



PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

ORDER PAPER

Wednesday, 19 February 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 Tuesday, 18 February 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. Vijay Nath to move –

“That Parliament debates the ‘Fiji Development Bank 2017 Annual Report’ which was tabled on 1 April 2019.” (*Parliamentary Paper No. 28 of 2019*)

2. Hon. Alvick Maharaj to move –

“That Parliament debates the ‘Review Report on the Independent Legal Services Commission Annual Report 2016’ which was tabled on 3 April 2019.” (*Parliamentary Paper No. 41 of 2019*)

SCHEDULE 2 — QUESTIONS

Oral Questions

- 23/2020 Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services – Can the Minister inform Parliament how long it took to get the air-conditioning units in the operating theatres at CWM Hospital fully repaired.
- 24/2020 Hon. Vijendra Prakash to ask the Minister for Agriculture, Rural and Maritime Development, Waterways and Environment – Can the Minister provide an update on what the Ministry is doing to protect our waterways using nature based solutions.
- 25/2020 Hon. Aseri Radrodro to ask the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Disaster Management and Meteorological Services – Can the Minister provide an update on the implementation of the MOU signed between the Land Transport Authority (LTA) and Fiji Revenue and Customs Service (FRCS) in January 2020.
- 26/2020 Hon. Jale Sigarara to ask the Minister for Industry, Trade, Tourism, Local Government, Housing and Community Development – Can the Minister update Parliament on the reforms that have come about within the Housing Authority and what initiatives are there to improve the housing affordability to different income households.

- 27/2020 Hon. Mikaele Leawere to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – Can the Minister update Parliament on the status of the budgeted grants for the University of the South Pacific, Fiji National University and the University of Fiji.
- 28/2020 Hon. Alvick Maharaj to ask the Minister for Agriculture, Rural and Maritime Development, Waterways and Environment – Can the Minister inform Parliament on the effectiveness of the ban on paraquat and imidacloprid insecticides and whether this has been successful and what alternatives have been made available to farmers.
- 29/2020 Hon. Sitiveni Rabuka to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – Can the Minister update Parliament on the repayment of the Global Bond of US\$200m which is due in October 2020.
- 30/2020 Hon. Alexander O'Connor to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications – Can the Minister update Parliament on the performance of the two new Fiji Airways A350, and whether the aircrafts are delivering value to our National Airline and Fiji Tourism.

Written Questions

- 31/2020 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 2014 to date.
- 32/2020 Hon. Prof. Biman Prasad to ask the Prime Minister and Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Sugar Industry – Can the Prime Minister inform Parliament of the following –
- (a) the number of non-sugar agriculture leases expiring each year from 2007 to 2019;
 - (b) the number of sugarcane leases expiring each year from 2007 to 2019; and

- (c) the number of both non-sugar agriculture and sugarcane leases renewed for each from 2007 to 2019.

33/2020 Hon. Salote Radrodro to ask the Minister for Education, Heritage and Arts – Can the Minister provide details (by Division, Institutions) on recipients of Toppers and TELS that have graduated and how many such graduates are in employment since TSLB was established.

34/2020 Hon. Ratu Suliano Matanitobua to ask the Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Disaster Management and Meteorological Services – Can the Minister inform Parliament of the following –

- (a) details of all road works carried out in the Central Division in 2018/2019 fiscal year;
- (b) total value of all road works carried out in the Central Division in 2018/2019 fiscal year;
- (c) details of all road works suspended for the Central Division in 2018/2019 fiscal year;
- (d) details of all road works being planned for the Central Division for the year 2019/2020 fiscal year; and
- (e) details of any road works along the Queens Road national highway in the Central Division being planned for the year 2019/2020 fiscal year.