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BULLETIN-PART II (General Information relating to Parliamentary and other matters)

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Discontinuation of Circulation of hard copies of Parliamentary papers

Members are informed that in view of the prevailing situation of COVID -19 pandemic and in order to check the spread of infection which may occur due to handling of physical papers, it has been decided to discontinue the circulation of hard copies of Parliamentary papers such as the List of Business, Bulletin Part-I, Ordinances, Government and Private Members' Bills and papers related thereto, Amendments to Bills etc. However, the copies of these papers will be circulated to Members electronically. Members may carry print-outs of the same for their use. Arrangements have already been made to keep a few hard copies of the Parliamentary papers in the Inner Lobby of the LokSabha Chamber for the use of Members.

Kind Cooperation of Members is solicited.

Tabling of Notices Under Rule 377

It has been observed that sometimes notices tabled by Hon'ble Members under Rule 377 of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in LokSabha are not in line with the provisions of the Rule stipulated for the purpose.

The prominent inconsistencies identified in such notices and the rule position in this regardare as follows:-

(1) Notices containing more than one issue which is prohibited under Rule 377A(iv).

Members are requested to give notice on any one issue within the jurisdiction of the Union Government. If a notice contains more than one issue, the first issue appearing in the notice shall be taken up for examination and the subsequent issue(s) will not be taken into consideration.

(2) Laying a matter in the House which is different from the approved text.

In this regard, it is stated that Rule 377C(2) of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in LokSabha states that "Only the text approved by the Speaker shall go on record." Hence, whenever a Member is permitted to lay a matter under Rule 377 in the House, only the approved text shall go on recordeven though the member has actually <u>laid</u> a different matter in the House.

(3) Notproviding full text of the matter in the notice or merely mentioning on the body of the notice that <u>the text shall be provided</u> <u>later</u>causes delays in examination/processing of such notices.

In this regard, it is stated that Rule 377 requires a member to specify clearly and precisely the text of the matter to be raised. Therefore, whenever a notice is not accompanied by text of the matter intended to be raised or contains only a few words, the notice shall **<u>not</u>** be taken up for examination/processing.

(4) Givingnotice on one subject and later requesting for change of the subject of the notice on the day on whichthe notice is listed in the House.

Members are informed that once the notice on a subject submitted under Rule 377 has been listed in the House on a particular day, the request to change the text of the notice shall not be entertained.

(5) Submitting notice already raised/laid in the same session.

Rule 377A(ii) states that in order that a notice may be admissible it shall *inter alia* satisfy the following condition:-

"it shall not relate to a matter which has been discussed in the same session or which is substantially identical to the matter already raised by a member under this rule during the session."

Members are requested not to give notice on a subject already raised/laid by them in the House in the same session. If a notice is repeated during the same session, it shall not be permitted to be raised/laid and the notice shall get lapsed.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

ARREST AND RELEASE OF KM. DEBASREE CHAUDHURI

The following communication dated 15 July, 2021 from Office of Commissioner of Police, Kolkata was received through e-mail on 16 July, 2021:-

"This is to inform that Km. DebasreeChaudhuri, Member of LokSabha was arrested at about 1205 hrs on 15 July, 2021, from the vicinity of Alipore petrol pump under Alipore PS area and subsequently sent to Lalbazar Central Lock-up. A case Sec VI, Part II case No. 02 dated 15 July, 2021 was registered u/s 151 of CrPC read with u/s 188 of IPC and 51(b) of Disaster Management Act, 2005. She was subsequently released from Lalbazar Central Lock-up on PR Bond at about 1800 hrs on the same day."

No. 2686

General Store Branch

Free Issuance of 15thLokSabha Debates

Hon'ble Members are informed that debates of the 15th LokSabha (both English and Hindi) are available for free issuance from the Publications Counter, Parliament House and the Sales Unit in Basement Parliament House Annexe. Willing Members can avail the benefit by taking copies of the debate as and when they desire.

No. 2687 Parliament Library (Newspapers and Periodicals Section)

Access to e-journals through J-Gate Informatics

Members are informed that Parliament Library has subscribed to one of the most comprehensive online database known as the J-Gate which makes around 60,000 indexed journals accessible. The Path to access this database is: i)within the Parliament premises: parliamentlibraryindia.nic.in \rightarrow E-Resources \rightarrow Online Searches through J-Gate

ii)outside the Parliament premises: parliamentlibraryindia.nic.in \rightarrow E-Resources \rightarrow Online Searches through J-Gate \rightarrow USERID-xxxxxxx \rightarrow PASSWORD-xxxxxxx

The user ID and password w.r.t the above are sent through SMS to the sitting and ex members.

Members may contact: 011-23035071 and 011-23034295 for any assistance.

No. 2688 Parliament Library (Newspapers and Periodicals Section)

Online Access of Newspapers and Periodicals

Members are informed that they may access the online 73 Newspapers and 94 Periodicals at the website of Parliament Library, http://parliamentlibraryindia.nic.in/ under the heading 'Newspapers' and 'Periodicals' respectively.

i)The newspapers may be accessed by the following path:parliamentlibraryindia.nic.in ↓

Newspapers

ii)The periodicals may be accessed by the following path:parliamentlibraryindia.nic.in

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Members may contact at 011-23035071 and 011-23034295 for any assistance.

(Software Unit)

Wi-Fi Facility in the Chamber of LokSabha

Members may be aware that there is no provision of internet facility in the Chamber of the LokSabha as per the laid down Practice and Procedure for Conducting Business of the House. However, to facilitate the Members in accessing information related to Parliamentary Business, a controlled internet facility through the WiFi system is made available to the Members. Through this system, Members can access all information related to Business of the House, Question /Answers, All Government Websites that hosted under the National Data Centre of NIC.

For the assistance of Members in using the Wi-Fi facility, a Special Counter has been set up in Parliamentary Notice Office , to configure their mobile phones with WiFi system of NIC. Members may also get their queries related to Members' Portal and Attendance app resolved at the same counter. They may contact on 7838478742 and 8279779422 for any assistance.

No. 2690

LARRDIS

'Research Support Programme for LokSabha MPs, 2021'

A team of officers and staff from the LARRDIS have been engaged for the 'Research Support Programme for LokSabha MPs, 2021' to pro-actively reach out to Hon'ble members and provide them dedicated Research, Information and Library support on individual basis from the Monsoon Session. Hon'ble Members may contact 011-23034654; 011-23794236 or mail at ls-mpattachment@sansad.nic.in to avail the facility.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

No. 2691AUDIO VISUAL AND TELECASTING UNITAVAILABILITY OF VIDEO CLIPS OF INDIVIDUAL SPEECHES OF
MEMBERS ON MEMBERS' PORTAL AND ON DVDS.

Members are aware that proceedings in LokSabha are being televised 'Live' and recorded by the LokSabha Television Channel (LSTV). Members are informed that the video clips of individual speeches of members delivered in LokSabha will be made available to them through their Members' Portal Account for downloading. Members are also informed that video recordings are preserved by the Audio Visual and Telecasting Unit of the Secretariat for archival purposes. Facilities for providing the copies of LokSabha proceedings in DVD (Digital Video Discs) of 2-hours durations are also available on payment of Rs. 100/- per copy.

2. Members who desire to have copies of their speeches / participations in LokSabha proceedings on DVDs may send their requests indicating the date(s), time and subject(s) of their participation to the Joint Director (A.V. &T Unit), Room No. G-140, Parliament Library Building, Phone Nos. 23034505, 23035347.

AVAILABILITY OF VIEWING FACILITY OF RECORDINGS OF PARLIAMENTARY PROCEEDINGS AND OTHER FUNCTIONS

Recordings of the proceedings of LokSabha and films on parliamentary practices and procedures, available in the Audio Visual and Telecasting Unit, can be viewed on TV / PC monitors in room no. G-140 (Ground Floor), Parliament Library Building from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. on all working days. Recordings of the International Parliamentary Conferences and Seminars and other parliamentary functions held in India are also available for viewing.

2. Members interested in listening / viewing these audio-video collections may visit the Audio Visual and Telecasting Unit Room No. G-140, Parliament Library Building, Phone Nos. 23034505, 23035347.

No. 2693

LARRDIS (Parliamentary Affairs Wing)

Creation of "Feedback Station" at Members' Reading Room, PH

Hon'ble Members of Parliament are informed that the Members' 'Feedback Station' has been created at Members' Reading Room, Parliament House for their valuable suggestions to improve the services of the LARRDIS. The Feedback Form is also available online on the websites of LokSabha and Parliament Library. For any query, the Members may kindly contact at 011-23034660/4658/e-mail: *directorparlib-lss@sansad.nic.in*.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

No. 2694

Question Branch

RESULT 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 1200 hrs. on 20th July, **2021** for the sittings of Lok Sabha to be held on **05th and 06th August, 2021** were held in the presence

of **SHRIMATI SANGEETA AZAD, MP, SHRI RAMSHIROMANI VERMA, MP and SHRI L.V. RAMANA, DIRECTOR, LOK SABHA SECRETARIAT** in the Central Hall, Parliament House, New Delhi. A total of 1187 notices were received and 299 Members participated in the ballot for 05th August, 2021. Further, a total of 1079 notices were received and 275 Members participated in the ballot for 06th August, 2021.

2. The result of the ballots has been uploaded on the Homepage *viz*. loksabha.nic.in.

(Software Unit)

Development of mobile app for accessing Parliamentary proceedings

Members are informed that an Mobile app has been developed exclusively for use of Members to facilitate them in viewing and accessing information related to the Parliamentary proceedings in their hand held devices from the Monsoon Session onwards. Currently, a beta version (trail version) has been developed with minimum features only. The Members can view the following features through the App:

- Today's Papers
- Live TV
- Business
- Question /Answers
- Debates
- Papers Circulated
- Information about Members

A better and enhanced version of the App with additional features shall be made available for the service of Hon. Members after taking the feedback and suggestions from them. The two versions for the mobile app, both for Android and I-phone users, is available on the Members' Portal homepage and Members can download any of the links on to their devices. Also the Link shall be forwarded to the Members through SMS. For any assistance, Members may contact a technical counter in Parliamentary Notice Office.

Briefing Sessions for Members of Parliament

Briefing Sessions are being organised for Hon'ble Members of Parliament by Members' Reference Service on 22 July, 2021 in Committee Room No. 62, Parliament House, New Delhi as per the following schedule:

Date	Time		Subject						
	09:30	a.m.	to	The	DNA	Tech	nology	(Use	and
22 July, 2021	10:30 a.m.			Application) Regulation Bill, 2019					
	01:00	p.m.	to	The	Essei	ntial	Defenc	e Se	rvice
	02:00 p.m.			Ordinance, 2021					

Hon'ble Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to attend the Briefing Sessions.

Restriction on entry of Ex-MPs/MLCs/MLAs/PSs/PAs/FamilyMembers/Personal Guests and Visitors accompanying Hon'ble Members

In view of the prevailing pandemic situation due to COVID-19 novel Corona Virus and to ensure social distancing, safety and security of Hon'ble Members of Parliament, the entry of Ex-MPs/MLCs/MLAs/PSs/PAs/Family Members/Personal Guests and Visitors accompanying Hon'ble Members is restricted inside the Parliament House till further orders.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No. 2698

Parliament Security Service, PH

Wearing of Face mask and display of RF Tag/Identity Cards

In view of the prevailing instructions of wearing of face mask to contain the spread of COVID–19 pandemic, a difficulty in proper identification of Hon'ble Members is experienced at the entry points of Parliament House. Therefore, tofacilitate a hassle free entry, all the Hon'ble Ministers/ members are requested tocarry and display their RF Tags/ Identity Cards while wearing face masks which would help in identification on gaining entry into Parliament House Complex..

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No. 2699

Parliament Security Service, PH

Entry to Parliament House and Central Hall

Entry in Parliament House and Central Hall is regulated according to Rulesand Directions issued by the Hon'ble Speaker from time to time. No person withouta valid pass is allowed to gain entry even accompanied by the Hon'ble Members of Parliament. This is an essential requirement in the interest of the security of Hon'ble Members of the Parliament in particular and PH in general.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

Restrictions on admission into Inner and Outer Lobbies of the Lok Sabha during the Session

The admission to Inner and Outer Lobbies is restricted to Hon'ble Members and the following categories of persons connected with official business or otherwise:-

- 1. Personsholdingpassesvalidfor"LOBBIES";and
- 2. C.P.W.D.staff working in the Parliament House whose presence is functionally required in connection with the discharge of their official duties.

No.2701

Parliament Security Service, PH

Ferry car services for Hon'ble Members

In view of the security concern, commercial vehicles viz. Taxi / Auto-rickshawetc. and vehicles without valid Car Parking Labels issued by Lok Sabha Secretariat will not be allowed entry to Parliament House precincts. If arriving in such vehicles /mode of transportation, Hon'ble Members are requested, to please get down at Iron Gates and make use of ferry cars available at **Iron Gates No.1 and Talkatora Road-I&II.** For departure also, ferry car will be available in front of Building Gate No.1&4.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2702

Parliament Security Service, PH

Carrying or Display of Fire Arms in Parliament House Complex

The carrying or display of arms and ammunition in any part of the ParliamentHouse Complex is strictly prohibited.Only security personnel specifically deployed/earmarked in the Parliament House Complex are permitted to carry arms and ammunition.

Kind co-operation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

Distribution of Literature, Pamphlets, Press Notes, Leaflets within the precincts of the Parliament House

As per established convention, no literature, questionnaire, pamphlets, PressNotes, leaflets or any matter printed or otherwise should be distributed without theprior permission of Hon'ble Speaker within the precincts of the House. Placards are also strictly prohibited inside the Parliament House Complex.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2704

Parliament Security Service, PH

Demonstration, Dharna, Strike, Fastetc. Within the Precincts of the House

Hon'ble Members are requested not to use the precincts of the House for any demonstration, dharna, strike or fast for the purpose of performing any religiousceremony.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2705

Parliament Security Service, PH

Stoppage of entry of Armed Escorts/P.S.O. coming to Parliament House Estate

Consequent to the decision taken by the General Purposes Committee of the Rajya Sabha and Meeting of Hon'ble Speaker with Leaders of Parties and Groups in Lok Sabha, "Armed Escorts/ P.S.O. (Personal Security Officer) of Hon'ble Ministers/Hon'ble Members of Parliament would not be permitted inside the Parliament HouseEstate." They may peel off from the vehicle at the respective Iron Gates itself.

Kind cooperation of the Hon'ble Members is solicited.

Speed regulation of vehicles entering Parliament House Complex

With the installation of modern security gadgets in Parliament House Complex, it has been felt essential to observe certain speed regulations for vehicularmovements keeping in view the design capabilities of the gadgets. It has, therefore, been decided to restrict the speed of vehicles to 10 Kms per hour till the vehiclescross the last barrier at the Iron Gates. Necessary warning signages have been prominently displayed at suitable locations.

Hon'ble Members of Parliament are requested to kindly give suitable instructions to their drivers for observance of speed regulations inside the complex.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2707

Parliament Security Service, PH

Restriction of Exit for pedestrians through Iron Gate No.1

State of the art Security Gadgets have been installed at Iron Gate No. 1 to regulate vehicular movements and to strengthen the security arrangements of Parliament House Complex. Pedestrians are, therefore, requested not to cross theseGadgetsonfoot.

Hon'ble Members of Parliament are therefore, requested to use Ferry Services made available at this gatefor their movement from the IronGate toBuildingGateNo.1andvice-versaand avoidmovementonfootthroughthisgate.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

Physical Check of Cars/Vehicles and Brief Cases

For security consideration, Hon'ble Members are advised to check their carsand brief cases before coming to the Parliament House Complex. In case of self-driven cars, Hon'ble Members are requested to check the dickey, seats, engine etc.beforeproceedingtothe Parliament HouseComplex.

Hon'ble Members who desire to use bicycle as transport may gain access through Iron Gates and are requested to park bicycle at earmarked place in Plot 118 and lock the cycle properly. The bicycles used by Hon'ble Members will be treated asself-driven vehicles.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2709

Parliament Security Service, PH

Switching off the mobile phones and alarm bell inside Lok Sabha Chamber

In order to ensure smooth and unhindered proceedings of Lok Sabha and as a mark of respect to the Chair, Hon'ble Members are requested to switch off their mobiles and deactivate alarm bells before entering into the Lok Sabha Chamber.

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2710

Parliament Security Service, PH

Regulation of Entry and Exit at Building Gates

Inviewof thepreventivemeasurestocontainthespread of COVID-19Corona virus pandemic and to maintain social distancing norms at the Building Gatesin Parliament House during the ensuing session, the entry and exit regulations for the Hon'ble members shall be facilitated as under:

(i) Entry of Honb'le MPs	:	BuildingGateNo.1,PH(Main Gate)		
	:	BuildingGateNo.4,PH		
	:	BuildingGateNo.12,PH		
(ii) Exit of Hon'ble MPs	:	BuildingGateNo.1,PH(SideGate)		
	:	Building Gate No.2, PH		

Kind cooperation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

Parking Arrangement in Parliament House

During the 6th Session of 17thLokSabha and 254th Session of Rajya Sabha (Monsoon Session of Parliament) commencing from 19.07.2021, the earmarked parking areas for the Hon'ble Members are as under:

- (i) Self-driven Vehicles of MPs: Parking Area near the New Centralize Pass Issue Cell at Talkatora Road
- (ii) Chauffeur-driven Vehicles: Behind Rail Bhawan near Vijay Chowk of MPs outside Parliament House

Kind co-operation of Hon'ble members is solicited.

No.2712

Parliament Security Service, PH

Functioning of Slip Road for entry into Parliament Building from TKR-III

Members are informed that a new slip road has been made functional from Iron Gate No. 3 to roundabout of fountain/ Statue of Shivaji Maharaj (Opposite Building Gate No. 3, PH) for smooth movement of vehicles of Hon'ble MPs coming to Parliament Building via TKR-III for alighting at Building Gate No. 1, 4 and 12 in Parliament House.

Kind co-operation of Hon'ble Members is solicited.

No.2713

Parliament Security Service, PH

Regulation of Vehicular Entry in Parliament House Complex.

Due to construction of New Parliament Building and shifting/ relocation/ closure of some services/ gates, the entry of vehicles of Hon'ble Members for smooth traffic movement in PH Complex will be regulated henceforth as under:-

- Iron Gate-I, Parliament
HouseOnly entry of authorized labelled vehicles of Hon'ble
as per practice in vogue.Members
- Iron Gate-II, 2. Exit of vehicles gaining entry from Iron Gate-I, Parliament House.
- Parliament House

Kind co-operation 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. As per practice, for the convenience of members, the Attendance Register, split into four parts, is kept on separate rostrums in the **Inner Lobby of LokSabha**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 the space provided against their names in the Attendance Register and as per the specimen signatures furnished to the LokSabha Secretariat.

4. Members may use their personal pens for signatures. Members are also requested to maintain social distancing while signing the register.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

Recording of votes during Division

Divisions, as and when required, will be held under Rule 367AA by distribution of slips.

Division slips will be provided to those members who are seated in LokSabha Chamber and its Galleries **only**.

Members will be supplied at their seats with 'Ayes'/'Noes' printed slips for recording their votes. 'Ayes' slips are printed on one side in green and 'Noes' on its reverse in red, both in English and Hindi language.

On the slips, members may kindly record votes of their choice by signing and writing legibly their names, Division Numbers and date.

Members who desire to record 'Abstention' may ask for the 'Abstention' slips.

Immediately after recording one's vote, each member should pass on the slip to the Division Official who will come to their seat to collect the same for handing over to the Officers at the Table. Members are requested to fill in only one slip for each Division.

Members are also requested not to leave their seats till the slips are collected by the Division Officials.

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

The Parliament 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 of India. 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 **Parliament Museum & Archives**, **FB-094**, **Parliament Library Building** (**Tel.No.23034131**, **23034226**, **Fax No.23035326**) for permanent preservation and display. The material will enrich the Parliament 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 Parliament Museum and Archives have 732 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 19,979 photographs relating to Parliamentary events and passport size photographs of Members of Parliament from 1st to 17thLokSabha including two hundred photographs of Freedom Fighters lodged in Cellular Jail during freedom struggle received from the Government of Andaman and Nicobar Island. All these Photographs have been digitized and can be retrieved with the click of a mouse through the software available in the branch.

Kind cooperation of Members is solicited.

UTPAL KUMAR SINGH Secretary General