

# LOK SABHA

## BULLETIN – PART I (Brief Record of Proceedings)

Thursday, December 20, 2018/Agrahayana 29, 1940 (Saka)

No.312

**11.00 A.M.**

### **1. Starred Questions**

Starred Question No. 141 was orally answered.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 11.09 A.M.  
and re-assembled at 12.00 Noon)*

Replies to Starred Question Nos. 142–160 were laid on the Table.

### **2. Unstarred Questions**

Replies to Unstarred Question Nos.1611–1840 were laid on the Table.

**12.00 Noon**

### **3. Papers laid on the Table**

The following papers were laid on the Table:-

(1) A copy of the Memorandum of Understanding (Hindi and English versions) between the Broadcast Engineering Consultants India Limited and the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting for the year 2018-2019.

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

- (a) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.

- (ii) Annual Report of the Power Grid Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (b)
  - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the SJVN Limited, Shimla, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the SJVN Limited, Shimla, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (c)
  - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the NHPC Limited, Faridabad, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the NHPC Limited, Faridabad, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (d)
  - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the NHDC Limited, Bhopal, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the NHDC Limited, Bhopal, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (e)
  - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Limited, Shillong, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Limited, Shillong, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (f)
  - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the THDC India Limited, Rishikesh, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the THDC India Limited, Rishikesh, for the year

2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (3) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Institute of Wind Energy, Chennai, 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 National Institute of Wind Energy, Chennai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (4) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Central Electricity Regulatory Commission, 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 Central Electricity Regulatory Commission, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (5) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (1) of Section 59 of the Energy Conservation Act, 2001:-
- (i) The Energy Conservation (Energy Consumption Norms and Standards for Designated Consumers, Form, Time within which, and Manner of Preparation and Implementation of Scheme, Procedure for Issue of Energy Savings Certificate and Value of Per Metric Ton of Oil Equivalent of Energy Consumed) Amendment Rules, 2016 published in Notification No. G.S.R.373(E) in Gazette of India dated 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2016.
- (ii) The Energy Conservation (the form and manner for submission of report on the status of energy consumption by the designated consumers) Amendment Rules, 2015 published in Notification No. G.S.R.891(E) in Gazette of India dated 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2015.
- (iii) The Energy Conservation (Energy Consumption Norms, Form, Time within which, and Manner of Preparation and Implementation of Scheme, Procedure for Issue of Energy Savings Certificate and Value of Per Metric Ton of Oil

Equivalent of Energy Consumed) Amendment Rules, 2015 published in Notification No. G.S.R.528(E) in Gazette of India dated 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2015.

- (iv) The Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Particulars and Manner of their Display on Labels of Stationary Storage Type Electric Water Heater) Regulations, 2016 published in Notification No. BEE/S&L/Water Heater/3/2015-16 in Gazette of India dated 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2016.
  - (v) The Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Particulars and Manner of their Display on Labels of Household Direct Cool Refrigerators) Regulations, 2016 published in Notification No. BEE/S&L/Ref/70/2016-17 in Gazette of India dated 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2016.
  - (vi) The Bureau of Energy Efficiency (Particulars and Manner of their Display on Labels of Colour Televisions) Regulations, 2016 published in Notification No. BEE/S&L/CTV/02/2016-17 in Gazette of India dated 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2016.
- (6) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (5) above.
- (7) 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 Hooghly Dock and Port Engineers Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) Annual Report of the Hooghly Dock and Port Engineers Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (8) (i) A copy of the Annual Administration Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Paradip Port Trust, Paradip, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Paradip Port Trust, Paradip, for the year 2017-2018.
- (iii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the

Paradip Port Trust, Paradip, for the year 2017-2018, together with Audit Report thereon.

- (iv) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) on the Audited Accounts of the Paradip Port Trust, Paradip, for the year 2017-2018.
- (9)
- (i) A copy of the Annual Administration Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Mumbai Port Trust, Pension Fund Trust, Mumbai, 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 Mumbai Port Trust, Pension Fund Trust, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (10)
- (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Seamen's Provident Fund Organisation, Mumbai, 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 Seamen's Provident Fund Organisation, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (11) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Tariff Authority for Major Ports, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018, together with Audit Report thereon.
- (12)
- (i) A copy of the Annual Administration Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
  - (iii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018, together with Audit Report thereon.

- (iv) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) on the Audited Accounts of the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (13) (i) A copy of the Annual Administration Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam, for the year 2017-2018.
- (iii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam, for the year 2017-2018, together with Audit Report thereon.
- (iv) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) on the Audited Accounts of the Visakhapatnam Port Trust, Visakhapatnam, for the year 2017-2018.
- (14) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (4) of Section 124 of the Major Port Trusts Act, 1963:-
  - (i) G.S.R.715(E) published in Gazette of India dated 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018, approving the Mormugao Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
  - (ii) G.S.R.776(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, approving the Mumbai Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
  - (iii) G.S.R.777(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, approving the New Mangalore Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
  - (iv) G.S.R.778(E) published in Gazette of India dated 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, approving the Chennai Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.

- (v) G.S.R.835(E) published in Gazette of India dated 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, approving the Cochin Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (vi) G.S.R.849(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, containing corrigendum to the Notification No. G.S.R.687(E) dated 15<sup>th</sup> October, 2013.
- (vii) G.S.R.850(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, approving the Tuticorin Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (viii) G.S.R.851(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, approving the Kolkata Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (ix) G.S.R.852(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, approving the Kandla Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (x) G.S.R.970(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, approving the Mormugao Port Trust Employees (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (xi) G.S.R.971(E) published in Gazette of India dated 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, containing corrigendum to the Notification No. G.S.R.77(E) dated 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2009.
- (xii) G.S.R.1013(E) published in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, approving the Vishakhapatnam Port Trust Employees' (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (xiii) G.S.R.1077(E) published in Gazette of India dated 30<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, containing corrigendum to the Notification No. G.S.R.715(E) dated 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.

- (xiv) G.S.R.1100(E) published in Gazette of India dated 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2018, approving the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Trust Employees' (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (xv) G.S.R.1101(E) published in Gazette of India dated 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2018, approving the Visakhapatnam Port Trust Employees' (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (xvi) G.S.R.1102(E) published in Gazette of India dated 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2018, approving the Paradip Port Trust Employees' (Recruitment, Seniority and Promotion) Amendment Regulations, 2018.
- (15) (i) A copy of the Annual Administration Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Mumbai Port Trust, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Mumbai Port Trust, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (iii) A copy of the Annual Accounts (Hindi and English versions) of the Mumbai Port Trust, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018, together with Audit Report thereon.
- (iv) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) on the Audited Accounts of the Mumbai Port Trust, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (16) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Institute of Rural Management Anand, Anand, 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 Institute of Rural Management Anand, Anand, for the year 2017-2018.
- (17) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation, 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 Bharat Rural Livelihoods Foundation, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.

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

- (a) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Braithwaite and Company Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Braithwaite and Company Limited, Kolkata, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (b) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the RITES Limited, Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the RITES Limited, Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (c) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the IRCON International Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the IRCON International Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (d) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Container Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Container Corporation of India Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (e) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Konkan Railway Corporation Limited, Navi Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Konkan Railway Corporation Limited, Navi

Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (f) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Mumbai Railway Vikas Corporation Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Mumbai Railway Vikas Corporation Limited, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (g) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the National High Speed Rail Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the National High Speed Rail Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (h) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of the Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (i) (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Madhepura Electric Locomotive Private Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (ii) Annual Report of Madhepura Electric Locomotive Private Limited, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.
- (19) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under Section 199 of the Railways Act, 1989:-
- (i) The Dedicated Freight Corridor Railway General Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.765(E) in Gazette of India dated 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.

- (ii) The Railways (Opening for Public Carriage of Passengers) Amendment Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.945(E) in Gazette of India dated 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2018.
- (20) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of Section 30 of the Railway Claims Tribunal Act, 1987:-
- (i) The Railway Claims Tribunal (Salaries and Allowances and Conditions of Services of Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Members) Amendment Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.1086(E) in Gazette of India dated 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2018.
- (ii) The Railway Claims Tribunal (Procedure) Second Amendment Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.1136(E) in Gazette of India dated 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2018.
- (iii) The Railway Claims Tribunal (Procedure) Amendment Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.816(E) in Gazette of India dated 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.
- (21) A copy of the Railway Protection Force (Second Amendment) Rules, 2018 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.1067(E) in Gazette of India dated 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2018 under sub-section (3) of Section 21 of the Railway Protection Force Act, 1957.
- (22) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (2) of Section 394 of the Companies Act, 2013:-
- (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Andhra Pradesh State Irrigation Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad, for the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016.
- (ii) Annual Reports of the Andhra Pradesh State Irrigation Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad, for the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (23) Two statements (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (22) above.
- (24) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Cotton Textiles Export Promotion Council, Mumbai, 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 Cotton Textiles Export Promotion Council, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (25) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Apparel Export Promotion Council, 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 Apparel Export Promotion Council, New Delhi, for the year 2017-2018.
- (26) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Synthetic and Art Silk Mills' Research Association, Mumbai, 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 Synthetic and Art Silk Mills' Research Association, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.
- (27) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Northern India Textile Research Association, Ghaziabad, 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 Northern India Textile Research Association, Ghaziabad, for the year 2017-2018.
- (28) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Man-Made Textiles Research Association, Surat, 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 Man-Made Textiles Research Association, Surat, for the year 2017-2018.

(29) A copy of the National Institute of Fashion Technology Ordinances, 2017 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. F. No. 1205(I)/NIFT/Estt./HO/Ordinances/2017 in Gazette of India dated 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 under sub-section (1) of Section 27 National Institute of Fashion Technology Act, 2006.

- (30) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (29) above.

- (31) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Bombay Textile Research Association, Mumbai, 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 Bombay Textile Research Association, Mumbai, for the year 2017-2018.

- (32) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the South India Textile Research Association, Coimbatore, 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 South India Textile Research Association, Coimbatore, for the year 2017-2018.

(33) A copy of the Notification No. S.O.4999(E) (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India dated 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 nominating Dr. Shakuntla Devi, Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Textiles, Government of India to serve as Member of the Central Silk Board for a period till she continues Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Textiles or three years, whichever is earlier from the date of this notification subject to the provisions of the Act issued under sub-section (3) of Section 4 of the Central Silk Board Act, 1948.

(34) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under Section 10 of the National Highways Act, 1956:-

- (i) S.O.3991(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.8B (Porbandar to Jetpur Section)in the State of Gujarat.
- (ii) S.O.3992(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.16 (Old NH 5) (Icchapuram to Narsannapeta Section) in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
- (iii) S.O.3993(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No. No.16 (Old NH 5) (Diwancheruvu to Siddhantham Section) in the State of Andhra Pradesh.
- (iv) S.O.3994(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 16<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.5 (Puintola to Icchapuram Section) in the State of Andhra Pradesh and Odisha.
- (v) S.O.4259(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.65 (Salasar-Nagaur Section) in the State of Rajasthan.
- (vi) S.O.4358(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.27 (Chittorgarh-Kota Section) in the State of Rajasthan.
- (vii) S.O.4969(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.7 (Chappra-Rewaghat-Muzaffarpur Section) in the State of Bihar.
- (viii) S.O.4970(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.148D (Gulabpura to Uniara Section Section) in the State of Rajasthan.

- (ix) S.O.5154(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.11A (New NH 148) (Manoharpur-Dausa Section) in the State of Rajasthan.
- (x) S.O.5155(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.15 (Phalodi-Jaisalmer Section) in the State of Rajasthan.
- (xi) S.O.5156(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.3991(E) dated 16.08.2018.
- (xii) S.O.5420(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, regarding rates of fees to be recovered from the users of National Highway No.73 (New NH 344) (UP/Haryana Border-Yamunanagar-Saha-Barwala-Panchkula Section) in the State of Haryana.

(35) A copy of the National Highways Fee (Determination of Rates and Collection) Amendment Rules, 2018 (Hindi and English versions) published in Notification No. G.S.R.920(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 under sub-section (3) of Section 9 of the National Highways Act, 1956.

(36) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (4) of Section 212 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988:-

- (i) S.O.558(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 9<sup>th</sup> February, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1248(E) dated 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2004.
- (ii) S.O.1522(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1997(E) dated 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2014.
- (iii) S.O.1596(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.728(E) dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 1996.

- (iv) S.O.2022(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> May, 2018, making certain amendments in the notifications, mentioned therein.
- (v) S.O.2210(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1365(E) dated 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2004.
- (vi) S.O.2211(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1365(E) dated 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2004.
- (vii) S.O.3467(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.728(E) dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 1996.
- (viii) S.O.3881(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.3467(E) dated 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.
- (ix) The Central Motor Vehicles (10<sup>th</sup> Amendment) Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.749(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2018.
- (x) The Central Motor Vehicles (Eleventh Amendment) Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.870(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.
- (xi) The Central Motor Vehicles (12<sup>th</sup> Amendment) Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.871(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.
- (xii) The Central Motor Vehicles (Thirteenth Amendment) Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.931(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.
- (xiii) The Central Motor Vehicles (Regulation of Petroleum products supply to bottling plant in Tripura from Bangladesh) Rules, 2018 published in



Notification No. G.S.R.1038(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 17<sup>th</sup> October, 2018.

(xiv) The Motor Vehicles (Vehicle Location Tracking Device and Emergency Button) Order, 2018 published in Notification No. S.O.5453(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2018.

(xv) S.O.5333(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, regarding the provisions of sub-section (1) of Section 66 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 shall not apply to the types of transport vehicles, mentioned therein, used or to be used for the purpose of carriage of goods or passengers.

(xvi) S.O.5454(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2018, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O.1663(E) dated 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2018.

(xvii) The Central Motor Vehicles (Fourteenth Amendment) Rules, 2018 published in Notification No. G.S.R.1081(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2018.

(37) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (36) above.

(38) (i) A copy of the Proclamation (Hindi and English versions) dated 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 issued by the President under article 356 of the Constitution in relation to the State of Jammu and Kashmir published in Notification No. G.S.R.1223(E) in Gazette of India dated the 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 under article 356(3) of the Constitution.

(ii) A copy of the Order (Hindi and English versions) dated 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018 made by the President in pursuance of sub-clause (i) of clause(c) of the above proclamation published in Notification No. G.S.R.1224(E) in Gazette of India dated the 19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018.

(39) A copy of the Report (Hindi and English versions) dated the 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2018 of the Governor of Jammu and Kashmir.

#### **4. Reports of Committee on Public Undertakings**

Shri Shanta Kumar presented the following Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Public Undertakings:-

- (1) Twenty-fourth Report on 'Review of Loss Making CPSUs'.
- (2) Twenty-fifth Report on action taken by the Government on the Observations / Recommendations contained in the Nineteenth Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) on 'National Highways Authority of India Limited (NHAI)'.

#### **5. Statements of Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes**

Dr. Kirit Premjibhai Solanki laid on the Table the Final Action Taken Statement (Hindi and English versions) of the Government on the recommendations contained in Chapter I of the Nineteenth Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes regarding Action Taken by the Government on the Seventh Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) on 'Reservation for and Employment of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in Central Board of Excise and Customs (CBEC)'.

#### **6. Statements of Standing Committee on Coal And Steel**

Shri Janardan Singh 'Sigiwal' laid on the Table the following Statements (Hindi and English versions) showing Action Taken by the Government in respect of observations/ recommendations contained in Chapters I and V of Reports of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel:-

- (1) 43<sup>rd</sup> Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel on action taken by the Government on the Recommendations contained in 37<sup>th</sup> Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) on 'Physical and Financial Performance of Steel Authority of India Ltd. and MECON Ltd.' relating to the Ministry of Steel.

- (2) 44<sup>th</sup> Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel on action taken by the Government on the Recommendations contained in 38<sup>th</sup> Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2018-19)' relating to the Ministry of Steel.
- (3) 45<sup>th</sup> Report(16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel on action taken by the Government on the Recommendations contained in 39<sup>th</sup> Report (16<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha) on 'Demands for Grants (2018-19)' relating to the Ministry of Mines.

## **7. Statements of Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment**

Shri Ramesh Bais laid on the Table the following Statements (Hindi and English versions) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment :-

- (1) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Thirty-fifth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2016-17) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in Twenty-seventh Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2016-17) of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Department of Social Justice and Empowerment).
- (2) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Forty-fourth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2016-17) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in Thirty-sixth Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2017-18) of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Department of Social Justice and Empowerment).
- (3) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Forty-fifth Report (Sixteenth

Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2016-17) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in Thirty-seventh Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2017-18) of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities).

- (4) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Fifty-fifth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2017-18) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Forty-eighth Report of the Committee on 'Implementation of Scheme of Assistance to Disabled Persons for Purchase/Fitting of Aids/Appliances (ADIP)' of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities).
- (5) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Fifty-eighth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2017-18) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Fifty-first Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2018-19) of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment (Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities).
- (6) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Forty-sixth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2016-17) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in Thirty-eighth Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2017-18) of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
- (7) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/Recommendations contained in the Fifty-sixth Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment

(2017-18) on Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/ Recommendations contained in the Forty-ninth Report of the Committee on 'Educational Schemes for Tribals' of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

- (8) Statement showing Final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/ Recommendations contained in the Forty-seventh Action Taken Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2016-17) on the Observations/ Recommendations contained in the Thirty-ninth Report on Demands for Grants (2017-18) of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.
- (9) Statement showing final Action Taken by the Government on the Observations/ Recommendations contained in the Sixtieth Action Taken Report (Sixteenth Lok Sabha) of the Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2017-18) on the Observations/ Recommendations contained in the Fifty-third Report on Demands for Grants (2018-19) of the Ministry of Minority Affairs.

## **8. Statements by Ministers**

- (1) The Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports; and Minister of State (Independent Charge) of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 303<sup>rd</sup> and 306<sup>th</sup> Reports of the Standing Committee on Human Resource Development on Demands for Grants (2018-19) pertaining to the Department of Sports, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports.
- (2) The Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways laid a statement (Hindi and English versions) regarding the status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 21<sup>st</sup> Report of the Standing Committee on Railways on 'New Railway Catering Policy 2017' pertaining to the Ministry of Railways.

## **9. Motions regarding extension of the term of Office of Members of the Committee on the Welfare of Other Backward Classes**

Shri Narendra Singh Tomar moved the following motions :-

- (1) That this House do suspend para 3 of the Motion adopted by the House on 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2014 in its application to the Motion for extension of the term of office of the present members of the Committee on the Welfare of Other Backward Classes (2018-19).
- (2) That this House do extend the term of office of the present members of the Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes (2018-19) from Lok Sabha upto the last day of the tenure of the present Lok Sabha.
- (3) That this House do intimate to Rajya Sabha that the term of office of present members of the Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes (2018-19) from Lok Sabha has been extended upto the last day of the tenure of the present Lok Sabha and do agree to extension of the tenure of the present members of Rajya Sabha on the Committee accordingly.

The motion was adopted.

## **10. Supplementary Demands for Grants – 2018-19**

Shri Arun Jaitley presented a statement (Hindi and English versions) showing the Supplementary Demands for Grants - Second Batch for 2018-19.

## **11. Government Bill – Introduced**

*The Companies (Amendment) Bill, 2018*

**\*12.09 P.M.**

## **12. Statement regarding Ordinance – Laid on the Table**

An explanatory Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for immediate legislation by promulgation of the Companies (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 (No.9 of 2018) was laid on the Table.

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 12.14 P.M.  
and re-assembled at 2.01 P.M.)*

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\*From 12.10 P.M. to 12.14 P.M., Members raised matters of urgent public importance.

**2.01 P.M.****13. 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 Sudheer Gupta regarding growing nilgai menace in Mandsaur parliamentary constituency in Madhya Pradesh.
- (2) Shri Laxmi Narayan Yadav regarding need to clean and undertake beautification works of the historical Sagar pond in Sagar parliamentary constituency, Madhya Pradesh.
- (3) Smt. Darshana Vikram Jardosh regarding need to make water recharging and harvesting system mandatory in all the Government offices.
- (4) Smt. Meenakashi Lekhi regarding shaming of farmers in Haryana who defaulted on their loans.
- (5) Shri Gopal Chinayya Shetty regarding need to permit vending activities near railway stations.
- (6) Shri Kapil Moreshwar Patil regarding need to provide stipend to Ayush doctors (Homoeopathy) at par with MBBS doctors during internship.
- (7) Shri Anurag Singh Thakur regarding increasing incidence of non-communicable diseases.
- (8) Shri Kaushal Kishore regarding transfer of women employees of H.A.L. Korwa in Amethi district, Uttar Pradesh.
- (9) Shri Raghav Lakhanpal regarding need to establish a state level University in Saharanpur, Uttar Pradesh.
- (10) Shri Ganesh Singh regarding need to start air services from Satna in Madhya Pradesh.
- (11) Shri Harish Chandra Deoram Chavan regarding need to provide compensation to grape farmers and exporters who suffered huge losses in the year 2010.
- (12) Shri R. Dhruvanarayana regarding implementation of effective policies to curb child marriage.

- (13) Shri Mullappally Ramachandran regarding privatization of Trivandrum International Airport.
- (14) Dr. Thokchom Meinya regarding making Manipur an international tourist destination.
- (15) Shri R.K. Bharathi Mohan regarding railway related issues pertaining to Mayiladuthurai Parliamentary Constituency of Tamil Nadu.
- (16) Shri J.J.T. Natterjee regarding problems of safety match manufacturing units in Kovilpatti, Tamil Nadu.
- (17) Shri Gajanan C. Kirtikar regarding merger of Central Marine Fishing Research Institute with Fisheries University.
- (18) Shri Jai Prakash Narayan Yadav regarding need to start construction of approved Bariyarpur - Banka railway line in Bihar.

## **2.02 P.M.**

### **14. Government Bill – Passed**

*The Consumer Protection Bill, 2018*

Time Taken: 1 Hr. 12 Mts.

Further discussion on the motion for consideration of the Bill moved by Shri Ramvilas Paswan on the 19th December, 2018, continued.

Shri Ramvilas Paswan resumed his speech.

The following members took part in the debate:-

1. Smt. Pratima Mondal
2. Shri Tathagata Satpathy
3. Shri Prahlad Singh Patel
4. Shri Madhukarrao Yashwantrao Kukde
5. Shri Rahul Shewale
6. Shri Mohd. E.T. Basheer
7. Shri P.K. Biju
8. Shri Kaushalendra Kumar
9. Shri Jai Prakash Narayan Yadav
10. Adv. Joice George
11. Shri N.K. Premachandran

Shri Ramvilas Paswan replied to the debate.



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

Clauses 2 to 5 were adopted.

Clauses 6 to 14 were adopted.

Clause 15 was adopted.

Clauses 16 and 17 were adopted.

Clauses 18 to 20 were adopted.

Clauses 21 to 31 were adopted.

Clauses 32 to 71 were adopted.

Clauses 72 to 87 were adopted.

Clauses 88 to 99 were adopted.

Clauses 100 to 107 were adopted.

Clause 1 was adopted.

The Enacting Formula was adopted, as amended.

The Long Title was also adopted.

The motion that the Bill, as amended, be passed was moved by Shri Ramvilas Paswan.

The motion was adopted and the Bill, as amended, was passed.

### **3.11 P.M.**

#### **15. Observation by the Speaker**

The Speaker made the following observation:-

"As requested by several members that Item Nos. 22 and 23 listed in today's Revised List of Business may be taken up on 27th December, 2018. The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs has stated that he has no objection to their postponement. I have acceded to their request to take up the item at serial No. 26."

The House agreed.

**3.18 P.M.****16. Government Bill – Passed**

*The National Trust for Welfare of Persons with Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Mental Retardation and Multiple Disabilities (Amendment) Bill, 2018, as passed by Rajya Sabha*

Time Taken: 07 Mts.

The motion for consideration of the Bill was moved by Shri Thaawar Chand Gehlot.

Smt. Supriya Sadanand Sule took part in debate.

The motion for consideration was adopted and 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 Thaawar Chand Gehlot.

The motion was adopted and the Bill was passed.

**3.25 P.M.**

*(Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned till 11.00 A.M. on Friday, the 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2018.)*

**SNEHLATA SHRIVASTAVA**  
**Secretary General**