

FIRST LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

SECOND SESSION



SINGAPORE, 22ND NOVEMBER, 1956

No. 13

10.00 a.m.

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QUESTION FOR ORAL ANSWER

*Mr. G. A. P. SUTHERLAND: To ask the Chief Secretary if—in view of the long delays in the setting down of cases in the High Court for hearing or trial, and in view also of the representations which have been made by the Bar Committee, the Singapore Chamber of Commerce and the Malayan Exchange Banks Association that additional High Court Judges should be appointed—he will make a statement on Government's proposals in the matter of making such additional appointments.

ORDER OF THE DAY

Appropriation Bill—Committee of Supply.† (*Progress 21st November, 1956.*)

(*2nd Allotted Day.*)

First Schedule, Head 26—Contributions and Charitable Allowances—

Amendment proposed—

To reduce by \$100,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 3, Family Planning Association, on page 144 of the Estimates.—(Mr. Goh Tong Liang).

Question proposed—That the sum to be allotted for Head 26 be reduced by \$100,000 in respect of sub-head 3, Family Planning Association, appearing on page 144 of the Estimates.

Resumption of debate on the amendment

(*21st November, 1956.*)

†NOTICES RELATING TO ORDER OF THE DAY

†*Appropriation Bill—Notices of Amendments to be moved in Committee of Supply:*

FIRST SCHEDULE

Head 26—Contributions and Charitable Allowances—

Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:

To reduce by \$5,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 18, Grant to Automobile Association of Singapore, on page 144 of the Estimates.

Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:

To reduce by \$125,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 31, Grant to Young Women's Christian Association, on page 145 of the Estimates.

Mr. LEE KUAN YEW:

To reduce by \$125,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 31, Grant to Young Women's Christian Association, on page 145 of the Estimates.

Head 27—Accountant-General—

Mr. LEE KUAN YEW:

To reduce by \$300,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (23), Hotel Allowance, on page 147 of the Estimates.

Head 35—Fisheries—

Mr. JOHN EDE:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 5, Fisheries Regional Research Laboratory Administration and Staff, on page 169 of the Estimates.

Head 49—Medical and Health—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$20,040 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (6), Assistant Director of Medical Services (Tuberculosis), Grade E, on page 227 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$4,080 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (106), Registrar (Tuberculosis Registry), on page 235 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$18,240 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 68 (1), Medical Superintendent, Grade E, on page 247 of the Estimates.

Head 50—Ministry of Labour and Welfare—

Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:

To reduce by \$29,990 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (1), Minister, on page 269 of the Estimates.

Head 53—Social Welfare—

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (46), Community Centre Organisers, on page 281 of the Estimates.

Head 55—Civil Aviation—

Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:

To reduce by \$1,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 21 (5), Entertainment of Distinguished Visitors, on page 296 of the Estimates.

Head 58—Public Works—

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG:

To reduce by \$18,240 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (8), Senior Quantity Surveyor, Grade G, on page 305 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG:

To reduce by \$6,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (29), Lady Supervisor, Government Holiday Bungalows, on page 306 of the Estimates.

SECOND SCHEDULE**Head D9—Broadcasting—**

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 2, Division I Quarters, Jurong, on page 369 of the Estimates.

Head D12—Defence Services—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

(Governor's recommendation or consent to be signified.)

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 2, Royal Malayan Navy—Shipbuilding, on page 371 of the Estimates.

Mr. JOHN EDE:

(Governor's recommendation or consent to be signified.)

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 3, Singapore Military Forces—Equipment for Singapore Battalion, on page 371 of the Estimates.

Head D16—Police—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1, Garages for Radio Vehicles, on page 372 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 3, New Divisional Headquarters, Queenstown, on page 372 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 4, New Headquarters, Special Branch, on page 372 of the Estimates.

Head D28—Customs and Excise—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1, Quarters for Preventive Staff, on page 375 of the Estimates.

Head D46—Education—

Mr. JOHN EDE:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 6 (3), Primary Schools—Group D, on page 379 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 13, Singapore Polytechnic, on page 379 of the Estimates.

Head D49—Medical and Health—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 5, First District Hospital, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 13 (3), General Hospital—Ancillary Services, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 13 (5), General Hospital, Garage for Ambulance and Drivers' Rest Room, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 14 (2), Kandang Kerbau Maternity Hospital—Flats for twelve Medical Officers, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 14 (3), Kandang Kerbau Maternity Hospital—Ancillary Services, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 14 (4), Kandang Kerbau Maternity Hospital—Additions and Alterations to Existing Hospital Buildings, on page 383 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 15 (4), Tan Tock Seng Hospital—Students Nurses Hostel and Training School, on page 384 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 15 (5), Tan Tock Seng Hospital—Quarters for forty Sisters, on page 384 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 16 (6), Woodbridge Hospital and Trafalgar Home, Hospital Assistants' Quarters, on page 385 of the Estimates.

Head D51—Immigration and Passports—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1, Combined Immigration Depôt and Customs Offices, on page 386 of the Estimates.

Head D53—Social Welfare—

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG:

To reduce by \$130,000 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1, Community Centres, on page 387 of the Estimates.

Head D55—Civil Aviation—

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (1), Singapore Airport—Permanent Terminal Building, on page 388 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK:

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1 (1), Singapore Airport—Permanent Terminal Building, on page 388 of the Estimates.

Head D58—Public Works—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK :

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 1, New P.W.D. Workshops, on page 391 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK :

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 2, Transfer of Airport Quarry Plant to Bukit Timah Quarry, on page 391 of the Estimates.

Head D61—Public Works, Non-Recurrent (General)—

Mr. LIM KOON TECK :

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 4, Canteens at Government Offices, on page 396 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK :

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 13, Modernisation of Division IV Quarters—First Programme, on page 396 of the Estimates.

Mr. LIM KOON TECK :

To reduce by \$10 the sum to be allotted in respect of sub-head 14, New Government Offices, on page 396 of the Estimates.
