

## BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Sixth Lok Sabha)

### THIRTY-FIRST REPORT

(Presented on 7-3-1979)

The Business Advisory Committee held a sitting on Wednesday, the 7th March, 1979.

2. The Committee recommend the allocation of time to the following items of business as shown against each:—

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| (1) General Discussion on the General Budget for 1979-80                                      | 15 hours  |
| (2) Discussion and voting on Demands for Excess Grants (General) for 1976-77.                 | } 2 hours |
| (3) Discussion and voting on Supplementary Demands for Grants (General) for 1978-79.          |           |
| (4) Discussion and voting on the Demands for Grants in respect of the Ministry/Department of— |           |
| (i) Defence   | 4 hours   |
| (ii) External Affairs   | 6 hours.  |
| (iii) Planning  | 5 hours.  |
| (iv) Agriculture and Irrigation   | 12 hours. |
| (v) Home Affairs  | 8 hours.  |
| (vi) Commerce, Civil Supply and Cooperation   | 6 hours   |
| (vii) Energy  | 5 hours   |
| (viii) Industry   | 8 hours.  |
| (ix) Petroleum, Chemicals and Fertilizers   | 5 hours.  |
| (x) Tourism and Civil Aviation  | 4 hours.  |
| (xi) Education and Social Welfare and Culture   | 6 hours.  |
| (xii) Labour  | 5 hours   |
| (xiii) Steel and Mines  | 5 hours.  |
| (xiv) Shipping and Transport  | 4 hours.  |
| (xv) Information and Broadcasting   | 4 hours.  |

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87 hours

- (5) Finance Bill, 1979

15 hours.  
(To be completed  
by 26th April,  
1979).

3. The Committee also recommend that Discussion and Voting on the Demands for Grants in respect of the Budget (General) for 1979-80 may con-

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clude on Monday, the 23rd April, 1979 and all questions necessary to dispose of all the outstanding matters in connection with the Demands for Grants may be put to vote at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 23rd April, 1979.

4. The Committee further recommend that in order to provide time for timely completion of financial business, with effect from Monday, the 12th March, 1979 till the passing of the Finance Bill, 1979, the House may sit during the Lunch Hour also.

NEW DELHI;

March 7, 1979  
Phalguna 16, 1900 (Saka)

K. S. HEGDE,  
Chairman, . . .

*Business Advisory Committee.*