

## PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

# **ORDER PAPER**

# Tuesday, 30 September 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, 29 September 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**

- 142/2025 Hon. Faiyaz Koya to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade, Co-operatives, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises and Communications Given the tariff situation with the United States, can the Deputy Prime Minister inform Parliament if Government has explored other nations as export destinations such as Singapore and UAE for turmeric, ginger and cassava.
- 143/2025 Hon. Iliesa Vanawalu 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 main outcomes and benefits for Fiji's digital growth and regional leadership on key ICT events hosted by Fiji this year.
- 144/2025 Hon. Semi Koroilavesau to ask the Minister for Public Works, Meteorological Services and Transport Inter-island shipping is the lifeline between the centres and our people living in our rural isolated communities in the Maritime Islands, and in that respect, can the Minister update Parliament how are the services faring considering there is a Government franchise in place to assist this service.
- 145/2025 Hon. Sakiusa Tubuna to ask the Minister for Employment, Productivity and Workplace Relations Can the Minister inform Parliament on the current strategies implemented to improve OHS compliance in Fiji's workplaces.
- Hon. Vijay Nath to ask the Minister for Rural and Maritime Development and Disaster Management Given Fiji's heightened vulnerability to natural disasters, can the Minister update Parliament on measures currently being undertaken to enhance early warning systems and strengthen overall disaster resilience.
- 147/2025 Hon. Kalaveti Ravu to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation Can the Deputy Prime Minister update Parliament on what the Pilot Tourism Micro and Small Enterprises Fund is.
- 148/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education Can the Minister inform Parliament why some teachers have not been issued ID cards by the FTRA.

- 149/2025 Hon. Esrom Immanuel to ask the Minister for Housing and Local Government Can the Minister update Parliament on the Ministry's issuance of lease titles to the informal settlement upgrading projects.
- 150/2025 Hon. Virendra Lal to ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs, Civil Service and Public Enterprises Can the Prime Minister update Parliament on the progress of the review of the General Orders 2011.
- Hon. Aliki Bia to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Strategic Planning, National Development and Statistics

  Can the Deputy Prime Minister inform Parliament on how the 12.5% tax reduction impacts the cost of living for the average household.

#### **Written Questions**

- 152/2025 Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister inform Parliament on the number of new sugar cane farmers who have joined the industry and how many more acres have been planted and the level of support given.
- 153/2025 Hon. Iliesa Vanawalu to ask the Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts Can the Minister inform Parliament of the total revenue collected by the iTaukei Land and Fisheries Commission from land boundary redefinition surveys over the past three financial years with respect to the following
  - (a) the annual revenue amounts for each of the last three finacial years and how these funds were utilised;
  - (b) the number of land disputes resolved or narrowed following these surveys, and what indicators were used to measure their impact; and
  - (c) the measures in place to ensure that survey services are affordable and delivered promptly to landowners.
- 154/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education Can the Minister inform Parliament how many primary school students who receive transport assistance travel daily to reach their school.

## SCHEDULE 2 — MOTIONS FOR DEBATE

1. Hon. Iliesa Vanawalu to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Consolidated Review Report of the Ministry of Infrastructure and Transport 2017–2018 and 2018–2019 Annual Reports' which was tabled on 18 July 2025." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 70 of 2025*).

2. Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Review Report of the Fiji Airports 2022 Annual Report' which was tabled on 18 July 2025." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 78 of 2024*).

3. Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Consolidated Review Report of the Fijian Competition and Consumer Commission 2019–2020, 2020–2021 and 2021–2022 Annual Reports' which was tabled on 18 July 2025." (Parliamentary Paper No. 75 of 2025).