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QUESTIONS FOR ORAL ANSWER*

- *1. Ms Poh Li San:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether it will consider a regulatory regime for chiropractors practising in Singapore; and (b) how can consumers be protected from poor standards and even malpractice under the current self-regulation model.
- *2. Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Minister for Transport since Singapore Airlines became a designated operating entity under the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore Act 2009 (a) whether losses from and carrying amount in its foreign associates have been assessed against its capacity to provide essential transport services; and (b) whether such losses, or a continuing pattern thereof, would engage the notification duty in section 67B, and on what criterion.
- *3. Mr Saktiandi Supaat:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs in light of the recent case where an individual allegedly committed further sexual offences against minors after being arrested and released on police bail for an earlier sexual offence, whether the Police (i) considers an accused person's access to minors when determining bail conditions and (ii) where warranted, imposes restrictions on contact with minors and coordinates with other agencies.
- *4. Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs in relation to the individual recently sentenced for sexual offences against minors, first arrested in 2021 for molesting a 17-year-old and released on bail the same day (a) whether any monitoring or supervision was imposed after the 2021 arrest; and (b) whether the authorities were aware that the individual continued to present himself publicly as a religious figure while interacting with minors.
- *5. Mr Sharael Taha:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs in light of the recent case where an individual previously arrested for an alleged sexual offence involving a minor subsequently committed sexual offences against younger children while on police bail, whether the Police will review its risk assessment, bail conditions and safeguards for persons under investigation for sexual offences involving minors.
- *6. Dr Wan Rizal:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether any mechanism exists by which organisations running activities for children, including mosques, madrasahs, self-help groups and community organisations, can be alerted to, or screen for, individuals convicted of sexual offences against minors, in a manner consistent with court orders protecting victims' identities; and (b) whether the Ministry will consider a controlled screening facility for roles involving unsupervised access to children.

- *7. **Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether the Ministry will consider introducing a consent-based, pre-employment and self-voluntary vetting mechanism via SingPass which allows prospective instructors, coaches, tutors and volunteers to generate digital tokens which will enable employers in unregulated sectors, religious organisations and parents to verify the absence of past child sexual offence convictions without disclosing full criminal histories before engaging such individuals.
- *8. **Dr Wan Rizal:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs what proactive surveillance and enforcement actions is MUIS taking to identify and penalise unaccredited individuals who bypass the Asatizah Recognition Scheme (ARS) by offering informal religious instruction, spiritual mentoring, or home tuition via social media platforms.
- *9. **Mr Saktiandi Supaat:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs to what extent will MUIS review safeguards for religious activities involving minors at mosques, including (i) supervision of interactions between adults and children (ii) verification of persons conducting religious instruction or mentoring and (iii) protocols for parents, mosque staff and youths to report individuals who operate outside of the authorised programmes.
- *10. **Ms Hazlina Abdul Halim:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs regarding the recent case involving an individual not accredited under the Asatizah Recognition Scheme (ARS) who conducted religious lessons at a mosque (a) whether MUIS has established how he came to conduct such lessons; (b) whether similar unofficial lessons have been reported at other mosques; and (c) what safeguards is MUIS implementing to prevent such unofficial and unauthorised classes from taking place.
- *11. **Ms Hazlina Abdul Halim:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) whether the requirement for religious teachers to be accredited under the Asatizah Recognition Scheme (ARS) applies to all persons conducting religious classes on mosque premises, including informal, private or self-organised classes by persons who are not mosque employees; and (b) if so, what measures can mosques take to identify and prevent uncredited religious teachers from conducting such classes.
- *12. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) why a man recently sentenced for serious sexual offences was reportedly able to conduct religious classes in a mosque for the youth victims and their friends, despite not being a member of staff, volunteer, or an accredited religious teacher; and (b) what safeguards has MUIS implemented to ensure that only accredited asatizahs can conduct classes at mosques.
- *13. **Ms Hazlina Abdul Halim:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) with regard to the affected victims of sexual offences at the mosque premises, how is MUIS and MSF supporting them, especially with recent speculations on the victims' identities online; and (b) whether there are plans to work with social service agencies or Malay/Indian/Muslim organisations to also support their families.
- *14. **Dr Wan Rizal:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) whether mosques and Islamic education providers are required to conduct background screening on staff, volunteers and freelance instructors who work with children; (b) how many mosques have a written child safeguarding policy in place; and (c) whether MUIS will publish the findings of its current review and any resulting minimum safeguarding standards, so that parents can see what has changed.

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- *15. **Mr Sharael Taha:** To ask the Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs (a) when the review of safeguarding measures at mosques will be completed; (b) whether it will strengthen safeguards for informal religious activities involving minors, including the verification of religious teachers, supervision of adult-child interactions and access to secluded areas; and (c) whether consistent mechanisms for reporting and responding to safeguarding concerns will be established across all mosques.
- *16. **Ms Sylvia Lim:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) what proportion of the 227 recorded cases of outrage of modesty in the first half of 2026 within residential premises involved offenders who exploited positions of trust or power; (b) what proportion of these cases involved victims under the age of 16; and (c) whether the Police are considering further public education to encourage reporting in domestic contexts.
- *17. **Mr Low Wu Yang Andre:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) when the announced expanded childcare leave will commence; (b) how the Government will monitor take-up rates by (i) parent, sector and firm size and (ii) adverse employment outcomes following leave; and (c) whether the Government will publish these outcomes regularly.
- *18. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) how many salary-related claims were filed with the Tripartite Alliance for Dispute Management (TADM) in each of the past three years, and what proportion involved workers paid in cash; (b) whether the Ministry has assessed that mandatory electronic salary payment would strengthen documentary trail and aid early detection of non-payment risk; and (c) whether the Ministry will mandate electronic salary payment for migrant workers.
- *19. **Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower whether the Ministry will consider strengthening employment protections for lower-income Professionals, Managers and Executives (PMEs) who may have limited bargaining power to negotiate fair employment terms and working conditions, including protections comparable to those available to lower-income non-PME workers.
- *20. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs in light of suspicious entities masquerading as Singapore-based think tanks and recruiting former public officers for privileged information (a) what safeguards prevent foreign actors from exploiting Singapore as a base for covert intelligence-gathering; and (b) how authorities identify, block, deregister and take action against entities suspected of facilitating such activities.
- *21. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information in light of recent Government Officials Impersonation Scams involving calls from eight-digit numbers beginning with “3” (a) what identity-verification and traceability requirements apply when service providers assign Level “3” telephone numbers to customers; and (b) whether these requirements and procedures for suspending numbers linked to scams will be reviewed.
- *22. **Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Minister for Education in light of recent school violence incidents overseas, what measures (i) safeguard students and staff (ii) strengthen early intervention for at-risk youths and (iii) ensure Singapore’s schools remain safe, supportive, and prepared for potential threats.
- *23. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) how does the Ministry ensure that school leaders and staff are adequately trained and supported to manage crises, given the range of school contexts; and (b) how is the effectiveness of this support periodically reviewed.

- *24. Mr Alex Yam Ziming:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development in light of recent serious child abuse cases (a) whether the Government will review the adequacy of child safeguarding measures across institutions and community settings where adults interact with children, including measures for early detection, reporting and intervention; and (b) whether common minimum safeguarding standards should apply across such settings.
- *25. Mr Ang Wei Neng:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) (a) what is the impact of the latest 12.5% tariff on Singapore's economy; (b) how is Singapore going to engage the US on the new tariff despite Singapore's trade surplus in favour of the US; and (c) what measures will the Government take to minimise the impact on Singaporean companies exporting to the US.
- *26. Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) regarding the United States' 12.5% Section 301 forced labour tariff (a) how many direct engagements has the Minister had with the US Trade Representative since investigations were initiated in March 2026 and when were these engagements; (b) what evidence verifying local labour compliance has Singapore provided; and (c) what mechanisms are being pursued to secure an exemption from this tariff for Singapore.
- *27. Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) given the section 301 tariffs imposed on Singapore (a) whether the Ministry has asked the United States Trade Representative (USTR) for the specific evidence used to conclude that Singapore's absence of a dedicated forced-labour import prohibition burdens US commerce; and (b) what legislative, operational and enforcement benchmarks must be satisfied given that the EU was still penalised despite having enacted a forced-labour import prohibition.
- *28. Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) how many workplace fatalities from January to August 2026 involved workers being struck by falling objects; (b) whether the Ministry has identified any common causes or safety lapses contributing to such incidents; and (c) whether targeted measures will be introduced to strengthen the prevention of such incidents.
- *29. Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) how inter-agency coordination arrangements have been reviewed and strengthened following past major haze episodes, such as those in 2013 and 2015; and (b) whether the Ministry will publish the key coordination lessons and protocols to support public and employer preparedness.
- *30. Assoc Prof Terence Ho:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) whether the Government conducts regular surveys to assess media literacy among Singaporeans, particularly their ability to critically evaluate online information and to identify misinformation and disinformation; and (b) whether the findings are tracked across different age groups.
- *31. Ms Kuah Boon Theng:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry has considered if there are measures that can be taken to address the issue of persistent organ shortage for transplant; and (b) whether the current organ donation consent framework, which is based on an opt-out system, has been effective or requires reassessment.

- *32. Ms Kuah Boon Theng:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) how many human organ transplants were performed in Singapore in the last five years; (b) how many of these were (i) living and (ii) cadaveric donor transplants; and (c) what are the reasons why the number of cadaveric donor transplants have reportedly remained low in spite of our opt-out system under the Human Organ Transplant Act.
- *33. Ms Poh Li San:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information in view of the national push for AI adoption (a) whether the Ministry will review the baseline of 300 megawatts additional data centre capacity outlined in the Green Data Centre Roadmap; and (b) other than the four new data centres recently announced, whether more data centres will be expected in the near future.
- *34. Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) whether the Government will consider introducing a mandatory Corporate Due Diligence framework to align Singapore-registered firms with the European Union's Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence Directive on fostering sustainable and responsible corporate behaviour to maintain our competitive edge as a transparent global trade hub.
- *35. Mr Ang Wei Neng:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information arising from the lawsuit settlement against Meta in the US recently and Meta's agreement to restrict teenagers' usage of Meta platforms, whether the Ministry will consider requesting (i) Meta to do the same in Singapore and (ii) other social media platforms to adopt similar measures to restrict access by teenagers in Singapore.
- *36. Mr Kwek Hian Chuan Henry:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower in light of the recent workforce restructuring across industries and the growing adoption of AI, whether the Ministry will consider working with employers to develop longer-term paid internship or apprenticeship programmes for fresh graduates in affected sectors to help them gain meaningful initial work experience.
- *37. Mr Alex Yam Ziming:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth (a) what lessons has the Ministry drawn from the strong demand for the SG Youth Plan co-living pilot, including whether this reflects a broader desire among young Singaporeans for earlier independent living; and (b) how will the findings from the pilot inform future youth policies.
- *38. Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether Singapore's greenhouse gas accounting captures the full carbon impact of land reclamation, including (i) emissions from dredging, material transport and fill placement (ii) loss of coastal and marine carbon sinks and (iii) carbon released through disturbance of carbon-rich marine sediments; and (b) if not, whether these impacts will be progressively incorporated.
- *39. Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Heat Stress Advisory and associated public health guidance account for heightened irritability, impulsivity or aggression risk among vulnerable groups during heat waves, including psychiatric patients, dementia caregivers and frail elderly persons; and (b) whether frontline health and allied health protocols incorporate this risk during sustained hot periods.
- *40. Ms Poh Li San:** To ask the Minister for National Development in view of the rise of business closures in the first seven months of 2026, with the construction industry seeing the sharpest rise in shutdowns, how can the Government better support smaller construction firms which face financial strain from rising costs and competition from foreign firms.

- *41. Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) how the Ministry will help SMEs manage manpower gaps arising from expanded childcare leave; (b) how it will ensure workloads are not disproportionately shifted to non-parent employees; and (c) what safeguards will be put in place to prevent employers from inadvertently discriminating against parents or becoming less willing to hire workers with caregiving responsibilities due to their leave entitlements.
- *42. Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health beyond the recent increases to withdrawal limits for the Chronic Disease Management Programme (CDMP), Flexi-MediSave and outpatient scans (a) whether lower- and middle-income retirees with chronic conditions outside the remit of these specific schemes face gaps in MediSave coverage for sustained outpatient care; and (b) how the Ministry monitors affordability of outpatient healthcare services for these groups.
- *43. Mr Christopher de Souza:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance whether the Government will consider providing additional benefits for Singaporeans aged 65 and above, including transport support or other concessions, to help reduce living costs and support mobility in old age.
- *44. Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower whether the Skills and Workforce Development Agency (SWDA) will consider integrating wraparound support in addition to monetary support for the involuntarily unemployed into the Jobseeker Support Scheme, such as childcare or caregiving support and temporary deferment of HDB housing loans.
- *45. Mr Kwek Hian Chuan Henry:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health whether the Government will consider providing temporary financial support to caregivers of persons requiring substantial short-term care due to temporary disabilities or acute medical conditions but do not qualify for the Home Caregiving Grant.
- *46. Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether ACRA has recorded cases where a company's sole ordinarily-resident director is unable to resign because no replacement has been appointed and other directors or shareholders remain uncontactable; (b) if so, what avenues currently exist for such a director; and (c) whether ACRA will consider introducing a safeguarded resignation mechanism, subject to reasonable notice and compliance checks.
- *47. Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower in light of the recent Employment Claims Tribunal judgment involving a cancer survivor who resigned after difficulties obtaining suitable workplace accommodations, whether the Ministry will consider strengthening protections for workers returning to work after major illnesses, including clearer obligations on employers to provide reasonable workplace accommodations during their recovery.
- *48. Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) whether persons with severe mental health conditions whose functional limitations and caregiving needs are comparable to those of persons with disabilities are eligible for disability support schemes and concessions; (b) if so, how many applications have been received and rejected the past five years; and (c) if not, whether the Ministry will review the eligibility criteria.
- *49. Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower whether the Ministry will review the Migrant Domestic Worker (MDW) employment model to reduce excessive employer liability, strengthen employment agency accountability and address agencies' operational challenges, while enhancing safeguards for MDWs so that responsibilities and risks are more fairly shared across all parties.

- *50. Ms Cassandra Lee:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry has information on how the Agency for Integrated Care (AIC) assesses eligibility and priority for Enhanced Home Personal Care (HPC+), including whether a senior has a caregiver and, where one is present, the caregiver's health, availability, capacity to provide sustained care and need for support or a break; and (b) if so, what are the assessment criteria.
- *51. Ms Lee Hui Ying:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower in view of efforts to attract top-tier global talent through schemes such as the Overseas Networks & Expertise Pass (a) whether the Government will study the feasibility of introducing a dedicated institutional endorsement framework, modelled on the Foreign Artistic Talent Scheme; and (b) what safeguards will be put in place to complement local talent development, and protect career opportunities.
- *52. Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the Government expects the Investment Management Track under the Overseas Networks and Expertise (ONE) Pass framework to reduce the Singaporean to foreigner ratio in top roles in the asset management industry; and (b) what assurances can be provided to the 20,000 Singaporeans in the industry that this scheme would not compromise their career progression and lead to shared economic gains.
- *53. Assoc Prof Kenneth Goh:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the Government tracks the impact that the tax incentive conditions under (i) the revised sections 13O and 13U of the Income Tax Act and (ii) the Philanthropy Tax Incentive Scheme have on family office giving; and (b) if so, what is the number of (i) family offices making qualifying donations and (ii) the aggregate amounts donated locally and overseas.
- *54. Dr Haresh Singaraju:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health given Synapse's role as the sole national HealthTech agency (a) how value for money and service performance of critical national health IT systems are assured; (b) how Synapse's costs and service standards are benchmarked against industry comparators; and (c) how concentration risk in national health IT infrastructure is assessed and mitigated.
- *55. Dr Neo Kok Beng:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information with the advent of GenAI in video productions (a) whether the Ministry has a programme or initiative to encourage GenAI micro-drama production by artists and content providers; and (b) whether the Ministry will consider introducing grants or incentives to promote such AI usage.
- *56. Mr Darryl David:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether the Ministry can provide an update on its dedicated mentorship framework for teachers and other staff within the Ministry's school system; and (b) how the Ministry ensures that these mentors remain relevant and continue to add-value.
- *57. Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) what changes have been made to the selection and monitoring of student care operators following the termination of a student care operator's contract in February 2026 due to contractual breaches; (b) whether safeguards governing GIRO deductions by student care operators will be strengthened; and (c) what recourse remains available to parents who have yet to recover monies that were deducted without authorisation.
- *58. Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) how the Ministry ensures the Sexuality Education curriculum's approach to gender-based violence remains relevant and effective; and (b) whether any review or update of the curriculum is planned.

- *59. Mr Alex Yam Ziming:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth (a) what safeguards are in place to protect public monies disbursed through arts and heritage grants and matching funds where recipient organisations subsequently encounter financial difficulties; and (b) whether recent cases have prompted a review of financial monitoring, governance requirements and recovery mechanisms.
- *60. Assoc Prof Terence Ho:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth (a) whether the Ministry will consider reviving the Sing Singapore music festival for community groups and schools to build community spirit in the run-up to future National Day celebrations; and (b) if not, why not.
- *61. Mr Darryl David:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth what is the current strategy for evolving grassroots engagement models to better reflect the needs of a more digitally savvy and diverse population.
- *62. Ms Gho Sze Kee:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) how have the estimated lifetime cost and funding position of the Pioneer Generation Package changed since the establishment of the Pioneer Generation Fund in 2014; and (b) what are the reasons why there is a current estimated difference between the Fund balance and its remaining liabilities.
- *63. Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance following the Estimates Committee's call for greater transparency on the sustainability of the Pioneer, Merdeka Generation and Majulah Package Funds (a) whether updated planning assumptions and stress-test ranges will be published; (b) which indicators will trigger top-ups; and (c) how does the Government plan to avoid large, delayed top-ups that may fall on future Budgets.
- *64. Ms Eileen Chong Pei Shan:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) what specific indicators comprise the suite of mental health indicators that the Ministry tracks across the school system; and (b) based on these indicators, whether the results of the quarterly student well-being surveys show that student well-being have improved, worsened or remained unchanged since the surveys began, at (i) primary (ii) secondary and (iii) pre-university levels respectively.
- *65. Ms Eileen Chong Pei Shan:** To ask the Minister for Education regarding students flagged as requiring support by the quarterly well-being surveys (a) what proportion of students were flagged in each of the past five years and at which school levels were these the highest; (b) whether schools are required to follow a standard follow-up protocol; and (c) who is accountable for these follow-ups.
- *66. Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance whether the Ministry will consider a refundable Working Mother's Child Relief top-up or refundable childcare credit targeted at middle-income working mothers with three or more Singapore Citizen children who have reached the \$80,000 personal income tax relief cap.
- *67. Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health in each of the past five years (a) how many operations targeted the illegal sale or supply of cough mixtures misused for intoxication, including codeine or dihydrocodeine products; (b) how many prosecutions, composition fines and repeat offenders were recorded, and how many clinics, wholesalers or suppliers faced enforcement action; and (c) whether penalties for repeat offenders will be reviewed.

- *68. Dr Haresh Singaraju:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry has assessed the likely impact of the upcoming RTS Link on the number of residents travelling to Johor Bahru for medical care and prescription medicines; and (b) what measures are planned to safeguard continuity and safety of care for patients with chronic conditions who receive part of their care or medicines outside Singapore's healthcare system.
- *69. Mr Christopher de Souza:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health in light of the myriad digital healthcare applications used by public healthcare system users, especially seniors, whether the Government will consider consolidating or streamlining these applications for a more consistent and convenient user experience across them.
- *70. Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Minister for Education for new towns such as Tengah, whether children unable to secure a place in their zoned primary school due to phased intake arrangements, such as Pioneer Primary School, which will not have Primary 4 and Primary 5 classes in 2027, can access student care at their zoned school or alternative arrangements, given school-based centres serve only enrolled students.
- *71. Ms Hany Soh:** To ask the Minister for Law (a) what is the frequency of checks conducted on trees located on land in the Dempsey area managed by the Singapore Land Authority (SLA); and (b) whether SLA will increase the frequency of checks on these trees to detect trees at risk of falling as early as possible.
- *72. Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) why have more than half of the fresh graduates who completed the GRaduate Industry Traineeship (GRIT) programme not found employment; (b) why have only 20% of GRIT completers secured employment at their host companies; and (c) what actions are being taken to help unemployed trainees who have completed the GRIT programme secure employment.
- *73. Mr Low Wu Yang Andre:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower for each of the GRIT and GRIT@Gov programmes, among trainees who completed their traineeships by 31 July 2026 and have since found employment (a) how many have entered full-time permanent employment; (b) what is their median time to employment; and (c) whether programme-specific outcomes will be published regularly.
- *74. Assoc Prof Kenneth Goh:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) what has been the take-up rate and usage of the anti-scam safeguards introduced by CPF Board, including the (i) CPF Withdrawal Lock (ii) Trusted Contacts and (iii) CPF Safety Switch; and (b) whether CPF Board has assessed if these safeguards are reaching CPF members who are most at risk of scams.
- *75. Ms Sylvia Lim:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what role does HDB perform in ensuring fire safety at coffee shops and eating houses within HDB blocks; and (b) what are the respective fire insurance requirements imposed on operators of businesses and on individual stallholders.
- *76. Ms Cassandra Lee:** To ask the Minister for National Development in respect of rectification works for HDB flats (a) is there any existing framework to coordinate access to the flat by HDB-appointed parties and agencies like the Town Council; and (b) what measures can be put in place to reduce the burden on working households to attend to repeated visits.
- *77. Dr Neo Kok Beng:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development for the SG Child Support Package (a) whether the foster parents will receive the annual Child Credits of \$2,000 for the benefit of a child under long-term care of six months or more; and (b) if not, whether the annual Child Credits will be deposited into the Child Development Account (CDA) of the foster child.

- *78. Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development in view of expanded parental leave provisions (a) whether ECDA has assessed if the existing relief staff pool has sufficient capacity to meet increased short-term manpower needs across the preschool sector while maintaining required staff-child ratios; and (b) whether the pool will be expanded if demand increases.
- *79. Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) which Progressive Wage Model sectors have basic wage schedules that now exceed the threshold of \$2,600 in Part 4 of the Employment Act; (b) how many employees have moved outside the coverage of Part 4 as a result; and (c) whether the threshold is reviewed when a wage schedule is set.
- *80. Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower given that a local employee may cease to count towards an employer's foreign worker quota when receiving CPF contributions from multiple employers (a) how employers can verify an employee's status to count towards the employer's foreign worker quota; and (b) whether the Ministry will provide employers with eligibility notifications without disclosing other employment arrangements.
- *81. Mr Lee Hong Chuang:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Ministry will enhance localised lightning early warning systems and integrate real-time location-based lightning alerts into the national apps; and (b) whether the Meteorological Service Singapore tracks "clear-sky" lightning strikes where no visible storm indicators are present.
- *82. Mr Jackson Lam:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Ministry can provide the total capital and annual operating costs of the Beverage Container Return Scheme, including the network of Return Right Reverse Vending Machines; and (b) whether the Ministry has assessed the comparative cost-effectiveness of centralised AI-enabled waste sorting against the current deposit return model.
- *83. Ms Joan Pereira:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment what immediate bilateral representations or joint interventions Singapore has initiated with regional partners to assist with fire-suppression efforts in recent active hotspot clusters.
- *84. Mr Lee Hong Chuang:** To ask the Minister for Transport whether the Ministry will consider (i) introducing a discreet in-app reporting feature for commuter misconduct on public transport (ii) strengthening protocols that empower bus captains to enforce commuter etiquette and transit bylaws without fear of abuse and (iii) reviewing penalties for passengers who refuse to comply with the lawful instructions of bus captains.
- *85. Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether the Land Transport Authority will review public bus service standards to include specific maximum scheduled intervals during weekday school dismissal hours; and (b) whether intervals for Bus Service 228 between 1.15 pm and 2.15 pm can be reduced from the current 12 to 13 minutes to match morning and evening peak hour levels.
- *86. Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether LTA is studying heat-mitigation and air-purification solutions for open-air bus interchanges and stops, such as the cooling-cum-purifying systems previously trialled by ST Engineering, given rising ambient heat over the coming decade; and (b) whether such features could be incorporated into planned interchange renovation and upgrading works.

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- *87. Mr Darryl David:** To ask the Minister for National Development what measures and auditing processes does the Council for Estate Agencies (CEA) have in place to ensure licensed property agents consistently uphold ethical standards and fair dealing requirements when facilitating Singapore housing transactions for citizens residing abroad.
- *88. Ms Hany Soh:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether HDB will consider including the installation of external retractable clothes drying racks for executive maisonette under the Home Improvement Programme (HIP), to enhance safety and convenience especially for senior residents; and (b) if not, what are the reasons militating against doing so.
- *89. Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) given the recent Pet Animal Licensing System maintenance downtime, whether cat owners who are affected by the system downtime and unable to apply for a cat license will face enforcement action after the 31 August 2026 deadline; (b) whether the free licensing period will be extended; and (c) how many pet cats have been licensed under the cat licensing scheme to date.
- *90. Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment since the Beverage Container Return Scheme's launch (a) how many complaints have been received regarding refund failures; (b) what is the average resolution time for such complaints; and (c) whether automated refund crediting can be considered.
- *91. Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) what are the Ministry's reasons, if any, for maintaining separate disability-related cards, including the Persons with Disabilities Concession Card, Developmental Disability Registry Identity Card and CARA membership card; and (b) whether the Ministry has considered consolidating these into a single disability credential that can support multiple Government schemes and services.
- *92. Dr Neo Kok Beng:** To ask the Minister for Transport on the replacement of tactile tiles at pedestrian crossings (a) whether the replacements can be accelerated to be completed within two years, instead of the planned four-year timeline; and (b) whether the Government would consider extending replacement works to HDB and residential estates.
- *93. Ms Lee Hui Ying:** To ask the Minister for Transport regarding efforts to deter indiscriminate parking of shared bicycles in public spaces (a) how many complaints relating to shared bicycles parked outside designated zones were received in (i) 2025 and (ii) 2026 to date, respectively; and (b) how many users were (i) charged the \$5 penalty fee and (ii) banned as repeat offenders, respectively.
- *94. Mr Kwek Hian Chuan Henry:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance whether the Government will work with the insurance industry to enable senior policyholders to access part of their life insurance death benefits early to meet nursing home, caregiving and assisted living expenses, with a corresponding reduction in the eventual benefits payable to their beneficiaries.
- *95. Mr Lee Hong Chuang:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) whether the Ministry can provide an outline on measures taken to reduce the electricity grid's exposure to global natural gas price shocks; (b) whether it can ensure that Open Electricity Market retailers honour fixed-price plans during periods of fuel price surges; and (c) whether it can strengthen safeguards against retailer exits from the market resulting in consumers reverting to higher regulated tariffs.

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- *96. Ms Gho Sze Kee:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development following the convictions in Indonesia of those involved in the baby trafficking syndicate (a) whether the Government has reviewed the status of the children in Singapore linked to the case; and (b) whether any further action is being taken in relation to their legal status or welfare.
- *97. Mr Sharael Taha:** To ask the Minister for National Development how the Government will engage environmental, heritage and community groups in planning for the consolidation of the Southern Islands, to ensure that environmental impacts and the cultural and historical significance of the islands, including their connections to communities such as the Orang Laut, are adequately considered.
- *98. Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Minister for National Development beyond project-level Environmental Impact Assessments, (a) whether the Government will consider conducting cumulative environmental assessments where multiple reclamation, dredging or coastal development projects may affect the same marine ecosystems; and (b) whether such assessments will be published early enough to inform project design and public consultation.
- *99. Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for National Development regarding the reclamation plans for a new Western Island and further works at Pulau Tekong announced at the 2026 National Day Rally (a) what environmental impact assessments will be conducted before these projects proceed; (b) what is the Government's current assessment of the likely environmental and climatological impact; and (c) what mitigation measures are planned, in particular for corals.
- *100. Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for National Development regarding the planned Western Islands land reclamation (a) how Government agencies are engaging with former residents of the islands; and (b) how heritage and community considerations arising from the islands' history prior to resettlement in the 1980s will be factored into the land use and design plans for the reclaimed area.
- *101. Mr Low Wu Yang Andre:** To ask the Minister for National Development regarding the proposed western island development (a) which islands and surrounding waters are being considered; (b) what ecological baseline and alternatives studies will inform site selection; and (c) whether the Government will publish these studies, consult the public, and identify habitats to be avoided or protected before reclamation decisions are made.
- *102. Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development in cases where children have suffered prolonged sexual abuse (a) what immediate and long-term support, including mental health care, is provided to child victims; (b) what assistance is given to affected families and caregivers, especially where parents are absent; and (c) how the Ministry ensures continuity of care as these children grow older.
- *103. Ms Hany Soh:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) what is the rationale for requiring a donor of the Lasting Power of Attorney (LPA) to notify his donee upon the revocation of the former's LPA; and (b) why is there no corresponding need for the donor to inform his new and replacement donee.

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- *104. Mr David Hoe:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance while retaining the flexibility of the annual Child Credits for families, whether the Government will consider ways to encourage or incentivise their use for children's developmental experiences, such as sports, arts, hobbies and other interests, including by building on the objectives and ecosystem developed under the Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth's Curiosity Credits initiative.
- *105. Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth whether the Government will consider expanding the seating capacity of Jalan Besar Stadium, including through the installation of a permanent stand along King George's Avenue, so as to reduce the ticket scarcity that enables scalping.
- *106. Mr David Hoe:** To ask the Minister for National Development in light of the land reclamation plans announced at the 2026 National Day Rally and recent public concerns over Maju Forest and Gillman Barracks, whether (i) additional reclaimed land will affect decisions on developing existing green spaces and (ii) lessons can be drawn on engaging communities earlier in land-use planning.
- *107. Mr David Hoe:** To ask the Minister for National Development as part of additional housing support for large families announced during the National Day Rally 2026, whether HDB will review the Minimum Occupation Period (MOP) framework to allow greater flexibility for families whose household size has increased substantially, including waivers or shortened MOPs where they need to move from a smaller flat to a larger HDB flat.
- *108. Ms Sylvia Lim:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what aspects, if any, of the Draft Final Report entitled "Environmental Study for Proposed Long Island Development" released on 30 June 2026 will be revised in the light of feedback from scientists and nature groups; and (b) whether the Government will provide consultation periods of longer than four weeks for future projects.
- *109. Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether the ongoing review of the Primary One Registration Framework with the intent to strengthen open access and to support a good social mix in our schools will include consideration of granting automatic priority placement, in lieu of balloting, to children from single-parent or financially disadvantaged families who reside within a school's home-distance radius; and (b) if not, why not.
- *110. Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Minister for Education regarding parent volunteering as a route to Phase 2B priority (a) whether the Ministry has assessed selection and admission outcomes by parents' income, occupation and working arrangements; (b) why schools may select volunteers without common published criteria or flexible service options; and (c) whether the Ministry will standardise safeguards or reconsider linking admission priority to unpaid volunteering.
- *111. Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Minister for Education in light of the public feedback on the O-level English oral examination (a) whether the Ministry has reviewed factors contributing to the concerns raised, including perceived disparities between preparation prompts and the actual questions; (b) whether appropriate access accommodations were provided for candidates with special educational needs, particularly those on the autism spectrum; and (c) what refinements will be made for the examinations.
- *112. Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether the Ministry has reviewed whether the current Primary 1 registration framework for new residential developments should recognise the Temporary Occupation Permit (TOP) date, or other evidence of actual residence, instead of the Vacant Possession Date (VPD), when determining eligibility to use a residential address for home-school distance priority; and (b) if not, why not.

- *113. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) what proportion of industrial land on Jurong Island remains vacant; and (b) in respect of the plan announced at the National Day Rally for the new western island, what considerations prevent these activities from being accommodated on existing or uncommitted Jurong Island land before undertaking substantial land reclamation for the new island.
- *114. **Ms Denise Phua Lay Peng:** To ask the Minister for National Development whether any measures can be taken to reduce the noise and other disruptions caused by members of the public who gather along the common corridors of HDB flats to watch fireworks displays, including those who picnic there during such events.
- *115. **Mr Jackson Lam:** To ask the Minister for National Development whether HDB has assessed the impact of lion dance performances on residents living near common areas or industrial areas.
- *116. **Assoc Prof Terence Ho:** To ask the Minister for Transport whether the Ministry has assessed the relative merits of periodically tendering MRT operating licenses against having dedicated long-term operators for individual MRT lines, taking into account the benefits of contestability as well as continuity in line-specific engineering and maintenance expertise, institutional knowledge and accountability for reliability.
- *117. **Mr Ang Wei Neng:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the Government is satisfied with the 20-year annualised real return of 3.4% by GIC for the period that ended on 31 March 2026; (b) whether there are current rules preventing GIC from adjusting its investment framework quickly in response to rapid market changes; and (c) how would the lower return impact funding for the Government's expenditure in the next few years.
- *118. **Ms Gh0 Sze Kee:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower in light of the recent Employment Claims Tribunals decision interpreting section 45 of the Employment Act 1968 (a) whether the Government will clarify the intended purpose of section 45; and (b) whether the provision remains necessary and consistent with the Government's policy on retrenchment benefits.
- *119. **Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) what principles and risk parameters determine the GIC's Strategic Portfolio framework; (b) whether there were different performance benchmarks in previous years and how does the current performance benchmark differ from previous benchmarks; (c) whether GIC's performance versus the return expectations of the Strategic Portfolio over five, 10- and 20-year periods will be published; and (d) if not, why not.
- *120. **Mr Liang Eng Hwa:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) (a) whether the strong AI-led economic growth seen in the last four quarters can be sustained; and (b) what are the potential risks and disruptions to the Singapore economy should there be a major correction in global AI-investment and asset valuations.
- *121. **Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether the SCDF has assessed if existing firefighting capabilities, including water supply requirements and specialist equipment, remain adequate as the national electric vehicle population continues to grow.
- *122. **Ms Denise Phua Lay Peng:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs what regulatory and non-regulatory measures are in place to prevent the accumulation of flammable materials in public areas, such as along Queen Street, that may pose a fire risk to businesses, residents and visitors.

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- *123. Ms Denise Phua Lay Peng:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) what is the number of fires in the last two years in (i) commercial and non-residential premises and (ii) residential premises; and (b) what preventive actions are or will be further taken to reduce fire incidents.
- *124. Ms Joan Pereira:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether there are plans to roll out mandatory or regular scenario-based emergency evacuation drills for more Singaporeans that go beyond fire safety.
- *125. Ms Joan Pereira:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether SCDF has specific safety guidelines or an advisory to guide the public on the storage and charging of lithium-ion batteries in personal mobility devices, e-bikes and power banks in HDB flats; and (b) if not, whether SCDF plans to have such guidelines or an advisory.
- *126. Mr Liang Eng Hwa:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether SCDF and relevant agencies, including HDB, will consider carrying out inspections and issuing enforcement notices requiring homeowners to remove, rectify or mitigate identified fire hazards within their units; (b) whether these agencies have adequate powers to intervene where serious fire hazards are identified within residential units; and (c) if not, whether relevant legislation can be reviewed.
- *127. Mr Saktiandi Supaat:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the Ministry has assessed the impact of China's recent tightening of tax enforcement on offshore trusts and wealth structures on Singapore's wealth-management and related professional-services sectors including any likely effects on tax revenues, investment flows and employment; and (b) what measures are being taken to maintain Singapore's attractiveness as a trusted wealth-management centre.
- *128. Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether, when balancing housing needs against the development of ecologically or historically significant land, the Government will consider intensifying existing or planned low-density residential areas, including Good Class Bungalow Areas and developments near MRT stations (e.g. Holland Plain and Turf City); and (b) what planning principles govern their retention.
- *129. Ms Nadia Ahmad Samdin:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) how does the Government monitor over time whether retained forests and ecological corridors remain ecologically functional following development, including in terms of habitat quality, ecological connectivity, urban cooling and stormwater attenuation; and (b) how do these findings inform further planning decisions.
- *130. Ms Nadia Ahmad Samdin:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what ecological criteria, indicators and thresholds determine whether a site should be avoided for development; (b) how are important habitats, plants, animals and ecological connections scientifically assessed alongside ecosystem services; and (c) how do these support Singapore's long-term City in Nature vision.
- *131. Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) how many nature reserves are gazetted under the Parks and Trees Act, and when each was gazetted; (b) what criteria govern such designation and whether Tagore forest has been assessed against them; and (c) whether the Ministry will consider designating Tagore forest as a nature reserve.

- *132. Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) how the current approximately 7,800 hectares of green spaces are differentiated according to ecological significance; (b) whether Ecological Profiling Exercise findings inform this classification; and (c) whether secondary forests identified as ecological corridors will be accorded a distinct planning status from managed parkland.

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MINISTERIAL STATEMENTS

1. **Prime Minister and Minister for Finance:
Coordinating Minister for Public Services:**

Government's Response to the '2026 Review of Salaries for Political Appointment Holders and Members of Parliament'.

Note: Notice will be given for the Ministerial Statements to be debated under SO 44 on an available sitting on 10 September 2026.

AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF PUBLIC BUSINESS

Introduction of Government Bills

1. **Second Minister for Finance:**
Finance (Income Taxes) Bill.
2. **Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade):**
Financial Services and Markets (Amendment) Bill.
3. **Minister for Digital Development and Information:**
Digital Infrastructure Bill.
4. **Minister for Transport:**
Land Transport and Related Matters (No. 2) Bill.
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ORDERS OF THE DAY

1. Civil Defence Shelter and Fire Safety (Miscellaneous Amendments) Bill [Bill No. 15/2026] – (Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs) – Second Reading.
 2. Land Titles (Strata) (Amendment) Bill [Bill No. 18/2026] – (Minister for Law) – Second Reading.
 3. Scams (Countermeasures) and Other Matters Bill [Bill No. 16/2026] – (Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs) – Second Reading.
 4. Health Sciences Authority (Amendment) and Other Matters Bill [Bill No. 17/2026] – (Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health) – Second Reading.
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NOTICE OF MOTION

1. **Ms Poh Li San (Sembawang West):**
Ms Valerie Lee (Pasir Ris-Changi):
Ms Nadia Ahmad Samdin (Ang Mo Kio):
Mr Ng Shi Xuan (Sembawang):

SECURING SINGAPORE'S FOOD FUTURE:

That this House calls for the Government to enhance food resilience and support efforts to reduce food waste through partnerships with all of society, so as to ensure Singaporeans have access to affordable food supply amidst geopolitical uncertainties and climate-related risks.

MEMORANDUM

Matter proposed to be raised on the Motion for the Adjournment (SO 2(8)(b)).

Dr Wan Rizal (Jalan Besar)	:	Building a Sustainable Educator Workforce for the Next Phase of Education Reform.
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QUESTIONS FOR WRITTEN ANSWER

1. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether regular sales commissions are included in the computation of Government-Paid Maternity Leave benefits; (b) if not, why may such regular remuneration be excluded when similar variable earnings are recognised in National Service Make-Up Pay computations; and (c) whether the Government will review these frameworks across agencies to ensure consistency and equitable treatment of male and female employees.
2. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether the removal of the 5% cap on physical investment precious metals under tax incentive schemes for funds applies to metal vaulted outside Singapore; (b) whether palladium qualifies as investment precious metals and, if not, why not; (c) what criteria determine whether an investment precious metals fund is bona fide; and (d) what role increasing Singapore-based metal vaulting plays in these policies.

3. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) what (i) are the gaps in the local investment ecosystem the new Hedge Fund Investment Programme is designed to fill and (ii) is the proposed eligibility criteria, including whether participating firms must hire a minimum number of local investment professionals; (b) how eligibility criteria for the Programme and the new tax-exemption interact; and (c) what safeguards will govern MAS's selection criteria.
4. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) what is the MAS's assessment of the impact of China's new tax rules for offshore trusts on Singapore's financial industry and trust industry; and (b) whether Common Reporting Standard (CRS) exchanges with China are confined to financial account information or also capture underlying real estate and immovable property holdings.
5. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance (a) whether MAS has assessed Singapore's proposed profit-related returns exemption against Hong Kong's Bill gazetted in June 2026 to expand tax breaks; (b) if so (i) how does the scope and tax treatment differ (ii) whether Singapore's regime will be broader or narrower and (iii) what is the projected impact of the Bill on fund manager relocation and assets under management in Singapore.
6. **Mr Shawn Loh:** To ask the Prime Minister and Minister for Finance in light of the better-than-expected GDP growth and continued uncertainty over the implementation of global minimum tax rules, whether the Ministry will consider updating its medium-term fiscal projections before Budget 2027 and to (i) extend the projections beyond 2030 and (ii) include different scenarios modelling the responses by MNCs to the global minimum tax.
7. **Mr Saktiandi Supaat:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) (a) whether recent investment and productivity gains have led the Ministry to reassess Singapore's medium-term potential growth rate; and (b) what respective contributions from labour-force growth, capital deepening and productivity growth would be required to sustain annual real GDP growth of around 3% to 4% over the next decade.
8. **Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo:** To ask the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade) (a) what impact will Singapore's inclusion in the US Shadow Transshipment Network Report have on trade flows, business compliance costs and our hub reputation; and (b) what measures are being taken to strengthen enforcement, support affected firms and safeguard Singapore's long term economic interests in this respect.
9. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether the Ministry can share the root causes, if any, identified from the recent spate of missing person cases; and (b) how these findings are coordinated with relevant agencies to strengthen preventive measures, improve early intervention, and reduce the likelihood of similar incidents occurring.
10. **Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether existing fire safety standards for enclosed and multi-storey car parks remain adequate for increasing numbers of electric vehicles, particularly with regard to smoke extraction, ventilation, emergency access and prolonged firefighting operations.

11. **Mr Jackson Lam:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) how many loanshark harassment cases were recorded in 2025; and (b) whether the Ministry has assessed the effectiveness of the anti-harassment hotline and community watch schemes in deterring such activities.
12. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs given advances in light-emitting diode (LED) and other lights used by emergency vehicles (a) whether the Ministry has reviewed the impact of the brightness and flashing patterns of emergency warning lights on motorists' vision and road safety, particularly at night; and (b) whether different brightness levels or operating modes should be considered for daytime and nighttime use.
13. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs whether the Immigration and Checkpoints Authority will present, alongside provisional suicide figures (i) the number of deaths pending Coroner's Inquiry and (ii) from 2023, each year's provisional and final suicide figures and resulting revision in one series, to enable like-for-like year-on-year comparison.
14. **Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether statutory penalties for major sexual offences against children and young persons, such as rape, penetrative sexual assault and outrage of modesty, will be reviewed in view of recent increases in reported cases; and (b) whether the Ministry has evaluated pharmacological anti-androgen treatments and a sex offender register as additional measures to increase deterrence and reduce recidivism.
15. **Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) whether the Ministry will review the adequacy of the current servicing, testing and inspection regime for dry rising mains in residential blocks; and (b) what measures will be taken to ensure that fire-fighting water supply systems remain reliable under actual emergency operating conditions.
16. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Senior Minister, Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs (a) when SPF began maintaining a non-public record of persons convicted of serious offences under the Registration of Criminals Act; (b) how many active records relate to sex offenders; (c) how many individuals have been screened out of positions of trust involving children annually since the record's inception; and (d) how many times MOE has approached MHA to screen individuals with this record.
17. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry has assessed the combined impact of healthcare subsidy eligibility thresholds on households around the monthly per capita household income threshold of \$2,300; and (b) if so, what are the findings regarding the resulting out-of-pocket healthcare expenditure.
18. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) how many Community Intervention Team (COMIT) and Community Resource, Engagement and Support Team (CREST) teams have had their funding prematurely terminated in the past five years; (b) what were the main reasons for such terminations; and (c) what safeguards are in place to ensure continuity of care for affected patients and families.

19. **Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) whether the Ministry will consider providing universal postnatal home visits by nurses or midwives for maternal recovery, breastfeeding, mental-health screening, infant checks, newborn care and sleep guidance; (b) if universal visits are not feasible, whether targeted visits will be offered based on clinical or social needs; and (c) whether polyclinic postnatal services will be further subsidised.
20. **Dr Haresh Singaraju:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) how postings of healthcare professionals across public healthcare institutions are determined, including roles within the Ministry, MOH Holdings and the clusters; (b) what criteria are applied when allocating posts for each posting cycle; and (c) how these criteria have been adjusted to prioritise the manpower needs of primary and community care settings, in support of Healthier SG and an ageing population.
21. **Mr Jackson Lam:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) what is the current gap between the average life expectancy and healthy life expectancy of Singapore residents; and (b) how this gap has changed over the past 10 years.
22. **Ms Joan Pereira:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health whether the Ministry of Health will consider working with the Ministry of Manpower to set up a scheme to recruit and train Migrant Domestic Workers who specialise in dementia care, and set up a 24-hour outreach centre to support their work.
23. **Mr Yip Hon Weng:** To ask the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health (a) what proportion of existing Integrated Shield Plan rider policyholders will be required to transition to compliant riders after April 2028; (b) what proportion has switched voluntarily; and (c) whether retaining most legacy riders indefinitely will delay the intended reduction in over-servicing, claims and private healthcare cost escalation.
24. **Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment whether NEA will consider new measures to discourage smoking while walking along public walkways, such as designated smoking points or public education campaigns focused on second-hand smoke on the move, to minimise the impact on non-smoking pedestrians and enhance the air quality of shared public transit routes.
25. **Ms Diana Pang Li Yen:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) what responsibilities do operators of food premises licensed by the Singapore Food Authority (SFA) have when individuals repeatedly sell health products illegally on their premises; (b) whether SFA may impose licence conditions, suspend or revoke a licence if the operator knew of the sales; and (c) whether a formal warning framework requiring reasonable preventive steps by the operator will be considered.
26. **Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Ministry has assessed whether the Beverage Container Return Scheme (BCRS) has reduced beverage containers disposed of as waste or litter; (b) if so, what are the preliminary findings; and (c) whether the Ministry will publish periodic assessments of the scheme's environmental impact beyond the number of containers returned.
27. **Mr Jackson Lam:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) what plans are in place to manage end-of-life electric vehicle (EV) batteries as more EVs reach the end of their Certificate of Entitlement cycle; and (b) whether Singapore has sufficient recycling and disposal capacity to meet future demand.

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28. **Mr Saktiandi Supaat:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) whether the Government tracks the number of days on which heat-stress conditions exceed established risk thresholds in residential and commercial areas; (b) which groups of residents and workers are assessed to be most exposed; and (c) whether current heat-stress measures adequately cover delivery riders, cleaners, security officers and other workers who move between multiple outdoor locations.
29. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment what is the average monthly cost incurred by a cooked food stallholder in (i) an NEA-managed hawker centre and (ii) a Socially-conscious Enterprise Hawker Centre, including stall rental and mandatory ancillary charges such as Service and Conservancy Charges, table-cleaning, centralised dishwashing, electronic point-of-sale and other service fees.
30. **Assoc Prof Jamus Jerome Lim:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment whether there are plans under the Beverage Container Recycling Scheme to locate a Reverse Vending Machine in the vicinity of every coffeeshop or supermarket to simplify the return of containers at these high-usage locations.
31. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for Sustainability and the Environment (a) how many water pipe burst incidents in the past five years have occurred within or affected private residential developments; (b) what were their main root causes and the average age of the affected pipes; and (c) what recourse is available to residents and Management Corporation Strata Titles (MCSTs) for damage or disruption arising from such incidents.
32. **Dr Haresh Singaraju:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development in respect of persons lacking mental capacity with no appointed deputy, including those whose caregiver has died or lost capacity, and beyond the Assisted Deputyship Application Programme (a) how the Ministry proactively identifies such persons before a crisis arises; and (b) what interim support is provided while deputyship is being established.
33. **Dr Haresh Singaraju:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) in each of the past three years, how many requests for information on a donor's Lasting Power of Attorney have been made by healthcare providers through the Office of the Public Guardian Online (OPGO) portal; and (b) what is the average time taken to fulfil each such request.
34. **Ms Elysa Chen:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) what avenues exist for fathers who believe they have been unfairly denied access to their children following Child Protective Service interventions to seek review; and (b) how does the Ministry ensure that decisions on parental access are communicated transparently to affected parents.
35. **Dr Charlene Chen:** To ask the Minister for Social and Family Development (a) whether ECDA's sector-wide job redesign project will measure actual changes in educators' working hours, non-teaching workload, and retention; and (b) whether the findings and resulting recommendations will be published.
36. **Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) whether the Government has assessed the implications of AI-generated geospatial imagery for Singapore's crisis communications and public warning systems; (b) whether existing disinformation response protocols adequately cover fabricated satellite imagery; and (c) whether new guidance will be issued to public agencies in this respect.

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37. **Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) whether the Government conducts exercises involving AI-generated imagery depicting false incidents in Singapore; (b) if so, which agencies participate; and (c) what lessons have been learnt to improve responses to future AI-enabled disinformation.
38. **Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information what support is available for seniors and residents with limited digital proficiency who face difficulties accessing television programme information due to the discontinuation of printed television programme schedules.
39. **Ms Cassandra Lee:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information in view of the fact that the Transparency Guidelines for Generative AI Chatbots recently released by the Infocomm Media Development Authority are voluntary (a) whether the Government is considering mandating baseline transparency disclosures for sensitive applications of AI, for example in healthcare, children or personal data; and (b) what factors will inform such a decision.
40. **Dr Choo Pei Ling:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) how the Government evaluates whether successive measures to protect children online are achieving their intended outcomes; and (b) what key outcome measures or indicators are used to assess their effectiveness and guide future policy refinements.
41. **Mr Sharael Taha:** To ask the Minister for Digital Development and Information (a) when the Government expects to complete its review of social media safeguards for children; and (b) in light of recent cases involving online grooming of minors, whether the review will include stronger safeguards against unsolicited adult-child interactions and measures to identify and restrict potentially harmful accounts.
42. **Ms Gho Sze Kee:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether the Ministry engages with school bus operators that are not officially appointed by public schools; (b) whether such operators benefited from the temporary fuel cost support provided from April to June 2026; and (c) whether the MOE-capped fuel surcharge framework from July 2026 will apply to these bus operators and the students they serve.
43. **Mr Victor Lye:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether students receiving medical or psychological treatment for gender dysphoria are permitted to continue their education in mainstream schools and junior colleges; and (b) whether any student has been required or advised to discontinue schooling, transfer institution or defer treatment because of such treatment or the student's gender presentation.
44. **Ms Eileen Chong Pei Shan:** To ask the Minister for Education (a) whether third language grades count towards Edusave academic award eligibility, school promotion decisions, and post-secondary admission aggregates; (b) whether the Ministry tracks how often third language grades lower rather than improve a student's aggregate; and (c) whether making a pass or fail grading option available to students has been considered.
45. **Ms Eileen Chong Pei Shan:** To ask the Minister for Education for Third Language students, in the past five years (a) what is the withdrawal rate by (i) year of study and (ii) language; and (b) what are the top five most commonly cited reasons for withdrawal.

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46. **Ms Eileen Chong Pei Shan:** To ask the Minister for Education regarding quarterly student well-being surveys (a) in which year were they introduced; (b) whether they are administered in all primary and secondary schools and pre-university institutions; (c) which published or validated instruments are the questions based on; (d) whether teachers or students complete them; and (e) whether school-level results are shared with the Ministry.
47. **Ms Lee Hui Ying:** To ask the Minister for Education whether the Ministry will issue updated guidelines to all Institutes of Higher Learning to (i) review their use of AI-detection tools and AI-related academic policies and (ii) establish a transparent, independent and timely appeals process for students who are flagged for suspected AI use.
48. **Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) whether the Energy Market Authority has assessed the risk of simultaneously low solar generation across Singapore and those imported from Johor over prolonged periods, and its impact on electricity reliability; (b) what reserve capacity or contingency measures are in place to mitigate such correlated supply risks; and (c) whether these resilience assessments form part of the criteria for approving future electricity import projects.
49. **Mr Shawn Loh:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) in light of stellar overall GDP growth rates (a) whether the Ministry has assessed new concentration risks arising from disproportionately high growth in the electronics manufacturing sector while tepid growth is observed in domestic-facing sectors; and (b) if so, whether there are strategies to mitigate these concentration risks.
50. **Mr Ng Shi Xuan:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) what is the proposed rent for the new pop-up spaces along Orchard Road relative to retail spaces in neighbouring malls; (b) whether the Government has data on the vacancy rates in these malls; and (c) whether there are plans being considered for local brands using such pop-up stores in their next wave of growth.
51. **Mr Alex Yeo:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) whether the Ministry has information on (i) what proportion of prepayment losses exceeding \$1.9 million in the first half of 2026 arose from CaseTrust-accredited companies with prepayment protection, and (ii) whether CaseTrust-accreditation can be mandated for businesses offering high-value prepaid packages; and (b) for an update from the Consumer Protection Review Panel on its review of the existing protections for high-value package purchases.
52. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) to the Government's knowledge (i) how many businesses are currently CaseTrust-accredited (ii) what proportion this represents of businesses in each covered sector and (iii) whether any wedding, bridal and photography business has ever been eligible for CaseTrust accreditation; and (b) what prepayment protections currently apply to the wedding, bridal and photography sector.
53. **Mr Gerald Giam Yean Song:** To ask the Minister for Trade and Industry (Energy and Industry) (a) whether full investigation reports on the recent cybersecurity incidents affecting National Supercomputing Centre Singapore's ASPIRE 2A and A*STAR's Exanet network will be publicly released; (b) what specific recovery, validation and hardening measures were taken; and (c) whether any data was exfiltrated and, if so, what data was compromised.

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54. **Ms Gho Sze Kee:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether the Government has reviewed if the differing statutory protections for Singapore's publicly accessible intertidal zones remain appropriate; and (b) whether it will consider extending NParks' statutory jurisdiction to such areas, to provide a more consistent framework to better protect Singapore's marine biodiversity.
55. **Mr Alex Yeo:** To ask the Minister for National Development in light of the recent intertidal marine wildlife foraging incident (a) what is the status of the Ministry's review since 2022 in terms of strengthening protection for marine organisms under the Wildlife Act; and (b) whether the Ministry will consider extending NParks' current jurisdiction and enforcement powers, to restrict the collection of marine wildlife and preserve biodiversity.
56. **Ms He Ting Ru:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether sand obtained from Cambodia is being used in any current or upcoming land reclamation projects; and (b) whether commercial entities procuring sand for such projects are required to adhere to a responsible sourcing framework that evaluates social and environmental impact at the point of extraction.
57. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) for each of the last five years, whether the Government has data on the (i) total dollar value and (ii) total weight of sand, respectively, imported for land reclamation and (iii) proportion which came from Cambodia; and (b) how does the Government ensure that sand imported for land reclamation does not cause ecosystem and environmental damage in the country of origin.
58. **Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong:** To ask the Minister for National Development where owners have already installed HDB-approved rain screens or where applications to install rain screens have not been approved by HDB, whether HDB will consider assisting flat owners with the cost of replacing main doors and grille gates that undergo premature deterioration due to rainwater exposure along insufficiently protected common corridors.
59. **Dr Hamid Razak:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether environmental impact assessments for housing sites evaluate wider climate effects, including loss of carbon sequestration capacity, beyond construction-phase impacts; and (b) what criteria are applied when deciding whether a Nature Area intended to be "kept for as long as possible" may be released for development.
60. **Mr Kenneth Tiong Boon Kiat:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what the policy basis is for incorporating soft facilities management services into Integrated Facilities Management contracts, and whether any cost or service-quality evaluation supports it; (b) whether there is information on (i) what proportion of such services is now bundled (ii) how many suppliers have moved from prime to subcontractor as a result; and (c) whether a nominated subcontractor model can be applied.
61. **Mr Alex Yeo:** To ask the Minister for National Development in the case of the minimum occupation period (MOP) not having been fulfilled at the point of divorce and neither party is able to retain the flat (a) whether divorced couples can be allowed to serve out MOP by agreement, particularly if a family nucleus remains; and (b) what is the formula of the compensation price for such flats returned to the HDB.
62. **Mr David Hoe:** To ask the Minister for National Development given that the eligibility age of 35 for singles to buy HDB flats has been under review since at least August 2025, and following the BTO income ceiling increase and supply ramp-up, when will (i) the review conclude and (ii) its outcome be announced.

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63. **Assoc Prof Jamus Jerome Lim:** To ask the Minister for National Development why an individual who undertakes the Lease Buyback Scheme before age 65 and has already met the Basic Retirement Sum may be required to use additional proceeds for CPF retirement payouts rather than being permitted to withdraw the amount in cash.
64. **Mr Abdul Muhaimin Abdul Malik:** To ask the Minister for National Development for each of the past 10 years and by URA Planning Area, what is the number and proportion of retail units that have remained vacant for (i) more than six months and (ii) more than 12 months, respectively.
65. **Assoc Prof Jamus Jerome Lim:** To ask the Minister for National Development in calculating income for the purposes of HDB CPF Housing Grants, why are research scholarship payments for PhD programmes in the autonomous universities treated as income even though IRAS does not regard such payments as taxable income.
66. **Mr Fadli Fawzi:** To ask the Minister for National Development whether the Government has any plans to review the occupancy cap of six unrelated people for private property units smaller than 90 square metres or to restrict the rentals of rooms not designed for human occupancy such as utility rooms, storerooms, and bomb shelters, and if not, why not.
67. **Dr Neo Kok Beng:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) what are the beaches in Singapore, if any, that are not open for free public access; and (b) whether the Government will consider designating all beaches in Singapore, subject to security requirements, as public goods and making them available to the public.
68. **Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) for each of the past five years, how many appeals has HDB received from applicants seeking to be considered as first-timer applicants where their deceased or former spouse had previously enjoyed a housing subsidy; and (b) what proportion of these appeals were successful.
69. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) whether HDB has assessed which groups beyond seniors could benefit from the assisted-living model that Community Care Apartments provide; (b) whether ageing caregivers of adult children with special needs have been considered among such groups; and (c) whether HDB will consider broadening eligibility to non-senior households requiring supported living.
70. **Mr Cai Yinzhou:** To ask the Minister for National Development following public feedback from the Gillman Barracks and Maju Forest housing proposals (a) what changes have been made to how HDB and URA conduct public consultation for major development sites; (b) whether announcements of future developments will immediately precede with a consultation process; and (c) whether the Ministry will publish how public feedback has altered final development plans.
71. **Dr Neo Kok Beng:** To ask the Minister for National Development whether a fixed percentage of BTO flats can be specially allocated for balloting only by first-time applicant families with at least a child, instead of being included in the same priority scheme as married couples who do not yet have children.
72. **Ms Valerie Lee:** To ask the Minister for National Development (a) how many complaints the authorities have received in the past three years relating to disamenities arising from pets kept in condominiums and private apartments; (b) how are these complaints disaggregated by type of pet and nature of disamenity; and (c) what avenues of recourse are available to affected neighbours where the MCST or managing agent is unable to resolve persistent disputes.

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73. **Miss Rachel Ong:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether the Government has studied the cumulative public transport costs incurred by caregivers accompanying family members requiring frequent outpatient treatment, such as dialysis, chemotherapy, radiotherapy or rehabilitation; and (b) if so, whether more targeted transport assistance should be considered for lower- and middle-income households facing significant recurring transport expenditure.
74. **Mr Gabriel Lam:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether the Ministry has assessed the optimal duration of rail operating licences to encourage long-term investments in technology and workforce capabilities; (b) what factors determine licence length; and (c) whether there are plans to review the current framework in light of increasing capital investment requirements.
75. **Mr Shawn Loh:** To ask the Minister for Transport whether the LTA could consider building sheltered walkways from St Michael's Bus Interchange to nearby HDB blocks at Lorong Limau and along Whampoa Rd, as part of LTA's commitment to provide pedestrians with a sheltered walk within 200 metres from bus interchanges, especially given the higher needs of the ageing population at Whampoa.
76. **Mr Shawn Loh:** To ask the Minister for Transport whether the LTA would consider converting earlier Silver Zones, such as those at Whampoa Drive, into LTA's new Friendly Streets, so that a single initiative can cover the same standards for traffic calming measures, barrier-free access, and especially sheltered walkway connectivity.
77. **Mr Mark Lee:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) what is the number of licensed heavy-vehicle parking lots available to third-party vehicles, by region; (b) what are their Vehicle Parking Certificate allocation and actual overnight occupancy rates; and (c) whether LTA has assessed if their geographical distribution corresponds with the principal industrial and logistics areas where heavy commercial vehicles are based and deployed.
78. **Mr Alex Yeo:** To ask the Minister for Transport in view of the increasing number of accidents involving cyclists (a) whether the Ministry will consider (i) licensing on-road pedal cyclists and (ii) introducing a similar mandatory theory test currently required of power-assisted bicycle riders for such cyclists; and (b) whether the Ministry has plans to enhance public education efforts to raise awareness and clarity of the rules and regulations for different road users.
79. **Ms Sylvia Lim:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether the feasibility studies by the LTA to erect a pair of bus stops along Hougang Avenue 1 in the vicinity of Blocks 174A to 174D have concluded; and (b) if so, whether the bus stops will be erected and by when.
80. **Mr David Hoe:** To ask the Minister for Transport whether the additional transport support for large families as announced at the 2026 National Day Rally will include (i) targeted support for private vehicle access such as COE priority or rebates, or fuel vouchers and (ii) enhanced point-to-point transport support, such as ride-hailing or taxi credits specifically for larger vehicles and child-seat services.
81. **Mr Low Wu Yang Andre:** To ask the Minister for Transport in light of recent overseas recalls of vehicles concerning inaccessible emergency mechanical door releases (a) whether LTA will review whether Singapore's vehicle-safety requirements adequately ensure occupants can exit a vehicle after electrical or door-system failure; and (b) what recall, inspection or other safety action it will take where equivalent risks are identified in locally registered vehicles.

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82. **Mr Low Wu Yang Andre:** To ask the Minister for Transport (a) whether LTA tracks, by exact vehicle variant, the standard fitment of active-safety systems, including autonomous emergency braking and lane support, in newly registered passenger cars; and (b) if so, what are the data tracked.
83. **Mr Chua Kheng Wee Louis:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth (a) whether the Ministry had assessed the reasonableness of the monthly rental rates for the discounted co-living accommodation pilot launched under the SG Youth Plan; and (b) what is the (i) 25th percentile (ii) median and (iii) 75th percentile of incomes earned by Singaporeans within the age eligibility criteria for the co-living units.
84. **Mr Christopher de Souza:** To ask the Minister for Culture, Community and Youth how the Government prioritises use of our National Stadium for major sporting events that are of broader significance to Singaporeans, such as high-interest football matches involving Singapore's national team.
85. **Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) what is the number of resident full-time employed (i) mothers with at least one child aged 21 years and below and (ii) fathers with at least one child aged 21 years and below; and (b) what are the 25th percentile, median, and 75th percentile gross monthly incomes, inclusive of employer CPF contributions, for each group.
86. **Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) what are the reasons behind anonymising the names of parties in the published judgments of the Employment Claims Tribunal; (b) whether the parties in those cases are allowed to identify themselves publicly, including via social media; and (c) if not, what offence does it amount to if they do so.
87. **Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower based on the total Overseas Networks and Expertise Pass (ONE Pass) holders in 2024 and 2025, what is the breakdown in numbers of these holders by (i) industry and (ii) their last drawn salary at the 25th, 50th and 75th percentiles.
88. **Mr Shawn Loh:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower with the increasing prevalence of fractional work, whether a local employee's eligibility to be counted towards foreign worker quotas, i.e. whether they are already receiving CPF from two or more employers, could be disclosed to prospective employers prior to being hired, for example via the myMOM Portal, to help employers more appropriately plan their manpower requirements.
89. **Ms Yeo Wan Ling:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) whether employers can be provided with an indication of whether each local employee is eligible to count towards their foreign worker quota, particularly where employees receive CPF contributions from multiple employers; (b) whether employers can be notified when such eligibility changes; and (c) how can employers accurately plan their manpower requirements without access to such information.
90. **Ms Joan Pereira:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) whether the Ministry will consider requiring all new migrant domestic workers to attend mandatory training programmes on caregiving for elderly or the young; and (b) if not, why.
91. **Dr Wan Rizal:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower regarding the 32,800 entry-level Professionals, Managers, Executives, and Technicians (PMET) job openings as at March 2026 (a) what criteria are used to classify a vacancy as entry-level; (b) what proportions of these openings required (i) no prior work experience (ii) up to one year work experience and (iii) more than one year work experience, respectively; and (c) what proportions are (i) permanent positions (ii) fixed-term positions and (iii) traineeships.

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- 92. Dr Wan Rizal:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) for each year since 2019, how many (i) wrongful-dismissal claims were determined in favour of employees by Employment Claims Tribunals and (ii) awards reached the claim limit of \$20,000, \$30,000 or the prescribed ceiling of three months' pay for loss of income; and (b) whether the Ministry will review these limits given wage growth and higher jurisdictional limit for workplace discrimination claims.
- 93. Assoc Prof Jamus Jerome Lim:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower whether the Ministry has considered providing for prorated paid sick leave for employees who are still serving their probation period.
- 94. Assoc Prof Jamus Jerome Lim:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower whether the Ministry has considered, consistent with the Workplace Fairness Act when it comes into operation, making it illegal for potential employers to request age or marital status prior to a formal offer.
- 95. Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye:** To ask the Acting Minister for Manpower (a) for each year from 2016 to 2026, what percentile of the wage distribution of full-time resident employees did the prevailing Local Qualifying Salary (LQS) correspond to; and (b) whether the Ministry has a target or reference percentile of the resident wage distribution that it considers when reviewing the LQS.
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