

**NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

**ORDER PAPER**

**FOR THE 56<sup>TH</sup> SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST SESSION**

**(2006 - 2008) OF THE NINTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD**

**AT 2.00 P.M.**

**ON THURSDAY, 3<sup>RD</sup> JULY, 2008**

**IN THE PARLIAMENT CHAMBER, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, GEORGETOWN**

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**BUSINESS FOR SITTING**

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**PUBLIC BUSINESS-**

**(i) GOVERNMENT BUSINESS**

**BILLS – Second Readings**

**1. VISITING FORCES BILL 2008 – Bill No. 5/2008 published on 2008-06-19**

The Minister of Home Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to make provision for armed forces of certain States visiting Guyana and for related purposes.

**(Read a first time on 2008-06-26)**

**2. STATUS OF VISITING POLICE FORCES BILL 2008 – Bill No. 6/2008 published  
on 2008-06-19**

The Minister of Home Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the presence, activities, privileges and immunities of members of foreign police forces and civilian personnel in Guyana and for matters connected therewith.

**(Read a first time on 2008-06-26)**

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3. **HIJACKING AND PIRACY BILL 2008 – Bill No. 7/2008 published on 2008-06-25**

The Minister of Home Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to make special provisions for punishment for the offences of armed robbery, hijacking and piracy and for matters connected therewith.

**(Read a first time on 2008-06-26)**

**BILLS – Second Readings, Committee and Third Readings**

\*4. **ANTI-MONEY LAUNDERING AND COUNTERING THE FINANCING OF TERRORISM BILL 2007 – Bill No. 18/2007 published on 2007-06-04**

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the establishment and management of a Financial Intelligence Unit; to provide for unlawful proceeds of all serious offences to be identified, traced, frozen, seized and eventually forfeited; to provide for comprehensive powers for the prosecution of money laundering, terrorist financing and other financial crimes; and the forfeiture of the proceeds of crime and terrorist property; to require reporting entities to take preventive measures to help combat money laundering and terrorist financing; to provide for civil forfeiture of assets and for matters connected therewith.

**(Read a first time on 2007-06-07)**

**(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2007-06-07)**

\*Not to be proceeded with at this sitting

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\*5. **THE FORESTS BILL 2007 – Bill No. 21 of 2007 published on 2007-07-24**

The Assembly to proceed upon the further stages of the following Bill, after the Special Select Committee has reported thereon:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to consolidate and amend the law relating to forests.

*(Read a first time on 2007-08-02)*

*(Committed to the Special Select Committee on 2007-11-08)*

**(ii) PRIVATE MEMBERS' BUSINESS**

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

**Presentation and first Reading**

**\*FREEDOM OF INFORMATION BILL 2006 – Bill No. 26/2006**

Mr. Raphael Trotman, M.P., is to seek leave to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to give access to information to members of the public.

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\*Not to be proceeded with at this sitting

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**(iii) COMMITTEE BUSINESS**

**Assembly**

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**S.E. ISAACS**  
**Clerk of the National**

**PARLIAMENT OFFICE,  
Public Buildings,  
Brickdam.**

**1<sup>st</sup> July, 2008.**