LOK SABHA

BULLETIN - PART I

(Brief Record of Proceedings)

Tuesday, March 22, 2022/Chaitra 1, 1944 (Saka)

No. 164

11.00 A.M.

1. Starred Questions

Starred Question Nos. 261–264, 265 (clubbed with 274), 266 and 267 were orally answered. Replies to Starred Question Nos. 268–273 and 275–280 were laid on the Table.

2. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos. 2991–3220 were laid on the Table.

12.03 P.M.

3. Papers laid on the Table

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Power; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Heavy Industries (Shri Krishan Pal) 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) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the HMT Limited, Bangalore, for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the HMT Limited, Bangalore, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the

- Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (b) (i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Richardson and Cruddas (1972) Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Richardson and Cruddas (1972) Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (c) (i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Hindustan Salts Limited, Jaipur, for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Hindustan Salts Limited, Jaipur, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (d) (i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Heavy Engineering Corporation Limited, Ranchi, for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Heavy Engineering Corporation Limited, Ranchi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (e) (i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Sambhar Salts Limited, Jaipur, for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Sambhar Salts Limited, Jaipur, for the year 2020-2021, 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 item No. (b) of (1) above.
- (3) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions):-

- (i) Memorandum of Understanding between the Rajasthan Electronics and Instruments Limited and the Ministry of Heavy Industries for the year 2021-2022.
- (ii) Memorandum of Understanding between the Engineering Projects (India) Limited and the Ministry of Heavy Industries for the year 2021-2022.
- (iii) Memorandum of Understanding between the Bridge and Roof Company (I) Limited and the Ministry of Heavy Industries for the year 2021-2022.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Home Affairs; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (Shri Nisith Pramanik) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur, 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 Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur, 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 Home Affairs (Shri Nityanand Rai) laid on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Arms (Amendment) Rules, 2022 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.31(E) in Gazette of India dated 20th January, 2022 under sub-section (3) of Section 44 of the Arms Act, 1959.
- (2) A copy of the Delhi Police (Appointment and Recruitment)(Amendment) Rules, 2022 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. F.

16/19/2020/HP-I/Estt./3555-3561 in Delhi Gazette dated 18th February, 2022 under sub-section (2) of Section 148 of the Delhi Police Act, 1978.

4. Messages from Rajya Sabha

Secretary General reported the following messages from Rajya Sabha:-

- (i) That the Rajya Sabha had no recommendations to make to the Lok Sabha in the Appropriation (No.3) Bill, 2022, passed by the Lok Sabha on the 14th March, 2022.
- (ii) That the Rajya Sabha had no recommendations to make to the Lok Sabha in the Appropriation (No.2) Bill, 2022, passed by the Lok Sabha on the 14th March, 2022.

5. Reports of Standing Committee on Energy

Shri Rajiv Ranjan Singh *alias* Lalan Singh presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Energy (2021-22):-

- (1) Twenty-second Report on 'Action-taken by the Government on recommendations contained in the Sixth Report (Seventeenth Lok Sabha) of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy'.
- (2) Twenty-third Report on 'Action-taken by the Government on recommendations contained in the Seventh Report (Seventeenth Lok Sabha) of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2021-22) of the Ministry of Power'.
- (3) Twenty-fourth Report on 'Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy'.
- (4) Twenty-fifth Report on 'Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Power'.

6. Reports of Standing Committee on Finance

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

- (1) Fortieth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Finance (Departments of Economic Affairs, Expenditure, Financial Services, Investment & Public Asset Management and Public Enterprises).
- (2) Forty-first Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue).
- (3) Forty-second Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Corporate Affairs.
- (4) Forty-third Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Planning.
- (5) Forty-fourth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation.

7. Reports of Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution

Shri Sudip Bandyopadhyay presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution (2021-2022):-

- (1) Eighteenth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Food and Public Distribution).
- (2) Nineteenth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Consumer Affairs).

8. Report of Standing Committee on Petroleum and Natural Gas

Shri Ramesh Bidhuri presented the Tenth Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Petroleum and Natural Gas on 'Demands for Grants (2022-23) of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas'.

9. Reports of Standing Committee on Coal, Mines and Steel

Shri Rakesh Singh presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Coal, Mines and Steel:-

- (1) Twenty-eighth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) relating to the Ministry of Steel.
- (2) Twenty-ninth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) relating to the Ministry of Mines.
- (3) Thirtieth Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) relating to the Ministry of Coal.
- (4) Thirty-first Report on the subject 'Development of Aluminium and Copper Industries in the Country' relating to the Ministry of Mines.

10. Reports of Standing Committee on Commerce

Shri Manoj Kotak laid on the Table the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Commerce:-

- (1) 167th Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) pertaining to Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.
- (2) 168th Report on Demands for Grants (2022-23) pertaining to Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

12.06 P.M.

11. 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 Bidyut Baran Mahato regarding construction of roads and overbridges connecting Jharkhand to neighbouring States.
- (2) Ms. Debasree Chaudhuri regarding opening of an AIIMS in North Bengal Region.
- (3) Shri Ganesh Singh regarding need to make available adequate seats for aspiring MBBS students in the country.
- (4) Smt. Rama Devi regarding need to construct a new building for post office at Madhuban block in East Champaran district, Bihar.
- (5) Shri Ashok Mahadeorao Nete regarding need to take necessary measures for establishment of Petrochemicals Complex in Vidarbha region of Maharashtra.
- (6) Shri Sunil Baburao Mendhe regarding compliance of directions issued by Union Government to Maharashtra under Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.
- (7) Shri Unmesh B. Patil regarding need to restore the provision for concessional train fare to PIB accredited journalists.
- (8) Shri Bhagirath Chaudhary regarding need to implement master plan for development of Kisangarh-Ajmer Airport.
- (9) Shri Mansukhbhai D. Vasava regarding need to secure the financial security of workers rendered jobless after closure of companies in Bharuch Parliamentary Constituency.
- (10) Smt. Riti Pathak regarding setting up of a commercial airport in Singrauli district, Madhya Pradesh.
- (11) Shri Hibi Eden regarding disinvestment of LIC.

- (12) Shri Abdul Khaleque regarding laying of a new railway route through Barpeta.
- (13) Shri S. Gnanathiraviam regarding speedy execution of tunnel project connecting Papanasam dam with Manimuthar dam, Tamil Nadu.
- (14) Smt. Aparupa Poddar regarding problems in Biometric Identification of the beneficiaries under National Food Security Act.
- (15) Shri Dileshwar Kamait regarding need to extend train nos. 13205/13206, 02554/02553 and 13163/64 upto Saraigarh, Bihar.
- (16) Shri Kunwar Danish Ali regarding need to take measures for upliftment of weavers in Uttar Pradesh particularly in Amroha parliamentary constituency, Uttar Pradesh.
- (17) Shri P.R. Natarajan regarding problems afflicting BSNL.
- (18) Shri N. K. Premachandran regarding conversion of Ernakulam Velankanni special train into regular train and extension of Amritha express train upto Rameswaram.
- (19) Shri P. Ravindhranath regarding interlinking of NH-183 near Uthamapalayam and NH-185 near Kattapana with a new bypass.
- (20) Shri Jagdambika Pal regarding Notification of Siddharthanagar as an Agri Export Zone.
- (21) Shri Pradeep Kumar Singh regarding need to set up a maize based starch factory in Araria parliamentary constituency, Bihar.
- (22) Shri Dhanush M. Kumar regarding development of Tourism Infrastructure in Tenkasi.
- (23) Shri Mukesh Rajput regarding need to construct an expressway from Gwalior to Tanakpur or Haldwani in Uttarakhand.

12.06 P.M.

12. The Union Budget -2022-2023 - Demands for Grants

Time Taken: 11 Hrs. 28 Mts.

Further discussion on the Demand for Grant No. 86 under the control of the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, continued.

The following members laid their written speeches on the Table :-

- 1. Shri Anto Antony
- 2. Shri Rajendra Dhedya Gavit
- 3. Shri Arun Kumar Sagar
- 4. Smt. Riti Pathak
- 5. Dr. T.R. Paarivendhar
- 6. Shri Rajendra Agrawal

Shri Nitin Jairam Gadkari replied to the debate.

All the cut motions moved, were withdrawn by leave of the House.

The Demand for Grant No. 86 (both Revenue Account and Capital Account) for which the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways is responsible for the amounts shown under column 3 of the printed list of Demands for Grants – Budget (General) for 2022-2023 was voted in full.

1.30 P.M.

13. The Union Budget -2022-2023 - Demands for Grants

Time Taken: 6 Hrs. 22 Mts.

Discussion on the Demand for Grant No. 8 under the control of the Ministry of Civil Aviation commenced.

The Speaker made the [#]announcement relating to moving of cut motions.

28 cut motions (Nos. 1 to 3, 17 to 29, 38 to 49) under the control of the Ministry of Civil Aviation were moved.

The following members took part in the debate :-

- 1. Shri Ravneet Singh
- 2. Dr. Mahesh Sharma
- Shri S.R. Parthiban
- 4. Smt. Mahua Moitra
- 5. Smt. Goddeti Madhavi
- 6. Dr. Alok Kumar Suman
- 7. Smt. Sarmistha Kumari Sethi
- 8. Smt. Sangeeta Azad
- 9. Shri Sunil Dattatray Tatkare
- 10. Dr. M.P. Abdussamad Samadani
- 11. Shri Dushyant Singh
- 12. Dr. S.T. Hasan
- 13. Shri Hasnain Masoodi

^{*}Original in Hindi. For details, please see the debates for the day.

- 14. Shri Rajiv Pratap Rudy
- 15. *Dr. Mohammad Jawed
- 16. *Shri Sudhakar Tukaram Shrangare
- 17. *Shri Tapir Gao
- 18. *Smt. Locket Chatterjee
- 19. *Shri Raju Bista
- 20. *Shri Sangamlal Kadedin Gupta
- 21. *Shri Mitesh Rameshbhai Patel
- 22. *Shri Naranbhai Bhikhabhai Kachhadiya
- 23. *Smt. Ranjanben Dhananjay Bhatt
- 24. *Shri K. Subbarayan
- 25. Shri Vaithilingam Ve.
- 26. *Shri Mohanbhai Kalyanji Kundariya
- 27. *Shri Jaswantsinh Sumanbhai Bhabhor
- 28. *Smt. Riti Pathak
- 29. *Shri Kuldeep Rai Sharma
- 30. *Shri Janardan Singh Sigriwal
- 31. *Shri Dulal Chandra Goswami
- 32. *Shri P.P. Chaudhary
- 33. Shri Ravi Kishan Shukla
- 34. Adv. A.M. Ariff
- 35. Shri Chandra Sekhar Bellana
- 36. Shri Ramesh Bidhuri
- 37. *Shri Devendra Singh alias Bhole Singh
- 38. Shri Santosh Kumar

^{*}Written speeches were laid on the Table.

- 39. Shri P. Ravindhranath
- 40. *Shri Kaushalendra Kumar
- 41. Shri N.K. Premachandran
- 42. Smt. Navneet Ravi Rana
- 43. Shri V.K. Sreekandan
- 44. *Shri P.R. Natarajan
- 45. Shri Gopal Chinayya Shetty
- 46. *Shri Bidyut Baran Mahato
- 47. Shri Girish Chandra
- 48. Shri Srinivas Kesineni
- 49. *Dr. Manoj Rajoria
- 50. *Shri Rahul Ramesh Shewale
- 51. Smt. Hema Malini
- 52. Shri M.K. Raghavan
- 53. Dr. D. Ravikumar
- 54. Smt. Aparupa Poddar
- 55. *Smt. Gitaben Vajesingbhai Rathva
- 56. Shri Sri Krishna Devarayalu Lavu
- 57. *Adv. Dean Kuriakose
- 58. Shri Muniyan Selvaraj
- 59. Dr. Tholkappiyan Thirumaavalavan
- 60. *Shri C.N. Annadurai
- 61. Shri Hanuman Beniwal
- 62. *Shri Ramcharan Bohra
- 63. Dr. (Prof.) Kirit Premjibhai Solanki

^{*}Written speeches were laid on the Table.

- 64. *Shri Nihal Chand Chauhan
- 65. Shri Manickam Tagore B.
- 66. Shri Shriniwas Dadasaheb Patil
- 67. Dr. Rajdeep Roy
- 68. Shri Anto Antony
- 69. *Shri Ganesh Singh
- 70. Dr. Umesh G. Jadhav
- 71. *Smt. Supriya Sule
- 72. *Dr. Nishikant Dubey
- 73. Shri Gurjeet Singh Aujla
- 74. Shri Sumedhanand Saraswati
- 75. Shri Haji Fazlur Rehman
- 76. Smt. Sandhya Ray
- 77. Shri Rajmohan Unnithan
- 78. *Smt. Jaskaur Meena
- 79. Shri Kirti Vardhan Singh
- 80. Shri Su. Thirunavukkarasar
- 81. Shri Chandra Prakash Joshi
- 82. Shri Suresh Kodikunnil
- 83. *Shri Devji Mansingram Patel
- 84. *Shri Kani K. Navas
- 85. Shri Nayab Singh
- 86. Dr. Amar Singh
- 87. Dr. Jaisiddeshwar Shivacharya Mahaswamiji
- 88. Shri Deepak Baij

^{*}Written speeches were laid on the Table.

- 89. Shri Sanganna Amarappa Karadi
- 90. Kunwar Danish Ali
- 91. *Dr. DNV Senthilkumar S.
- 92. *Dr. Gautham Sigamani Pon
- 93. Shri Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury
- 94. *Shri Vijayakumar alias Vijay Vasanth
- 95. *Shri Jagdambika Pal

The discussion was not concluded.

7.52 P.M.

(Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M., Wednesday, the 23rd March, 2022.)

UTPAL KUMAR SINGH Secretary General

^{*}Written speeches were laid on the Table.