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Allocation of time to Government Legislative and Financial Business

On a motion moved by Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs and Minister of State in the Ministry of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises, the **Second Report** of the Business Advisory Committee, which was presented on 03.07.2019, has been adopted by the House today (04.07.2019). The Lok Sabha agreed to allocation of time to the following items of business as shown below :-

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| (1) General Discussion on the Union Budget for 2019-20 |] | 12 Hours |
| (2) The Committee also recommended that the discussion on Demands for Grants for 2019-20 in respect of the following Ministries may be taken up in the following order:-
(i) Road Transport and Highways;
(ii) Railways;
(iii) Rural Development and Agriculture & Farmers Welfare;
and
(iv) Youth Affairs and Sports. |] | 1 day each |
| (3) Guillotining of outstanding Demands for Grants in respect of Union Budget for 2019-20. |] | At 6 P.M. on
Wednesday,
July 17, 2019 |
| (4) The Finance (No.2) Bill, 2019.
<i>(Consideration and passing)</i> |] | 4 hours |

Statutory Resolutions

The following Statutory Resolutions have been admitted:-

S.No.	From whom received	Ministry/ Department	Text of Resolution
(i)	Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman	Finance	In pursuance of section 8A(1) of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975, read with sub-section (3) of section 7 of the said Act, this House hereby approves of notification No. 5/2019-Customs dated 16.02.2019 [G.S.R 124 (E) dated 16 th February, 2019] which seeks to amend the First Schedule of the Customs Tariff Act so as to insert new tariff item 9806 00 00 under Chapter 98 of the First Schedule of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 to prescribe 200% customs duty on all goods originating in or exported from the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.
(ii)	Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman	Finance	In pursuance of section 8A(1) of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975, read with sub-section (3) of section 7 of the said Act, this House hereby approves of notification No. 16/2019-Customs dated 15.06.2019 [G.S.R. 425 (E) dated 15 th June, 2019] which seeks to increase the basic customs duty on the following goods:- a) Lentils (Mosur) (0713 40 00) from 40% to 50%, b) Boric acid (2810 00 20) from 17.5% to 27.5% and c) Other diagnostic and laboratory reagents (3822 00 90) from 20% to 30%.

RESULT OF ELECTIONS TO GOVERNMENT BODIES

In connection with the elections to the five Government Bodies for which the Motions were adopted by the House on 21, 25 and 26 June, 2019 the nominations were received and there were subsequent withdrawals upto the last date and time fixed for the purpose in respect of each Body. After expiry of the last date and time prescribed for withdrawal, the number of candidates remaining in fray is equal to the number of candidates to be elected to each Body. Accordingly, the following members have been declared as duly elected to serve as members on the Government Bodies shown against their respective names, subject to the provisions of the relevant Acts and Rules made thereunder for governing these Bodies:-

Sl. No	Name of Government Body	No. of members to be elected	Names of members elected
1.	Central Silk Board	04	(i) Shri Bache Gowda B.N. (ii) Shri Ajay Nishad (iii) Shri Doddaalahalli Kempegowda Suresh (iv) Shri Ashok Kumar Yadav
2.	Rajghat Samadhi Committee	02	(i) Shri Ramesh Bidhuri (ii) Shri Hans Raj Hans
3.	Rubber Board	02	(i) Km. Shobha Karandlaje (ii) Shri Nalin Kumar Kateel
4.	Tobacco Board	02	(i) Shri Sanjay Kumar Bandi (ii) Shri Balashowry Vallabbhaneni
5.	National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) Bangalore	02	(i) Dr. Subhash Ramrao Bhamre (ii) Shri P.C. Mohan

**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.

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.

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).

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