

**FIRST LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
THIRD SESSION**

SINGAPORE, THURSDAY, 24TH APRIL, 1958

No. 4

10.00 a.m.

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ORDER OF THE DAY AND NOTICES OF MOTIONS

(Those marked ● are Order of the Day)

- 1. Motion made by the Chief Minister and Question proposed—
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.
Adjourned Debate on Question [23rd April, 1958]
2. 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.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. 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.
6. 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.

7. 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.

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

That this House deploras 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.
