



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

The Honourable the House of Assembly

At a meeting of the House of Assembly at the Parliament Buildings on Tuesday the 10th day of July, 2018, pursuant to the adjournment.

PRESENT

- His Honour A. E. Holder, BSc. (Hons.), MSW, LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C. (*Speaker*)
His Honour G. A. Clarke, J.P., B.Sc., Dip. Ed. (*Deputy Speaker*)
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| Hon. Miss C. Y. Forde, J.P., L.C.P. (<i>Minister of People Empowerment and Elder Affairs</i>) | Mr. R. A. Thorne, Q.C., LL.B., L.E.C., Dip. Theology |
| Hon. D. D. Marshall, Q.C., LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C. (<i>Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs</i>) | Hon. I. A. Weir, M.B.A. (<i>Minister of Agriculture and Food Security</i>) |
| Hon. T. A. Prescod, B.A. (<i>Minister of Environment and National Beautification</i>) | Hon. A. R. Forde, RPh. (<i>Minister of Youth and Community Empowerment</i>) |
| Lt. Col. the Hon. J. D. Bostic, MVO, B.A. (Hons.) (<i>Minister of Health and Wellness</i>) | Hon. C. McD. Griffith, B.Sc. (<i>Minister in the Ministry of Housing, Lands and Rural Development</i>) |
| Hon. E. G. Hinkson, LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C., LL.M. (<i>Minister of Home Affairs</i>) | Hon. P. R. Phillips (<i>Minister in the Ministry of Transport, Works and Maintenance</i>) |
| Hon. D. G. Sutherland, B.Sc., M.Sc., M.B.A. (Dist.) (<i>Minister of Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Commerce</i>) | Hon. J. A. King, BSS (<i>Minister of Creative Economy, Culture and Sports</i>) |
| Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw, LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C. (<i>Minister of Education, Technological and Vocational Training</i>) | Mr. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill |
| Bishop J. J. S. Atherley, J.P., B.A., B.Sc., PgD. (<i>Leader of the Opposition</i>) | Hon. C. E. Jordan, B.Sc. (Hons.) (<i>Minister of Labour and Social Partnership Relations</i>) |
| Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid, J.P., B.D.S., F.D.S., F.D.R.C.S., M.Min. (<i>Minister of Transport, Works and Maintenance</i>) | Dr. S. E. Browne, M.B.B.S. (<i>Chairman of Committees</i>) |
| Hon. W. A. Abrahams, LL.B. (<i>Minister of Energy and Water Resources</i>) | Hon. K. D. M. Humphrey, B.Sc., M.Sc., M.P.A. (<i>Minister of Maritime Affairs and the Blue Economy</i>) |
| Hon. Ms. C. S. V. Husbands, B.A. (Hons.), M.Sc. (<i>Minister in the Ministry of Foreign Trade</i>) | Hon. R. R. Straughn, B.Sc., M.Sc. (<i>Minister in the Ministry of Finance</i>) |
| | Hon. Miss M. K-A. Caddle, B.A., M.Sc. (<i>Minister in the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Investment</i>) |
| | Mr. N. G. H. Rowe (<i>Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of People Empowerment and Elder Affairs</i>) |

ABSENT

Hon. G. W. Payne, Q.C. (*Minister of Housing, Lands and Rural Development*), Hon. R. St. C. Toppin, LL.B. (Hons.) (*Minister of International Business and Industry*), Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley, Q.C., LL.B. (*Prime Minister, Minister of Finance, Economic Affairs and Investment, Minister of National Security and the Civil Service*) and Hon. K. D. Symmonds, B.A., LL.B. (*Minister of Tourism and International Transport*).

Mr. Speaker took the Chair at 10.15 a.m.

Prayers were taken by Rev. Father Mark Harewood.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting of Tuesday, 26th June, 2018 were taken as read and were confirmed on the motion of Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw seconded by Hon. D. D. Marshall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY HIS HONOUR THE SPEAKER

The Speaker announced that he was in receipt of the Report of the Auditor General for the year 2017 and the Report of the Auditor General on the Financial Statements of the Government of Barbados 2016-2017.

PAPERS

By command Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw laid the following:

1. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2005.
2. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2006.
3. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2007.
4. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2008.
5. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2009.
6. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2010.
7. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2011.
8. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2012.
9. Harrison College Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2013.
10. Barbados Tourism Authority Annual Report 2011-2012.
11. Barbados Tourism Authority Annual Report 2012-2013.

By command Hon. R. R. Straughn laid the Investment Barbados Annual Report 2017.

ORDERS OF THE DAY**SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS**

On the motion of the Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw seconded by Hon. D. D. Marshall Standing Orders 6, 16, 18, 20, 42(5), 43 and 44 were suspended for the remainder of the day's Sitting.

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**ORDER NO. 1****INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC LIFE BILL, 2018**

On the order being called for Hon. D. D. Marshall to move the second reading of the Bill entitled an Act to establish a regime, including an integrity commission, to promote the integrity of person in public life and strengthen measures for the prevention, detection, investigation and prosecution of acts of corruption, the Hon. Member spoke and moved seconded by Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw that the Bill be read a second time.

Bishop J. J. S. Atherley began to speak.

Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid spoke on a point of order.

Bishop J. J. S. Atherley concluded his speech.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw seconded by Mr. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill the House was suspended to 2.00 p.m.

At 12.54 p.m. Mr. Speaker suspended the House.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

ORDER NO. 1 (resumed)

Hon. K. D. M. Humphrey spoke.

Hon. Miss M. K-A. Caddle spoke.

Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid began to speak.

Bishop J. J. S. Atherley spoke on a point of order.

Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid concluded his speech.

Dr. S. E. Browne spoke.

Hon. W. A. Abrahams spoke.

Hon. Ms. C. S. V. Husbands spoke.

On the motion of Hon. D. D. Marshall seconded by Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw further consideration of the Bill was postponed.

REPORT FROM SELECT COMMITTEES

On the separate motion of Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw seconded by Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid:

1. The Speaker was disappointed as a Member of the Management Commission of Parliament and the Public Accounts Committee; and

2. Hon. C. McD. Griffith was disappointed and Hon. D. D. Marshall appointed as a Member of the Management Commission of Parliament.

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS (recommitted)

ADJOURNMENT

On the motion of Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw seconded by the Dr. the Hon. W. F. Duguid the House was adjourned to Tuesday, 17th July, 2018 at 10.00 a.m.

At 4.50 p.m. the Speaker adjourned the House.

RICHARD P. BYER
Deputy Clerk of Parliament.

The Minutes were certified correct and confirmed the _____ day of _____, 2018.

Speaker.

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