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11.00 A.M.

1. Starred Questions

Starred Question Nos. 461 (clubbed with 465), 462–464 were orally answered.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 11.27 A.M.
and re-assembled at 12.01 P.M.)*

Replies to Starred Question Nos. 466–480 were laid on the Table.

2. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos. 5291–5520 were laid on the Table.

12.01 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 a copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section 1(b) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

- (1) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Engineering

Projects (India) Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.

- (ii) Annual Report of the Engineering Projects (India) Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (2) (i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Hindustan Cables Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2020-2021.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Hindustan Cables Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

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 Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development (Sadhvi Niranjana Jyoti) laid on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) in respect of the Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005, for the year 2020-2021.
- (2) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Rural Infrastructure Development Agency, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Rural Infrastructure Development Agency, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.
- (3) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (2) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying (Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Balyan) laid on the Table:-

(1) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) issued under the Livestock Importation Act, 1898:-

- (i) G.S.R.585(E) published in Gazette of India dated 11th August, 1999, relating to health protocols for importation of equines into the country.
- (ii) S.O.478(E) published in Gazette of India dated 30th May, 2001, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (iii) S.O.670(E) published in Gazette of India dated 16th July, 2001, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (iv) S.O.655(E) published in Gazette of India dated 9th July, 2001, relating to restriction on import of live-stock products into the country and import to be made against a Sanitary Import Permit as per the laid down procedure.
- (v) S.O.1043(E) published in Gazette of India dated 17th October, 2001, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (vi) S.O.770(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th June, 2005, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (vii) S.O.1044(E) published in Gazette of India dated 25th July, 2005, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.

- (viii) S.O.1841(E) published in Gazette of India dated 29th December, 2005, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (ix) S.O.794(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st April, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (x) S.O.1214(E) published in Gazette of India dated 26th May, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xi) S.O.1511(E) published in Gazette of India dated 23rd June, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xii) S.O.2303(E) published in Gazette of India dated 29th September, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xiii) S.O.2595(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4th November, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xiv) S.O.2745(E) published in Gazette of India dated 26th November, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xv) S.O.188(E) published in Gazette of India dated 16th January, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xvi) S.O.388(E) published in Gazette of India dated 2nd February, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.

- (xvii) S.O.802(E) published in Gazette of India dated 23rd March, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xviii) S.O.976(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th April, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xix) S.O.2148(E) published in Gazette of India dated 21st August, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xx) S.O.2463(E) published in Gazette of India dated 26th September, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.976(E) dated 20th April, 2009.
- (xxi) S.O.351(E) published in Gazette of India dated 11th February, 2013, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.655(E) dated 9th July, 2001.
- (xxii) S.O.802(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th August, 2001, relating to prohibition of import of animals and animal products from countries where diseases belonging to the Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathy (TSE) group of diseases.
- (xxiii) S.O.522(E) published in Gazette of India dated 25th July, 2002, relating to health animal certificates for importation of equines into the country.
- (xxiv) S.O.126(E) published in Gazette of India dated 28th January, 2004, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.

- (xxv) S.O.155(E) published in Gazette of India dated 3rd February, 2004, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxvi) S.O.800(E) published in Gazette of India dated 7th July, 2004, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O. 155(E) dated 3rd February, 2004.
- (xxvii) S.O.899(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th August, 2004, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxviii) S.O.175(E) published in Gazette of India dated 7th February, 2005, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxix) S.O.1104(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th August, 2005, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxx) S.O.1112(E) published in Gazette of India dated 9th August, 2005, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1104(E) dated 6th August, 2005.
- (xxxii) The Pet Food Products of Animal Origin (Import into India) Order, 2005 published in Notification No. S.O.1842(E) in Gazette of India dated 29th December, 2005.

- (xxxii) S.O.10(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4th January, 2006, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1842(E) dated 29th December, 2005.
- (xxxiii) S.O.160(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th February, 2006, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxxiv) S.O.1256(E) published in Gazette of India dated 3rd August, 2006, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.160(E) dated 6th February, 2006.
- (xxxv) S.O.102(E) published in Gazette of India dated 2nd February, 2007, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxxvi) S.O.367(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14th March, 2007, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.102(E) dated 2nd February, 2007.
- (xxxvii) S.O.881(E) published in Gazette of India dated 5th June, 2007, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.102(E) dated 2nd February, 2007.
- (xxxviii) S.O.1311(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st August, 2007, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds and its products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xxxix) S.O.1859(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st November, 2007, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1311(E) dated 1st August, 2007.

- (xl) S.O.1496(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th September, 2007, relating to procedure and conditions to regulate the import of bovine semen into the country.
- (xli) S.O.1318(E) published in Gazette of India dated 22nd May, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1496(E) dated 6th September, 2007.
- (xlii) S.O.228(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st February, 2008, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (xliii) S.O.1218(E) published in Gazette of India dated 26th May, 2008, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.228(E) dated 1st February, 2008.
- (xliv) The Pet Food Products of Animal Origin (Import into India) Order, 2005 published in Notification No. S.O.1086(E) in Gazette of India dated 5th May, 2008.
- (xlv) S.O.1500(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th June, 2008, relating to import of Specific Pathogen Free Eggs (Chicken Eggs and Duck Eggs) into the country as per the laid down conditions.
- (xlvi) S.O.3485(E) published in Gazette of India dated 17th July, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1500(E) dated 20th June, 2008.
- (xlvii) S.O.2482(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th October, 2008, relating to the guidelines regulating the method of operation of aquatic quarantine for the import of *Litopenaeus vannamei* into India.

- (xlviii) S.O.2213(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st September, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2482(E) dated 20th October, 2008.
- (xlix) S.O.783(E) published in Gazette of India dated 25th April, 2011, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2482(E) dated 20th October, 2008.
- (l) S.O.1392(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th June, 2012, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2482(E) dated 20th October, 2008.
- (li) S.O.2284(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st July, 2016, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2482(E) dated 20th October, 2008.
- (lii) S.O.419(E) published in Gazette of India dated 9th February, 2009, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (liii) S.O.238(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th April, 2009, relating to veterinary certificate for importation of equines into the country.
- (liv) S.O.294(E) published in Gazette of India dated 30th April, 2009, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.238(E) dated 6th April, 2009.
- (lv) S.O.1825(E) published in Gazette of India dated 24th July, 2009, relating to veterinary certificate for regulating the import of raw, salted, pickled, limed and dried skins and hides into India.
- (lvi) S.O.2208(E) published in Gazette of India dated 31st August, 2009, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live

pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.

- (lvii) S.O.616(E) published in Gazette of India dated 19th March, 2010, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (lviii) S.O.389(E) published in Gazette of India dated 7th May, 2010, relating to veterinary certificate for importation of equines into the country.
- (lix) S.O.2976(E) published in Gazette of India dated 18th December, 2010, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (lx) S.O.1663(E) published in Gazette of India dated 20th July, 2011, relating to prohibition of import of domestic and wild birds, live pigs and their products into the country due to reported outbreak of Avian Influenza.
- (lxi) S.O.752(E) published in Gazette of India dated 8th October, 2012, relating to veterinary certificate for importation of equines into the country.
- (lxii) S.O.185(E) published in Gazette of India dated 21st March, 2013, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.752(E) dated 8th October, 2012.
- (lxiii) S.O.1495(E) published in Gazette of India dated 11th June, 2014, relating to the procedure for import of "Live-stock", fulfilment of the sanitary conditions as specified in veterinary health certificate and the quarantine of live-stock wherever required.

- (lxiv) S.O.4025(E) published in Gazette of India dated 6th November, 2020, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1495(E) dated 11th June, 2014.
- (lxv) S.O.2825(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14th July, 2021, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1495(E) dated 11th June, 2014.
- (lxvi) S.O.489(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4th February, 2022, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1495(E) dated 11th June, 2014.
- (lxvii) S.O.1496(E) published in Gazette of India dated 11th June, 2014, relating to notifying that "Live-stock" shall include all equines (all live equine irrespective of purpose including donkey, horses, mule, assess, hinnies), bovines (all bovine animals including cattle, buffaloes, bullocks or any animals falling in the category of bovidae), caprines, ovines, swines, canines, felines, avian (all avian species except the birds prohibited for import by any law of India and international including poultry), laboratory animals (all laboratory animals such as rats, mice, rabbit, guinea-pig, hamsters and any other animals used in laboratory) and aquatic animals (live fishes, live crustaceans and molluscs).
- (lxviii) S.O.2666(E) published in Gazette of India dated 17th October, 2014, relating to notifying the "Live-stock products" and procedure for the issue of Sanitary Import Permit for import of such products.
- (lxix) S.O.3356(E) published in Gazette of India dated 11th December, 2015, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.

- (lxx) S.O.2640(E) published in Gazette of India dated 5th August, 2016, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxi) S.O.3112(E) published in Gazette of India dated 1st October, 2016, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014, together with a corrigendum thereto published in Notification No. S.O.3349(E) dated 29th October, 2016.
- (lxxii) S.O.948(E) published in Gazette of India dated 24th March, 2017, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxiii) S.O.2486(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4th August, 2017, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxiv) S.O.5758(E) published in Gazette of India dated 16th November, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxv) S.O.2679(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10th August, 2020, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxvi) S.O.4559(E) published in Gazette of India dated 16th December, 2020, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.
- (lxxvii) S.O.4953(E) published in Gazette of India dated 2nd December, 2021, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2666(E) dated 17th October, 2014.

- (lxxviii) S.O.2655(E) published in Gazette of India dated 28th September, 2015, relating to regulation of import of live bovine animals into India as per the laid down manner.
- (lxxix) S.O.1355(E) published in Gazette of India dated 25th March, 2021, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2655(E) dated 28th September, 2015.
- (lxxx) S.O.2656(E) published in Gazette of India dated 28th September, 2015, relating to regulation of import of in vivo bovine embryos into India as per the laid down manner.
- (lxxxii) S.O.2657(E) published in Gazette of India dated 28th September, 2015, relating to regulation of import of in vivo bovine embryos into India as per the laid down manner.
- (lxxxiii) S.O.2337(E) published in Gazette of India dated 8th July, 2016, relating to the import of poultry and poultry products taking into consideration the requirements under the World Trade Organization Agreement on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures and the Tefor Animal Health.
- (lxxxiv) S.O.2998(E) published in Gazette of India dated 19th September, 2016, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2337(E) dated 8th July, 2016.
- (lxxxv) S.O.510(E) published in Gazette of India dated 17th February, 2017, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.2337(E) dated 8th July, 2016.
- (lxxxvi) S.O.4118(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14th November, 2019, relating to import of poultry and poultry products in accordance with the provisions and the product-specific

recommendations related to avian influenza in the Terrestrial Animal Health Code of World Organization for Animal Health.

(lxxxvi) S.O.3926(E) published in Gazette of India dated 22nd September, 2021, relating to notify the veterinary health certificate requirements for dog and cat food products (containing animal origin material) imported into India.

(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 each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (2) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

(i) Statement regarding Review by the Government of the working of the Chandigarh Industrial and Tourism Development Corporation Limited, Chandigarh, for the year 2019-2020.

(ii) Annual Report of the Chandigarh Industrial and Tourism Development Corporation Limited, Chandigarh, for the year 2019-2020, 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 (1) above.

(3) A copy of the Chandigarh Administration Private Security Agencies Rules, 2021 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.776(E) in Chandigarh Administration Gazette of India dated 10th June, 2021 issued under sub-section (4) of Section 25 of the Private Security Agencies (Regulation) Act, 2005.

- (4) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (3) above.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Dr. Bhagwat Kishanrao Karad) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Pankaj Chaudhary) laid on the Table:-

- (i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Railways) (Report No. 22 of 2021)-(Compliance Audit) for the year ended March, 2020.
 - (ii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Report No. 24 of 2021)(Performance Audit) on Functioning of Unique Identification Authority of India, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology.
 - (iii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Report No. 21 of 2021) (Performance Audit) - (Defence Services-Army) on Selection and Training of Officers in Indian Army.
 - (iv) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Civil)(Report No. 23 of 2021)-Performance Audit of Indo-Nepal Border Road Project, Ministry of Home Affairs.
- (2) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions):-
- (i) Union Government-Appropriation Accounts of Defence Services for the year 2020-2021.
 - (ii) Union Government-Appropriation Accounts-Postal Services for the year 2020-2021.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare (Shri Kailash Choudhary) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the

Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, together with Audit Report thereon.

- (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government on the Audited Accounts of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, for the year 2021-2022.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Indian Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, for the year 2021-2022.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Cooperation (Shri B. L. Verma) laid on the Table a copy of the National Cooperative Development Corporation (Amendment) Rules, 2022 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.42(E) in Gazette of India dated 24th January, 2022 under sub-section (3) of Section 22 of the National Cooperative Development Corporation Act, 1962.

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Sushri Pratima Bhoumik) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the

Government of the working of the Rehabilitation Council of India,
New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.

- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Office of the Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, New Delhi, for the years 2018-2019 and 2019-2020.
 - (ii) A copy of the Explanatory Memorandum (Hindi and English versions) on the Annual Report of the Office of the Chief Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, New Delhi, for the years 2018-2019 and 2019-2020.
- (4) Two statements (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (3) above.
- (5)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (Divyangjan), Kolkata, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (Divyangjan), Kolkata, for the year 2020-2021.
- (6) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (5) above.
- (7)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Indian Sign Language Research and Training Center, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Indian Sign Language Research and Training Center, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.

- (8) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (7) above.
- (9) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research, Cuttack, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research, Cuttack, for the year 2020-2021.
- (10) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (9) above.
- (11) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (Divyangjan), Dehradun, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (Divyangjan), Dehradun, for the year 2020-2021.
- (12) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (11) above.
- (13) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Ali Yavar Jung National Institute of Speech and Hearing Disabilities, Mumbai, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Ali Yavar Jung National Institute of Speech and Hearing Disabilities, Mumbai, for the year 2020-2021.

- (14) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (13) above.
- (15) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (Divyangjan), Chennai, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (Divyangjan), Chennai, for the year 2020-2021.
- (16) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (15) above.
- (17) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Indian Spinal Injuries Centre, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Indian Spinal Injuries Centre, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.
- (18) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (17) above.
- (19) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Visual Disabilities (Divyangjan), Dehradun, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Visual Disabilities (Divyangjan),

Dehradun, for the year 2020-2021.

- (20) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (19) above.
- (21) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Mental Health Rehabilitation, Sehore, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute of Mental Health Rehabilitation, Sehore, for the year 2020-2021.
- (22) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (21) above.
- (23) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya National Institute for persons with Physical Disabilities (Divyangjan), New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya National Institute for persons with Physical Disabilities (Divyangjan), New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.
- (24) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (23) above.
- (25) A copy of the Memorandum of Understanding (Hindi and English versions) between the National Handicapped Finance and Development Corporation and the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, for the year 2021-2022.

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 Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (Dr. L. Murugan) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021, alongwith Audited Accounts.
- (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi, for the year 2020-2021.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

4. Reports of Public Accounts Committee

Shri Subhash Chandra Baheria presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Public Accounts Committee (2021-22):-

- (1) Forty-eighth Report on 'Levy of Anti-Dumping Duty on Imports'.
- (2) Forty-ninth Report on 'Assessments relating to Agricultural income'.
- (3) Fiftieth Report on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations of the Public Accounts Committee contained in their 24th Report (17th Lok Sabha) on 'Excesses Over Voted Grants and Charged Appropriations (2017-18)'.

5. Report of Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House

Shri Ramshiromani Verma presented the Seventh Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House.

6. Report of Standing Committee on Labour, Textiles and Skill Development

Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab presented the Thirty-third Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Labour, Textiles and Skill Development on 'Implementation of National Apprenticeship Promotion Scheme (NAPS)/National Apprenticeship Training Scheme (NATS)'.

7. Statement by Minister

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 Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Rural Development (Sadhvi Niranjana Jyoti) laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 16th Report of the Standing Committee on Rural Development and Panchayati Raj on 'Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana-Gramin (PMAY-G)' pertaining to the Department of Rural Development, Ministry of Rural Development.

***12.05 P.M.**

8. Government Bill – Introduced

The Weapons of Mass Destruction and their Delivery Systems (Prohibition of Unlawful Activities) Amendment Bill, 2022

(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 12.12 P.M. and re-assembled at 2.02 P.M.)

*From 12.06 P.M. to 12.12 P.M., Members raised matters of urgent public importance.

2.02 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 Rattan Lal Kattaria regarding need to set up world class sports infrastructure in Ambala parliamentary constituency, Haryana.
- 2) Shri Mukesh Rajput regarding need to equip airstrip at Mohammadabad in Farrukhabad parliamentary constituency, Uttar Pradesh with modern facilities and start flights services from there.
- 3) Shri Tirath Singh Rawat regarding need to restore attachment of coaches from Kotdwara, Uttarakhand with Mussoorie Express.
- 4) Shri Sunil Kumar Soni regarding construction of under bridge/overbridge in Raipur parliamentary constituency, Chhattisgarh.
- 5) Shri Ramdas C. Tadas regarding conversion of railway line into broadgauge in Wardha parliamentary constituency, Maharashtra.
- 6) Shri Naranbhai B. Kachhadiya regarding need to provide houses under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana to all the eligible families in Amreli parliamentary constituency, Gujarat.
- 7) Dr. Sanghamitra Maurya regarding holding Youth Programmes in Uttar Pradesh.
- 8) Shri Mohan Mandavi regarding setting up of a Steel plant in Bastar, Chhattisgarh.
- 9) Shri Jagdambika Pal regarding measures to reduce Maternal Mortality Rate.
- 10) Shri Satyadev Pachauri regarding need to construct houses under PM Awas Yojana on National Textiles Mills Lands in Uttar Pradesh.

- 11) Dr. Dhal Singh Bisen regarding cessation of reservation benefits to people belonging to Scheduled Tribes after their conversion to other religions.
- 12) Shri Ranjeetsinha Hindurao Nimbalkar Naik regarding need to provide funds for construction of canal in Madha Parliamentary constituency, Maharashtra.
- 13) Shri Gopal Chinnaiya Shetty regarding setting up of a National Sports University in Mumbai, Maharashtra.
- 14) Shri Ravneet Singh regarding severe shortage of supply of fertilizers.
- 15) Shri Vijayakumar alias Vijay Vasanth regarding implementation of Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana and Model Fishing village in Kanniyakumari parliamentary constituency.
- 16) Shri K. Muraleedharan regarding inclusion of Thiruvangad Sri Ramaswamy Temple in the PRASAD Scheme.
- 17) Shri A. Ganeshamurthi regarding saving small and medium railway contractors.
- 18) Shri C.N. Annadurai regarding portal of PM Awas Yojana (Rural).
- 19) Shri Bellana Chandra Sekhar regarding increase in NDRF funds for Andhra Pradesh.
- 20) Shri Vinayak B. Raut regarding exempting railway catering services from GST.
- 21) Dr. Alok Kumar Suman regarding inclusion of Gopalganj district, Bihar under Pradhan Mantri Gramin Digital Saksharta Abhiyan.
- 22) Ms. Chandrani Murmu regarding disinvestment of LIC.
- 23) Shri N. K. Premachandran regarding old Pension Scheme.

- 24) Shri Naba Kumar Sarania regarding submission of report of the Committee for demarcation of new boundaries of the Bodoland Territorial Region.
- 25) Smt. Raksha Nikhil Khadse regarding Par-Narmada-Tapi river linking project.

2.03 P.M.

10. Discussion under Rule 193

Time Permissible: 2 Hrs.

Time Taken: 4 Hrs. 45 Mts.

Shri N.K. premachandran raised a discussion on the situation in Ukraine.

The following members took part in the debate:-

1. Shri Manish Tewari
2. Shri Brijendra Singh
3. Dr. T. Sumathy (A) Thamizhachi Thangapandian
4. Shri Sudip Bandyopadhyay
5. #Shri Hardeep Singh Puri
6. Shri Pinaki Misra
7. Dr. Shashi Tharoor
8. Dr. Farooq Abdullaah
9. Shri Shyam Singh Yadav
10. Smt. Supriya Sule
11. %Shri Kiren Rijiju
12. Dr. M.P. Abdussamad Samadani
13. Shri Magunta Sreenivasulu Reddy
14. Shri K. Subbarayan
15. Dr. Shrikant Eknath Shinde
16. \$Shri Jyotiraditya M. Scindia
17. Shri Thomas Chazhikadan

Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas; and Minister of Housing and Urban Affairs

% Minister of Law and Justice

\$ Minister of Civil Aviation

18. Shri Tholkappiyan Thirumaavalavan
19. Prof. Sougata Ray
20. Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab
21. Shri Ritesh Pandey
22. Dr. Nishikant Dubey
23. Shri Jayadev Galla
24. Shri Rebati Tripura
25. Shri Shivkumar Chanabasappa Udasi
26. Shri Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury
27. &General (Retd.) V.K. Singh

The discussion was not concluded.

6.48 P.M.

11. Government Bill – Passed

The Constitution (Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes) Orders (Amendment) Bill, 2022, as passed by Rajya Sabha

Time Allotted : 2 Hrs.

Time Taken : 2 Hrs.

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Shri Arjun Munda.

The following members took part in the debate:-

1. Shri Suresh Kodikunnil
2. Shri Sunil Kumar Singh
3. Dr. DNV Senthilkumar
4. Smt. Pratima Mondal
5. Shri Reddeppa Nallakonda Gari
6. Smt. Aparajita Sarangi
7. Dr. Alok Kumar Suman
8. Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab
9. Shri Rajendra Dhedya Gavit
10. Smt. Sangeeta Azad
11. Shri Bidyut Baran Mahato

& Minister of State in the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways; and
Minister of State in the Ministry of Civil Aviation (General (Retd.) V. K. Singh)

12. Shri Vijay Kumar Hansdak
13. Shri P. Ravindhranath
14. Shri Kani K. Navas
15. Dr. K. Jayakumar
16. Dr. Tholkappiyan Thirumaavalavan
17. Dr. Nishikant Dubey
18. Shri S.S. Ahluwalia

Shri Arjun Munda replied to the debate.

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

Clauses 2 and 3 were 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 Arjun Munda.

The motion was adopted and the Bill, as passed by Rajya Sabha, was passed.

8.48 P.M.

(Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M., Wednesday, the 6th April, 2022.)

UTPAL KUMAR SINGH
Secretary General