

## PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

# **ORDER PAPER**

Tuesday, 29 April 2025 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, 28 April 2025, as previously circulated be taken as read and be confirmed."

- 3. Communications from the Chair
- 4. Presentation of reports of committees
- 5. Ministerial Statements
- 6. Questions (see Schedule 1)
- 7. Consideration of Bills
- 8. Motions for which notice has been given (*see Schedule 2*)

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#### SCHEDULE 1 — QUESTIONS

#### **Oral Questions**

- 28/2025 Hon. Inia Seruiratu to ask the Minister for Agriculture and Waterways Can the Minister update Parliament on the intentions of the Ministry to revive banana and coffee planting.
- 29/2025 Hon. Ratu Rakuita Vakalalabure to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade, Co-operatives, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and Communications – Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on the operationalisation of the global sourcing derogation for fish under the Interim Economic Partnership Agreement with the European Union.
- 30/2025 Hon. Premila Kumar to ask the Minister for Policing Can the Minister inform Parliament whether Fiji has the capability to conduct forensic tests, such as DNA analysis.
- 31/2025 Hon. Taito Rokomatu to ask the Minister for Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister update Parliament on the progress of the Mount Kasi Mining Operation.
- 32/2025 Hon. Vijay Nath to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation – Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on the anticipated timeline for the resumption of international flights from Nausori International Airport.
- 33/2025 Hon. Tomasi Tunabuna to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation – Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on the key sustainability challenges identified in tourism operations and how will it guide necessary adjustments to ensure better alignment with Fiji's National Sustainable Tourism Framework.
- 34/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education Can the Minister inform Parliament if some PhD and Masters students at the University of South Pacific have been without lecturers since July last year.
- 35/2025 Hon. Sakiusa Tubuna to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade, Co-operatives, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and Communications – Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on the Trade Enhancement Programme and its efforts to support the MSMEs in the service sector.

- 36/2025 Hon. Alvick Maharaj to ask the Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts Can the Minister update Parliament on the review of the iTaukei Affairs Act 1944.
- 37/2025 Hon. Kalaveti Ravu to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade, Co-operatives, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and Communications – Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on the outcomes of the Fiji-PNG Business Mission, and how it is expected to contribute to strengthening bilateral trade and unlocking new opportunities for Fijian businesses.

### SCHEDULE 2 — MOTIONS FOR DEBATE

1. Hon. Iliesa Vanawalu to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Consolidated Review Report of the Lautoka City Council 2015–2017 Annual Reports' which was tabled on 11 March 2025." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 34 of 2025*).

2. Hon. Lenora Qerequire to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Consolidated Review Report of the Fiji Independent Commission Against Corruption Annual Report 2018–2020 Annual Reports' which was tabled on 12 March 2025." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 23 of 2025*).

3. Hon. Lenora Qerequeretabua to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Review Report of the Fiji National Sports Commission Annual Report August 2022–July 2023 Annual Report' which was tabled on 12 March 2025." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 26 of* 2025).