



**FIRST LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY**  
**THIRD SESSION**

SINGAPORE, TUESDAY, 22ND APRIL, 1958

No. 2

10.00 a.m.

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**Election of Deputy Speaker**

**QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER**

- \*1. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Chief Minister whether the necessary legislation for the introduction of the new Constitution for Singapore has been finalised; and whether he can state when the Order of Her Majesty in Council containing the new Constitution will be made.
- \*2. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Minister—
  - (a) when was the draft of the proposed new Constitution for Singapore received by the Singapore Government;
  - (b) are there any aspects in the draft of the proposed new Constitution which call for further negotiations, and if he will identify them; and
  - (c) whether he has been in correspondence with the Colonial Office in London during the past year in connection with these aspects, and if he will present the correspondence to this House.
- \*3. Mr. LEE KUAN YEW: To ask the Chief Minister whether he has received from London a draft of the Constitution of the new State of Singapore, and when other parties who participated in the London talks will receive copies of the draft for their approval.
- \*4. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Minister whether he will give this House an opportunity to debate the desirability of a proposed further all-Party Mission to London in connection with the proposed new Constitution for Singapore; and if he will give an estimate of the probable expense to be borne by this territory in connection with the proposed Mission.
- \*5. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Minister whether there has been correspondence between the Singapore Government and the Colonial Office in London arising out of the rejection by this Assembly last year of the anti-subversive clause in the Report of the Constitutional Conference held in London in March and April, 1957; and whether he will present such correspondence to this House.
- \*6. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Chief Minister whether the Government will consider introducing amending legislation for compulsory voting in the forthcoming General Election.
- \*7. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Chief Minister when the new Register of Electors for Legislative Assembly elections under the proposed new Constitution for Singapore will be ready; and what is the earliest practicable date for the holding of a General Election under the new Constitution.

- \*8. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN:** To ask the Chief Minister whether he will make a statement as to the purpose of requiring persons detained under the Preservation of Public Security Ordinance, 1955, and their families to appear before him before the detainees are released.
- \*9. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare what is the total number of unemployed persons in Singapore as on 31st January, 1958, giving a breakdown of this figure into:—
- (i) the number of able-bodied persons; and
  - (ii) the number of sick and disabled persons.
- \*10. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare whether there are persons who have been registered at the Labour Exchange for some years now, and have so far been unable to secure employment; and what steps the Government proposes to take to secure employment for these people as soon as possible.
- \*11. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare what action the Government has taken or intends to take in regard to the statement reported to have been made by Mrs. Shirin Fozdar at the Afro-Asian Conference of women social workers in Colombo alleging that prostitutes from China have dumped themselves in Singapore and that the Colony is now one big brothel.
- \*12. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare if he will make a statement on Government policy with regard to the application for entry into Singapore from China of the wife of a sponsor, resident in Singapore, who has produced documents to prove that his former wife is dead and that his application is in respect of his only wife now living in China.
- \*13. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare if he will state the numbers of persons permitted to enter the Colony from China during the period January to December, 1957, under the different categories:—
- (i) wives of residents in the Colony;
  - (ii) fathers of residents in the Colony;
  - (iii) mothers of residents in the Colony;
  - (iv) children of residents in the Colony, and their ages; and
  - (v) any others, and their relationship to residents in the Colony.
- \*14. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare if he will state the number of persons, classified under separate categories such as doctors, songstresses, strip-teasers, etc., permitted to enter the Colony from Hongkong on a temporary visa during the period January to December, 1957, and the maximum period allowed for any stay in Singapore.
- \*15. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare to what extent has the standard of living of the workers in Singapore increased since June, 1952.
- \*16. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG:** To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare whether and when the Government of the Federation of Malaya will require travel passes in respect of persons travelling from Singapore to the Federation of Malaya; and if the Government will consider requiring similar passes for persons entering Singapore from the Federation of Malaya.

- \*17.** Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Secretary—
- (a) how many persons are at present detained under the Banishment Ordinance (Cap 127); and
  - (b) whether, and how many, persons now detained under the Banishment Ordinance, have been so detained for:—
    - (i) more than one year;
    - (ii) more than six months and up to one year; and
    - (iii) more than three months and up to six months.
- \*18.** Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Secretary how many persons against whom orders of banishment had been issued under the Banishment Ordinance (Cap. 127) were banished from the Colony in the second half of 1957.
- \*19.** Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Secretary whether any persons against whom orders of banishment were issued under the Banishment Ordinance (Cap. 127) more than three months ago have not, in fact, been as yet banished from the Colony; and whether he will state the reasons for the delay in banishing them.
- \*20.** Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Chief Secretary whether Government proposes to introduce legislation for the re-enactment of the Preservation of Public Security Ordinance (No. 25 of 1955), which expires on 20th October, 1958.
- \*21.** Mr. LIM KOON TECK: To ask the Chief Secretary whether interviews between members of the Singapore Bar and persons detained under the Public Security Ordinance at the Criminal Investigation Department have been treated as confidential interviews; and whether he will give an assurance that all necessary steps are taken to ensure the complete privacy of these interviews.
- \*22.** Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary whether any persons detained under the Preservation of Public Security Ordinance, 1955, have been confined at the Central Police Station for more than six weeks, and if he will state the reasons for such confinements in the said Police Station.
- \*23.** Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will describe the conditions in which persons detained under the Preservation of Public Security Ordinance, 1955, are confined; and if he will state whether there is any separate Detention Camp provided for such detainees.
- \*24.** Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will introduce amending legislation so that more stringent measures could be taken against gangsters and kidnappers in Singapore.
- \*25.** Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will state, in regard to the storage and sale of fire crackers,—
- (a) the number of licensed wholesale and retail dealers in the City and rural areas;
  - (b) what steps have been or will be taken against unlicensed dealers; and
  - (c) whether any Court action has been instituted against—
    - (i) unlicensed dealers for storage; and
    - (ii) licensed retail dealers for storage in excess of the quantity permitted in their licences;and the number, if any, of such dealers prosecuted in each case.

- \*26. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will consider introducing legislation to ban all strip-tease shows in Singapore; and if he will cause all existing licences issued to be withdrawn forthwith.
- \*27. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will give the reasons for the delay in implementing the Pawnbrokers (Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, passed by the Assembly on 25th April, 1957, and assented to on 10th May, 1957.
- \*28. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will make a statement on the stand of the Singapore Government towards the Indonesian crisis; and what steps the Government has taken to prevent Indonesians having political connections with the Indonesian crisis from entering this country under the guise as businessmen.
- \*29. Mr. SOH GHEE SOON: To ask the Chief Secretary whether the Government now intends to re-establish the Singapore Sports Stadium Board; whether the Government will take steps or direct that steps be taken by the Board or any other body or persons to estimate the public response to the building of a Singapore Sports Stadium; and whether the Government will consider building a Singapore Sports Stadium.
- \*30. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Chief Secretary if he will consider absorbing temporary officers of over 10 years' service in the Miscellaneous Services into the permanent establishment.
- \*31. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Chief Secretary to state—
- (i) the names of the Police Officers sent abroad for specialised training from 1st January, 1955, to 31st March, 1958;
  - (ii) the type of specialised training they underwent; and
  - (iii) the names of such Police Officers who have returned and the respective Units to which they were attached on their return.
- \*32. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Attorney-General—
- (a) whether the Singapore Government has engaged Mr. G. N. Cross, Q.C., from London for the purpose of prosecuting a case in the Singapore Assize Court, on behalf of the Singapore Government; and whether he will state the reasons for such action; and
  - (b) whether the cost of passages from and to London and accommodation in Singapore for, and the fees of, Mr. G. N. Cross are being paid by the Singapore Government; and what will be the total cost involved.
- \*33. Mr. GOH CHEW CHUA: To ask the Attorney-General whether he is aware of investigations by the Corrupt Practices Investigation Bureau into alleged corrupt practices by the Personnel and Welfare Manager of the Singapore Harbour Board; whether he has received the report from the Bureau; and whether any prosecution is contemplated.
- \*34. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Financial Secretary if the Government will consider introducing legislation to amend the Income Tax Ordinance (Cap. 166), in order to provide exemption from income tax of any honorarium received by Youth Club leaders for the performance of their duties pertaining to the Youth Club Movement.
- \*35. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Financial Secretary to state the reasons for the non-submission of Income Tax Assessment Forms to the Balestier Community Centre since 1953.

- \*36. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Financial Secretary, in view of the objects and activities of Community Centres, whether the Government will consider exempting all Community Centres from income tax.
- \*37. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing when the proposed new coastal road from Bedok Corner to Tanah Merah Besar Road can be completed.
- \*38. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing whether he will consider making Crown Land suitable for farming available to professional farmers who have been evicted by private landowners.
- \*39. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing what is the position now in regard to the construction of a link road between Jurong Road and Chua Chu Kang Road.
- \*40. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing if he is aware of the inconvenience being caused to residents on the upper floors of Singapore Improvement Trust flats by the stoppage of the operation of lifts, and whether he will take steps to ensure that the lifts may be operated again.
- \*41. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing whether there is a shortage of land in the Colony which could be made available as burial grounds; and whether the Government will consider setting up a Committee comprising of dignitaries of all religious bodies to enquire into the question of introducing legislation to provide for the cremation of all dead bodies.
- \*42. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing if he will make a statement in regard to the number of Singapore Improvement Trust housing units approved for erection—  
(i) between April, 1955 and June, 1956; and  
(ii) between June, 1956 and March, 1958.
- \*43. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing if the Government will consider introducing legislation to amend the Local Government Ordinance, 1957, whereby admission to the public gallery at City Council Meetings will only be by Admission Orders issued by the Chief Administrative Officer in accordance with provisions to be laid down in the legislation, and the Chief Administrative Officer will be empowered to remove or arrest any member of the public who misbehaves or creates unruly scenes during the proceedings of any City Council Meeting.
- \*44. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing whether the Government will take over the land at Bukit Panjang and Bukit Gombak and sub-divide it into small building lots for the people in Bukit Panjang division to build their own houses.
- \*45. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Education if he will make a statement on the question of the recognition or otherwise of the Nanyang and other foreign University degrees.
- \*46. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Minister for Education—  
(a) whether technical equipment for secondary schools had been received in Singapore under the Colombo Plan in 1953 and has still not been distributed to the schools;

- (b) whether technical equipment for secondary technical schools had been purchased and received by the Singapore Government in 1953 and has still not been distributed to the technical schools; and
- (c) if he will make a statement on the extent of technical equipment for secondary technical schools donated to and/or purchased by the Government since 1953 which is not being used, and the action he intends to take in connection therewith.

- \*47. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Education if the Government will set up a Committee to enquire into and report upon the standard of English Secondary Education compared with the Chinese Senior Middle School Education and also to recommend to the Government the need or otherwise of changing the text-books at present in use in English Schools to suit the present trend of political changes.
- \*48. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Education—
  - (a) when the Bukit Panjang English Secondary School building will be ready for occupation; and
  - (b) what does he propose to do with the old Bukit Panjang Government School building after it is vacated.
- \*49. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Health whether he will introduce amending legislation to make inoculation of children against diphtheria compulsory.
- \*50. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Communications and Works whether he will consider reviewing the Transport Services policy to cater for the needs of rapidly developing centres in the rural areas.
- \*51. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Communications and Works whether, in view of the announcement made by the Singapore Telephone Board of the steep and sudden increases in telephone charges from 1st July, 1958, and the effect on the cost of living in Singapore consequent on such increases,—
  - (a) the Government will take steps, by amending legislation or otherwise, to prevent the increases taking effect; and
  - (b) the Government will consider nationalising the telephone undertaking now under the control of the Singapore Telephone Board.
- \*52. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Commerce and Industry whether he is aware that the prices of chickens and eggs have slumped over the last six months, but that prices of chicken-feed have not gone down comparatively; and whether he proposes to take action to help the poultry-rearers.
- \*53. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Commerce and Industry whether, in view of the Indonesian situation, he is taking or has taken steps to safeguard the Colony against depletion of its stock of rice and against the rise in the price.
- \*54. Mr. GOH TONG LIANG: To ask the Minister for Commerce and Industry—
  - (a) whether permits or licences have now been issued to Singapore fishermen to enable them to do night fishing in the Straits of Johore; and
  - (b) what are the terms, conditions and restrictions under which the permits or licences are issued.

- \*55. Mr. SEAH PENG CHUAN: To ask the Minister for Commerce and Industry whether the Government is prepared to take immediate steps to bring about the establishment of a permanent Singapore Trade Mission in China.
- \*56. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG: To ask the Minister for Commerce and Industry—
- (a) whether he is aware that an Apple and Pear Importers Committee has been set up in Singapore by Australia and that that Committee confines the importation of Australian apples and pears into Singapore to only thirteen firms;
  - (b) whether he is satisfied that this monopoly has not and will not cause hardship to businessmen who were previously allowed to import those fruits freely and that the prices of those fruits to consumers have not increased and will not increase consequent upon the quantities imported being smaller than the quantities imported before the Committee was set up; and
  - (c) what the Government has done and intends to do in the matter and in particular whether the Government has made representations to the Australian Authorities against the monopoly with the view to restoring the free importation of those fruits at an early date.

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## AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

### Presentation of Government Bills

1. The Chief Secretary—  
Police Force Bill.
2. The Attorney-General—  
Criminal Procedure Code (Amendment) Bill.
3. The Assistant Minister to the Chief Secretary—  
Public Entertainments Bill.
4. The Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing—  
Southern Islands Local Council Bill.
5. The Minister for Commerce and Industry—  
Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill.
6. The Minister for Commerce and Industry—  
Life Assurance Companies (Amendment) Bill.
7. The Minister for Commerce and Industry—  
Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill.
8. The Minister for Labour and Welfare—  
Legal Aid and Advice (Amendment) Bill.
9. The Minister for Labour and Welfare—  
Factories Bill.
10. The Minister for Health—  
Hospitals Board (Amendment) Bill.

11. The Financial Secretary—  
Appropriation (No. 2) (1956) Bill.
12. The Chief Secretary—  
Military Manœuvres (Amendment) Bill.
13. The Chief Secretary—  
Malayan Auxiliary Air Force (Amendment) Bill.
14. The Chief Secretary—  
Malayan Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (Amendment) Bill.
15. The Chief Secretary—  
Royal Malayan Navy (Amendment) Bill.
16. The Financial Secretary—  
Federation of Malaya Customs Duties Collection Bill.
17. The Chief Secretary—  
Widows' and Orphans' Pension (Amendment No. 2) Bill.
18. The Chief Secretary—  
Betting (Amendment) Bill.
19. The Chief Secretary—  
Common Gaming Houses (Amendment) Bill.
20. The Chief Secretary—  
Societies (Amendment) Bill.
21. The Chief Secretary—  
Criminal Justice (Temporary Provisions) (Amendment) Bill.  
[The Member in charge proposes, on a Certificate of Urgency under Standing Order 59, to proceed with this Bill throughout all its stages until the Bill has been read the third time.]
22. The Chief Secretary—  
Penal Code (Amendment) Bill.  
[The Member in charge proposes, on a Certificate of Urgency under Standing Order 59, to proceed with this Bill throughout all its stages until the Bill has been read the third time.]
23. The Chief Minister—  
Singapore Citizenship (Amendment No. 2) Bill.  
[The Member in charge proposes, on a Certificate of Urgency under Standing Order 59, to proceed with this Bill throughout all its stages until the Bill has been read the third time.]

### Motions for the Introduction of Bills

1. Mr. WONG FOO NAM (Member for Pasir Panjang) to move—  
That leave be given to introduce a Bill to amend the Kwong Wai Shiu Hospital Ordinance (Chapter 143 of the Revised Edition).
  2. Mr. LIM KOON TECK (Member for Paya Lebar) to move—  
That leave be given to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Reverend Mother Superior of the Congregation of Good Shepherd Nuns in Malaya.
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**NOTICES OF MOTIONS****1. The Chief Minister to move—**

That this Assembly, in accordance with paragraph (1) of Standing Order No. 61 of the Standing Orders of the Legislative Assembly, Singapore, appoints the following as members of the Committee of Selection:—

Inche ABDUL HAMID BIN HAJI JUMAT (Member for Ulu Bedok).

Mr. J. M. JUMABHOY (Member for Stamford).

Mr. MAK PAK SHEE (Member for Geylang).

Mr. LEE KUAN YEW (Member for Tanjong Pagar).

Mr. LIM CHOON MONG (Member for Serangoon).

**2. The Chief Minister to move—**

That this Assembly resolves that for the better maintenance of the privileges of the Legislative Assembly the Commissioner of Police be requested to make such orders and do all necessary acts and things as are required to ensure that on each day on which the Assembly is sitting during the present session due order and decorum are maintained and preserved in and around the precincts of the Assembly House.

**3. The Minister for Labour and Welfare to move—**

That the order that Sessional Paper No. S.L. 10 of 1958 do lie upon the table be discharged and the paper withdrawn.

**4. The Chief Minister to move—**

That an Address be sent to His Excellency the Governor expressing the thanks of this Assembly for his speech delivered on Wednesday, 9th of April, 1958.

**5. The Financial Secretary to move—**

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

That this Assembly resolves that the sum of \$610 shall be supplied to the Government under the heads of expenditure and for the services specified in the Schedule B contained in Sessional Paper No. Cmd. 5 of 1958.

**6. The Financial Secretary to move—**

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

That this Assembly resolves that the sum of \$871,940 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. 6 of 1958.

**7. The Financial Secretary to move—**

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

That this Assembly resolves that the sum of \$3,150,024 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. 9 of 1958.

**8. The Financial Secretary to move—**

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

That this Assembly resolves that the sum of \$3,954,450 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. 10 of 1958.

9. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG (Member for Changi) to move—

That this Assembly holds the view that, with the introduction of Singapore Citizenship by this Assembly in its effort to secure the loyalty of the people to this country, Singapore citizens have a bounden duty to vote at elections held under the provisions of the Singapore Legislative Assembly Elections Ordinance (Chapter 53) to ensure that the Legislative Assembly is fully representative of the electorate; and calls upon the Government to introduce legislation to provide for compulsory voting in Legislative Assembly elections.

10. Mr. LEE CHOON ENG (Member for Queenstown) to move—

That this Assembly views with very grave concern and alarm the repeated allegations of ill-treatment, by means of electric wires and cold freezing treatments, of some persons detained under the Preservation of Public Security Ordinance, 1955, by some officials of the Singapore Police Force at the Central Police Station, and, in view of the very serious nature of these allegations, is of the opinion that a public Inquiry Commission, headed by a High Court Judge with two or more independent and impartial members of high standing and having public confidence and respect, be set up forthwith to inquire into and report on the truth or otherwise of these allegations.

11. Mr. LEE KUAN YEW (Member for Tanjong Pagar) to move—

That this House deplors the unreasonable and obstructive attitude of the Singapore Harbour Board in refusing to accept and implement the recommendations of the Court of Inquiry set up by the Minister for Labour and Welfare on the 16th day of July, 1957, as contained in Sessional Paper No. S 7 of 1957.

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### QUESTIONS NOT FOR ORAL ANSWER

1. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Labour and Welfare whether he will make a statement on the recent fire at Kampong Koo Chye, Geylang, and what steps have been taken for the relief and rehousing of the victims of the fire.
2. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing whether he will consider implementing a new housing scheme to house those poor families who can only afford to pay a maximum monthly rental of \$15.
3. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Local Government, Lands and Housing—
  - (a) if he will give details of the expenditure of approximately \$54,000 on repairs to Koh Sek Lim Road; and
  - (b) whether he has received any complaints that heavy dust rising from this repaired road is endangering the health of the residents; and what steps he has taken or intends to take in the matter.
4. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Education, in regard to the salary scales of teachers in Chinese schools,—
  - (a) whether the Government is considering a revision of the salary scales;

- (b) since when has the question of a revision been under consideration; and
- (c) what progress has been made in the matter to date, and when can the revision be finalised.
5. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Education if he will consider recognising an untrained teacher with ten years' teaching experience as equivalent in status to a normal-trained teacher.
  6. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Education, in regard to pre-war teachers in Chinese schools who continued to teach in these schools after the war, if he will consider including their pre-war service in their record of service.
  7. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Education if the Government will consider paying post allowance to principals of Chinese schools; and whether consideration will be given to back-dating the payment of the allowance.
  8. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Education whether a memorandum has been submitted to the Government of Singapore by the Malayan Students' Association in the United States of America, on the question of recognition of American degrees of Malaysians, and whether he will make a statement on the matter.
  9. Mr. LIM CHER KHENG: To ask the Minister for Health to give details of the crimes which have been committed within the precincts of Government Hospitals since 1957, and to state what steps have been taken for the protection of the Nurses and other members of the Hospital staff.

### MEMORANDUM

The following Sessional Papers were presented after the Prorogation of the Second Session up to and including the 9th of April, 1958:—

1958	<i>Date presented</i>
Cmd. 1. Report of the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, 1956 ... ..	30th January, 1958.
Cmd. 2. Annual Report of the Labour Department, 1956 ... ..	14th March, 1958.
Cmd. 3. The External Trade and Balance of Payments of Singapore, 1956 ... ..	20th March, 1958.
Cmd. 4. Annual Report of the Rural Board, Singapore, 1956 ... ..	21st March, 1958.
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S.L. 5. The Motor Vehicles (Registration and Licensing) (Amendment) Rules, 1958 ...	6th February, 1958.
S.L. 6. The Singapore Citizenship Rules, 1958 ...	10th March, 1958.
S.L. 8. The Queen's Scholarships and Queen's Research Fellowships Regulations, 1958 ...	19th March, 1958.
S.L. 9. The Arms and Explosives (Explosives) (Amendment) Rules, 1958 ... ..	21st March, 1958.
S.L. 10. The Fees (Passport and Visa) Order, 1955	25th March, 1958.
S.L. 7. The Customs (Offices and Stations) Regulations, 1958 ... ..	29th March, 1958.

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**SESSIONAL PRINTED PAPERS PRESENTED**

1958	<i>Date presented</i>
Cmd. 5. Creation of the General Executive Service ...	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 6. Establishment of District Councils ...	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 7. Report of the Commission of Inquiry into Corrupt, Illegal or Undesirable Practices at Elections ... ..	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 8. Report of the Inquiry Commission into Allegations of Corruption against Mem- bers of the Legislative Assembly or of the Public Service, or against Members or Employees of the City Council or other Statutory Bodies in Singapore, together with a Statement by the Govern- ment ... ..	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 9. Schedule of Applications for Supplementary Provision for which the Approval of the Legislative Assembly is sought ...	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 10. Schedule of Applications for Supplementary Provision for which the Approval of the Legislative Assembly is sought ...	14th April, 1958.
Cmd. 11. Report of the All Party Committee for the Delimitation of Legislative Assembly Electoral Divisions, together with a state- ment by the Government ... ..	17th April, 1958.
Cmd. 12. Corrigendum to Sessional Paper No. Cmd. 3 of 1958, the External Trade and Balance of Payments, 1956 ... ..	17th April, 1958.
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S.L. 11. The Fees (Passport and Visa) Order, 1955	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 12. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment) Order, 1955 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 13. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment) Order, 1956 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 14. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment) Order, 1956 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 15. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment No. 3) Order, 1956 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 16. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment No. 4) Order, 1956 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 17. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment No. 1) Order, 1957 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 18. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1957 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 19. The Fees (Passport and Visa) (Amendment No. 3) Order, 1957 ... ..	11th April, 1958.
S.L. 22. The Singapore Citizenship (Transitional Pro- visions) Rules, 1958 ... ..	12th April, 1958.

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