

PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

ORDER PAPER

Monday, 1 December 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, 28 November 2025, as previously circulated be taken as read and be confirmed."

- 3. Communications from the Chair
- 4. Presentation of reports of committees
- 5. Questions (see Schedule)
- 6. Consideration of Bills

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SCHEDULE — QUESTIONS

Oral Questions

- 298/2025 Hon. Virendra Lal to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister update Parliament on the status of the Call for Tender for the construction of a sugar mill in Rakiraki.
- 305/2025 Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister update Parliament on how the FSC will honour its export quota as per the deadline and ensure timely payment to farmers.
- Hon. Jovesa Vocea to ask the Minister for Environment and Climate Change Can the Minister update Parliament on the 'Revitalising Ecosystems for Sustainable Agriculture and Resilience in Fiji Project'.
- 313/2025 Hon. Hem Chand to ask the Minister for Education Can the Minister update Parliament on the Ministry's plans to ensure all schools have the required teaching and learning resources when schools re-open in January 2026.
- Hon. Jovesa Vocea to ask the Minister for Housing and Local Government Can the Minister update Parliament on the Fiji Resilient Informal Settlements Programme and its planned activities to mitigate climate change impacts and reduce disaster risks in vulnerable communities.
- 315/2025 Hon. Joseph Nand to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister inform Parliament if any evaluation of the Private Public Partnership (PPP) Scheme has been undertaken.
- 316/2025 Hon. Ratu Josaia Niudamu to ask the Minister for Agriculture Can the Minister update Parliament on the development of the Livestock Industry in Fiji.
- 317/2025 Hon. Virendra Lal to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister update Parliament on how far has Government moved in terms of having new hospitals in Suva.
- Hon. Sakiusa Tubuna to ask the Minister for Finance, Commerce and Business Development Can the Minister update Parliament on Fiji's first Artificial Intelligence (AI) Credit Assessment Pilot Project for Unsecured Lending.

- 319/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Public Works, Meteorological Services and Transport Can the Minister update Parliament on the status of the requests for bus shelters in the Western Division, particularly in Nasikawa Vision College.
- 320/2025 Hon. Sachida Nand to ask the Minister for Policing and Communications Can the Minister inform Parliament on how Fiji has leveraged its ratification of the UN Cybercrime Convention to improve national cybersecurity and attract international technical assistance.
- 321/2025 Hon. Virendra Lal to ask the Minister for Youth and Sports Can the Minister inform Parliament if the re-development project of the King Charles Park in Nadi is going ahead.
- 322/2025 Hon. Ratu Isikeli Tuiwailevu to ask the Minister for Agriculture Can the Minister inform Parliament which Agricultural Programmes implemented since 2023 have helped increase crop yields and productivity for smallholder farmers.
- 323/2025 Hon. Alvick Maharaj to ask the Minister for Education Can the Minister inform Parliament on the Ministry's plan to revise the school curriculum to include digital literacy, financial management and entrepreneurship training aligned with Gen Z's modern career needs.
- Hon. Ratu Rakuita Vakalalabure to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister update Parliament on the 'Bright Journey' initiative that has benefitted Fijians from cataract surgeries.
- 325/2025 Hon. Rinesh Sharma to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister update Parliament on the long-term solutions to improve the logistics of transporting sugarcane to the mill for crushing.
- 326/2025 Hon. Alipate Tuicolo to ask the Minister for Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister update Parliament on how the Ministry's Marine Research Vessel RV Yau Dikevi will be utilised to support the strategic goals and operational needs of the Ministry.

- 327/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister inform Parliament what measures are in place to address complaints against licensed surveyors who accept payment but fail to complete the contracted work.
- 328/2025 Hon. Iliesa Vanawalu to ask the Minister for Agriculture Can the Minister update Parliament on the status of pending requests for the construction of sea walls.
- 329/2025 Hon. Semi Koroilavesau to ask the Minister for Public Works, Meteorological Services and Transport Can the Minister inform Parliament on the measures in place to address the issue of scattered vessels at the Suva Harbour, particularly during the current cyclone season.
- Hon. Inosi Kuridrani to ask the Minister for Finance, Commerce and Business Development—Can the Minister update Parliament on how the Ministry is supporting the outsourcing of the industry's growth to promote the adoption of global data protection standards like ISO 27001 to secure business opportunities from Australia and New Zealand.
- 331/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister update Parliament on the plans to enlarge the Valelevu Health Centre.
- Hon. Taito Rokomatu to ask the Minister for Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister update Parliament on what mechanisms and processes are in place to ensure there is no misuse of leased State Land or property.
- 357/2025 Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister update Parliament on the Ministry's strategic plans to attract the younger generation to sugarcane farming to ensure long-term sustainability of the sugar industry.
- Hon. Naisa Tuinaceva to ask the Minister for Finance, Commerce and Business Development Can the Minister update Parliament on the activities in relation to the UNCDF initiative on Parametric Insurance.

- 359/2025 Hon. Virendra Lal to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister update Parliament on the MOU with the Rakiraki Chamber of Commerce in constructing a new mortuary in Ra Divisional Hospital.
- 360/2025 Hon. Sakiusa Tubuna to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services Can the Minister update Parliament on Fiji's partnership with India through the ITEC Programme, particularly regarding the Suva Super Specialty Hospital.
- 361/2025 Hon. Alvick Maharaj to ask the Minister for Public Works, Meteorological Services and Transport Can the Minister update Parliament on key national infrastructure projects currently facing delays, and what is the long-term maintenance plan to mitigate the recurring severe damage to our road network.
- 362/2025 Hon. Ratu Josaia Niudamu to ask the Minister for Housing and Local Government Can the Minister update Parliament on the Fire Victims Assistance Programme.
- 363/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Finance, Commerce and Business Development Can the Minister update Parliament on Government's plans to boost the economy of Levuka given its world heritage status.
- 364/2025 Hon. Ratu Isikeli Tuiwailevu to ask the Minister for Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister inform Parliament on the measures undertaken by the Ministry to address the growing demand for State Land in Fiji, particularly in light of its limited availability.
- Hon. Alvick Maharaj to ask the Minister for Youth and Sports Can the Minister inform Parliament on what formal mechanism is the Government establishing to ensure direct consultation and collaboration with Gen Z's representatives regarding national policy and legislative development.
- 366/2025 Hon. Aliki Bia to ask the Minister for Women, Children and Social Protection Can the Minister update Parliament what the Ministry is doing to address cases of sexual abuse of children.

Written Questions

- 333/2025 Hon. Jone Usamate to ask the Minister for Agriculture Can the Minister inform Parliament how much has been allocated to fight the termite infestation and how many households received the funds in each of the past 3 years.
- 334/2025 Hon. Inosi Kuridrani to ask the Minister for iTaukei Affairs and Culture, Heritage and Arts Can the Minister inform Parliament how many Chiefly positions/titles are still yet to be registered in each province in Fiji.
- 302/2025 Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Minister for Multi-Ethnic Affairs and Sugar Industry Can the Minister update Parliament with respect to the following
 - (a) sugar production for the last 5 years per tonne;
 - (b) export price per tonne for the last 5 years; and
 - (c) amount topped up by Government to meet the payment to farmers per tonne for the last 5 years.