



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

The Honourable The Senate

The Senate met in the Senate Chamber, Parliament Buildings on Wednesday, the 3rd day of May, 2017 at 11.00 o'clock a.m.

PRESENT

His Honour Senator the Very Reverend H. E. Crichlow, G.C.M., B.A. (Hons.) Dunelm (*Deputy President*)

Senator Dr. the Hon. E. R. Byer Suckoo, M.B., B.S.
(*Minister of Labour, Social Security and Human Resource Development*)

Senator the Hon. D. W. Boyce, B.Sc. (Econ.), M.B.A. (Fin.), CMA, F.C.A. (*Minister in the Office of the Prime Minister*)

Senator the Hon. P. M. T. Todd, B.Sc. (*Minister of State in the Office of the Prime Minister*)

Senator Mrs. V. I. Sandiford-Garner, CIM, Dip. Mng., M.B.A. (*Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Tourism and International Transport*)

Senator H. A. Husbans, M.L.I.R., B.Sc. (Public Administration) (Hons.), Ed. Cert. (U.W.I.) (*Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Education, Science, Technology and Innovation*)

Senator J. Ince, J.P., BB.A., M.B.A., DIP (Mgmt.) (*Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Finance and Economic Affairs*)

Senator R. A. Hunte, J.P.

Senator A. R. Worrell, B.A. (Hons.)

Senator Miss V. A. G. De Peiza, B.Sc. (Hons.), LL.M. (Merit)

Senator Dr. J. X. Walcott, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S. (Edin.), J.P.

Senator Sir Roy Trotman, K.A., M.A.

Senator Prof. Emeritus Sir Henry Fraser, K.A., G.C.M., B.Sc., M.B., B.S., Ph.D., FACP, FRCP

Senator Dr. Sir Trevor Carmichael, K.A., L.V.O., Q.C., B.Sc. (Econ.), M.A., Ph.D.

Senator A. A. Adams, J.P., B.A., Ed. Cert., M.Sc. Ed.

Senator J. A. Watson

Senator Carol Lady Haynes, GM, BCH, M.B., B.S., Hon. DSc.

ABSENT

Her Honour Senator Miss Kerryann F. Ifill, B.Sc. (Hons.), M.B.A. (*President*), Senator the Hon. Miss M. P. O. McClean, B.Sc. (Hons.), M.A., M.B.A. (*Minister of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade*) (*Leader of the Senate*), Senator Rev. Dr. D. L. Durant, D. D. (Hon.) and Senator W. A. Abrahams, LL.B. (Hons.)

Prayers were led by Rev. Canon Errington Massiah.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE DEPUTY PRESIDENT

The Deputy President announced that he had received excuses for absence from Her Honour Senator Miss Kerryann F. Ifill, Senator the Hon. Miss. M. P. O. McClean, Senator Rev. Dr. D. L. Durant and Senator W. A. Abrahams.

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The Minutes of Wednesday, 29th March, 2017 were confirmed.

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

Senator Dr. the Hon. E. R. Byer Suckoo by command laid the National Petroleum Corporation Annual Report April 2009 to March 2010.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

ORDER NO. 1

**RESOLUTION TO COMPULSORILY ACQUIRE LAND AT BRIGHTON, ST. GEORGE,
FOR HOUSING DEVELOPMENT**

Senator Dr. the Hon. E. R. Byer Suckoo spoke on the following Resolution:

RESOLVED that Parliament, in accordance with section 5 of the *Land Acquisition Act*, Cap. 228, approve the compulsory acquisition by the Crown of the parcel of land, the property of Brighton Plantation Limited, situate at Brighton in the parish of Saint George in this Island, more particularly described in the *Schedule* hereto, for the public purpose of housing development.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly on the 7th day of March, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Brighton Plantation Limited situate at Brighton in the parish of Saint George in this Island containing by admeasurement 2.943 hectares (metric conversion 29,427.7 square metres) (inclusive of 0.181 hectares in road reserve) Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of the said Brighton Plantation Limited and on a cart road which is part of other lands now or formerly of the said Brighton Plantation Limited on lands now or formerly of Buttals Development Limited on lands now or formerly of Alphonso Wood on lands now or formerly of Randolph Moore on lands now or formerly of Marlene Moore on lands now or formerly of Angela Carter on lands now or formerly of the said Brighton Plantation Limited on lands now or formerly of Glenda Alleyne on lands now or formerly of the said Brighton Plantation Limited on lands now or formerly of Andria Sage on lands now or formerly of the said Brighton Plantation Limited and on a public road leading to Ellerton in one direction to Highway 4 in another direction and to Highway 4B in another direction or however else the same may abut or bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 11th day of October, 2016 by Samuel N. Taylor, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 13th day of October, 2016 as Plan No. 976/2016,

and moved that the Resolution be approved.

Senator Sir Roy Trotman spoke.

Senator J. Ince spoke.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Senator Dr. the Hon. E. R. Byer Suckoo the Sitting was suspended until 2.30 p.m. At 1.00 p.m. the Deputy President suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption the Deputy President resumed the Chair.

ORDER NO. 1 (resumed)

Senator Prof. Emeritus Sir Henry Fraser spoke.

Senator R. A. Hunte spoke.

Senator A. A. Adams spoke.

Senator the Hon. P. M. T. Todd spoke.

Senator A. R. Worrell spoke.

Senator the Hon. D. W. Boyce spoke.

Senator Dr. the Hon. E. R. Byer Suckoo spoke in reply.

ADJOURNMENT

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Dr. E. R. Byer Suckoo the Senate was adjourned *sine die*.

At 5.38 p.m. the Deputy President adjourned the Sitting.

N. R. JONES, QC
Deputy Clerk of Parliament.

The Minutes were certified correct and confirmed the
, 2017.

day of

President.

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