

PARLIAMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF FIJI

ORDER PAPER

Wednesday, 10 February 2021 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, 9 February 2021, as previously circulated be taken as read and be confirmed."

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

SCHEDULE 1 — PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND CERTAIN DOCUMENTS

- 1. Office of the Auditor-General Assessing the Office of the Auditor-General SAI Performance Measurement Framework (*Parliamentary Paper No. 07 of 2021*)
- 2. First Quarter Appropriation Statement on Actual Expenditure From 1 August 2020 31 October 2020
- 3. Fiji Higher Education Commission August 2016 July 2017 Annual Report (*Parliamentary Paper No. 18 of 2020*)

SCHEDULE 2 — MOTIONS FOR DEBATE

1. Hon. Rohit Sharma to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Review of the Fijian Electoral Commission Annual Report 2014' which was tabled on 14 May 2019." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 73 of 2019*)

2. Hon. Vijay Nath to move –

"That Parliament debates the 'Review of Fiji Meat Industry Board 2014 Annual Report' which was tabled on 14 May 2019." (*Parliamentary Paper No. 30 of 2019*)

SCHEDULE 3 — QUESTIONS

Oral Questions

20/2021 Hon. Pio Tikoduadua to ask the Minister for Health and Medical Services – Can the Minister inform Parliament what action will be taken against residents building chicken coops next to dwelling

homes for chicks provided by the Ministry of Agriculture in the rural non-municipal town like Korovou, which is in contravention of rural local authority or health by-laws.

- 21/2021 Hon. Alexander O'Connor to ask the Minister for Commerce, Trade, Tourism and Transport –Given that price gouging is a market occurrence during times of disasters and crises, can the Minister inform Parliament on the prevalence of the issue of price gouging pre and post Tropical Cyclone Yasa and Tropical Cyclone Ana and the steps that were undertaken to minimise it.
- Hon. Mikaele Leawere to ask the Attorney-General and Minister for Economy, Civil Service and Communications Can the Minister inform Parliament of Government's plans with respect to the 60,000 Fiji National Provident Fund members with zero balance in their accounts.
- Hon. George Vegnathan to ask the Minister Infrastructure, Meteorological Services, Lands and Mineral Resources Can the Minister inform Parliament on the status of reinstating water supply to affected areas during the course of Tropical Cyclone Yasa and Tropical Cyclone Ana.
- Hon. Ro Teimumu Kepa to ask the Minister for Education, Heritage and Arts Can the Minister inform Parliament what plans are in place for online learning platforms and other emergency teaching procedures for students in the event of natural disasters or another COVID-19 lockdown.
- Hon. Viam Pillay to ask the Minister for Education, Heritage and Arts Can the Minister inform Parliament, what counselling support will be provided to the teachers and students affected by Tropical Cyclone Yasa and Tropical Cyclone Ana.
- Hon. Jese Saukuru to ask the Minister for Defence, National Security and Policing, Rural and Maritime Development and Disaster Management Can the Minister inform Parliament on the role of NDMO in raising awareness and educating our people on how to prepare for natural disasters.

27/2021 Hon. Sanjay Kirpal to ask the Minister for Defence, National Security and Policing, Rural and Maritime Development and Disaster Management – Can the Minister inform Parliament on the response by the Fiji Police Force during Tropical Cyclone Yasa in ensuring that the mandate of national security and the rule of Law is upheld.

Written Question

28/2021 Hon. Ratu Tevita Navurelevu to ask the Minister for Education, Heritage and Arts – Can the Minister inform Parliament of the list of schools damaged by Tropical Cyclone Harold, status of rehabilitation and the associated costs.