NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ORDER PAPER

FOR THE 6^{TH} SITTING OF THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY OF THE SECOND SESSION (2002-2003) OF THE EIGHTH PARLIAMENT OF GUYANA TO BE HELD

AT 2.00 P.M.

ON WEDNESDAY, 9TH APRIL, 2003

IN THE CONVENTION CENTRE, OCEAN VIEW INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, LILIENDAAL, GREATER GEORGETOWN

BUSINESS FOR SITTING

PRAYERS

OATH OF A NEW MEMBER-

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT-

ANNOUNCEMENTS BY THE SPEAKER-

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS-

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS AND REPORTS, ETC.

By the Speaker (Chairman of the Committee of Selection):

Minutes of the Proceedings of the 2nd Meeting of the Committee of Selection of the Second Session held on 4th April, 2003.

(To be Circulated)

QUESTIONS TO MINISTERS -

STATEMENTS BY MINISTERS -

PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS -

REQUESTS FOR LEAVE TO MOVE THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE ASSEMBLY ON DEFINITE MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE -

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

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -

Presentation and First Reading

DEMERARA HARBOUR BRIDGE CORPORATION BILL 2003 - Bill No. 2/2003

The Minister of Transport and Hydraulics, on behalf of the Government, to present the following Bill:

A BILL intituled AN ACT to establish the Demerara Harbour Bridge Corporation.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

MOTIONS

1. <u>BUDGET SPEECH 2003 - MOTION FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE ESTIMATES</u> <u>OF EXPENDITURE FOR 2003</u>

Assembly to resume the debate on the motion for the approval of the Estimates of Expenditure for the financial year 2003.

(Moved by the Minister of Finance on 2003-03-28)

*2. CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 1/2003

Assembly to resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

In Committee of Supply

The Minister of Finance to signify the recommendation or consent of the Cabinet and to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly approve of the proposals set out in Financial Paper No. 1/2003 - Supplementary Estimates (Current and Capital) totalling \$4,917,393,445, for the period ended 31st December, 2002.

(Paper presented on 2003-02-19)

*3. CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 2/2003

Assembly to resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

In Committee of Supply

The Minister of Finance to signify the recommendation or consent of the Cabinet and to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly approve of the proposals set out in Financial Paper No. 2/2003 - Supplementary Estimates (Current and Capital) totalling \$1,293,396,680, for the period 11th October, 2002 to 31st December, 2002 - Advances made from the Contingencies Fund.

(Paper presented on 2003-02-19)

*4. CONSIDERATION OF FINANCIAL PAPER NO. 3/2003

Assembly to resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

In Committee of Supply

The Minister of Finance to signify the recommendation or consent of the Cabinet and to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Assembly approve of the proposals set out in Financial Paper No. 3/2003 - Supplementary Estimates (Capital) totalling \$3,827,000, for the period ended 31st December, 2002.

(Paper presented on 2003-02-19)

*5. ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMITTEE TO REVIEW PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

The Minister of Parliamentary Affairs, to move the following motion:

BE IT RESOLVED:

That this National Assembly approves of the establishment of a Special Select Committee to review the public holidays appointed by the Public Holidays Act, Chapter 19:07, with a view to including as public holidays, the following days, namely:

Independence Day, that is to say, the 26th May, or, if that day is a Sunday, the following day, and

Arrival Day, that is to say, the 5th May, or, if that day is a Sunday, the following day.

(Notice Paper No. 7(M7 Govt7) published 2003-02-17)

BILLS - Second Reading

*6. LAND REGISTRY (AMENDMENT) BILL 2002 - Bill No. 14/2002

The <u>Attorney General and Minister of Legal Affairs</u>, to move the second reading of the following Bill:

A BILL Intituled AN ACT to amend the Land Registry Act.

(Read a first time on 2002-12-05)

*7. KIDNAPPING BILL 2002 - Bill No. 15/2002

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

A BILL Intituled AN ACT to provide for the punishment of the offences of abduction, wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement for ransom and other related offences and for matters incidental thereto.

(Read a first time on 2002-12-05)

Clerk of the National Assembly

PARLIAMENT OFFICE,
Public Buildings,
Brickdam.

9th April, 2003.

^{*}Not to be proceeded with at this sitting