LOK SABHA

BULLETIN – PART I (Brief Record of Proceedings)

Wednesday, August 1, 2018/Shravana 10, 1940 (Saka)

No.297

11.00 A.M.

1. Starred Questions

Starred Question Nos. 201–205 were orally answered. Replies to Starred Question Nos. 206–220 were laid on the Table.

2. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos.2301–2530 were laid on the Table.

12.01 P.M.

3. Papers laid on the Table

The following papers were laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Civil Services Society, New Delhi, for the year 2016-2017, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Civil Services Society, New Delhi, for the year 2016-2017.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions):-

- Memorandum of Understanding between the Telecommunications Consultants India Limited and the Department of Telecommunications for the year 2018-2019.
- (ii) Memorandum of Understanding between the ITI Limited and the Department of Telecommunications for the year 2018-2019.

(4) A copy of the Telecommunication Interconnection (Amendment) Regulations, 2018 (4 of 2018) (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. F. No. 10-10/2016-BB&PA in Gazette of India dated 5th July, 2018 under Section 37 of the Telecom Regulatory Authority of India Act, 1997.

(5) A copy of the Memorandum of Understanding (Hindi and English versions) between the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited and the Department of Defence Production, Ministry of Defence for the year 2018-2019.

4. Report of Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions

Dr. M. Thambi Durai presented the Forty-third Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions.

5. Report of Committee on Violation of Protocol Norms and Contemptuous Behaviour of Government Officers with Members of Lok Sabha (16th Lok Sabha)

Shri Rayapati Sambasiva Rao laid on the Table of the House the Fourth and Fifth Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Protocol Norms and Contemptuous Behaviour of Government Officers with Members of Lok Sabha.

6. Report of Joint Committee on the Financial Resolution and Deposit Insurance Bill, 2017

Shri Nishikant Dubey presented the Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Joint Committee on the Financial Resolution and Deposit Insurance Bill, 2017.

7. Record of Evidence Tendered before the Joint Committee on the Financial Resolution and Deposit Insurance Bill, 2017.

Shri Nishikant Dubey laid on the Table the record of evidence tendered before the Joint Committee on the Financial Resolution and Deposit Insurance Bill, 2017.

8. Report of Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes

Shri Ganesh Singh presented the Twelfth Report* (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes on 'Measures undertaken to secure representation of OBCs in employment and for their welfare in National Highways Authority of India' pertaining to the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways.

9. Action taken Statement of the Standing Committee on Chemicals and Fertilizers

Smt. Anju Bala laid on the table the Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing Action Taken by the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the 42nd Action Taken Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the recommendations contained in the 35th Report (16th Lok Sabha) on the subject 'Revival of Sick PSUs in Chemicals and Petrochemicals Sector' of Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals.

^{*}This Report was presented to Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha on 25th April, 2018 under Direction 71A of the Directions by the Speaker, Lok Sabha. The Speaker was pleased to order the printing, publication and circulation of the Reports under Rule 280 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha.

10. Statement by Minister

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Law and Justice and Minister of State in the Ministry of Corporate Affairs laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) (i) correcting the reply (English version) to Unstarred Question No. 4200 given on 21 March, 2018 by Shri Shivkumar Udasi, MP regarding 'Acts Enacted by Parliament' and (ii) giving reasons for delay in correcting the reply.

[#]12.08 P.M.

11. Submission by Member

Shri K.C. Venugopal made submission regarding heavy rain and consequent sea erosion in the coastal areas of Kerala.

Smt. Supriya Sadanand Sule, Adv. Joice George, Shri Innocent, Shri Rajeev Shankarrao Satav, Shri Ramachandran Mullappally, Shri Rabindra Kumar Jena and Dr. Kulamani Samal associated.

[%]Shri Ananth Kumar responded.

(Lok Sabha adjourned at 1.03 P.M. and re-assembled at 2.08 P.M.)

2.08 P.M.

12. 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 Ramen Deka regarding flood problem in Assam.
- (2) Shri Faggan Singh Kulaste regarding need to provide adequate relief package and alternative land to people displaced by wildlife sanctuaries in the country.
- (3) Shri Lakhan Lal Sahu regarding need to extend benefits of government welfare schemes to all the villagers under Bilaspur parliamentary constituency, Chhattisgarh.
- (4) Shri Jagdambika Pal regarding compensation to farmers of Siddharthnagar district, Uttar Pradesh.
- (5) Shri Rameswar Teli regarding need to set up a petroleum research Institute in Dibrugarh, Assam.
- (6) Shri Subhash Chandra Baheria regarding need to construct under-bridges on National Highway No. 79 in Bhilwara parliamentary constituency, Rajasthan.
- (7) Shri Vishnu Dayal Ram regarding customer services in Garhwa post office in Palamu parliamentary constituency, Jharkhand.
- (8) Dr. Banshilal Mahto regarding need to set up a Medical college in Korba, Chhattisgarh.
- (9) Shri Gopal Chinayya Shetty regarding development projects in Dahanu Taluka in Maharashtra.
- (10) Dr. Sunil Baliram Gaikwad regarding extension of services of Latur Express train.

- (11) Shri Prabhubhai Nagarbhai Vasava regarding need to include banana under Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana.
- (12) Shri Sharad Tripathi regarding need to formulate a comprehensive plan to address water-logging problem in cities during rainy season.
- (13) Shri R. Dhruvanarayana regarding the inclusion of two temples of Karnataka under PRASAD Scheme.
- (14) Shri M. I. Shanavas regarding need to check illegal sale of private data of people.
- (15) Dr. Karan Singh Yadav regarding acquisition of land for Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor.
- (16) Shri T. Radhakrishnan regarding inclusion of Madurai in Bilateral Air Service Agreements (BASA) with Middle East and Far East countries.
- (17) Shri S. Rajendran regarding making Villupuram Junction a model station in Tamil Nadu.
- (18) Smt. Pratima Mondal regarding need to complete construction of platform at Chandkhali Halt Station in West Bengal.
- (19) Shri Kalikesh Narayan Singh Deo regarding construction of a bypass on National Highway No. 26 at Bolangir in Odisha.
- (20) Shri Vinayak Raut regarding need to rename 'Bombay Hight Court' as 'Mumbai High Court'.
- (21) Shri Dhananjay Mahadik regarding need to set up a bench of Bombay High Court in Kolhapur, Maharashtra.
- (22) Shri Shailesh Kumar alias Bulo Mandal regarding need to include development works executed by Zila Panchayat authority under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme.
- (23) Prof. Prem Singh Chandumajra regarding releasing funds to Channelise Sawan Nadi in Punjab.

- (24) Shri Prem Das Rai regarding reservation of Limboo-Tamang communities of Sikkim in the State Legislative Assembly.
- (25) Shri C. N. Jayadevan regarding handing over of land owned by Department of Posts to Thrissur Municipal Corporation in Kerala.

^{\$}13. Observation by the Deputy Speaker

The Deputy Speaker made the following observation:-

"Hon'ble Members, before we take up the Statutory Resolution and the Bill listed at Sl. Nos. 13 and 14 respectively in today's List of Business together for combined discussion, Hon'ble Members would recall that during the combined discussion on the Statutory Resolution and the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Second Amendment) Bill, 2018 yesterday, Shri Mallikarjun Kharge raised a point that "after the Minister introduces the Bill and speaks, it is the prerogative of the opposition party to initiate the discussion. This is a wrong precedent. It is my request that it should not be clubbed like this". Shri Kharge also submitted that "it is the right of the main opposition party to initiate the discussion. We are not given that opportunity and Members from other parties have been allowed to speak in between. It is not a good thing."

In this regard, I would like to inform the House that the subject matter of the Statutory Resolution for disapproval of the Ordinance and the Ordinance replacing Bill is similar in nature. Therefore, it would not be appropriate to discuss both the items separately.

Accordingly, as per well-established practice, the Statutory Resolution seeking disapproval of the Ordinance and the Bill seeking to replace the Ordinance are discussed together to save the time of the House. The practice of listing both the items for combined discussion has stood the test of the time and therefore does not seem to require any change. The procedure being followed in such cases is that first, the Member in whose name the Statutory Resolution is listed, moves the Resolution and, thereafter, the Minister-in-charge of the Bill moves the motion for consideration of the Bill and speaks. After the speech of the Minister, mover of the Statutory Resolution is allowed to speak on the Ordinance as well as the Bill because he cannot be given second chance to speak on the Bill separately. After the speech of the mover of the Statutory Resolution, Members from various parties are called to speak as usual on the basis of party strength."

2.09 P.M.

[#]14. Statutory Resolution – Negatived

Time Taken: 2 Hrs. 45 Mts. Shri N.K. Premachandran moved the following resolution:-

"That this House disapproves of the Commercial Courts, Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division of High Courts (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (No. 3 of 2018) promulgated by the President on 3rd May, 2018".

After discussion, the Resolution was put to vote and negatived.

[#]15. Government Bill – Passed

The Commercial Courts, Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division of High Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2018 (Bill No. 123 of 2018)

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad.

The following members took part in the combined debate:-

- 1. Shri N.K. Premachandran
- 2. Smt. Meenakashi Lekhi
- 3. Shri S.P. Muddahanume Gowda
- 4. Shri J. Jayasingh Thiyagaraj Natterjee
- 5. Shri Idris Ali
- 6. Dr. Shrikant Eknath Shinde

#Discussed together

- 7. Dr. Anirudhan Sampath
- 8. Dr. Boora Narsaiah Goud
- 9. Shri Asaduddin Owaisi
- 10. Shri Pinaki Misra
- 11. Shri Rajesh Ranjan alias Pappu Yadav
- 12. Dr. Ravindra Babu Pandula
- 13. Shri Kaushalendra Kumar

Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad replied to the combined debate.

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

Clauses 2 and 3 were adopted.

Clauses 4 and 5 were adopted.

Clauses 6 to 10 were adopted.

Clauses 11 to 16 were adopted.

Clauses 17 to 20 were adopted.

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

The motion that the Bill be passed was moved by Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad.

The motion was adopted and the Bill was passed.

4.54 P.M.

***16.** Statutory Resolution – Under Consideration

Time Allotted: 3 Hrs. Time Taken: 28 Mts. Balance: 2 Hrs. 32 Mts.

Shri N.K. Premachandran moved the following resolution:-

"That this House disapproves of the National Sports University Ordinance, 2018 (No. 5 of 2018) promulgated by the President on 31^{st} May, 2018".

[&]17. Government Bill – Under Consideration

The National Sports University Bill, 2018

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Col. Rajyavardhan Radhore.

The following members took part in the combined debate:-

- 1. Shri N.K. Premachandran
- 2. Shri Anurag Singh Thakur (speech unfinished)

The discussion was not concluded.

5.22 P.M.

(Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 2nd August, 2018.)

SNEHLATA SHRIVASTAVA Secretary General

[®]Discussed together.