) Third Amendment Order, 2021 published in Notification No. S.O.2126(E) in Gazette of India dated 1st June, 2021, together with a corrigendum thereto published in Notification No. S.O.2416(E) in Gazette of India dated 18th June, 2021 .
- (iii) S.O.2127(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st June, 2021, notifying the specifications of the fertilizers, mentioned therein, for a period one year from the date of publication of the notification .
- (iv) The Fertiliser (Inorganic, Organic or Mixed)(Control) Amendment Order, 2021 published in Notification No. S.O.2333(E) in Gazette of India dated 15th June, 2021.

- (v) The Fertiliser (Inorganic, Organic or Mixed)(Control) Fifth Amendment Order, 2021 published in Notification No. S.O.2671(E) in Gazette of India dated 2nd July, 2021.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Shri Kailash Choudhary) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Rani Lakshmi Bai Central Agricultural University, Jhansi, for the year 2019-2020, together with Audit Report thereon.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government on the Audited Accounts of the Rani Lakshmi Bai Central Agricultural University, Jhansi, for the year 2019-2020.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Shri A. Narayanaswamy) laid on the Table a copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (1) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

- (1) Review by the Government of the working of the National Scheduled Castes Finance and Development Corporation, Delhi, for the year 2019-2020.
- (2) Annual Report of the National Scheduled Castes Finance and Development Corporation, Delhi, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith

Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Ajay Kumar) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the REPCO Bank Limited, Chennai, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the REPCO Bank Limited, Chennai, for the year 2019-2020.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers (Shri Bhagwanth Khuba) laid on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, Ahmedabad, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, Kolkata, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.

- (4) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (3) above.
- (5) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, Hajipur, for the years 2018-2019 and 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (6) Two statements (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (5) above.
- (7) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research, Guwahati, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (8) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (7) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Culture (Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Sushri Pratima Bhoumik) laid on the Table:-

- (1)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 2019-2020, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 2019-2020.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

5. Message from Rajya Sabha

Secretary General reported a message from Rajya Sabha that at its sitting held on the 2nd August, 2021, Rajya Sabha agreed without any amendment to the Inland Vessels Bill, 2021, as passed by the Lok Sabha.

12.03 P.M.

6. Reports of Committee of Privileges

Shri Sunil Kumar Singh laid on the Table the Second and Third Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee of Privileges.

7. Reports of Committee on Government Assurances

Shri Rajendra Agrawal presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Government Assurances: -

- (1) Forty-fifth Report (17th Lok Sabha) regarding 'Review of Pending Assurances Pertaining to the Ministry of Railways'.
- (2) Forty-sixth Report (17th Lok Sabha) regarding 'Requests for Dropping of Assurances (Acceded to)'.
- (3) Forty-seventh Report (17th Lok Sabha) regarding 'Requests for Dropping of Assurances (Not Acceded to)'.

8. Reports of Standing Committee on Finance

Shri Jayant Sinha presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Finance:-

- (1) Thirty-second Report on the subject 'Implementation of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code-Pitfalls and solutions' of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.

- (2) Thirty-third Report on Action Taken by the Government on Recommendations contained in 68th Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on subject 'Banking Sector in India - Issues, Challenges and the Way Forward with specific reference to NPAs/ Stressed Assets in Banks/Financial Institutions' of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Financial Services).
- (3) Thirty-fourth Report on Action Taken by the Government on Recommendations contained in 12th Report on 'Financing the Startup Ecosystem' of the Ministry of Finance (Departments of Economic Affairs and Revenue) and Ministry of Commerce (Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade).
- (4) Thirty-fifth Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in 25th Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Finance (Departments of Economic Affairs, Expenditure, Financial Services, and Investment and Public Asset Management).
- (5) Thirty-sixth Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in 26th Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue).
- (6) Thirty-seventh Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in 27th Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.
- (7) Thirty-eighth Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in 28th Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Planning.

- (8) Thirty-ninth Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in 29th Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.

9. Report of Standing Committee on Labour

Shri Subhash Chandra Baheria presented the Twenty-fifth Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Labour on 'Impact of Covid-19 on Rising Unemployment and Loss of Jobs/ Livelihoods in Organised and Unorganised Sectors'.

10. Statement of Standing Committee on Water Resources

Dr. Sanjay Jaiswal laid on the Table, the Statements (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Water Resources showing Further Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Sixth and Eighth Reports on Action Taken on Observations/Recommendations contained in the First and Third Reports on the subject 'Demands for Grants (2019-20) and (2020-21)' respectively of the Ministry of Jal Shakti – Department of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation.

11. Statements of Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment

Smt. Rama Devi laid on the Table the following Statements (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment:-

- (1) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Sixty-sixth Report

(Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2018-19) on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Sixty-second Report of the Committee (2017-18) on 'Implementation of Scheme of Multi-sectoral Development Programme (MsDP)/Pradhan Mantri Jan Vikas Karyakram (PMJVK)' of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.

- (2) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Thirteenth Report (Seventeenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2019-20) on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Fourth Report of the Committee on 'Demands for Grants (2019-20)' of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.
- (3) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Seventeenth Report (Seventeenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2020-21) on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the Eighth Report of the Committee on 'Demands for Grants (2020-21)' of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.

12. Report of Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture

Shri Ramdas Chandrabhanji Tadas laid on the Table the Two Hundred Ninety Eighth Report on the 'Action Taken by the Government on the Recommendations/ Observations of the Committee contained in its Two Hundred Eighty-eighth Report on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of Ministry of

Tourism' (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture.

12.05 P.M.

13. Statements by Ministers

- (1) The Minister of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Shri Narendra Singh Tomar) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 25th Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture on Demands for Grants (2021-2022) pertaining to the Department of Agricultural Research and Education, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare.
- (2) The Minister of Social Justice and Empowerment (Dr. Virendra Kumar) laid the following statements (Hindi and English versions) regarding:-
 - (i) the status of implementation of the recommendations/ observations contained in the 1st Report of the Standing Committee on Social Justice & Empowerment on Demands for Grants (2019-2020) pertaining to the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.
 - (ii) the status of implementation of the recommendations/ observations contained in the 6th Report of the Standing Committee on Social Justice & Empowerment on Demands for Grants (2020-2021) pertaining to the Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment.
- (3) The Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Shri Ashwini Kumar Choubey) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the

recommendations contained in the 10th Report of the Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution on Demands for Grants (2021-2022) pertaining to the Department of Consumer Affairs, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution.

- (4) The Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development (Sadhvi Niranjana Jyoti) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 9th Report of the Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution on Demands for Grants (2021-2022) pertaining to the Department of Food and Public Distribution, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution.
- (5) The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Nityanand Rai) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations/observations contained in the 228th Report of the Standing Committee on Home Affairs on Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations contained in 222nd Report of the Committee on the 'Management of Worsening Traffic situation in Delhi' pertaining to the Ministry of Home Affairs.
- (6) The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs (Shri Ajay Kumar) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 224th Report of the Standing Committee on Home Affairs on Demands for Grants (2020-2021) pertaining to the Ministry of Home Affairs.
- (7) The Minister of State in the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers (Shri

Bhagwanth Khuba) laid the following statements (Hindi and English versions) regarding:-

- (i) the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 3rd Report of the Standing Committee on Chemicals & Fertilizers on Demands for Grants (2019-2020) pertaining to the Department of Fertilizers, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers.
 - (ii) the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 7th Report of the Standing Committee on Chemicals & Fertilizers on Demands for Grants (2020-2021) pertaining to the Department of Fertilizers, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers.
- (8)* The Minister of State in the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. L. Murugan) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 12th Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture on Demands for Grants (2020-2021) pertaining to the Department of Fisheries, Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 12.11 P.M.
and re-assembled at 2.02 P.M.)*

*Laid at 4 P.M.

2.02 P.M.

14. Matters Under Rule 377

As directed by the Chair, the following members laid on the Table statements on matters sought to be raised by them under Rule 377 as indicated against each:-

- (1) Shri Khagen Murmu regarding implementation of Ayushman Bharat Yojana in West Bengal.
- (2) Dr. Ramapati Ram Tripathi regarding need to provide stoppage of train Nos. 05113/14 and 55007/08 at Taraiya Sujana Railway Station, in Deoria district, Uttar Pradesh.
- (3) Shri Ram Kripal Yadav regarding need to enhance the minimum pension under Employees' Pension Scheme.
- (4) Shri Bidyut Baran Mahato regarding implementation of 'Patmada Pump Nahar' scheme in Jharkhand.
- (5) Dr. Umesh G. Jadhav regarding establishment of a Postal Head office at Yaddagiri city, Karnataka.
- (6) Shri Sudhakar Tukaram Shrangre regarding need to construct pit line at Latur Railway Station, Maharashtra.
- (7) Shri Raju Bista regarding reinstating the 11 left-out Gorkha sub-tribes as STs.
- (8) Shri Dharambir Singh regarding need to set up a Mini Food Park in Bhiwani-Mahendragarh parliamentary constituency, Haryana.
- (9) Shri Arun Sao regarding need to develop Ratanpur in Bilaspur district, Chhattisgarh as a tourist place.
- (10) Shri Satyadev Pachauri regarding enhancement of Pension under EPS-1995.
- (11) Shri Jagannath Sarkar regarding financial assistance to hand-woven textile industry in West Bengal.
- (12) Shri Ramdas C. Tadas regarding increase in import duty on oranges exported to Bangladesh.
- (13) Shri Komati Reddy Venkat Reddy regarding allocation for funds for development of Bhongir Fort in Bhongir parliamentary constituency, Telangana.
- (14) Shri V. Kalanidhi regarding alleged irregularity in appointment to the post of Secretary, National Medical Commission.

- (15) Shri C.N. Annadurai regarding promotion of eco-tourism in Tiruvannamalai district of Tamil Nadu.
- (16) Prof. Saugata Roy regarding repeal of farm laws.
- (17) Smt. Chinta Anuradha regarding sanction of funds to Andhra Pradesh to combat the menace of climate change.
- (18) Shri Dileshwar Kamait regarding need to undertake caste census in Census 2021.
- (19) Shri N.K. Premachandran regarding electrification of Kollam-Punalur and Punalur-Schenkottah Railway line.
- (20) Shri Narendra Kumar regarding need to upgrade ESIC DCBO in Jhunjhunu parliamentary constituency, Rajasthan into a 30-bedded hospital.
- (21) Shri K. Ram Mohan Naidu regarding disinvestment of RINL.
- (22) Shri Hanuman Beniwal regarding need to cover employees appointed before 1.1.2004 in Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya under CCS Pension Rules, 1972.

2.04 P.M.

15. (i) Statutory Resolution – Not Moved

(ii) *The Essential Defence Services Bill, 2021–Passed*

Time Taken: 12 Mts.

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Shri Ajay Bhatt on behalf of Shri Raj Nath Singh.

The following members took part in the debate:-

1. Shri N.K. Premachandran
2. Shri Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury
3. Prof. Sougata Ray

Shri Raj Nath Singh replied to the debate.

The motion for consideration was adopted and clause-by-clause consideration of the Bill was taken up.

Clauses 2 to 19 were adopted.

Clause 1 was adopted, as amended.

The Enacting Formula and the Long Title were also adopted.

The motion that the Bill, as amended, be passed, was moved by Shri Ajay Bhatt.

The motion was adopted and the Bill, as amended, was passed.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 2.16 P.M.
and re-assembled at 4.00 P.M.)*

4.00 P.M.

16. (i) Statutory Resolution – Not Moved

(ii) *The Tribunals Reforms Bill, 2021–Passed*

Time Taken: 09 Mts.

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman.

The motion for consideration was adopted and clause-by-clause consideration of the Bill was taken up.

Clause 2 was adopted.

Clauses 3 to 35 were adopted.

The First and Second Schedule were adopted.

Clause 1, the Enacting Formula and the Long Title were also adopted.

The motion that the Bill be passed, was moved by Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman.

The motion was adopted and the Bill was passed.

4.09 P.M.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M.,
Wednesday, the 4th August, 2021.)*

UTPAL KUMAR SINGH
Secretary General