TENTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA – FIRST SESSION (2012)

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

NOTICE PAPER NO. 37

Member Giving Notice: Hon. Prime Minister and Minister of Parliamentary Affairs

MOTION

HOURS OF SITTING

WHEREAS Standing Order No. 10(1) provides for every sitting of the National Assembly to begin at 2.00 p.m. in the afternoon and unless previously adjourned, end at 10.00

p.m. on the same day;

AND WHEREAS Standing Order No. 10(2) provides that the Speaker may at any time suspend the sitting for a stated period but, unless the Assembly otherwise resolved, the Speaker shall, at 4.00 p.m., suspend the sitting for one hour, and at 7.00 p.m. suspend the sitting for half

an hour;

AND WHEREAS Standing Order No. 10(3) provides for the Assembly at any time by motion made and carried without amendment or debates suspend or vary the provisions of paragraphs one (1) and two (2) of Standing Order No. 10;

AND WHEREAS Standing Order No. 10(4) provides for the Assembly from time to time, alter, by Resolution, the hours provided by Standing Order No. 10 for the beginning and

ending of a sitting.

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BE IT RESOLVED:

That Standing Order Nos. 10(1) and (2) be suspended to enable the Assembly to sit during the following hours to complete the debate on the 2012 Budget within the five (5) days allotted for this purpose by Standing Order No. 71(2):

• 1.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m. – Sitting

• 4.00 p.m. - 5.00 p.m. – Suspension

• 5.00 pm. - 7.30 p.m. – Sitting

• 7.30 p.m. - 8.00 p.m. – Suspension

• 8.00 p.m. - 10.00 p.m. – Sitting

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<u>Date for Order Paper: 2012-03-30</u> - With the consent of the Speaker in accordance with Standing Order No. 28(2)