



PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

ORDER PAPER

Tuesday, 26 May 2020 at 9.30 a.m.

1. Prayer
2. Confirmation of Minutes. The Leader of the Government in Parliament to move –

“That the Minutes of the sitting of Parliament held on Monday, 25 May 2020, as previously circulated be taken as read and be confirmed.”
3. Communications from the Chair
4. Presentation of papers and certain documents
5. Presentation of reports of committees
6. Ministerial Statements
7. Consideration of Bills
8. Motions for which notice has been given (*see Schedule 1*)
9. Questions (*see Schedule 2*)

SCHEDULE 1 — MOTIONS FOR DEBATE

1. Hon. Sanjay Kirpal to move –

“That Parliament debates the ‘2013-2014 Consolidated Annual Review of the Water Authority of Fiji’ which was tabled on 4 April 2019.”
(*Parliamentary Paper No. 19 of 2019*)

2. Hon. Viam Pillay to move –

“That Parliament debates the ‘Report on Annual Review of the Fiji Association of Sports and National Olympic Committee, 2017’ which was tabled on 1 April 2019.” (*Parliamentary Paper No. 05 of 2019*)

3. Hon. Prof. Biman Prasad to move –

“That Parliament forms a Special Committee under Standing Order 129 to conduct a holistic inquiry into all aspects of health and medical care service and delivery at our public hospitals and centres and the Committee shall comprise the following –

- (a) Hon. Dr Salik Govind (Chairperson);
- (b) Hon. Alexander O’Connor;
- (c) Hon. Jale Sigarara;
- (d) Hon. Dr Ratu Atonio Lalabalavu; and
- (e) Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua.”

4. Hon. Ro Filipe Tuisawau to move –

“That Parliament resolves to establish a Special Committee under Standing Order 129 to inquire into the socio-economic impact of COVID-19. The Special Committee shall comprise the following –

1. Hon. Viam Pillay (Chairperson);
2. Hon. Dr. Salik Govind;
3. Hon. Alipate Nagata;
4. Hon. Salote Radrodro; and
5. Hon. Ro Filipe Tuisawau.”

SCHEDULE 2 — QUESTIONS

Oral Questions

- 65/2020 Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – As per the recommendation of the International Monetary Fund (IMF) in its Report (19/57) released in February 2019, can the Minister inform Parliament whether Government has any plan to replenish the funds already withdrawn by 180,000 Fiji National Provident Fund members post tropical cyclone Winston in 2016.
- 66/2020 Hon. Rohit Sharma to ask the Minister for Commerce, Trade, Tourism and Transport – Can the Minister inform Parliament how many licenses have been issued to products and businesses under the Fijian Made Buy Fiji Campaign since 2018.
- 67/2020 Hon. Anare Jale to ask the Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs, Sugar Industry and Foreign Affairs – Can the Prime Minister inform Parliament if there is any reconsideration for the Provincial Council to appoint respective Chairpersons.
- 68/2020 Hon. Veena Bhatnagar to ask the Minister for Local Government, Housing and Community Development – Can the Minister update Parliament on the current rate arrears for all Municipal Councils.
- 69/2020 Hon. Ro Teimumu Kepa to ask the Minister for Education, Heritage and Arts – Can the Minister inform Parliament on the effectiveness of the Radio, TV programmes and Supplementary Resources provided by the Ministry in keeping students engaged during the closure of schools due to COVID-19.
- 70/2020 Hon. Selai Adimaitoga to ask the Minister for Agriculture, Waterways and Environment – Can the Minister update Parliament on the home gardening initiative.
- 71/2020 Hon. Niko Nawaikula to ask the Minister for Infrastructure, Meteorological Services, Lands and Mineral Resources – Can the Minister inform Parliament as to the action taken by the Ministry to ease traffic congestion in the Suva-Nausori corridor.

72/2020 Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – Can the Minister inform Parliament as to what is the financial and operational future of Fiji Airways, due to this COVID-19 pandemic.

Written Questions

73/2020 Hon. Ro Filipe Tuisawau to ask the Minister for Infrastructure, Meteorological Services, Lands and Mineral Resources – Can the Minister update Parliament on the Rewa Vutia Road including expected milestone and timelines.

74/2020 Hon. Simione Rasova to ask the Minister for Agriculture, Waterways and Environment – Can the Minister update Parliament on the proposed drainage programme for the fiscal year 2019/2020 in the maritime areas.

75/2020 Hon. Aseri Radrodro to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – Can the Minister provide to Parliament the list of beneficiaries of goods and services granted remission or refund of duty under section 10(d) of the Customs Tariff Act from 2018 to date.