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No. 211.]

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# **ORDER PAPER OF PARLIAMENT**

## FOR

Monday, November 13, 2017 at 9.30 a.m.

## QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWERS

134/'15

Hon. Buddhika Pathirana,— To ask the Minister of Finance and Mass Media,—(1)

- (a) Will he table
  - (i) the value of contraband cigarettes illegally imported to Sri Lanka during the period from 01.01.2014 to 30.06.2015;
  - (ii) names, addresses, telephone numbers and the country if the arrested and convicted person is a foreigner; and
  - (iii) the punishments given to persons mentioned in (ii) above separately?
- (b) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether the contraband cigarettes are destroyed after following the legal procedures;
  - (ii) if so, the method of destroying them; and
  - (iii) if not, whether those cigarettes are issued to the market subject to government taxes?
- (c) If not, why?

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931/'16

Hon. Chandima Gamage,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(6)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - whether he is aware that the Ceylon Electricity Board should follow the procurement procedure according to the Electricity Act when purchasing electricity from the private sector;
  - (ii) whether the procurement procedure has been followed for the purchases of electricity up to date; and
  - (iii) if so, on which occasions?
- (b) If not, why?

Hon. Udaya Prabhath Gammanpila,—To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(4)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- whether persons who are not Members of Parliament have been appointed as Chairmen or Co-chairmen of Divisional Development Committees;
- (ii) if so, their names and the Divisional Development Committees in which they hold the chairmanship, separately;
- (iii) the powers vested on the aforesaid Chairmen;
- (iv) the basis on which the aforesaid persons are appointed to the said posts;
- (v) the highest educational or professional qualifications of the aforesaid persons, separately; and
- (vi) the salaries, allowances and other facilities provided to the aforesaid Chairmen or Co-chairmen?
- (b) If not, why?

4.

## 1113/'16

Hon. Chaminda Wijesiri,—To ask the Minister of Petroleum Resources Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the number of fuelling station licences issued;
  - (ii) of the names and addresses of the persons who obtained the aforesaid licences;
  - (iii) of the annual income received by the Ceylon Petroleum Corporation from the issue of the aforesaid licences;
  - (iv) of the criterion considered with pertinence to the issue of the licences for the fuelling stations; and
  - (v) of the steps taken with relevance to the frauds and corruption which have occurred regarding the issue of these licences, if any;

from the year 2010 to 2016 in the Badulla district?

(b) If not, why?

3.

Hon. Padma Udhayashantha Gunasekera,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House
  - (i) of the number of houses in the Puttlam District that have been provided with electricity supply by the Ceylon Electricity Board by year 1983;
  - (ii) of the total number of houses which have been provided with electricity supply by now;
  - (iii) of the amounts allocated annually from year 1984 to 2009 for the supply of electricity on per year basis;
  - (iv) of the number of houses that have been provided with electricity supply up to year 2015 after the end of war situation in year 2009 on per year basis; and
  - (v) of the amount of money allocated for the supply of electricity during the period mentioned in (iv) above on per year basis?
- (b) If not, why?

6.

1298/'16

Hon. Dullas Alahapperuma,— To ask the Minister of Education,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the number of non academic employees, employed in national and provincial schools of Matara district;
  - (ii) separately, of the number of employees in terms of each post;
  - (iii) of the number of vacancies available in the approved non academic cadre, in the national and provincial schools of Matara district;
  - (iv) separately, of aforesaid number of vacancies in terms of national and provincial schools;
  - (v) whether measures will be taken to recruit persons for the vacancies, mentioned in aforesaid (iv); and
  - (vi) if so, of the respective recruitment procedure?
- (b) If not, why?

7.

1381/'16

Hon. Bandula Gunawardana,—To ask the Minister of Primary Industries,—(3)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - whether he admits that Rs.100 million was allocated as per proposal No.149 of the 2016 budget to set up agricultural, livestock and fish processing zones in the districts of Anuradhapura, Vavuniya and Kilinochchi;

- (ii) of the persons who prepared the feasibility reports for these three projects;
- (iii) of the total estimated cost for these three projects accordingly;
- (iv) of the total financial allocations made by the General Treasury for the said projects by the end of 2016; and
- (v) of the total financial allocation that can be made available for the said projects for 2017?
- (b) If not, why?

8.

1466/'16

Hon. Vasudeva Nanayakkara,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - whether he accepts that with the decentralized funds of the Members of Parliament, roofing sheets were distributed free, among the low income earning families who are residing in the Divisional Secretariat divisions;
  - (ii) whether distribution of roofing sheets by the Members of Parliament with the decentralized funds, has been banned;
  - (iii) if so, of the reasons led for aforesaid situation; and
  - (iv) whether aforesaid ban will be lifted and measures will be taken to distribute roofing sheets through members of Parliament, as it used to be?
- (b) If not, why?

1478/'16

Hon. Ashoka Priyantha,—To ask the Minister of Education,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of schools that come under the Central Government and the Provincial Council in the North Western Province;
  - (ii) out of the aforementioned schools the number of schools with permanent principals and the names of those schools;
  - (iii) the number of schools with acting principals along with the names of those schools;
  - (iv) the number of persons and their names in the North Western Province who passed the competitive examination conducted last year to recruit principals; and
  - (v) whether the persons who passed that examination are now placed correctly in the service stations?
- (b) If not, why?

<sup>9.</sup> 

Hon. (Dr.) Nalinda Jayathissa,— To ask the Minister of Public Enterprise Development,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) of the date of appointment of Mrs. P. Seethadevi residing at No. 39, Perth New Housing Complex, Wagawatta, Poruwadanda, Horana as incharge of the Garden keeper of the children's Park of Perthwatta, Horana;
  - (ii) of the date on which she resigned;
  - (iii) of the amount of compensation and gratuity that she deserves at the end of the completion of a service period of 26 years;
  - (iv) whether it has been ordered by the Department of Labour on 26.11.2016 that the said amount be paid to her; and
  - (v) if so, as to why the aforesaid compensation and gratuity are not paid?
- (b) If not, why?

11.

1601/'17

Hon. Thushara Indunil Amarasena,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware that National Energy Policy of Sri Lanka is outdated;
  - (ii) whether he admits that a National Energy Policy which caters Sri Lanka's current and future expectations; and
  - (iii) if so, the date when the new National Energy Policy will be presented to the Parliament?

(b) If not, why?

## 12.

1603/'17

Hon. (Prof.) Ashu Marasinghe,— To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) whether he is aware that a main underground power supply line which provides electricity to the city of Colombo has been inactive for about 3 years;
  - (ii) the electricity capacity of the aforesaid supply line;
  - (iii) the reason for the delay in taking steps to restore the aforesaid supply line;

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- (iv) the officers who are responsible for the delay in repairing the aforesaid supply line;
- (v) the disciplinary action that have been taken by the Ministry or Ceylon Electricity Board against each of the aforesaid officers by now, separately; and
- (vi) whether action will be taken to modernize the national grid in order to ensure a continuous supply of electricity in the city of Colombo?
- (b) If not, why?

13.

1633/'17

Hon. Nalin Bandara Jayamaha,—To ask the Minister of Power and Renewable Energy,—(2)

(a) Will he inform this House—

- (i) the sources of energy of the Sri Lanka Sustainable Energy Authority;
- (ii) separately, the income received annually by the Sri Lanka Sustainable Energy Authority from each such source of energy;
- (iii) the amount of funds in the Sustainable Energy Fund as of now;
- (iv) the banks/ financial institutions in which such funds are deposited; and
- (v) whether he is satisfied that the funds are being utilized properly for the objectives expected from the said Fund?

(b) If not, why?

14.

## 1711/'17

Hon. Shehan Semasinghe,— To ask the Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,—(2)

- (a) Will he inform this House—
  - (i) the number of civil security zones functioning in the district of Anuradhapura; and
  - (ii) the number of civil security officers attached to each zone separately?
- (b) Will he also inform this House-
  - whether he is aware that musical shows were conducted in selected civil security zones in this district;
  - (ii) if so, the details in this regard; and
  - (iii) whether he is aware that it was obligatory for every civil security service officer to sell 20 tickets for the musical show?
- (c) If not, why?

Hon. M.H.M. Salman,— To ask the Minister of Home Affairs,—(1)

- (a) Will he state this House—
  - (i) of the names and addresses of Registrars of Muslim Marriages who were serving under the Muslim Marriage and Divorce Act in the district of Mullaitivu, in the Northern province on or around 31.12.1990;
  - separately of the Grama Niladari Divisions and the Divisional Secretariat Divisions covered by the aforesaid divisions of Registrars of Marriages; and
  - (iii) whether the numbers of Gazette Notifications through which the aforesaid registrar divisions were declared and their dates will be tabled?
- (b) If not, why?

# NOTICE OF MOTIONS AND ORDERS OF THE DAY

\*1.

Appropriation Bill (2018) — (Third Allotted Day)—Adjourned debate on question (09<sup>th</sup> November 2017) [1].

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*2.

The Minister of Finance and Mass Media,— Notification under the Excise Ordinance,— That the Notification made by the Minister of Finance and Mass Media under Section 32 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) read with Sections 12, 14 and 22 regarding Excise duty and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2029/51 of 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017, which was presented on 09.10.2017, be approved.

(Excise Notification No. 996)

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*3.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Regulations under the Merchant Shipping Act,— That the Regulations made by the Minister of Ports and Shipping under Sections 126 and 321 of the Merchant Shipping Act, No. 52 of 1971 relating to Standards of Training, Certification and Watch keeping for Seafarers and published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1987/19 of 04<sup>th</sup> October 2016 amended by the Gazette Extraordinary No. 2018/3 published on 08<sup>th</sup> May 2017, which were presented on 17.10.2017, be approved.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

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\*4.

## Twentieth Amendment to the Constitution Bill-Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*5.

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance Bill — Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*6.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

\*7.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Lanka Transport Board together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 07.03.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 24.03.2017)

#### \*8.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Transport Commission together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 03.05.2017 under Section 14(2) (C) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.05.2017)

## \*9.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation - 2011,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Sri Lanka State Plantation Corporation together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2011 and presented on 10.12.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

## \*10.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the National Savings Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*11.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the Bank of Ceylon - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 25.01.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

## \*12.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank - 2015,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of the People's Bank together with the observations of Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2015 and presented on 08.03.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

#### \*13.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd. - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the Kurunegala Plantations Ltd. together with the observations of Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 21.03.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.05.2017)

## \*14.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 08.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the State Industrial Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenapura Genaral Hospital - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Sri Jayewardenapura General Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 21.07.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the Sri Jayewardenapura Genaral Hospital Board Act, No. 54 of 1983 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

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(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

#### \*16.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Reports and Accounts of the State Pharmaceutical Manufacturing Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor-General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 11.08.2016 Under Section 30(2) of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

#### \*17.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lanka Insurance Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the K.P.M.G Chartered Accountants prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.03.2017 in terms of the Companies Act, No. 07 of 2007 and regulation of Insurance Industry Act, No. 43 of 2000, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

#### \*18.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Savings Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

## \*19.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of People's Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 22.09.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*15.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Bank of Ceylon together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.05.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

\*21.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Chilaw Plantations Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 15.11.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

#### \*22.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Regional Development Bank together with the observations of the Auditor General prepared for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 28.10.2016 under Section 35(3) of the Monetary Law Act and under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 03.05.2017)

## \*23.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2014/2015,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended 31.03.2015 and presented on 09.08.2016 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

#### \*24.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 12.08.2016 under Section 30(2) of the Wijaya Kumaratunga Memorial Hospital Board Act, No. 38 of 1999 and Section 14(2) C of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

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\*25.

The Minister of Law and Order and Southern Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Dangerous Drugs Control Board - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of National Dangerous Drugs Control Board together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.08.2016 under the National Dangerous Drugs Control Board Act, No. 11 of 1984 and under Section 13(1) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971 be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on National Security on 05.10.2016)

\*26.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Housing Development Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 25.10.2016 under National Housing Development Authority Act, No. 17 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*27.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the Institution for Construction Training and Development together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 25.10.2016 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957 and Gazette Extraordinary No. 718/15 of 10<sup>th</sup> June 1992, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*28.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

\*29.

The Minister of Lands and Parliamentary Reforms,— Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Land Reform Commission together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 18.11.2016 under Section 1 of the Land Reform Commission Act, No. 01 of 1972, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture & Land on 09.03.2017)

\*30.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Civil Aviation Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 05.12.2016 under Section 14 (2) (c) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

\*31.

The Minister of Housing and Construction,— Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of State Development and Construction Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 24.01.2017 under sub Section 1 of Section 2 of the State Industrial Corporation Act, No. 49 of 1957, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 09.08.2017)

\*32.

The Minister of Transport and Civil Aviation,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Transport Medical Institute together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 24.01.2017 under Section 14 (2) (C) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

\*33.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2015/2016,— That the Annual Report and Consolidated Financial Statements of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2016 and presented on 25.07.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

\*34.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lankan Airlines Ltd. together with the observations of the Ernst & Yung Chartered Accountants for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 04.03.2015 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 23.08.2017)

\*35.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of the National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 27.10.2016 under Section 24 of the National Human Resources Development Council of Sri Lanka Act, No. 18 of 1997, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

\*36.

The Minister of Development Assignments and Minister of Foreign Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the Employees' Trust Fund - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Employees' Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.11.2016 under Section 11 of the Employees' Trust Fund Board Act, No. 46 of 1980, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

\*37.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of the National Insurance Trust Fund - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 27.01.2016 under Section 17 of the National Insurance Trust Fund Act, No. 28 of 2006, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

#### \*38.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Insurance Trust Fund together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 10.12.2016 under Section 17 of the National Insurance Trust Fund Act, No. 28 of 2006, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 09.02.2017)

#### \*39.

The Minister of Foreign Employment and Minister of Justice,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 08.06.2016 under Section 19 of Sri Lanka Bureau of Foreign Employment Act, No. 21 of 1985, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on International Relations on 05.10.2016)

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 04.05.2016 under Section 34 of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka Act, No. 23 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands on 09.03.2017) \*41.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 15.11.2016 under Section 34 of Mahaweli Authority of Sri Lanka Act, No. 23 of 1979, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Agriculture and Lands on 09.03.2017)

## \*42.

The Prime Minister and Minister of National Policies and Economic Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of State Timber Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of State Timber Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14 of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Sustainable Development and Environment and Natural Resources on 09.03.2017)

The Minister of Industry and Commerce,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. - 2012/2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.03.2013 and presented on 07.07.2016 under Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Act, No. 33 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Manufacturing and Services on 04.10.2016)

## \*44.

The Minister of Industry and Commerce,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 09.02.2017 under Sri Lanka State Trading (General) Corporation Act, No. 33 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Manufacturing and Services on 07.04.2017)

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<sup>\*43.</sup> 

The Minister of Women and Child Affairs,— Annual Report and Accounts of National Child Protection Authority - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of National Child Protection Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 07.06.2016 under Section 32 of National Child Protection Authority Act, No. 50 of 1996 and Section 14(2) (e) of the Finance Act, No.38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Women and Gender on 21.02.2017) \*46.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank together with the observations of S.J.M.S. Chartered Accountants, Independent Auditors for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 23.05.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

\*47.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Lankaputhra Development Bank together with the observations of S.J.M.S. Chartered Accountants, Independent Auditors for the year ended on 31.12.2014 and presented on 09.08.2017 under Section 14(3) of the Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

\*48.

The Minister of Public Enterprise Development,— Annual Report and Financial Statements of Housing Development Finance Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Financial Statements of Housing Development Financial Corporation Bank of Sri Lanka together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 04.07.2017 under Section 35(3) of Monetary Law Act, No. 58 of 1949 and under section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Economic Development on 06.09.2017)

\*49.

The Minister of Petroleum Resources Development,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 05.04.2016 under Section 32(3) of Ceylon Petroleum Corporation Act, No. 28 of 1961, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Energy on 07.10.2016)

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## \*50.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. - 2012/2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2013 and presented on 28.01.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

#### \*51.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. - 2013/2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Ceylon Shipping Corporation Ltd. together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.03.2014 and presented on 06.09.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 10.08.2017)

\*52.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ayurvedic Drugs Corporation - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ayurvedic Drugs Corporation together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 09.01.2017 under Section 30 of State Industrial Corporations Act, No. 49 of 1957, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*53.

The Minister of Health, Nutrition and Indigenous Medicine,— Annual Report and Accounts of Homoeopathy Medical Council - 2011,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Homoeopathy Medical Council together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2011 and presented on 25.01.2017 under Section 40 of Homoeopathy Act, No. 07 of 1970, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Health and Human Welfare, Social Empowerment on 04.07.2017)

\*54.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 08.10.2015 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

\*55.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2013,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2013 and presented on 21.06.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 24.01.2017)

\*56.

The Minister of Ports and Shipping,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority - 2014,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sri Lanka Ports Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2014 and presented on 12.11.2016 under Section 14(3) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Transport and Communication on 26.01.2017)

\*57.

The Minister of Sports,— Annual Report and Accounts of Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority - 2012,— That the Annual Report and Accounts of Sugathadasa National Sports Complex Authority together with the observations of the Auditor General for the year ended 31.12.2012 and presented on 24.06.2016 under Section 14(2)(c) of Finance Act, No. 38 of 1971, be approved.

(Considered by the Sectoral Oversight Committee on Youth, Sports, Arts and Heritage on 21.02.2017)

\*58.

Buddhist Temporalities (Amendment) Bill - Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*59.

Theravadi Bhikku Kathikawath (Registration) Bill - Second Reading.

(Cabinet approval signified.)

\*60.

Resolution under the Constitution,— Adjourned Debate on Question (22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2016) Motion made and question proposed,—"Media guidelines to be followed/ Policies to be observed by the Electronic and Print Media during Referenda and Elections published by the Election Commission in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1955/19 of 25<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in terms of the provisions of Article 104B (5)(a) of the Constitution of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka which was presented on 06.05.2016, be approved."

61.

Institute of Personnel Management, Sri Lanka (Amendment) Bill — Second Reading.

62.

Child Rehabilitation Centre (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

63.

United Christian Fellowship of Sri Lanka (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading. 64.

Sri Lanka Women's Conference (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading.

65.

Moneragala District Kantha Maha Sangamaya (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading. 66.

Lasallian Community Education Services (Incorporation) Bill — Second Reading. 67.

International Women's and Children's Rights (IWCRC) (Incorporation) Bill-Second Reading.

68.

Aloka Social Service Foundation (Incorporation) Bill - Second Reading.

69.

Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Incorporation) Bill - Second Reading.

## \* Indicates Government Business.

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Motion made and question proposed "That the Bill be now read a second time."