# **LOK SABHA**

# **BULLETIN - PART I**

(Brief Record of Proceedings)

Monday, July, 26, 2021/Sravana 4, 1943 (Saka)

No. 119

#### 11.00 A.M.

# 1. Reference by the Speaker

The Speaker, on behalf of the House, paid homage to the martyrs of Kargil War on the 22<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of the Kargil Vijay.

Thereafter, members stood in silence for a short while as a mark of respect to the memory of the martyrs of Kargil War.

#### 11.03 A.M.

# 2. Felicitations by the Speaker

The Speaker, on behalf of the House, congratulated Indian Weightlifter Chanu Saikhom Mirabai for winning Silver medal in Weightlifting. He also conveyed the best wishes of the House to other Indian Contingents participating in the 32<sup>nd</sup> Summer Olympics.

#### 11.03 A.M.

# 3. Starred Questions

Question Nos. 81, 82 (94 clubbed with 82), 83 (100 clubbed with 83) and 84 (96 clubbed with 84) were orally answered.

(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 11.24 A.M. and re-assembled at 2.00 P.M.)

Replies to Starred Question Nos. 85–93, 95 and 97–99 were laid on the Table.

# 4. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos. 921–1150 were laid on the Table.

### 2.00 P.M.

# 5. 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 Environment, Forest and Climate Change; and Minister of Labour and Employment (Shri Bhupender Yadav) laid on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Employees' Provident Fund Organisation, 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.
- (3) A copy of the Notification No. N-12/13/1/2019-P&D (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India dated 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 amending Atal Beemit Vyakti Kalyan Yojna under sub-section (4) of Section 97 of the Employees' State Insurance Act, 1948.

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 Petroleum and Natural Gas; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Labour and Employment (Shri Rameswar Teli) to lay on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Petroleum (Amendment) Rules, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.196(E) in Gazette of India dated 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 under sub-section (4) of Section 29 of the Petroleum Act, 1934.
- (2) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955:-
  - (i) The Motor Spirit and High Speed Diesel (Regulation of Supply,
    Distribution and Prevention of Malpractices)(Amendment) Order,

- 2021 published in Notification No. G.S.R.203(E) in Gazette of India dated 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2021.
- (ii) The Solvent, Raffinate and Slop (Acquisition, Sale, Storage and Prevention of Use in Automobiles Amendment Order, 2021 published in Notification No. G.S.R.463(E) in Gazette of India dated 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2021.
- (iii) S.O.2133(E) published in Gazette of India dated 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2018, directing that the Oil Companies shall sell Ethanol Blended Petrol with percentage of ethanol up to twenty per cent as per the Bureau of Indian Standards specifications in the whole of the States and Union Territories.

The Minister of Finance; and Minister of Corporate Affairs (Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman) laid on the Table a copy of Notification No. 38/2021-Customs (Hindi and English versions) dated 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2021, together with an explanatory memorandum making certain amendments in Notification No. 50/2017-Cus dated 30.06.2017 so as to (a) reduce the BCD from 10% to Nil on Lentils (Masur)[HS 0713 40 00] originated in or exported from countries other than USA and (b) to reduce the BCD from 30% to 20% on Lentils (Masur) [HS 0713 40 00] originated in or exported from USA and Notification No. 11/2021-Cus dated 01.02.2021 so as to reduce the AIDC on all Lentils (Masur) [HS 0713 40 00] from present rate of 20% TO 10% under Section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962. The above amendments will be effective from 27.07.2021

# 6. Report of Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture

Shri Anto Antony laid on the Table the Two Hundred Ninety-fourth Report (Hindi and English versions) on 'Development and Conservation of Museums and Archaeological Sites – Challenges and Opportunities' of the Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture.

# 7. Government Bill – Introduced

The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Amendment) Bill, 2021

# 8. Statement regarding Ordinance – Laid on the Table

An explanatory Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for immediate legislation by promulgation of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Amendment) Ordinance, 2021 (No.3 of 2021) was laid on the Table.

(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 2.06 P.M. and re-assembled at 2.45 PM.)

(Due to continued interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 2.48 P.M. and re-assembled at 3.00 P.M.)

#### 3.00 P.M.

#### 9. 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 Ranjeet Singh Hindurao Naik Nimbalkar regarding need to issue caste certificate to people belonging to 'Dhangar' caste.
- (2) Shri Kunar Hembram regarding construction of a Road Bridge over Dulung river, West Bengal.
- (3) Shri R.K. Singh Patel regarding need to create a new 'Vindhya-Bundelkhand' State.
- (4) Dr. Umesh G. Jadhav regarding including Kalaburagi city corporation under PMJVK.
- (5) Shri Rajesh Verma regarding need to undertake survey of historical temples, monasteries and forts in Sitapur and Lakhimpur Kheri districts and bring them under culture department.
- (6) Shri Dilip Saikia regarding need to review the current status of families eligible for Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana.
- (7) Shri Chhedi Paswan regarding construction of road from Akbarpur (Rohtas district) to Aghaura (Kaimur district), Bihar.
- (8) Kunwar Pushpendra Singh Chandel regarding need to constitute a Board for creation of small states.
- (9) Shri Sumedhanand Saraswati regarding merger of services of North East Express (train No. 12505/12506) and Sainik Express (train no. 14021/14022).

- (10) Shri Ravindra Kushwaha regarding need to establish a Women's College in Deoria district, Uttar Pradesh.
- (11) Shri Ashok Kumar Rawat regarding alleged shoddy construction of NH-99 road in Misrikh parliamentary constituency, Uttar Pradesh.
- (12) Shri Khagen Murmu regarding need to formulate a plan to prevent annual flood and land erosion in Malda district of West Bengal.
- (13) Shri S. Ramalingam regarding NH-45C from Vikravandi to Thanjavur.
- (14) Dr. B.V. Satyavathi regarding setting up of Mobile sector health institutions in Andhra Pradesh.
- (15) Prof. Saugata Roy regarding judicial commission on Pegasus spyware snooping.
- (16) Dr. Arvind Sawant regarding privatization of Mazagaon Dock Shipbuilders Limited.
- (17) Dr. Alok Kumar Suman regarding need to construct a ring road connecting NH-27 to NH 531 in Gopalganj parliamentary constituency, Bihar.
- (18) Shri Kunwar Danish Ali regarding need to release sugarcane arrears to farmers of Amroha parliamentary constituency, Uttar Pradesh.
- (19) Shri M. Selvaraj regarding establishment of an Airport in Nagapattinam.

#### 3.02 P.M.

# 10. Government Bills - Passed

(i) The Factoring Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 2020

Time Taken: 13 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.

Clauses 2 to 6 were adopted.

Clause 1 was adopted, as amended.

The Enacting Formula was adopted, as amended.

The Long Title was also adopted.

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

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

#### 3.15 P.M.

(ii) The National Institutes of Food Technology, Entrepreneurship and Management Bill, 2021, as passed by Rajya Sabha

Time Taken: 06 Mts.

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Shri Pashupati Kumar Paras.

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

Clauses 2 to 4 were adopted.

Clause 5 was adopted.

Clause 6 was adopted.

Clauses 7 to 10 were adopted.

Clause 11 was adopted.

Clauses 12 and 13 were adopted.

Clauses 14 to 41 were adopted.

The Schedule was adopted.

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

The motion that the Bill, as passed by Rajya Sabha, be passed was moved by Shri Pashupati Kumar Paras.

The motion was adopted and the Bill was passed.

# 3.21 P.M.

(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M., Tuesday, the 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2021.)

UTPAL KUMAR SINGH Secretary General