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**The First Meeting of the First Session of the Parliament of 2022–2027
was held on 4th February, 2022.**

MANAGEMENT COMMISSION OF PARLIAMENT

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

His Honour the President, ex officio, Senators the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins, ex officio and Ms. M. C. Taitt, Q.C.

Appointed 4th February, 2022.

Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

SELECT COMMITTEES

Committee of Selection

Standing Order 60(1)

His Honour the President (Chairman) ex officio, Senators the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins, Dr. C. K. M. Haynes and K. J. Boyce.

Appointed 4th February, 2022.

Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 25th March, 2024.

Standing Orders Committee*Standing Order 60(2)*

His Honour the President (Chairman) ex officio, Senators the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins, Miss P. E. Parris, J.P. and K. J. Boyce.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

House Committee*Standing Order 60(3)*

His Honour the President (Chairman) ex officio, Senators Dr. C. K. M. Haynes, A. A. O. Boyce and Ms. M. C. Taitt, Q.C.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator R. O. Walters.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

Committee of Privileges*Standing Order 60(4)*

His Honour the President (Chairman) ex officio, Senators Dr. the Most Honourable J. X. Walcott, FB, J.P., J. A. King and Mr. C. A. Maynard.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

Regulations Committee
(Standing Order 60(5))

His Honour the President (Chairman) ex officio, Senators Her Honour Ms. H. E. Thompson, Dr. the Hon. S. M. Munro-Knight and K. J. Boyce.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator R. O. Walters.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE
(Standing Order 67)

LIBRARY COMMITTEE

Senators Dr. the Hon. S. M. Munro-Knight, Hon. L. E. Nurse and A. W. Mallalieu.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator Rev. C. M. Morris.

Appointed 7th February, 2024.

Senators R. O. Walters and Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS

COMMITTEE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

(Standing Order 60(6))

Senators the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins and Miss C. N. Drakes.

Appointed 21st March, 2022.

Senator G. P. B. Nicholls.

Appointed 7th February, 2024.

Senator the Hon. C. J. Blackman, Senator R. O. Walters and Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

JOINT SELECT COMMITTEES (STANDING)

(Standing Order 60A)

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNANCE AND POLICY MATTERS

Senator Hon. L. E. Nurse.

Appointed 17th May, 2023.

Senators R. O. Walters and G. P. B. Nicholls.

Appointed 26th March, 2024.

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND PRODUCTIVE SECTORS

Senators Dr. C. K. M. Haynes and A. W. Mallalieu.

Appointed 17th May, 2023.

Senator Ms. T. D. Watson.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SECTOR AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Senators J. A. King and Rev. Canon Dr. J. A. Rogers.

Appointed 17th May, 2023.

Senator R. O. Walters.

Appointed 15th May, 2024.

QUESTIONS

4. **Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the passing of a Resolution that the Parliament of Barbados take note of the Barbados Population Policy 2023.

Notice of this Resolution was given on 17th July, 2024.

5. **Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the passing of a Resolution to approve in accordance with section 5 of the Crown Lands (Vesting and Disposal) Act, Cap. 225 the vesting in the National Housing Corporation of the parcel of land, the property of the State situate at Pilgrim Place in the parish of Christ Church in this Island and more particularly describe in the Schedule to the Resolution for housing development.

Notice of this Resolution was given on 17th July, 2024.

6. **Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the Second Reading of the Criminal Justice (Plea Negotiations and Agreements) Bill, 2024.

Notice of this Bill was given on 31st July, 2024.

The Bill was read a first time on 31st July, 2024.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 11th July, 2024.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

(Standing Order 11)

Formal entry of His Honour the President.

Prayers.

Messages from Her Excellency the President.

Announcements by His Honour the President.

Presentation of Petitions.

Presentation of Papers.

Reports from Select Committees.

Questions to Ministers.

Requests for leave to move the adjournment of the Senate on matters of urgent public importance.

Statements by Ministers or Parliamentary Secretaries.

Personal Explanations.

Motions relating to the Business or Sittings of the Senate and moved by a Minister.

Introduction of Bills.

Public Business.

Private Members' Business.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

- 1. Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the Second Reading of the Cybercrime Bill, 2024.

Notice of this Bill was given on 7th February, 2024.

The Bill was read a first time on 7th February, 2024.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 11th December, 2023.

The Bill was referred to the Joint Select Committee (Standing) on Governance and Policy Matters on the 14th February, 2024.

- 2. Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the Second Reading of the Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters (Amendment) Bill, 2024.

Notice of this Bill was given on 7th February, 2024.

The Bill was read a first time on 7th February, 2024.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 11th December, 2023.

The Bill was referred to the Joint Select Committee (Standing) on Governance and Policy Matters on the 14th February, 2024.

- 3. Senator the Hon. Ms. L. R. Cummins:** To move the Second Reading of the Marine Transport (Emissions Control) Bill, 2024.

Notice of this Bill was given on 10th July, 2024.

The Bill was read a first time on 17th July, 2024.

The Bill was published in the Official Gazette on 11th July, 2024.