



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS

OF

The Honourable The Senate

The Senate met in the Senate Chamber at the Worthing Corporate Centre on Wednesday the 5th day of August, 2020, at 11.00 o'clock a.m.

PRESENT

His Honour Senator Dr. Sir Richard L. Cheltenham, KA, Q.C., Ph.D., J.P., B.Sc. (Econ.) (*President*)

His Honour Senator R. N. Greenidge, LL.B. (*Deputy President*)

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott, M.B., B.S.,
F.R.C.S. (Edin.), J.P. (*Minister of Foreign
Affairs and Foreign Trade*) (*Leader of the
Senate*)

Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney (*Minister of
Innovation, Science and Smart Technology*)

Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins, B.Sc., M.Sc.
(*Minister of Tourism and International
Transport*)

Senator Dr. R. O. Springer, Ph.D. (*Parliamentary
Secretary, Ministry of Education, Tech-
nological and Vocational Training*)

Senator R. W. Grant, J.P., B.A. (Econ.), LL.B., PG
Dip. MA.

Senator Dr. L. P. Holder, M.B.A., M.Sc., M.Th.,
D.Th.

Senator Dr. C. K. M. Haynes, M.B.B.S.

Senator D. R. Sands, LL.B. (Hons.)

Senator R. J. H. Adams, B.Sc. (Econ.), M.Sc.
(Political Sociology)

Senator C. A. Franklyn, J.P.

Senator Miss C. N. Drakes, B.Sc. (Econ. & Mgmt),
M.Phil Econ.

Senator the Hon. L. E. Nurse, F.C.A., F.C.C.A.

Senator Mr. C. A. Maynard, M.B.B.S., F.R.C.S.
(ENT)

Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt, Q.C., LL.B. (Hons.), M.B.A.

Senator Rev. Dr. J. A. Rogers, B.Sc., B.A. (Hons.),
M.Phil., Ph.D.

Senator Miss T. N. S-A. Moore, M.B.A.

Senator Miss A. M. Wiggins, J.P., B.Sc.

ABSENT

Senator Miss L. C. Moe and Senator K. J. Boyce, LL.B. (Hons.), L.E.C.

Prayers were led by Senator Rev. Dr. J. A. Rogers.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY HIS HONOUR THE PRESIDENT

Mr. President announced that he was in receipt of an excuse for absence from Senator K. J. Boyce and for lateness from Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt.

MINUTES

The Minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday, July 15th, 2020 were approved and confirmed on the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott.

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott by command laid:

Police (Special Constables) (Discipline) Regulations, 2020.

MOTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OF THE SENATE

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott Standing Orders 22(1) and 45(2) were suspended for the remainder of the Sitting.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott gave notice of the following:

1. Police (Amendment) (No. 2) Bill, 2020.
2. Resolution Life Assurance Company Limited (Transfer of Bonds) Bill, 2020.
3. Remediation Agreements (Deferred Prosecutions) Bill, 2020.
4. Resolution to approve in accordance with Section 5 of the *Crown Lands (Vesting and Disposal) Act*, Cap. 225, to approve the lease to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Board of two parcels of land, the property of the Crown, situate at Martindales Road in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island for the purpose of the provision of health services and to facilitate development programmes.
5. Resolution to approve in accordance with Section 5 of the *Land Acquisition Act*, Cap. 228, the compulsory acquisition by the Crown of the parcel of land together with the building thereon, the property of Valerie Angelique Hamblin, situate at Belleplaine in the parish of Saint Andrew in this Island for the public purposes of establishing a site of historic and heritage interest.
6. Resolution to approve in accordance with Section 5 of the *Land Acquisition Act*, Cap. 228, the compulsory acquisition by the Crown of the parcels of land, situate at Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island for the public purpose, namely the development of a National Botanical Garden.
7. Resolution to approve in accordance with Section 5 of the *Land Acquisition Act*, Cap. 228, the compulsory acquisition by the Crown of the parcel of land situate at Lot 1, Bush Hall Yard Gap in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island for the public purpose of youth participation in community improvement projects known as the Building Blocks Project,

and on his motion the Bills were read a first time.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

ORDER NO. 2

INTEGRITY IN PUBLIC LIFE BILL, 2020 (resumption)

Senator R. W. Grant spoke.

Senator the Hon. L. E. Nurse spoke.

Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt began to speak.

Mr. President spoke.

Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt resumed her speech.

Mr. President spoke.

Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt concluded her speech.

Senator Dr. C. K. M. Haynes spoke.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Sitting was suspended to 2.45 p.m.

At 1.30 p.m. Mr. President suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. President resumed the Chair.

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY HIS HONOUR THE PRESIDENT (recommitted)

Mr. President read the following letter from the Acting Chief Medical Officer concerning Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins:



GOVERNMENT OF BARBADOS

*In Replying, the Reference
Number and Date of this
Letter should be quoted*

**Chief Medical Officer
Ministry of Health and Wellness**

FRANK WALCOTT BUILDING
CULLODEN ROAD, ST. MICHAEL
BARBADOS



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Our Ref:

Date: 5 August 2020

The Clerk of Parliament
Trafalgar Street
Bridgetown
BARBADOS

Dear Mr Eastmond

Please be informed that Senator Lisa Cummins is cleared to enter Parliament to attend the convening of Senate 2020/8/5. Senator Cummins has satisfied the health requirements of the Ministry of Health and Wellness and she is COVID Negative and therefore not infectious.

Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated

Sincerely,

Dr. Kenneth George
Chief Medical Officer (Acting)


Senator C. A. Franklyn spoke on a point of privilege.
 Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt spoke on a point of privilege.
 Senator Dr. C. K. M. Haynes spoke on a point of privilege.
 Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott spoke.
 Senator Mr. C. A. Maynard spoke on a point of privilege.
 Senator Ms. M. C. Taitt spoke on a point of elucidation.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Sitting was suspended to 3.30 p.m.
 At 3.15 p.m. Mr. President suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. President resumed the Chair.
 Mr. Speaker spoke and ruled on the point of privilege and gave permission for Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins to attend the Sitting.

ORDER NO. 2 (resumed)

Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins spoke.
 Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott spoke in reply.
 On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Honourable the Senate resolved itself into Committee on the Bill, His Honour the Deputy President in the Chair.
 Part 1 (Clauses 1 and 2); Part 2 (Clauses 3 to 10); Part 3 (Clauses 11 to 17) were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott.
 Part 4 (Clauses 18 to 22) was called.
 Clauses 18, 19 (as amended) and 20 to 22 were passed on the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott.
 Part 5 (Clauses 23 to 24); Part 6 (Clauses 25 to 30); Part 7 (Clauses 31 to 40); Part 8 (Clauses 41 to 49); Part 9 (Clauses 50 to 58) and the First to the Fifth Schedules were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott.
 On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Chairman of Committees reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to the President who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.
 On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Bill was read a third time.
 Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott moved that the Bill be passed and cited.
 The Senate voted as follows:

Ayes: Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott, Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney, Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins, Senator Dr. R. O. Springer, Senator Dr. L. P. Holder, Senator D. R. Sands, Senator R. W. Grant, Senator Dr. C. K. M. Haynes, Senator R. J. H. Adams and His Honour Senator R. N. Greenidge.

Noes: Nil.

Abstentions: Senator Miss T. N. S-A. Moore and Senator Rev. Dr. J. A. Rogers.

The passing of the Bill did not meet the requirements of Section 49(2) of the Constitution of Barbados.

SUSPENSION

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott the Sitting was suspended to 5.00 p.m.
 At 4.40 p.m. Mr. President suspended the Sitting.

RESUMPTION

On resumption Mr. President resumed the Chair.

ORDER NO. 4

EMPLOYMENT (PREVENTION OF DISCRIMINATION) BILL, 2020

On the Order being called for Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney to move the second reading of the Bill entitled an Act to protect persons from discrimination related to employment, the Hon. Member spoke and moved, that the Bill be read a second time.

Senator Dr. R. O. Springer spoke.
 Senator Miss T. N. S-A. Moore spoke.
 Senator Dr. L. P. Holder spoke.
 His Honour Senator R. N. Greenidge spoke.
 Senator Rev. Dr. J. A. Rogers spoke.
 Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney spoke in reply.
 The Bill was read a second time.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Honourable the Senate resolved itself into Committee on the Bill, His Honour the Deputy President in the Chair.

Part 1 (Clauses 1 and 2); Part 2 (Clauses 3 to 7); Part 3 (Clauses 8 to 22); Part 4 (Clauses 23 to 33); Part 5 (Clauses 34 to 40); First Schedule and Second Schedule were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Chairman of Committees reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to the President who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.

On the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Bill was read a third time and passed and the title read and agreed to.

ORDER NO. 5

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott spoke on the following Resolution:

RESOLVED that Parliament in accordance with section 5 of the *Crown Lands (Vesting and Disposal) Act*, Cap. 225 approve the lease to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Board of two parcels of land, the property of the Crown, situate at Martindales Road in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island more particularly described in the *First Schedule* to this Resolution on the terms and conditions set out in the *Second Schedule* to this Resolution for the purpose of the provision of health services and to facilitate development programmes.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly the 4th day of August, Two thousand and twenty.

FIRST SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of the Crown situate at Martindales Road in the parish of Saint Michael (being Lot 1) containing by admeasurement 52 307.3 square metres (exclusive of 343.2 square metres in road reserve) or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on Lot 2 (as shown on the Plan) on a public road known as Martindales Road which leads to Mencea Cox Roundabout in one direction to Ena Walters Roundabout in the other direction on a public road known as River Road on the lands now or late of Jefferson Clarke on lands now or formerly of Tiffany Krystal Inc. on lands now or late of Lawson Hooper on lands now or formerly of the New Testament Church on lands now or formerly of Genesis Holding Inc. on lands now or late of Authur Marshall on lands now or formerly of CGI Consumers' Guarantee Insurance Co. Ltd. on the public road known as River Road which leads to Fairchild Street and on the public road known as John Beckles Drive which leads to St. Michaels Row or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 17th day of August, 2018 by Samuel N. Taylor, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 27th day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1205/2019 together with the buildings thereon.

ALL THAT land the property of the Crown situate at Martindales Road in the parish of Saint Michael (being Lot A) over which there is a right-of-way containing by admeasurement 12 823.3 square metres (exclusive of 231.2 square metres in road reserve and exclusive of 1 774.3 square metres in right-of-way) or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on a road reserve on lands now or formerly of The Barbados Government (Bannister Land) on lands now or formerly of the Ursuline Convent on Lot B (as shown on the Plan) on a right-of-way on a roundabout on the sidewalk on the public road called Lower Collymore Rock which leads to Culloden Road in one direction and to Ena Walters Roundabout in the other direction and on the said sidewalk on the public road known as Martindales Road which leads to Bay Street in one direction to Fairchild Street in another direction and to George Street

in the other direction as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 17th day of August, 2018 by Samuel N. Taylor, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 27th day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1204/2019 together with the buildings thereon.

SECOND SCHEDULE

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The Lessee Queen Elizabeth Hospital Board

The Lessor Government of Barbados

The lease of two parcels of land, Lot 1, the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Campus, containing by admeasurement 52 307.3 square metres (exclusive of 343.3 in road reserve) and Lot A, the Enmore Complex, containing by admeasurement 12 823.3 square metres (exclusive of 231.2 square metres in road reserve and exclusive of 1774.3 square metres in right-of-way) with buildings thereon, situate at Martindales Road in the parish of Saint Michael to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital Board ('QEH Board') for the provision of health services and to facilitate its development programmes under the following terms and conditions:

- (i) the lease shall be for a term of 50 years with an option to renew for a further 50 years;
- (ii) the lessee shall pay an initial concessionary rate of \$12,000.00 per annum during the first 10 years of the lease;
- (iii) the rent shall be reviewed at 10 year intervals;
- (iv) the premises shall revert to the Crown for nil consideration at the end of the lease;
- (v) the lease may be terminated by either party serving 2 years notice on the other party;
- (vi) the lessee shall be responsible for the insurance of the buildings, public liability and occupiers' liability at the premises, the repairs and maintenance of the buildings, the payment of utilities and other outgoings arising out of the use of the site;
- (vii) the lessee shall bear the cost of the development of the property so that it complies with town planning and other statutory requirements;
- (viii) the lessee shall advise the Ministry of Housing, Lands and Rural Development of the replacement cost of the buildings and plant on site on the completion of any refurbishment, improvements or expansion;
- (ix) the lessee shall indemnify the Crown against all actions, costs, claims and demands in respect of any injury which may arise directly or indirectly as a result of the lessee's use of the property;

SECOND SCHEDULE – *Cont'd*TERMS AND CONDITIONS – *Cont'd*

- (x) the buildings, structures and other facilities and improvements, regardless of the stage of construction, shall revert to the Crown for nil consideration at the end of the lease period or its sooner determination; and
- (xi) the lessee shall not assign or otherwise dispose of the property by way of lease or part with possession without the prior written consent of the lessor, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld,

and moved that the Resolution be approved.

The motion was passed.

ORDER NO. 7

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott 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 parcels of land situate at Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island more particularly described in the *Schedules* hereto for the public purpose, namely the development of a National Botanical Garden.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly the 4th day of August, Two thousand and Twenty.

FIRST SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Beryl Padmore c/o Norman Padmore situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 2133.4 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Royston Gill on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) on two sides or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

SECOND SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Royston Gill situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 2529.3 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Valorie Padmore c/o Margaret Best on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Beryl Padmore c/o Norman Padmore on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

THIRD SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Valorie Padmore c/o Margaret Best situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 2133.4 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Royston Gill and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

FOURTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 1066.7 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Percy Wiles c/o Michael Searles on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Valerie Padmore c/o Margaret Best and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

FIFTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Percy Wiles c/o Michael Searles situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 4266.8 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Land Registry Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

SIXTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 4266.8 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Cameron Hewitt c/o Gloria Hewitt on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Percy Wiles c/o Michael Searles and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

SEVENTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Cameron Hewitt c/o Gloria Hewitt situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 1204.2 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Goulbourne Lashley c/o Vernon Lashley on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

EIGHTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Goulbourne Lashley c/o Vernon Lashley situate at Waterford and Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 2133.4 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Wilfred Brathwaite on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Cameron Hewitt c/o Gloria Hewitt and on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 30th day of August, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of September, 2019 as Plan No. 1099/2019.

NINTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of William Boyce situate at Lot 17, Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 3680.2 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) and on lands now or late of Patrick Bethel (Lot 19) and on a road or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 14th day of November, 2016 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 17th day of November, 2016 as Plan No. 1106/2016.

TENTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Collis Smith c/o Ottaline Smith situate at Lot 20, Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 650.1 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) and on lands now or late of Wilfred Brathwaite and on a verge or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 4th day of April, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 4th day of April, 2019 as Plan No. 409/2019.

ELEVENTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Double "O" Limited situate at Lot 21, Friendship Plantation in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 1.87 hectares or 18,744.2 square metres or thereabouts Abutting

and Bounding on lands now or late of Patrick Bethel (Lot 19) on lands now or formerly of Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) on lands now or late of Beryl Padmore c/o Norman Padmore on lands now or late of Roystone Gill on lands now or late of Valorie Padmore c/o Margaret Best on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell on lands now or late of Percy Wiles c/o Michael Searles on lands now or formerly of Friendship Plantation c/o Fred Bethell on lands now or late of Goulbourne Lashley c/o Vernon Lashley on lands now or late of Cameron Hewitt c/o of Gloria Hewitt on lands now or late of Wilfred Brathwaite on lands now or late of Collis Smith (Lot 20) and on a road or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 4th day of April, 2019 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 4th day of April, 2019 as Plan No. 410/2019.

TWELFTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Wilfred Brathwaite situate at Lot 23, Friendship Plantation, Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 2.035 hectares or 20356.0 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Collis Smith (Lot 20) and on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) on lands now or late of Goulbourne Lashley c/o Vernon Lashley on lands now or formerly of the Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) on lands now or formerly of Rayside Construction Limited (Lots 26 and 24) on lands now or late of Eloise Taylor (Lot 22) and on a road or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 3rd day of October, 2019, by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 3rd day of October, 2019 as Plan No. 1229/2019.

THIRTEENTH SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Patrick Bethell situate at Lot 19, Friendship Plantation, Friendship in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 1.13 hectares or 11269.2 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of William Boyce (Lot 17) on lands now or formerly of Barbados Government (Botanical Gardens) on lands now or formerly of Double "O" Limited (Lot 21) and on a road or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 14th day of November, 2016 by Anderson R. Alleyne, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 17th day of November, 2016 as Plan No. 1114/2016,

and moved that the Resolution be approved.

The motion was passed.

ORDER NO. 8

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott 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 situate at Lot 1, Bush Hall Yard Gap in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island more particularly described in the *Schedule* hereto for the public purpose of youth participation in community improvement projects known as the Building Blocks Project.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly the 4th day of August, Two thousand and Twenty.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Corine Howard situate at Lot 1, Bush Hall Yard Gap in the parish of Saint Michael in this Island containing by admeasurement 358.2 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or late of Merton Richards on a road leading to a cul-de-sac and on another road and on a public road known as Bush Hall Yard Gap which leads to Highway 2 in one direction and Spooners Hill in the other direction or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 12th day of February, 2020 by Kevin R. Belgrave, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 2nd day of March, 2020 as Plan No. 292/2020,

and moved that the Resolution be approved.

The motion was passed.

ORDER NO. 6

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott 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 together with the building thereon, the property of Valerie Angelique Hamblin, situate at Belleplaine in the parish of Saint Andrew in this Island, more particularly described in the *Schedule* hereto, for the public purposes of establishing a site of historic and heritage interest.

APPROVED by the House of Assembly the 4th day of August, Two Thousand and Twenty.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT land the property of Valerie Angelique Hamblin situate at Belleplaine in the parish of Saint Andrew in this Island formerly said to contain by estimation 4007.3 square metres but by recent survey found to contain by admeasurement 4007.9 square metres or thereabouts Abutting and Bounding on lands now or formerly of Advance Technological Services, on lands now or formerly of James Foster, on the public road known as Boys School Road leading to a cul-de-sac in one direction and to East Coast Road in another direction, on lands now or formerly of Gloria Moore and on another public road known as Highway 2 (Belleplaine) leading to East Coast Road in one direction and to St. Andrews Church in another direction or however else the same may abut and bound as shown and delineated on a Plan certified on the 18th day of February, 2020 by Kevin R. Belgrave, Land Surveyor and recorded in the Lands and Surveys Department on the 5th day of March, 2020 as Plan No. 305/2020 together with the building thereon,

and moved that the Resolution be approved.

The motion was passed.

ORDER NO. 3

REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2020

On the Order being called for Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins to move the second reading of the Bill entitled an Act to amend the Representation of the People Act,

the Hon. Member spoke and moved, that the Bill be read a second time.

The motion was passed.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Honourable the Senate resolved itself into Committee on the Bill, His Honour the Deputy President in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 8 were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Chairman of Committees reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to the President who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.

On the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Bill was read a third time and passed and the title read and agreed to.

ORDER NO. 10

RESOLUTION LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED (TRANSFER OF BONDS) BILL, 2020

On the Order being called for Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins to move the second reading of the Bill entitled an Act to enable the Government of Barbados to facilitate the transfer of bonds from Resolution Life Assurance Company Ltd. to the individual policy holders of the Company,

the Hon. Member spoke and moved, that the Bill be read a second time.

The motion was passed.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Honourable the Senate resolved itself into Committee on the Bill, His Honour the Deputy President in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 6 and the Schedule were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Chairman of Committees reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to the President who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.

On the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss L. R. Cummins the Bill was read a third time and passed and the title read and agreed to.

ORDER NO. 9

POLICE (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BILL, 2020

On the Order being called for Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney to move the second reading of the Bill entitled an Act to amend the Police Act to provide for the revision of the entry requirements for persons who enlist into the Royal Barbados Police Force,

the Hon. Member spoke and moved, that the Bill be read a second time.

The motion was passed.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Honourable the Senate resolved itself into Committee on the Bill, His Honour the Deputy President in the Chair.

Clauses 1 to 2 were called and passed on the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney.

On the motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Chairman of Committees reported the passing of the Bill in Committee to the President who resumed the Chair and reported accordingly.

On the separate motion of Senator the Hon. Miss K. S. McConney the Bill was read a third time and passed and the title read and agreed to.

ADJOURNMENT

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott spoke and moved that the Senate be adjourned *sine die*.
Mr. President spoke.

Senator the Hon. Mr. J. X. Walcott spoke.

Senator Miss T. N. S-A. Moore spoke.

Senator Dr. L. P. Holder spoke.

Senator Rev. Dr. J. A. Rogers spoke.

Mr. President spoke.

The motion was passed.

At 8.35 p.m. the President adjourned the Sitting.

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

The Minutes were certified correct and confirmed the _____ day of _____, 2020.

President.

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