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SECOND SESSION OF 2018 – 2023

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THIRTIETH SITTING

Tuesday, 21st September, 2021

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at

10.00 o'clock a.m.

on

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The First Meeting of the First Session of the Parliament of 2018-2023 was held on 5th June, 2018

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Parliament was prorogued by Proclamation on 8th August, 2020

The First Meeting of the Second Session of the Parliament of 2018-2023 was held on the 15th September, 2020.

MANAGEMENT COMMISSION OF PARLIAMENT

(Parliament (Administration) Act, Cap. 10 – Section 3(4))

The following are ex officio Members of the Commission:

His Honour A. E. Holder (Chairman), Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley, Q.C., Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw and Bishop J. J. S. Atherley.

Section 3(4) of the Parliament (Administration) Act, Cap. 10.

The following are appointed Members of the Commission:

Hon. C. E. Jordan, Dr. S. E. Browne and Hon. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill.

Hon. D. D. Marshall, Q.C.

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Appointed on 15th September, 2020.

SESSIONAL SELECT COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES

To consider and report to the Honourable the House of Assembly on all matters which involve the privileges of the Honourable the House of Assembly.

The Members of the Committee are:

His Honour A. E. Holder (Chairman) ex officio, Lt. Col. the Hon. J. D. Bostic, Hon. K. D. M. Humphrey, His Honour N. G. H. Rowe, J.P., Hon. Miss C. Y. Forde and Bishop J. J. S. Atherley.

Appointed on 15th September, 2020.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

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1. **Mr. E. G. Hinkson:** To move the passing of a Resolution to take note of the Throne Speech of Her Excellency the Governor-General and the determination of the Government to implement the provisions referred to therein.

Notice of this Resolution was given on 15th September, 2020.

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COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

To examine the accounts showing the appropriation of the sums granted by Parliament to meet the public expenditure, accounts of any entities in which Government is a majority shareholder or hold a majority interest and of such other accounts laid before Parliament as the Committee may think fit.

The Members of the Committee are:

Bishop J. J. S. Atherley (Chairman) ex officio, Hon. Ms. C. S. V. Husbands, Hon. Miss M. K-A. Caddle, Hon. C. E. Jordan, Dr. S. E. Browne, Hon. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill and Hon. K. D. Symmonds.

Appointed on 15th September, 2020.

STANDING ORDERS COMMITTEE

The Members of the Committee are:

His Honour the Speaker (Chairman) ex officio, Mr. G. W. Payne, Q.C., Hon. R. St. C. Toppin, Hon. K. D. Symmonds, Hon. W. A. Abrahams, Bishop J. J. S. Atherley, Hon. Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw, Lt. Col. the Hon. J. D. Bostic and Mr. R. A. Thorne, Q.C.

Appointed on 15th September, 2020.

His Honour N. G. H. Rowe, J.P.

Appointed on 17th November, 2020.

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

The Members of the Committee are:

His Honour the Speaker (Chairman), Hon. A. R. Forde, Hon. R. R. Straughn, Hon. J. A. King, Hon. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill and Hon. Miss M. K-A. Caddle.

Appointed on 15th September, 2020.

JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE on the

National Vending Bill, 2021

The Members of the Committee are:

Hon. K. D. Symmonds, Hon. G. P. I. Gooding-Edghill, Hon. A. R. Forde, Hon. I. A. Weir, Hon. K. D. M. Humphrey, Mr. T. A. Prescod, Ms. T. N. S-A. Moore, and Bishop J. J. S. Atherley.

Appointed on 31st August, 2021.

Terms of Reference:

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- 1. To inquire into and determine whether the Bill as drafted fulfils the expressed objects of the promotion, regulation and decriminalization of vending in Barbados.
- 2. To examine and determine whether the Bill as drafted will upon effective implementation fulfil the expressed objects of improving the environment for vending thus contributing to the development of an ethos of transparency, compliance, accountability and development of the sector.
- 3. To consider whether the Bill as drafted offers an effective enforcement procedure to ensure compliance with the provisions of the Bill.
- 4. To make recommended changes, if deemed necessary, to the Bill as drafted for further consideration by the Chief Parliamentary Counsel.

QUESTIONS

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N.B. Questions marked thus * are for Oral Reply.

5. Hon. K. D. Symmonds: To resume debate on the Second Reading of the National Vending Bill, 2021.

Notice of this Bill was given on 24th August, 2021.

The Bill was read a first time on 24th August, 2021.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 26th August, 2021.

On the 31st August, 2021 Hon. K. D. Symmonds spoke. Bishop J. J. S. Atherley spoke. Mr. R. A. Thorne spoke. Further consideration of the Bill was postponed.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

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(Standing Order 10 of the First Session)

"Unless the House otherwise directs, the business of each sitting day shall be transacted in the following order –

- (a) Formal entry of His Honour the Speaker.
- (b) Prayers.
- (c) Announcements by His Honour the Speaker.
- (d) Messages from Her Excellency the Governor-General.
- (e) Petitions.
- (f) Papers.
- (g) Government Notices.
- (h) Private Members' Notices.
- (i) Notices of Questions.
- (j) Reports from Select Committees.
- (k) First readings of Bills.
- (l) Statements by Ministers.
- (m) Congratulatory and/or obituary speeches.
- (n) Personal Explanations.
- (o) Motions for leave of absence.
- (p) Oral replies to questions.
- (q) Notices of motions for the adjournment of the House on matters of urgent public importance.
- (r) Orders of the day."

GOVERNMENT BUSINESS

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1. Hon. R. R. Straughn: To move the Second Reading of the Customs Bill, 2021.

Notice of this Bill was given on 24th May, 2021.

The Bill was read a first time on 25th May, 2021.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 31st May, 2021.

2. Hon. R. R. Straughn: To move the Second Reading of the Final Appropriation (2019-2020) Bill, 2021.

Notice of this Bill was given on 23rd August, 2021.

The Bill was read a first time on 24th August, 2021.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 26th August, 2021.

3. Hon. R. R. Straughn: To move the Second Reading of the Final Appropriation (2020-2021) Bill, 2021.

Notice of this Bill was given on 23rd August, 2021.

The Bill was read a first time on 24th August, 2021.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 26th August, 2021.

4. Hon. K. D. M. Humphrey: To move the Second Reading of the Facilitation of International Maritime Traffic Bill, 2021.

Notice of this Bill was given on 23rd August, 2021.

The Bill was read a first time on 24th August, 2021.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 26th August, 2021.