



PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

ORDER PAPER

Monday, 24 November 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 Friday, 7 November 2025, as previously circulated be taken as read and be confirmed.”
3. Communications from the Chair
4. Ministerial Statements
5. Questions (*see Schedule 1*)
6. Consideration of Bills
7. Motions for which notice has been given (*see Schedule 2*)

SCHEDULE 1 — QUESTIONS

Oral Questions

- 253/2025 Hon. Inia Seruiratu to ask the Minister for Policing and Communications – Can the Minister inform Parliament whether he will consider establishing an online complaints portal and a dedicated telephone line to enable members of the public to directly lodge complaints against Police Officers.
- 254/2025 Hon. Ratu Isikeli Tuiwailevu to ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Tourism and Civil Aviation– Can the Minister update Parliament on Fiji’s participation at the LAGI 2025 Fiji Exhibition and how this initiative supports Fiji’s efforts toward climate resilience and sustainable tourism development.
- 255/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education – Can the Minister update Parliament on the monitoring mechanism put in place by the Ministry to ensure schools do not levy parents and students for enrolment.
- 256/2025 Hon. Ratu Josaia Niudamu to ask the Minister for Public Works, Meteorological Services and Transport – Can the Minister update Parliament on the diagnostic study of the Energy Sector including the status, outcomes and way forward.
- 257/2025 Hon. Semi Koroilavesau to ask the Minister for Agriculture – Can the Minister inform Parliament when will farmers from the maritime areas be allowed to take livestock to the islands.
- 258/2025 Hon. Lenora Qereqeretabua to ask the Minister for Women, Children and Social Protection – Can the Minister update Parliament on the progress made in the development and implementation of the Social Protection Management Information System (SP-MIS) and the Integrated Beneficiary Management System (IBMS) in improving the efficiency and delivery of Fiji’s social protection programmes.
- 259/2025 Hon. Rinesh Sharma to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry – Can the Minister update Parliament on what long-term strategies are in place to address land lease expiration issues affecting many sugarcane farmers.
- 260/2025 Hon. Inosi Kuridrani to ask the Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts – Can the Minister update the Parliament on the progress of the survey of unsurveyed *Mataqali* land around

Fiji that is being conducted by the Native Land and Fisheries Commission.

261/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Women, Children and Social Protection – Can the Minister update Parliament on why the age limit for those receiving busfare assistance increased from 60 to 65 years old.

262/2025 Hon. Alipate Tuicolo to ask the Minister for Rural and Maritime Development and Disaster Management – Can the Minister update Parliament on the positive impact of the Rural Housing Programme to the rural and maritime communities since its reinstatement in 2023.

Written Questions

263/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education – Can the Minister update Parliament on the number of Primary and Secondary School Heads who are acting in the position and for how long.

264/2025 Hon. Ratu Isikeli Tuiwailevu to ask the Minister for Fisheries and Forestry – Can the Minister update Parliament on the following –

- (a) how many Ice Plants are stationed in the rural and maritime regions, per Division; and
- (b) are there plans to install more ice plants and in which areas or location.

265/2025 Hon. Inia Seruiratu to ask the Minister for Policing and Communications – Can the Minister inform Parliament how many Police Officers, from 1 January 2023 to 30 October 2025, have been

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- (a) terminated from employment; and
- (b) demoted in rank.

SCHEDULE 2 — MOTION FOR REFERRAL

1. Hon. Minister for Justice and Acting Attorney-General to move –

“That the Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs and Defence review the International Convention on Maritime Search and Rescue, 1979.”