

**LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
**(TO BE CALLED FIRST PARLIAMENT)**  
**SINGAPORE**

**FIRST SESSION**

**ORDER PAPER**

MONDAY, 13TH DECEMBER, 1965

No. 2

2.30 p.m.

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**AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS**

**Introduction of Government Bills**

1. Prime Minister:  
Constitution (Amendment) Bill.
2. Prime Minister:  
Republic of Singapore Independence Bill.
3. Minister for Law and National Development:  
Interpretation Bill.
4. Minister for Law and National Development:  
Guardianship of Infants (Amendment) Bill.
5. Minister for Law and National Development:  
Probate and Administration (Amendment) Bill.
6. Minister for Finance:  
Widows' and Orphans' Pension (Amendment) Bill.
7. Minister for Finance:  
*(Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.)*  
Property Tax (Amendment) Bill.
8. Minister for Finance:  
*(Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.)*  
Corporation Duty (Amendment) Bill.
9. Minister for Finance:  
*(Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.)*  
Stamp (Amendment) Bill.
10. Minister for Finance:  
*(Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.)*  
Estate Duty (Amendment) Bill.
11. Minister for Finance:  
*(Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.)*  
Income Tax (Amendment) Bill.

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12. Minister for Finance:  
(*Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.*)  
Supplementary Supply Bill.
  13. Minister for Finance:  
(*Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.*)  
Supply Bill.
  14. Deputy Prime Minister:  
Singapore Asian Seamen's Club Incorporation (Amendment) Bill.
  15. Deputy Prime Minister:  
Telecommunications Bill.
  16. Minister for Labour:  
Industrial Relations (Amendment) Bill.
  17. Minister for Labour:  
(*Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.*)  
National Registration Bill.
  18. Minister for Culture and Social Affairs:  
Administration of Muslim Law Bill.
  19. Minister for Culture and Social Affairs:  
Destitute Persons Bill.
  20. Minister of Defence:  
People's Association (Amendment) Bill.
  21. Minister of Defence:  
(*Yang di-Pertuan Negara's recommendation to be signified.*)  
Singapore Army Bill.

#### **Business Motion**

22. Deputy Prime Minister:  
SUSPENSION OF STANDING ORDERS: That, notwithstanding the Standing Orders, the Motion of Thanks to the Yang di-Pertuan Negara which has been set down for today be deferred to the 14th December, 1965.

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### **ORDERS OF THE DAY AND NOTICES OF MOTIONS**

(*Those marked ● are Orders of the Day.*)

- 1. Prime Minister:

YANG DI-PERTUAN NEGARA'S SPEECH (ADDRESS OF THANKS): That the following Address in reply to the speech of the Yang di-Pertuan Negara be agreed to:—

We, the Legislative Assembly of Singapore, express our thanks to the Yang di-Pertuan Negara for the speech which he delivered on behalf of the Government at the opening of the present Session of this Assembly.

## 2. Deputy Prime Minister:

SALARY OF SPEAKER: That, pursuant to Article 25 of the Constitution of the State of Singapore, the salary of the Speaker with effect from the 8th December, 1965, shall be \$3,000 a month.

## 3. Minister for Finance:

EXEMPTION FROM PROVISIONS OF INCOME TAX ORDINANCE: That this Assembly resolves that the resolution, passed on 16th September, 1952, by the Legislative Council of the Colony of Singapore under the provisions of the Income Tax Ordinance, 1947 (No. 39 of 1947) to exempt any person resident in Sweden and carrying on the business of shipowner or charterer otherwise than through an establishment in Singapore from all the provisions of the Income Tax Ordinance, 1947, which relate to gains or profits from such business, be rescinded with effect from the 1st day of January, 1966.

## 4. Minister for Finance:

EXEMPTION FROM PROVISIONS OF INCOME TAX ORDINANCE: That this Assembly resolves that the resolution, passed on 20th November, 1951, by the Legislative Council of the Colony of Singapore under the provisions of the Income Tax Ordinance, 1947 (No. 39 of 1947) to exempt any person resident in Italy and carrying on the business of shipowner or charterer otherwise than through an establishment in Singapore from all the provisions of the Income Tax Ordinance, 1947, which relate to gains or profits from such business, be rescinded with effect from the 1st day of January, 1966.

## 5. Minister for Finance:

ANNUAL BUDGET STATEMENT: That the Assembly approves the financial policy of the Government for the year 1966.

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**MEMORANDUM**

Matter proposed to be raised on the Motion for the Adjournment (Standing Order 1 (8) (b)):—

Mr. Bernard Rodrigues

(Member for Telok Blangah) ... The issue of back-pay of the Public Daily Rated Employees Unions Federation.

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**MEMORANDUM**

The following Papers were presented after 13th June, 1965, and before the commencement of the present Session on 8th December, 1965.

1965	<i>Date presented.</i>
Cmd. 5 Annual Report of the Botanic Gardens Department for 1963 ... ..	25th June, 1965.
Cmd. 14 Ministry of Education Annual Report, 1963	5th July, 1965.

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1965	<i>Date presented.</i>
Cmd. 15 Annual Report of the Public Works Department, 1962 ... ..	21st July, 1965.
Cmd. 16 Malayan Rubber Export Registration Board Report on the operations of the Board for the year ended 31st December, 1964	23rd July, 1965.
Cmd. 17 Annual Report of the Inland Revenue Department, 1963 ... ..	25th August, 1965.
Cmd. 18 First Supplementary Development Estimates of Expenditure for 1965 of the State of Singapore ... ..	27th August, 1965.
Cmd. 19 Statement of Excess of Expenditure for 1964 of the State of Singapore ... ..	3rd September, 1965
Cmd. 20. First Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for 1965 of the State of Singapore ...	6th September, 1965
Cmd. 21 Report on the Registration of Births and Deaths, Marriages and Persons for 1963	17th September, 1965.
Cmd. 22 White Paper on Family Planning ...	27th September, 1965.
Cmd. 23 First Supplementary Estimates of Expenditure for 1965 of Singapore ... ..	7th December, 1965.
Cmd. 24. First Supplementary Development Estimates of Expenditure for 1965 of the State of Singapore ... ..	7th December, 1965.
Cmd. 25 Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure of Singapore for the year 1966 ... ..	7th December, 1965.
Cmd. 26 Singapore Development Estimates for the year 1966 .. ..	7th December, 1965.
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L.A. 2 Report of the Select Committee on the Land Acquisition (Amendment No. 2) Bill ...	14th June, 1965.
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Misc. 1 Supplementary Estimates of State Revenue, 1965 ... ..	5th November, 1965.
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S. 10 Annual Report of the Tourist Promotion Board, 1964 ... ..	6th August, 1965.
S. 11 Annual Report of the President Industrial Arbitration Court, 1964 ... ..	13th September, 1965.
S. 12 Accounts of the Administrator of German Enemy Property for the half year ended 30th June, 1964 and the Report of the Director of Audit thereon ... ..	2nd December, 1965.

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**MEMORANDUM—continued**

1965	<i>Date presented</i>
S.L. 12 Prohibition of Imports (Indonesia) Order, 1965 ... ..	4th August, 1965.
S.L. 13 Singapore Society of Accountants (Amendment) Rules, 1965 ... ..	18th August, 1965.
S.L. 14 Accountants Rules, 1965 ... ..	18th August, 1965
S.L. 15 Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment) Order, 1965 ... ..	24th September, 1965.
S.L. 16 Prohibition of Imports (Glutamic Acid) (Cancellation) Order, 1965 ... ..	22nd October, 1965.
S.L. 17 Prohibition of Imports (Monosodium Glutamate) (Cancellation) Order, 1965 ... ..	22nd October, 1965.
S.L. 18 Customs (Duties) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1965 ... ..	8th November, 1965.
S.L. 19 Customs (Drawback) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations, 1965 ... ..	8th November, 1965.
S.L. 20 Customs (Drawback) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations, 1965 ... ..	8th November, 1965.
S.L. 21 Customs Duties (Exemption) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1965 ... ..	8th November, 1965.
S.L. 22 Customs Duties Order, 1965 ... ..	24th November, 1965.

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