LOK SABHA

BULLETIN – PART I

(Brief Record of Proceedings)

Friday, November 29, 2019/Agrahayana 8, 1941(Saka)

No. 47

11.00 A.M.

1. Starred Questions

Starred Question Nos. 161, 162 163–167, 171, 173 were orally answered. Member in whose name Starred Question No. 168 was listed, was absent. However, Minister concerned laid the reply on the Table. Supplementary Question to Starred Question No. 168 was asked by the Member. Replies to Starred Question Nos. 169, 170, 172 and 174–180 were laid on the Table.

2. Unstarred Questions

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos. 1841–2070 were laid on the Table.

12.03 P.M.

3. Papers laid on the Table

The Minister of Women and Child Development; Minister of Textiles (Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani) laid on the Table a copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (1) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-

- (1) Review by the Government of the working of the Cotton Corporation of India Limited, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2018-2019.
- (2) Annual Report of the Cotton Corporation of India Limited, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2018-2019 alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

The Minister of Health and Family Welfare; Minister of Science and Technology; Minister of Earth Sciences (Dr. Harsh Vardhan) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Institute of Life Sciences, Bhubaneswar, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Institute of Life Sciences, Bhubaneswar, for the year 2018-2019.
- (2) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute of Plant Genome Research, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019.
- (3) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development, Imphal, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Institute of Bioresources and Sustainable Development, Imphal, for the year 2018-2019.
- (4) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram, for the year 2018-2019.
 - (ii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram, for the year 2018-2019, together with Audit Report thereon.
 - (iii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Biotechnology, Thiruvananthapuram, for the year 2018-2019.

- (5) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Translational Health Science and Technology Institute, Faridabad, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Translational Health Science and Technology Institute, Faridabad, for the year 2018-2019.
- (6) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Centre for Cell Science, Pune, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Centre for Cell Science, Pune, for the year 2018-2019.
- (7) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute, Mohali, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute, Mohali, for the year 2018-2019.
- (8) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Centre of Innovative and Applied Bioprocessing, Mohali, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Centre of Innovative and Applied Bioprocessing, Mohali, for the year 2018-2019.
- (9) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Brain Research Centre, Manesar, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Brain Research Centre, Manesar, for the year 2018-2019.

- (10) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Animal Biotechnology, Hyderabad, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute of Animal Biotechnology, Hyderabad, for the year 2018-2019.
- (11) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics, Hyderabad, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Centre for DNA Fingerprinting and Diagnostics, Hyderabad, for the year 2018-2019.
- (12) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Kalyani, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute of Biomedical Genomics, Kalyani, for the year 2018-2019.
- (13) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine, Bangalore, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Institute for Stem Cell Science and Regenerative Medicine, Bangalore, for the year 2018-2019.
- (14) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Institute of Immunology, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019.

- (15) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) Statement regarding Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019.
- (16) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (1) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-
 - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Indian Vaccines Corporation Limited, Gurugram, for the year 2018-2019.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Indian Vaccines Corporation Limited, Gurugram, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

The Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy (AYUSH); Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence (Shri Shripad Yesso Naik) laid on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Central Council for Research in Siddha, Chennai, for the year 2018-2019.
 - (ii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Central Council for Research in Siddha, Chennai, for the year 2018-2019, together with Audit Report thereon.
 - (iii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Central Council for Research in Siddha, Chennai, for the year 2018-2019.
- (2) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the

Government of the working of the All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.

- (3) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (2) above.
- (4) A copy of the Homoeopathy (Post Graduate Degree Course) M.D. (Hom.) Second Amendment Regulations, 2019 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. 12-11/2010-CCH(Pt.-II)(1) in weekly Gazette of India dated 2nd August, 2019 under sub-section (2) of Section 33 of the Homoeopathy Central Council Act, 1973.

The Minister of Health and Family Welfare; Minister of Science and Technology; Minister of Earth Sciences (Dr. Harsh Vardhan) on behalf of the Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (Shri Ashwini Kumar Choubey) laid on the Table:-

- (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Pharmacy Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 2018-2019.
- (2) A copy each of the following Annual Reports (Hindi and English versions) for the year 2018-2019 alongwith Audited Accounts in respect of the following centres:-
 - (i) Population Research Centre (Department of Statistics, Maharaja Syajirao University of Baroda), Vadodara.
 - (ii) Population Research Centre (Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development), Chandigarh.
 - (iii) Population Research Centre (JSS Institute of Economic Research), Dharwad.
 - (iv) Population Research Centre (Gauhati University), Guwahati.
 - (v) Population Research Centre (Department of Statistics, Patna University), Patna.

- (vi) Population Research Centre, (Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics), Pune.
- (vii) Population Research Centre (Himachal Pradesh University), Shimla.
- (viii) Population Research Centre (University of Kashmir), Srinagar
- (ix) Population Research Centre (University of Kerala),
 Thiruvananthapuram.
- (x) Population Research Centre (Andhra University), Visakhapatnam.

4. Message from Rajya Sabha

Secretary-General reported a message from Rajya Sabha that at its sitting held on the 28th November, 2019, Rajya Sabha agreed without any amendment to the Chit Funds (Amendment) Bill, 2019, as passed by the Lok Sabha.

5. Leave of Absence from the Sittings of the House

The following members were granted leave of absence from the sittings of the House for the period mentioned against each :-

| (1) | Smt. Himadri Singh | 17.06.2019 to 26.07.2019 |
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| (2) | Shri Deepak Adhikari (Dev) | 20.06.2019 to 13.07.2019 |
| (3) | Shri Atul Kumar Singh <i>alias</i> Atul Rai | 17.06.2019 to 6.08.2019 and 18.11.2019 to 25.11.2019 |
| (4) | Shri Jayant Sinha | 22.11.2019 to 13.12.2019 |
| (5) | Shri Bidyut Baran Mahato | 25.11.2019 to 13.12.2019 |

6. Reports of Standing Committee on Labour

Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Labour:-

- (1) First Report on 'Demands for Grants (2019-20)' of the Ministry of Labour & Employment.
- (2) Second Report on 'Demands for Grants (2019-20)' of the Ministry of Textiles.
- (3) Third Report on 'Demands for Grants (2019-20)' of the Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship.

7. Statement by Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs made a statement regarding Government Business during the week commencing the 2^{nd} December, 2019.

8. Motion for election to the Governing Council of Indian Council of Medical Research

Dr. Harsh Vardhan moved the following motion:-

"That in pursuance of rules 1(xxiv) and 15(ii) of the Rules and Regulations of the Indian Council of Medical Research, 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 Governing Council of Indian Council of Medical Research, subject to the other provisions of the said Rules and Regulations."

The motion was adopted.

9. Government Bill – Introduced

The Arms (Amendment) Bill, 2019

#12.13 P.M.

10. Submission by Members

Following a number of members, raising the issue of remarks made by a member in the House glorifying the assassin of the Father of the Nation, *Shri Pralhad Joshi responded.

The Speaker also made an observation* on the issue.

^{\$}Thereafter, Sadhvi Pragya Thakur expressed her regret.

(Lok Sabha adjourned at 1.05 P.M. and re-assembled at 2.33 P.M.)

^{*}From 12.13 P.M. to 1.05 P.M., Members raised matters of urgent public importance.

[%]Minister of Parliamentary Affairs

^{*} At 12.23 P.M. Original in Hindi. For details, please see the debate for the day.

^{\$}At 2.55 P.M.

*2.36 P.M.

11. Observation by the Speaker

The Speaker observed that Private Members' Resolution may be taken up at 16.30 Hrs. before that matters of urgent public importance may be taken up.

The following members made submission on the observation made by the Speaker:-

- 1. Shri Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury
- 2. Shri Bhartruhari Mahtab
- 3. Shri N.K. Premachandran
- 4. Shri Sudip Bandyopadhyay
- 5. Shri Vinod Kumar Sonkar
- 6. Shri Rajiv Ranjan (Lalan) Singh
- 7. Dr. Sanjay Jaiswal
- 8. Shri Hanuman Beniwal
- 9. Smt. Kanimozhi Karunanidhi
- 10. Shri Raghu Ramakrishna Raju Kanumuru
- 11. Shri Shyam Singh Yadav
- 12. Shri Anubhav Mohanty
- 13. Shri Gaurav Gogoi
- 14. Dr. Satya Pal Singh

Thereafter, the Speaker observed that the matters of urgent public importance may be extended till 1600 hrs.

^{*}From 2.33 P.M. to 2.36 P.M. and from 2.57 P.M. to 4.35 P.M., Members raised matters of urgent public importance.

4.35 P.M.

12. Private Members' Resolution –Under Consideration

Further discussion on the following resolution moved by Shri Kunwar Pushpendra Singh Chandel on the 21st June, 2019:-

"Having regard to the fact that due to scarcity of water and unavailability of fodder for cattle in the Bundelkhand region of the State of Uttar Pradesh, the people of the region are forced to leave their cows to graze in the open, which is popularly known as 'Anna Pratha', and which causes damage to the standing crops, this House urges upon the Government to take steps to construct a network of canals from the proposed Ken-Betwa river-linking project in order to inter-connect and replenish the dams and ponds to overcome the problem of water scarcity and practice of Anna Pratha in the region."

The following members took part in the debate:-

- 1. Shri Dushyant Singh
- 2. Shri P.P. Chaudhary
- 3. Shri Bhagirath Chaudhary
- 4. Shri Guman Singh Damor
- 5. Shri Janardan Mishra
- 6. Shri Ritesh Pandey
- 7. Shri Hanuman Beniwal (speech unfinished)

The discussion was not concluded.

6.01 P.M.

(Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M., Monday, the 2nd December, 2019.)

SNEHLATA SHRIVASTAVA Secretary General