

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

FIRST LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY  
SECOND SESSION

SINGAPORE, 10TH JANUARY, 1957

No. 18

10.00 a.m.

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ORDER OF THE DAY AND NOTICES OF MOTIONS

(Those marked ● are Orders of the Day.)

- 1. Motion made by the Financial Secretary—

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

That this Assembly resolves that the sum of \$540,291 shall be supplied to the Government under the heads of expenditure and for the services specified in the Schedule contained in Sessional Paper No. Cmd. 2 of 1957.

*Committee of Supply (Progress 9th January, 1957):*

*Question proposed*—That the sum of \$10,000 for Head 26 stand part of the Schedule.

*Resumption of debate on Question (9th January, 1957.)*

2. The Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing to move—

That this Assembly in accordance with subsection (1) of section 25 of the Singapore Improvement Ordinance (Cap. 259) approves of the borrowing by the Singapore Improvement Trust from the Government of the sum of \$44,737,000 at an interest rate of 5½ per cent per annum repayable over a period of 60 years, the repayments to be made by half yearly instalments based on the annuity method and together with repayments of previous loans to be secured by a legal mortgage of all the immovable properties belonging to and to which the Trust holds legal title and by an equitable charge of all the immovable properties belonging to and to which the Trust holds equitable title for the purposes of enabling the Trust to meet the cost of constructing buildings required for carrying out the purposes of the Singapore Improvement Ordinance.

3. The Financial Secretary to move—

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

That this Assembly approves of the loan by the Government to the Singapore Improvement Trust of the sum of \$44,737,000 at an interest rate of 5½ per cent per annum repayable over a period of 60 years, the repayments to be made by half yearly instalments based on the annuity method and together with repayments of previous loans to be secured by a legal mortgage of all the immovable properties belonging to and to which the Trust holds legal title and by an equitable charge of all the immovable properties belonging to and to which the Trust holds equitable title for the purposes of enabling the Trust to meet the cost of constructing buildings required for carrying out the purposes of the Singapore Improvement Ordinance.

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4. Mr. R. Jumabhoy (Member for Telok Ayer) to move—

That this House is of the opinion that Government's trading in rice and/or stockpiling of rice should be abolished; and that trading in rice should be free.

5. Mr. Lee Kuan Yew (Member for Tanjong Pagar) to move—

That this House is of the opinion that legislation be introduced to protect workers whose interests may be adversely affected by the dissolution of their unions.

6. Mr. Lee Kuan Yew (Member for Tanjong Pagar) to move—

That this House supports the principle of profit-sharing between employer and employees and urges Malayan Airways Limited to share 15 per cent of their accumulated net-profits with their workers at the end of their 10-year franchise.

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