#### **NATIONAL ASSEMBLY**

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER PAPER**

## PRIVATE MEMBERS' SITTING

# FOR THE 81<sup>ST</sup> SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FIRST SESSION (2020-2024) OF THE TWELFTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

#### AT 10.00 A.M.

# ON THURSDAY, 9<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2024,

# IN THE DOME OF THE ARTHUR CHUNG CONFERENCE CENTRE,

# LILIENDAAL, GREATER GEORGETOWN.

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#### **SUPPLEMENTARY BUSINESS FOR SITTING**

## PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND REPORTS

- (2) By the Senior Minister in the Office of the President with Responsibility for Finance and the Public Service:
  - (iii) Loan Contract No. 5828/OC-GY dated December 8, 2023 between the Co-operative Republic of Guyana and the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) for an amount of US\$30,000,000 to finance the execution of a policy-based reform programme to support Human Services in Guyana.

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(iv) Financing Agreement Credit No. 7473-GY signed on December 15, 2023 between the Cooperative Republic of Guyana and the International Development Association (IDA) for an amount equivalent to SDR26,700,000 to support the Enhancing Policies for Human Capital Accumulation Development Policy Financing Program.

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(v) Term Loan Facility Agreement dated December 22, 2023, between the Co-operative Republic of Guyana and His Majesty the King in Right of Canada, as represented by the Minister of International Development, acting through the Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development (Global Affairs Canada), and done through the Sovereign Loans Programme for an amount of CAD 120,000,000.00 to support the budget of Guyana, including supporting Guyana's social protection priorities in combating human trafficking, gender-based violence, women's economic empowerment and enhancement of the safety net for vulnerable populations.

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(vi) Supplemental Agreement dated December 29, 2023 between the Government of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana and the Bank of China Ltd. to amend and restate certain terms and conditions of the Original Facility Agreement dated December 30, 2022, for an amount equivalent to Euros 160,852,464.00, to partially finance the New Demerara River Bridge (NDRB) Project.

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(vii) The Swedish Export Credit Agency (EKN)-Covered Facility Agreement dated January 12, 2024, between the Co-operative Republic of Guyana, represented by the Ministry of Finance, as the Borrower, and the UniCredit Bank Austria AG, as the Original Lender, and the UniCredit Bank Austria AG, as the Agent and Arranger, for an amount of EUR 135,000,000. The purpose is to finance the design and build of, and the delivery of medical equipment to, a New Hospital Campus in New Amsterdam, Guyana.

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# (4) By the Minister of Housing and Water:

Audited Financial Statements of the Central Housing and Planning Authority for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2021.

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# MOTIONS RELATING TO THE BUSINESS OR SITTINGS OF THE ASSEMBLY AND MOVED BY A MINISTER-

In accordance with Standing Order No. 28(2), the Speaker's consent was given for the following motion to be placed on the Order Paper:

#### SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS NOS. 54(1)(a) and (2)

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs and Governance to move the following motion:

#### **BE IT RESOLVED:**

That Standing Orders Nos. 54(1)(a) and (2) be suspended to enable the Assembly to proceed at its Sitting on Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2024, with the second reading and the remaining stages of the Constitution Reform Commission (Amendment) Bill 2024 – Bill No. 8 of 2024 published on 2024-05-08.

(Notice Paper No. 330 (M79 Govt 42) published on 2024-05-08)

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILLS-**

#### **Presentation and First Readings**

### 2. **DEFENCE (AMENDMENT) BILL 2024 – Bill No. 5/2024**

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Defence Act.

### 3. FUGITIVE OFFENDERS (AMENDMENT) BILL 2024 – Bill No. 6/2024

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Fugitive Offenders Act.

# 4. <u>CRIMINAL LAW PROCEDURE (PAPER COMMITTALS) BILL 2024 – Bill No. 7/2024</u>

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to provide for the abolition of preliminary inquiries; to provide for the procedure in respect of paper committal proceedings in criminal matters; and for matters connected thereto.

# 5. <u>CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL 2024 – Bill No. 8/2024</u>

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Constitution Reform Commission Act 2022.

# **PUBLIC BUSINESS**

# **GOVERNMENT'S BUSINESS**

### **BILLS – Second Readings**

# 12. <u>CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) BILL 2024 – Bill No. 8/2024 published on 2024-05-08</u>

The Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to amend the Constitution Reform Commission Act 2022.

(Read a first time on 2024-05-09)

S. E. ISAACS, Clerk of the National Assembly

PARLIAMENT OFFICE, Public Buildings, Brickdam, Georgetown.

9<sup>th</sup> May, 2024.