LOK SABHA

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(General Information relating to Parliamentary and other matters)

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No.755

PRIDE

"Orientation Programme for the Members of 17th Lok Sabha"

An Orientation Programme for the Members of 17th Lok Sabha is scheduled to be organized by the Parliamentary Research And Training Institute for Democracies (PRIDE) (erstwhile BPST) of the Lok Sabha Secretariat on 21 November 2019 from 9.30 A.M. to 10.30 A.M.

Dr. Shashi Tharoor, MP will address the Members on 'Parliamentary Diplomacy' on 21 November 2019.

Hon'ble Members are requested to make it convenient to attend the Programme at the Main Lecture Hall of PRIDE in Parliament Library Building.

No.756

Audio Visual & Telecasting Unit

Availability of the Video clips of individual speeches of the members in Lok Sabha

Members are informed that a new initiative has been taken by the Hon'ble Speaker under which the video clips of individual speeches of the members delivered in Lok Sabha will be made available to them through their Members' Portal for downloading. Members can access and save the video clips of their individual speeches from the current session.

For any query in this regard, members may kindly contact Tel. No. 011-23034505, 23035347.

Parliament Museum

The hi-tech Parliament Museum depicts the continuum of India's democratic heritage. The story is narrated with the help of walk-through period settings, with sound-light-video-synchronization, large screen interactive computer multi-media and immersive visualization with multi-screen panoramic projection, virtual reality and animatronics. The Museum is equipped with a Resource Centre with a fully computerized textual and visual information bank.

Members are requested to make it convenient to visit the Museum with their families. The Museum, which is located in Hall G-118 (Ground Floor), Parliament Library Building, is open from Monday (during Session period) to Saturday (11:00 AM to 5:00 PM). Members may please contact Telephone Nos. 23035318,23035325 23035326 for further assistance.

Digitisation Unit

Parliament Digital Library

Hon'ble Members are informed that "**Parliament Digital Library**" has been developed which contains Debates from First Lok Sabha to Seventeenth Lok Sabha, that is, from 1952 to 2019. It also contains Parliamentary Committee Reports since 1952 onwards, President Addresses and Budget Speeches. The rich debates of Provisional Parliament, Constituent Assembly, and other documents tracing the history of Indian Parliamentary institutions since 1858 are also available in this website.

The Parliament Digital Library is available at <u>eparlib.nic.in</u> and its link has also been given on the Lok Sabha Home page. The website is user friendly and acts as a search engine. For the convenience of Members, a desk has been set up in the Reading Room of Parliament Library, Ground Floor, Parliament House to address their queries relating to Digital Library. For further assistance, Members may kindly contact at 23034060 and 23035481.

No. 759

Members' Reference Service (LARRDIS)

The Reference Division of Parliament Library and Reference, Research, Documentation and Information Service (LARRDIS) is designed to cater to the information needs of members of both Houses of Parliament in connection with the dayto-day business before the two Houses.

As an initiative towards e-Parliament and Paperless Secretariat, an e-Portal for benefits of Members has been launched on 17 July, 2016. The portal offers several online services including online references, etc.

Members who wish to send their reference requisitions online can accordingly do so, and they will receive their desired information from e-resources in the Inbox of the e-Portal. With a view to enabling the staff of the Reference Division to render prompt and quality service, Members are requested to restrict their online/offline reference requisitions to subjects having a bearing on the dayto-day business before Parliament. The number of reference requests (online or offline) may kindly be restricted to a maximum of three at a time.

The Members' Reference Service (LARRDIS) will continue to receive requests from members by hand (offline) also who choose to opt for the same. For this, members are requested to fill in the requisition slips available at the Members' Information Desks - one located in the Parliament House and the other located in the Members' Reading Room in Parliament Library Building. Reference requests may also be conveyed to the Members' Reference Service on Tel. No - 23034749 and through Fax No. 23017517.

Kind co-operation of Members is solicited.

Membership of Indian Parliamentary Group

The Indian Parliamentary Group is an autonomous body formed in the year 1949 in pursuance of a motion adopted by the Constituent Assembly (Legislative) on 16 August, 1948. Membership of the Indian Parliamentary Group is open to all the Members of Parliament (Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha) and Ex-Members of Parliament. All Members of the Lok Sabha / Rajya Sabha who have not yet become member of the Group are requested to join the Group.

The life membership of the Group can be obtained on payment of Rs. 500/- and filling up the prescribed form available in the Parliament Notice Offices of Lok Sabha and Conference Branch (Room No. 340, Parliament House Annexe) of the Lok Sabha Secretariat. Form is also available on the website of Indian Parliamentary Group i.e. <u>www.ipg.nic.in</u>.

No.761

Conference Branch

Non-Official Visits abroad by Members of Parliament

The following guidelines are to be observed by Members in connection with their non-official visits abroad:-

- (i) If any invitation from any foreign source namely, Government of any country, foreign organizations, etc. is received directly by a Member, a copy of such invitation letter giving full details of the purpose of the visits and the hospitality to be accepted should be sent to :
 - (a) the Ministry of External Affairs for political clearance; and
 - (b) the Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs (Foreigners Division (FCRA), NDCC-II Building, Jai Singh Road, Near Jantar Mantar, New Delhi) for accepting any foreign hospitality being offered during visits abroad.
- (ii) On receipt of political clearance from the Ministry of External Affairs and FCRA permission from the Ministry of Home Affairs, the Member concerned shall keep the Hon'ble Speaker, Lok Sabha informed, inter-alia, of the purpose of the visit and the hospitality proposed to be received.
- (iii) It may kindly be ensured that none of their activities during those visits give an unintended impression that Members are on an official visit on behalf of Parliament.
- (iv) Before accepting the hospitality the Members should satisfy themselves about the credentials of the organization / institution extending the hospitality.

Kind cooperation of the members is solicited.

Suggestions invited from the Hon'ble Members for addition of Books, Reports, Publictions, etc. to the Parliament Library

Hon'ble Members are requested to kindly give suggestions for addition of important and valuable Books, Reports, Publications, etc. in English, Hindi and Regional Languages in the Parliament Library. Suggestions for addition of Books, Reports, Publications, etc. may be addressed to the Additional Director, Parliament Library (Room No. G-041, A Block, Parliament Library Building) and submitted at the 'Member's Assistance Counter / Book Circulation Counter' in Parliament Library Building, or at the 'Reference Desk' in Parliament House.

No.762

SIMULTANEOUS INTERPRETATION FACILITY IN LOK SABHA

As per the Direction by the Speaker, Lok Sabha, Members may now speak in the House in any of the following 22 languages listed in the Eighth Schedule to the Constitution of India. Members are required to give a notice to that effect at least half-an-hour in advance to the officer at the Table in order to enable the Interpreter concerned to take position in the Interpreters' Booth, except for Dogri, Kashmiri, Konkani, Santhali and Sindhi in respect of which a minimum of 24 hours advance notice is required to be given to make arrangements as the Interpreters for these five languages are engaged on assignment basis.

- 1. Assamese
- 2. Bengali
- 3. Bodo
- 4. Dogri
- 5. Gujarati
- 6. Hindi (Advance notice is not required)
- 7. Kannada
- 8. Kashmiri
- 9. Konkani
- 10. Maithili
- 11. Malayalam
- 12. Manipuri
- 13. Marathi
- 14. Nepali
- 15. Odia
- 16. Punjabi
- 17. Sanskrit
- 18. Santhali
- 19. Sindhi
- 20. Tamil
- 21. Telugu
- 22. Urdu

A Member or members (not more than two) in whose name(s) a question appears in the list of Starred Questions may ask supplementary questions in any of the aforesaid languages (except for the five languages mentioned in para one), provided an advance notice in this regard is given before 3 PM on the working day preceding the day on which the question is listed for oral answer. However, a minimum of 24 hours advance notice is required to be given for Dogri, Kashmiri, Konkani, Santhali and Sindhi language.

THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DESIGN (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2019, AS PASSED BY RAJYA SABHA

[Letter No.P-24027/1/2017-IPR.V-(Vol.II)/160 dated 18.11.2019 from Shri Som Parkash, Minister of State for Commerce and Industry to the Secretary General, Lok Sabha]

The President, having been informed of the subject matter of the National Institute of Design (Amendment) Bill, 2019, recommends consideration of the Bill in the House under article 117(3) of the Constitution.

No.765

Committee Section (T&T)

Selection of subjects by the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture

The Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture has selected the following subjects for examination during the year 2019-20:-

- (i) Role of Highways in Nation Building;
- (ii) Promotion of Infrastructure in India's Maritime Sector;
- (iii) Potential of Tourist Spots in the Country- Connectivity and Outreach;
- (iv) Development and Conservation of Museums and Archaeological sites Challenges and Opportunities;
- (v) Functioning of Airports Authority of India;
- (vi) Status of Aviation connectivity in the country; and
- (vii) Privatization of Air India.

Correction of Speeches by Members

A computerized copy of every speech delivered or questions asked by Members on the floor of the House and answers given thereto on a day is supplied to them early next morning for confirmation and correction of inaccuracies, if any, which might have occurred in the process of reporting. ONLY minor corrections, namely, those in respect of grammatical errors, misreporting of quotations, figures, names etc. are permissible. Improvement of literary form or altering substance by additions, copious substitution or deletions will NOT be acceptable. Members (including Ministers) are, therefore, requested to make only the said permissible corrections IN INK neatly and legibly to ensure their correct incorporation in the final edited version of Debates.

Members are also requested to return to Editorial Branch a corrected transcript within the time limit indicated on the slip pasted thereon i.e. by 15.00 hours on the second working day. The slip pasted on the transcript should be signed by the member concerned by way of authentication.

Members are also informed that uncorrected debates are available on the Lok Sabha Website <u>http://loksabha.nic.in/</u> and they can make use of this facility for taking printouts and making corrections. The speeches so corrected by them may be signed and sent to Editorial Branch as per the time schedule suggested above for incorporating the same in the debates.

It will not be possible to accept corrections suggested beyond said permissible limits or indicated in pencil or not legible or received late.

As the proceedings are put on Lok Sabha Website, which is a time bound procedure, the above provisions will be followed strictly.

Kind co-operation of all members is solicited.

No.767

Editorial Branch

Permission for Reproduction of Material from Lok Sabha Debates

Kind attention of hon. Members is invited to Rule 379 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha which, *inter alia*, states that full report of the proceedings of the House would be published under the directions of the Speaker. Similarly, Rule 382 (1) provides that the Speaker may authorize printing, publication, distribution and sale of any paper, document or report in connection with the business of the House. The copyright of Lok Sabha Debates vests in the Hon. Speaker. As such permission of Hon. Speaker is required for reproduction of any material from the Lok Sabha Debates under the Copyright Act.

Hon. Members are requested that they may seek prior permission of the Hon. Speaker whenever they intend to publish any material from the Lok Sabha Debates. Editorial Branch of the Secretariat processes the cases relating to the grant of permission for reproduction of material from Lok Sabha Debates.

Kind co-operation of the members is solicited.

No.768

Constituent Assembly Debates (English and Hindi Versions)

Members are informed that new reprinted sets of Constituent Assembly Debates are available in English and Hindi. The English Version set is in the form of five Books (Book Nos. 1 to 5) and Hindi Version set is in form of eight Books (Book Nos 1 to 8).

Only a complete set of these Debates can be purchased. Debate(s) of particular day(s) is/are not available for sale. The price of one set of C.A. Debates is Rs. 4000/-. However, a rebate of 25 per cent will be allowed to Members of Parliament on purchase of only one set each for his/her personal use.

These sets are available for sale at the Sales Counter, Lok Sabha Secretariat, Reception Office, Parliament House, New Delhi.

No.769

Editorial Branch

Unparliamentary Expressions

Members are informed that a publication titled 'Unparliamentary Expressions' (2009) is available on sale.

It contains references to words and expressions declared unparliamentary in the Central Legislative Assembly, Constituent Assembly of India (Legislative), Provisional Parliament, First to Fourteenth Lok Sabhas (1952 to Feb. 2009), Rajya Sabha, State Legislatures in India and some of the Commonwealth Parliaments including the British House of Commons.

The compilation has been divided into two parts. Part-I contains words and Expressions in English, while Part-II contains Words and Expressions in Hindi and Hindi/English Translations of words and expressions received in other languages.

The compilation is priced at Rs. 1700/-. However, a rebate of 25 per cent will be allowed to Members of Parliament on purchase of only one copy each for his/her personal use. The publication is available for sale at the Sales Counter, Lok Sabha Secretariat, Reception Office, Parliament House, New Delhi.

ELECTION OF SIX MEMBERS OF LOK SABHA TO THE COURT OF THE ALIGARH MUSLIM UNIVERSITY

Members were informed <u>vide</u> Bulletin Part-II dated 5th August, 2019 (Para No. 478) that the election programme to the Court of Aligarh Muslim University will be notified in the next session. Accordingly, the following programme is notified :-

2.	No. of members to be elected	:	Six
	Last date for nomination	:	Monday, 25 November, 2019 (up to 1600 hours)
	Last date for withdrawal	:	Wednesday, 27 November, 2019 (up to 1600 hours)
	Date of election (if necessary)	:	Tuesday, 10 December, 2019 (from 1100 to 1600 hrs in Committee Room No. 62, PH)

As per regulations 2(2)(a) and 3 of the regulations for holding of elections to the Government Bodies by means of single transferable vote, a member cannot propose his/her own nomination to a Government Body. The nomination of a member should be proposed by another member. A Member who desires to propose nomination of other member to a Government Body is requested to give notice of nomination in the prescribed "Nomination Paper". Similarly, a member who desires to withdraw his/her candidature from the election is also requested to give notice of withdrawal under his/her signature by filling Para 1 of the prescribed "Withdrawal Form". In case, a candidate who is willing to withdraw his/her candidature is not readily available or is not in a position to give the notice of withdrawal under his signature, the Leader or Chief Whip of the Party to which the candidate belongs, may give notice of withdrawal on behalf of such candidate by filling Para 2 of the prescribed "Withdrawal Form". The requisite forms in this regard are available in the Parliamentary Notice Office (PNO). Duly filled in forms of nominations or withdrawal, as the case may be, should be delivered in the PNO before the date and time notified in the election programme above. Nomination/withdrawal paper which is filled in incorrectly or incompletely or which do not contain the signature of the Member/Leader/Chief Whip giving notice thereof, as the case may be, or is received after the expiry of the prescribed date and time shall be treated as invalid.

DETENTION AND RELEASE OF SHRI ANIL FIROJIYA

The following communication dated 04 November, 2019 from Superintendent of Police, District Ujjain was received on 06 November, 2019:-

"This is to inform that Shri Anil Firojiya, Member of Lok Sabha was detained u/s 151 of Cr.PC at 1515 hrs. on 04 November, 2019 while entering the office of Collector forcibly and attempting to commit a crime. He was taken into custody and kept in confinement in open jail, Dussehra Maidan, Ujjain. He was later released on bail on personal bond at 1600 hrs. on the same day."

No.772

Who's Who Cell

Seeking Information for Lok Sabha Website

The Who's Who Cell of Research & Information Division updates and uploads the Biographical information as given by Members on Lok Sabha Website.

2. Members are, therefore, requested to furnish their details through the Registration Form Part-II and send it to the Parliamentary Notice Office or the Who's Who Cell, located at Room No. F080, First Floor, Parliament Library Building, Parliament House Complex.

3. Members are also requested to inform the Who's Who Cell, in writing, in case there is any change in their contact information in the Home Page so that the same may be updated at once on the Website, which is in public domain.

RESULTS OF BALLOTS OF NOTICES OF STARRED AND UNSTARRED QUESTIONS

Members are informed that ballots in respect of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received upto 1000 hrs. on **18th November**, **2019** for the sitting of Lok Sabha to be held on **4th December**, **2019** was held in the presence of **SHRIMATI SANGEETA AZAD**, **MP** in Question Branch, Room No. 324, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi. A total of 1198 notices were received and 296 Members participated in the ballots for the day.

2. The results of the ballots have been uploaded on the Homepage *viz.* loksabha.nic.in.

3. The Hard Copies of the ballots are also placed in Parliamentary Notice Office for the information of Members.

No.774

Question Branch

RESULTS OF BALLOTS OF NOTICES OF STARRED AND UNSTARRED QUESTIONS

Members are informed that ballots in respect of notices of Starred and Unstarred Questions received upto 1000 hrs. on **16th November, 2019** for the sitting of Lok Sabha to be held on **3rd December, 2019** was held in the presence of **SHRI P.C.TRIPATHY, JOINT SECRETARY(PT)**, in Question Branch, Room No. 324, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi. A total of 1367 notices were received and 334 Members participated in the ballots for the day.

2. The results of the ballots have been uploaded on the Homepage *viz*. loksabha.nic.in.

3. The Hard Copies of the ballots are also placed in Parliamentary Notice Office for the information of Members.

Training Programme for Personal Staff of Members of Lok Sabha

The Parliamentary Research and Training Institute for Democracies (PRIDE) erstwhile BPST is organising Training Programmes for Personal Staff of Members of Lok Sabha on 25 and 26 November 2019 and on 05 and 06 December 2019.

Hon'ble Members who are interested in sending their PAs/Personal Staff to attend any one of the Programme as per their convenience may kindly forward their names to the PRIDE erstwhile BPST and they may report to attend the Programme in PRIDE Main Lecture Hall, First Floor PLB on 25 November 2019 or 05 December 2019 at 11.00 A.M. (Contact Numbers: 23034656, 23035593, 23034911).

Hon'ble Members who had already nominated their PAs/Personal Staff for the Training Programme organized by PRIDE on 04 and 05 November 2019 are requested not to send nominations of PAs/Personal Staff for the same.

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH-I

SHORT DURATION DISCUSSION UNDER RULE 193

The following Short Duration Discussion under Rule 193 has been admitted:-

From whom received	Subject	Date of Discus	
Shri Manish Tewari Shri Pinaki Misra Shri Kunwar Danish Ali Shri N.K. Premachandran	Air pollut change.	ion and climate	Tuesday, 19 November, 2019

ELECTION OF TWO MEMBERS TO THE COUNCIL OF THE INSTITUTES OF TECHNOLOGY

In pursuance of motion moved in and adopted by the House on 18 November, 2019 for election of two members to the Council of the Institutes of Technology, the programme of election is notified as given below:-

No. of members to be elected	Two
Last date for nomination	Monday, 25 November, 2019 (Up to 1600 hours)
Last date for withdrawal	Wednesday, 27 November, 2019 (Up to 1600 hours)
Date of election (if necessary)	Tuesday, 10 December, 2019 (from 1100 to 1600 hours in Committee Room No. 62, Parliament House)

As per regulations 2(2)(a) and 3 of the regulations for holding of elections to the 2. Government Bodies by means of single transferable vote, a member cannot propose her/his own nomination to a Government Body. The nomination of a member should be proposed by another member. A Member who desires to propose nomination of other member to a Government Body is requested to give notice of nomination in the prescribed "Nomination Paper". Similarly, a member who desires to withdraw her/his candidature from the election is also requested to give notice of withdrawal under her/his signature by filling Para 1 of the prescribed "Withdrawal Form". In case, a candidate who is willing to withdraw her/his candidature is not readily available or is not in a position to give the notice of withdrawal under one's signature, the Leader or Chief Whip of the Party to which the candidate belongs, may give notice of withdrawal on behalf of such candidate by filling Para 2 of the prescribed "Withdrawal Form". The requisite forms in this regard are available in the Parliamentary Notice Office (PNO). Duly filled in forms of nominations or withdrawal, as the case may be, should be delivered in the PNO before the date and time notified in the election programme above. Nomination/withdrawal paper which is filled in incorrectly or incompletely or which does not contain the signature of the Member/Leader/Chief Whip giving notice thereof, as the case may be, or is received after the expiry of the prescribed date and time shall be treated as invalid.

> SNEHLATA SHRIVASTAVA Secretary General