



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 9th day of February, 2016, pursuant to the adjournment.

PRESENT

- His Honour M. A. Carrington, Q.C., B.A., LL.B. (*Speaker*)
Her Honour Mrs. M-J. M. Thompson, B.A., M.Sc. (Ph. Ed.) (*Deputy Speaker*)
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| Mr. G. A. Clarke, J.P., B.Sc., Dip. Ed. | Hon. J. D. E. Boyce, M.Sc., C. Eng. (<i>Minister of Health</i>) (<i>Leader of the House</i>) |
| Mr. R. St. C. Toppin, LL.B. (Hons.) | Mr. J. D. Paul, B.Sc. (<i>Chairman of Committees</i>) |
| Hon. D. St. E. Kellman (<i>Minister of Housing, Lands and Rural Development</i>) | Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe, Dip. Theology, B.A., M.Ed., Ed.D. (<i>Minister of Environment and Drainage</i>) |
| Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley, Q.C., LL.B. (<i>Leader of the Opposition</i>) | Hon. S. A. Lashley, B.Sc., LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C. (<i>Minister of Culture, Sports and Youth</i>) |
| Miss C. Y. Forde, J.P., L.C.P. | Hon. D. O’N. Inniss, B.Sc., M.B.A. (<i>Minister of Industry, International Business, Commerce and Small Business Development</i>) |
| Dr. the Hon. D. C. Estwick, B.Sc., M.B., B.S. (<i>Minister of Agriculture, Food, Fisheries and Water Resource Management</i>) | Hon. C. P. Sinckler, B.A., M.Sc. (<i>Minister of Finance and Economic Affairs</i>) |
| Mr. D. D. Marshall, Q.C., LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C. | Mr. T. A. Prescod, B.A. |
| Hon. M. A. Lashley, LL.B. (Hons.) (<i>Minister of Transport and Works</i>) | Lt. Col. J. D. Bostic, MVO, B.A. (Hons.) |
| Hon. R. L. Sealy, B.Sc., M.B.A. (<i>Minister of Tourism and International Transport</i>) | Mr. E. G. Hinkson, LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C., LL.M. |
| Rt. Hon. F. J. Stuart, Q.C., B.A., LL.M. (<i>Prime Minister, Minister of National Security, The Public Service and Urban Development</i>) | Mr. D. G. Sutherland, B.Sc., M.Sc., M.B.A. (Dist.). |
| | Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw, LL.B. (Hons.) |

ABSENT

Rt. Hon. O. S. Arthur, M.Sc. (Econ.), Mr. G. W. Payne, Q.C., Hon. R. D. Jones, J.P., B.A. (Hons.), M.A. Ed. (*Minister of Education, Science, Technology and Innovation*), Hon. S. D. Blackett (*Minister of Social Care, Constituency Empowerment and Community Development*), Hon. A. D. Brathwaite, Q.C., LL.B. (Hons.) (*Attorney General and Minister of Home Affairs*), Mr. K. D. Symmonds, B.A., LL.B.

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 January, 2016 were taken as read and were confirmed on the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Hon. R. L. Sealy.

PAPERS

By command Hon. R. L. Sealy laid the Annual Report of the Grantley Adams International Airport Inc., 2014.

FIRST READING OF BILLS

On the motion of Hon. C. P. Sinckler seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce the Savings Bonds (Validation) Bill, 2016 was read a first time.

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

On the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Hon. R. L. Sealy 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. 14****SANITATION SERVICES AUTHORITY (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2015**

On the Order being called for Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe to move the second reading of the Bill entitled the Sanitation Service Authority (Amendment) Bill, 2015, the Hon. Member spoke and moved seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce that the Bill be read a second time.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Dr. the Hon. D. C. Estwick the Sitting was suspended until 2.15 p.m.

At 1.40 p.m. Mr. Speaker suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

ORDER NO. 14 (resumed)

Mr. D. G. Sutherland began to speak.

Mr. Speaker asked for order.

Mr. D. G. Sutherland concluded his speech.

Mr. Speaker demitted the Chair in favour of the Deputy Speaker.

Hon. D. O'N. Inniss began to speak.

Mr. D. G. Sutherland spoke on a point of order.

Hon. D. O'N. Inniss concluded his speech.

Miss C. Y. Forde spoke.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair.

Hon. D. St. E. Kellman began to speak.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson spoke on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke asking the Member to withdraw certain offensive comments. Those comments were ordered struck from the record.

Hon. D. St. E. Kellman resumed his speech.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson spoke on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Hon. D. St. E. Kellman concluded his speech.

Lt. Col. J. D. Bostic spoke.

Mr. J. D. Paul spoke.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Rt. Hon. F. J. Stuart the Sitting was suspended to 6.00 p.m.

At 5.45 p.m. Mr. Speaker suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

ORDER NO. 14 (resumed)

Mr. T. A. Prescod spoke.

Hon. J. D. E. Boyce concluded his speech.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson began to speak.

Hon. D. St. E. Kellman spoke on a point of order.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson resumed his speech.

Hon. D. St. E. Kellman spoke on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson withdrew certain remarks and resumed his speech.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Mr. E. G. Hinkson concluded his speech.

Hon. C. P. Sinckler spoke.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Dr. the Hon. D. C. Estwick the Sitting was suspended to 8.45 p.m.

At 7.55 p.m. the Speaker suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption, Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

ORDER NO. 14 (resumed)

Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw spoke.

Rt. Hon. F. J. Stuart spoke.

Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley spoke.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe began to speak.

Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley began to speak on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley concluded her point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe resumed his speech.

Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley spoke on a point of order.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe resumed his speech.

Hon. Miss M. A. Mottley spoke on a point of order.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe resumed his speech.

Miss S. J. O. Bradshaw spoke on a point of order.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe resumed his speech.

Mr. D. G. Sutherland spoke on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker ruled no point of order.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe resumed his speech.

Mr. D. G. Sutherland spoke on a point of order.

Mr. Speaker spoke.

Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe concluded his speech.

The Bill was read a second time.

On the motion of Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce the House went into Committee, Mr. J. D. Paul in the Chair.

Clause 1 was called and amended on the motion of Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce.

Clause 2 was called and passed on the motion of Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe seconded by Hon. A. D. Brathwaite.

On the motion of Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce the Chairman reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to Mr. Speaker who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.

On the separate motion of Dr. the Hon. D. S. Lowe seconded by Hon. J. D. E. Boyce the Bill was read a third time and passed and the title read and agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

On the motion of Hon. J. D. E. Boyce seconded by Hon. A. D. Brathwaite the House was adjourned to Friday, 26th February, 2016 at 10.00 a.m.

At 11.10 p.m. Mr. Speaker adjourned the Sitting.

N. R. JONES, Q.C.
Deputy Clerk of Parliament.

The Minutes were certified correct and confirmed the _____ day of _____, 2016.

Speaker.

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