

LOK SABHA

REVISED LIST OF BUSINESS

Wednesday, July 25, 2018 / Shravana 3, 1940 (Saka)

11 A.M.

QUESTIONS

1. **QUESTIONS** entered in separate list to be asked and answers given.

PAPERS TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE

Following Ministers to lay papers on the Table:-

2. **SHRIMATI NIRMALA SITHARAMAN** for Ministry of Defence;
3. **DR. JITENDRA SINGH** for Ministry of Atomic Energy;
4. **SHRI MANOJ SINHA** for Ministry of Communications;
5. **SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA** for Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology;
6. **SHRI HARIBHAI PARTHIBHAI CHAUDHARY** for Ministry of Coal;
7. **SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN** for Ministry of Railways;
8. **DR. VIRENDRA KUMAR** for Ministry of Minority Affairs;
9. **SHRI P. P. CHAUDHARY** for Ministry of Law and Justice; and
10. **DR. SUBHASH RAMRAO BHAMRE** for Ministry of Defence.

(Printed on a Separate list)

MESSAGE FROM RAJYA SABHA

11. SECRETARY GENERAL to report a message from Rajya Sabha regarding the Specific Relief (Amendment) Bill, 2018.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

12. DR. M. THAMBI DURAI

SHRI THANGSO BAITE to present the Forty-second Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES

13. DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI

SHRI SANJAY DHOTRE to present the 29th Report (Hindi and English versions) of Committee on Estimates (2018-19) on the subject 'Preparedness of Armed Forces – Defence Production and Procurement' pertaining to the Ministry of Defence.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION

14. SHRI DILIPKUMAR MANSUKHLAL GANDHI

SHRI CHANDU LAL SAHU to present the Twenty-ninth Action Taken Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation on the observations/ recommendations contained in Twenty-first Report of the Committee (Sixteenth Lok Sabha).

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

15. DR. KIRIT PREMJBHAI SOLANKI

SHRIMATI ANJU BALA to present the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (2018-19):-

- (1) Twenty-second Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in the Fifth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes on the subject 'Role of Educational Institutions including Universities, Technical, Medical and Engineering in socio-economic development of SCs and STs - Implementation of reservation policy in University of Delhi' pertaining to the Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education).
 - (2) Twenty-third Report on Action taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in the Thirty-first Report (Fifteenth Lok Sabha) of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes on the subject 'Reservation for and employment of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in Ordnance Factory Board (OFB)' pertaining to the Ministry of Defence (Department of Defence Production).
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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

16. SHRI HUKMDEV NARAYAN YADAV

SHRI MUKESH RAJPUT to present the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of Standing Committee on Agriculture:-

- (1) 52nd Report on action taken by the Government on the observations/recommendations contained in the 45th Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on the Subject 'Implementation of Scheme for Integrated Cold Chain and Value Addition Infrastructure' of the Ministry of Food Processing Industries.
- (2) 53rd Report on the Subject 'Scheme on Development of Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture - An Analysis' of the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare (Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries).

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS

17. SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI

SHRI LAXMI NARAYAN YADAV to present the Twenty-fourth Report (Hindi and English versions) on the subject 'Safety, Security and Environmental Aspects in Petroleum Sector' of the Standing Committee on Petroleum and Natural Gas.

STATEMENTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE ON COAL AND STEEL

18. SHRI RAKESH SINGH

SHRI AJAY NISHAD to lay on the Table the following Action Taken Statements (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel:-

- (1) Statement showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the 31st Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations of the Committee contained in 22nd Report (16th Lok Sabha) on 'Science & Technology/Research & Development in Mining Sector' relating to the Ministry of Mines.
- (2) Statement showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the 33rd Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations of the Committee contained in 29th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2017-18)' of the Ministry of Steel.
- (3) Statement showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the 34th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations of the Committee contained in 28th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2017-18)' of the Ministry of Mines.
- (4) Statement showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapters I and V of the 35th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations of the Committee contained in 27th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2017-18)' of the Ministry of Coal.

- (5) Statement showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the 41st Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations of the Committee contained in 32nd Report (16th Lok Sabha) on 'Skill Development in Mining Sector' of the Ministry of Mines.

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS

19. DR. HARSH VARDHAN to make the following statement regarding:-

- (1) the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 302nd Report of the Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on action taken by the Government on recommendations/observations contained in the 294th Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2017-18) pertaining to the Ministry of Earth Sciences.
 - (2) the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 310th Report of the Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on Demands for Grants (2018-19) pertaining to the Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Science and Technology.
 - (3) the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 315th Report of the Standing Committee on Science and Technology, Environment and Forests on Demands for Grants (2018-19) pertaining to the Ministry of Earth Sciences.
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20. SHRI RAO INDRAJIT SINGH to make a statement regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 60th Report of the Standing Committee on Finance on Demands for Grants (2018-19), pertaining to the Ministry of Planning.

21. SHRI RAJEN GOHAIN to make a statement regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 18th Report of the Standing Committee on Railways on 'Tourism Promotion and Pilgrimage Circuit' pertaining to the Ministry of Railways.

22. DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE to make a statement regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 21st Report of the Standing Committee on Defence on Demands for Grants (2016-17) (Miscellaneous, Demand No. 20), pertaining to the Ministry of Defence.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO THE TEA BOARD**23. SHRI SURESH PRABHU** to move the following:-

“That in pursuance of clause (f) of sub-section (3) of the section (4) of the Tea Act, 1953 read with rules 4(1)(b) and 5(1) of the Tea Rules 1954, the members of this House do proceed to elect, in such manner, as the Speaker may direct, two members from amongst themselves to serve as members of the Tea Board, subject to the other provisions of the said Act and Rules made thereunder.”

MOTION**24. SHRI ANANTH KUMAR**

SHRI TATHAGATA SATPATHY to move the following:-

“That this House do agree with the Fifty-fifth Report of the Business Advisory Committee presented to the House on the 24th July, 2018.”

25. MATTERS UNDER RULE 377.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS*Bill for consideration and passing*

*The Trafficking
of Persons
(Prevention,
Protection and
Rehabilitation)
Bill, 2018.*

26. SHRIMATI MANEKA SANJAY GANDHI to move that the Bill to prevent trafficking of persons, especially women and children and to provide care, protection and rehabilitation to the victims of trafficking, to persecute offenders and to create a legal, economic and social environment for the victims and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto, be taken into consideration.

(Amendments printed on separate list to be moved)

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

STATUTORY RESOLUTION

@ 27. SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY

SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN

PROF. SAUGATA ROY to move the following

resolution: -

“That this House disapproves of the Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (No. 4 of 2018) promulgated by the President on 18th May, 2018”.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Bill for consideration and passing

*The
Homoeopathy
Central Council
(Amendment)
Bill, 2018.*

@28. SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK to move that the Bill further to amend the Homoeopathy Council Act, 1973, be taken into consideration.

(Amendments printed on separate list to be moved)

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

@ Item nos. 27 and 28 may be discussed together.

STATUTORY RESOLUTION

@ 29. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN

SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY

PROF. SAUGATA ROY to move the following resolution:-

“That this House disapproves of the Criminal Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (No. 2 of 2018) promulgated by the President on 21st April, 2018”.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

(i) Bill for consideration and passing

*The Criminal
Law
(Amendment)
Bill, 2018.*

@30. SHRI RAJNATH SINGH to move that the Bill further to amend the Indian Penal Code, Indian Evidence Act, 1872, the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 and Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012, be taken into consideration.

(Amendments printed on separate list to be moved)

ALSO to move that the Bill be passed.

@ Item nos. 29 and 30 may be discussed together.

(ii) Further amendment to Bill returned by Rajya Sabha

**The Constitution
(One Hundred and
Twenty-third
Amendment) Bill,
2017.*

31. DR. THAAWARCHAND GEHLOT to move that the following further amendment be made in the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, as passed by Lok Sabha and as returned by Rajya Sabha with amendment:-

ENACTING FORMULA

That at page 1, line 1,-

for " Sixty-eighth" substitute "Sixty-ninth"

(iii) Further consideration of Rajya Sabha Amendment

**The Constitution
(One Hundred and
Twenty-third
Amendment) Bill,
2017.*

32. FURTHER CONSIDERATION of the following motion moved by Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot on 3rd January, 2018, namely:-

"That the following amendment made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration:-

CLAUSE 3

That at pages 2 and 3, clause 3 be deleted."

*** This Bill was passed by Lok Sabha on the 10th April, 2017 and transmitted to Rajya Sabha for their concurrence. Rajya Sabha passed the Bill with an amendment at its sitting held on the 31st July, 2017 and returned it to Lok Sabha on 1st August, 2017.**

ALSO further consideration of -

(A) the following amendments moved by Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot on 3rd January, 2018, namely:-

(i) That for the amendment "That at pages 2 and 3, clause 3 be deleted" made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, as passed by Lok Sabha, the following amendment alternative to the amendment made by Rajya Sabha, be substituted:-

That at pages 2 and 3, the following be inserted,-

Insertion of new article 338B.

'3. After article 338A of the Constitution, the following article shall be inserted, namely:-

National Commission for Backward Classes.

"338B. (1) There shall be a Commission for the socially and educationally backward classes to be known as the National Commission for Backward Classes.

(2) Subject to the provisions of any law made in this behalf by Parliament, the Commission shall consist of a Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and three other Members and the conditions of service and tenure of office of the Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and other Members so appointed shall be such as the President may by rule determine.

(3) The Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and other Members of the Commission shall be appointed by the President by warrant under his hand and seal.

(4) The Commission shall have the power to regulate its own procedure.

(5) It shall be the duty of the Commission-

(a) to investigate and monitor all matters

relating to the safeguards provided for the socially and educationally backward classes under this Constitution or under any other law for the time being in force or under any order of the Government and to evaluate the working of such safeguards; (b) to inquire into specific complaints with respect to the deprivation of rights and safeguards of the socially and educationally backward classes;

(c) to participate and advise on the socio-economic development of the socially and educationally backward classes and to evaluate the progress of their development under the Union and any State;

(d) to present to the President, annually and at such other times as the Commission may deem fit, reports upon the working of those safeguards;

(e) to make in such reports the recommendations as to the measures that should be taken by the Union or any State for the effective implementation of those safeguards and other measures for the protection, welfare and socio-economic development of the socially and educationally backward classes; and

(f) to discharge such other functions in relation to the protection, welfare and development and advancement of the socially and educationally backward classes as the President may, subject to the provisions of any law made by Parliament, by rule specify.

(6) The President shall cause all such reports to be laid before each House of Parliament along with a memorandum explaining the action taken or proposed to be taken on the recommendations relating to the Union and the reasons for the non-acceptance, if any, of any of such recommendations.

(7) Where any such report, or any part

thereof, relates to any matter with which any State Government is concerned, a copy of such report shall be forwarded to the State Government which shall cause it to be laid before the Legislature of the State along with a memorandum explaining the action taken or proposed to be taken on the recommendations relating to the State and the reasons for the non-acceptance, if any, of any of such recommendations.

(8) The Commission shall, while investigating any matter referred to in sub-clause (a) or inquiring into any complaint referred to in sub-clause (b) of clause (5), have all the powers of a civil court trying a suit and in particular in respect of the following matters, namely:—

(a) summoning and enforcing the attendance of any person from any part of India and examining him on oath;

(b) requiring the discovery and production of any document;

(c) receiving evidence on affidavits;

(d) requisitioning any public record or copy thereof from any court or office;

(e) issuing commissions for the examination of witnesses and documents; and

(f) any other matter which the President may, by rule, determine.

(9) The Union and every State Government shall consult the Commission on all major policy matters affecting socially and educationally backward classes.".

(ii) That the following further amendment be made in the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, as passed by Lok Sabha and as returned by Rajya Sabha with amendment:-

CLAUSE 1

That at page 1, line 3,-

for "2017" substitute "2018"

(B) the following amendments moved by Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab on 3rd January, 2018, namely:-

"(i) that in the amendment alternative to the amendment made by Rajya Sabha, page 1, in the proposed new article 338B, *after* clause (2),-

insert "Provided that at least one from amongst the Chairperson, Vice Chairperson and three other members shall be a woman";

(ii) that in the amendment alternative to the amendment made by Rajya Sabha, page 3, in the proposed new article 338B, *after* clause (9),-

insert "Provided that such consultation shall not be mandatory for a State Government in respect of policy matters affecting socially and educationally backward classes, which are included in List II–State List of the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution."

\$ ALSO consideration of the following amendment moved by Shri Thaawarchand Gehlot, namely:-

ENACTING FORMULA

That at page 1, line 1,-

for " Sixty-eighth" substitute "Sixty-ninth"

SHRI THAAWARCHAND GEHLOT to move that the Bill, as amended by the amendment alternative to the amendment made by Rajya Sabha and the further amendments, be passed.

\$ Consideration of amendment to be taken up in case amendment at Sl. No. 31 is moved.

***DISCUSSION UNDER RULE 193**

33. SHRI JITENDRA CHAUDHURY

SHRI KALIKESH NARAYAN SINGH DEO to raise a discussion on recent flood and drought situation in various parts of the country.

NEW DELHI;
July 24, 2018
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SNEHLATA SHRIVASTAVA
Secretary General

*** To be taken up at 2 P.M.**