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Title : Statement regarding Government Business of the House commencing 8th of August, 2005 and submission by members.

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12.04 hrs.

BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): With your permission, Sir, I rise to announce that Government Business during the week commencing Monday, the 8th of August, 2005 will consist of :-

1. Consideration of any item of Government Business carried over from today's Order Paper.
2. Discussion and Voting on the following Demands and introduction, consideration and passing of the related Appropriation Bills :-
 - (a) Supplementary Demands for Grants (Railways) for 2005-06
 - (b) Demands for Excess Grants (Railways) for 2002-03.
3. Consideration and adoption of the recommendations of Railway Convention Committee (2004) contained in their Second Report on 'Rate of Dividend for 2005-06 and other ancillary matters'.
4. Discussion on the Statutory Resolution seeking disapproval of the Citizenship (Amendment) Ordinance, 2005 and consideration and passing of the Citizenship (Amendment) Bill, 2005 as passed by Rajya Sabha.
5. Consideration and passing of the Displaced Persons Claims and Other Laws (Repeal) Bill, 2004, after it has been passed by Rajya Sabha.

SHRIMATI MINATI SEN (JALPAIGURI): Sir, the following items may be included in the next week's agenda :-

1. Considering the strategic position of Bagdogra Airport of West Bengal, having a number of SAARC countries in its vicinity, it is necessary to develop this airport into an international standard airport for

improvement of air connectivity necessary for improved trade relations.

2. For speedy disposal of passport applications received from the applicants of North Bengal, it has become extremely necessary to upgrade the present passport applications receiving office of Siliguri into Regional Passport Office.

श्री इलियास आज़मी (शाहाबाद) : अध्यक्ष महोदय, मेरी गुजारिश है कि अगले सप्ताह की कार्यसूची में निम्न विषयों को शामिल किया जाए :-

1. देश में बढ़ रहे भ्रष्टाचार तथा उस पर रोक लगाने के उपाय पर बहस की आवश्यकता।
2. उत्तर प्रदेश में सूखे की हालत पर बहस की आवश्यकता [\[reporter2\]](#)।

SHRI VARKALA RADHAKRISHNAN (CHIRAYINKIL): Sir, the following subjects may be included in the next week's agenda :

- (i) Construction of the second terminal at the Trivandrum International Airport. The foundation stone for the terminal was laid by the hon. Prime Minister long back, but no further action has taken place so far.
- (ii) Upgradation of Regional Vocational Training Institute at Trivandrum as an ITI level Institute.

SHRI P. MOHAN (MADURAI): Sir, I would like to submit that the following item may be included in the next week's agenda :

Abolition of capitation fee received by the self-financing engineering and medical colleges may be provided immediately through a relevant Constitution Amendment Bill in this Monsoon Session itself.

SHRI PRABODH PANDA (MIDNAPORE): Sir, I propose that the following items be taken as matters for discussion in this august House in the next week :

- (i) Mid-term appraisal of the 10th Five-Year Plan.
- (ii) Implementation of the land reforms programmes all over the country.

MR. SPEAKER: It is an important issue. We shall have a discussion on the Mid-term appraisal.

श्री गिरधारी लाल भार्गव (जयपुर) : महोदय, आगामी सप्ताह की संसदीय कार्य-सूची में निम्न विषयों को जोड़ा जाये:

1. जयपुर में यातायात की समस्या को हल करने के लिए जयपुर के चारों ओर जो रिंग रोड बनाई जाने वाली थी, उसे शीघ्र पूरा किया जाये।
2. टोडारायसिंह की रेलवे लाइन को उखाड़ दिया गया था, इसे शीघ्र बड़ी लाइन में परिवर्तित किया जाये, क्योंकि प्रतिर्वा इसी माह में हजारों यात्री डिग्गीपुरी के कल्याण जी की यात्रा करने जाते हैं और आते हैं।

MR. SPEAKER: Certainly, I will be happy. Thank you.

श्री गणेश सिंह (सतना) : महोदय, अगले सप्ताह की कार्य-सूची में निम्न विषयों को शामिल किया जाये:

1. देश की कुल आबादी का एक बड़ा भाग गरीबी रेखा के नीचे जीवन-यापन कर रहा है। इन लोगों को गरीबी रेखा से बाहर लाने के लिए जो योजनाएं सरकार द्वारा चलाई जा रही हैं, उनका लाभ बहुत ही कम लोगों को मिल रहा है। यह परिस्थिति देश के लिए एक चुनौती है। अब तक के जो सर्वेक्षण गरीबी रेखा के हुए हैं, उनमें लाखों लोगों को शामिल नहीं किया गया है, उन्हें इस सूची में शामिल करने के लिए उचित सर्वेक्षण एवं कार्रवाई की जरूरत है।
2. देश में बेरोजगारी की समस्या दिन-प्रतिदिन भयंकर रूप धारण कर रही है। सरकार के द्वारा बेरोजगारी मिटाने के लिए चलाये जा रहे विभिन्न कार्यक्रम बेरोजगारों की तुलना में बहुत कम हैं, देश के अन्दर पढ़े-लिखे तथा गैर पढ़े-लिखे बेरोजगारों की प्रवृत्तियों में घोर निराशा छाई है। देश के अन्दर सरकारी क्षेत्रों में रोजगार दिनों-दिन घट रहे हैं। अतः इसके निदान हेतु आवश्यक कदम उठाये जाने चाहिए।

SHRI P.C. THOMAS (MUVATTUPUZHA): Sir, I suggest the following two items to be included in the next week's agenda :

- (i) Mullapperiyar Dam is in Kerala Territory, which is controlled by Tamil Nadu. It has become a danger to Kerala due to rise of water in the dam. As Tamil Nadu is the beneficiary and in full control thereof, it is for the Government of that State to open the spillway and to release the water. But the dam cannot contain so much of water. It may break, which will eventually wash of, at least, four districts of Kerala and kill lakhs of people. Therefore, there is need for permanent solution to this problem.
- (ii) Pepper, cardamom, arecanut and vanilla farmers are in deep crisis due to steep fall in price. The Government should urgently intervene in this matter.

SHRI SUNIL KHAN (DURGAPUR): Mr. Speaker, Sir, the following items may be included in the next week's agenda :

- (i) From the data-table published by Mijia Thermal Power Project situated in West Bengal it is clear that shortage of coal, at stock, is more than 1.31 lakh metric tonnes in the month of August 2000. To make-up the above noted shortage, specific coal consumption was shown as very high, which is clear from column-B of that table. As a result, difference in the coal stock became negative, which is not practically possible. Negative difference indicates that electricity was produced without coal, and then coal was received at the plant. These high-level irregularities need proper investigation.
- (ii) The migrated people from the then East Pakistan rehabilitated at Udham Singh Nagar in Uttaranchal. Out of two lakhs, about 80 per cent of the migrated people belong to Namasudra by sub-caste. Uttaranchal State Assembly has taken a unanimous resolution on this issue, but still they are upper-caste, whereas in West Bengal Namasudras are Scheduled Castes.

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Punnu Lal Mohale -- not present[\[ak3\]](#).

MR. SPEAKER: Now, we come to important 'Zero Hour' matters. I wish to compliment most sincerely and express my great admiration, if I may say so, for the hon. Members who are waiting to raise their issues after 6 p.m., or after the end of scheduled business. You are showing exemplary concern for the issues that you wish to raise. I am grateful to them for their kind cooperation. This is what the country needs. I, once again, express my

sincere gratitude to all of them. I am sorry that many of the hon. Members have to wait till late evening, but their commitment to Parliament and their commitment to the people is proved by their kind cooperation. I wish to compliment each one of them.

SHRI KINJARAPU YERRANNAIDU (SRIKAKULAM): Sir, the Chair should also give encouragement to the Members.

MR. SPEAKER: You can see the wonderful results we are having. Without your cooperation, it is not possible. I am also thankful to the hon. leaders for their kind willingness and kind support.

श्री किशन सिंह सांगवान (सोनीपत) : अध्यक्ष महोदय, 6 बजे के बाद कोई मंत्री नहीं बैठता है।

MR. SPEAKER: I have already indicated to the hon. Minister of Parliamentary Affairs that it would be treated as a breach on their part and it would be suitably dealt with by the Chair.

We will take up the Calling Attention notice later because of urgency of some other matters. You know it because you are there, and I thank you for your cooperation.