

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE THIRTEENTH PARLIAMENT OF SINGAPORE

First Session

FRIDAY, 15 JANUARY 2016

No. 1

3.30 pm

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PRESENT:

Mdm SPEAKER (Mdm HALIMAH YACOB (Marsiling-Yew Tee)).

Mr AMRIN AMIN (Sembawang), Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Home Affairs.

Mr ANG HIN KEE (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr ANG WEI NENG (Jurong).

Mr BAEY YAM KENG (Tampines), Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth.

Miss CHERYL CHAN WEI LING (Fengshan).

Mr CHAN CHUN SING (Tanjong Pagar), Minister, Prime Minister's Office and Government Whip.

Mr CHEE HONG TAT (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Minister of State, Ministry of Communications and Information and Ministry of Health.

Mr CHEN SHOW MAO (Aljunied).

Miss CHENG LI HUI (Tampines).

Dr CHIA SHI-LU (Tanjong Pagar).

Mr CHARLES CHONG (Punggol East).

Mr CHONG KEE HIONG (Bishan-Toa Payoh).

Mr DESMOND CHOO (Tampines).

Mr DARRYL DAVID (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr CHRISTOPHER DE SOUZA (Holland-Bukit Timah).

Assoc Prof FATIMAH LATEEF (Marine Parade).

Mr CEDRIC FOO CHEE KENG (Pioneer).

Ms FOO MEE HAR (West Coast).

Ms GRACE FU HAI YIEN (Yuhua), Minister for Culture, Community and Youth and Leader of the House.

Mr GAN KIM YONG (Chua Chu Kang), Minister for Health.

Mr GAN THIAM POH (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr GOH CHOK TONG (Marine Parade).

Mr HENG CHEE HOW (Jalan Besar), Senior Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office.

Mr HENG SWEE KEAT (Tampines), Minister for Finance.

Ms INDRANEE RAJAH (Tanjong Pagar), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Law.

Dr INTAN AZURA MOKHTAR (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr S ISWARAN (West Coast), Minister for Trade and Industry (Industry).

Dr JANIL PUTHUCHEARY (Pasir Ris-Punggol), Minister of State, Ministry of Communications and Information and Ministry of Education.

Mr KHAW BOON WAN (Sembawang), Coordinating Minister for Infrastructure and Minister for Transport.

Dr AMY KHOR LEAN SUAN (Hong Kah North), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of the Environment and Water Resources and Ministry of Health.

Dr KOH POH KOON (Ang Mo Kio), Minister of State, Ministry of National Development and Ministry of Trade and Industry.

Mr KWEK HIAN CHUAN HENRY (Nee Soon).

Dr LAM PIN MIN (Sengkang West), Minister of State, Ministry of Health.

Er Dr LEE BEE WAH (Nee Soon).

Mr DESMOND LEE (Jurong), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Home Affairs and Ministry of National Development and Deputy Leader of the House.

Mr LEE HSIEN LOONG (Ang Mo Kio), Prime Minister.

Mr LEE YI SHYAN (East Coast).

Mr LIANG ENG HWA (Holland-Bukit Timah).

Mr LIM BIOW CHUAN (Mountbatten).

Mr LIM HNG KIANG (West Coast), Minister for Trade and Industry (Trade).

Mr LIM SWEE SAY (East Coast), Minister for Manpower.

Ms SYLVIA LIM (Aljunied).

Dr LIM WEE KIAK (Sembawang).

Mr LOW THIA KHIANG (Aljunied).

Ms LOW YEN LING (Chua Chu Kang), Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Trade and Industry.

Mr MASAGOS ZULKIFLI B M M (Tampines), Minister for the Environment and Water Resources.

Dr MOHAMAD MALIKI BIN OSMAN (East Coast), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Mr MUHAMAD FAISAL ABDUL MANAP (Aljunied).

Assoc Prof Dr MUHAMMAD FAISHAL IBRAHIM (Nee Soon), Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Social and Family Development.

Dr LILY NEO (Jalan Besar).

Mr NG CHEE MENG (Pasir Ris-Punggol), Acting Minister for Education (Schools) and Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Transport.

Dr NG ENG HEN (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Minister for Defence.

Mr LOUIS NG KOK KWANG (Nee Soon).

Mr DAVID ONG KIM HUAT (Bukit Batok).

Mr ONG TENG KOON (Marsiling-Yew Tee).

Mr ONG YE KUNG (Sembawang), Acting Minister for Education (Higher Education and Skills) and Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Defence.

Ms JOAN PEREIRA (Tanjong Pagar).

Mr LEON PERERA (Non-Constituency Member).

Ms DENISE PHUA LAY PENG (Jalan Besar).

Mr PNG ENG HUAT (Hougang).

Mr PRITAM SINGH (Aljunied).

Ms RAHAYU MAHZAM (Jurong).

Mr SAKTIANDI SUPAAT (Bishan-Toa Payoh).

Mr SEAH KIAN PENG (Marine Parade).

Mr K SHANMUGAM (Nee Soon), Minister for Home Affairs and Minister for Law.

Ms SIM ANN (Holland-Bukit Timah), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth and Ministry of Finance and Deputy Government Whip.

Mr SITO H YIH PIN (Potong Pasir).

Ms SUN XUELING (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Mr TAN CHUAN-JIN (Marine Parade), Minister for Social and Family Development.

Mr DENNIS TAN LIP FONG (Non-Constituency Member).

Ms JESSICA TAN SOON NEO (East Coast).

Mr SAM TAN CHIN SIONG (Radin Mas), Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office and Ministry of Manpower and Deputy Government Whip.

Dr TAN WU MENG (Jurong).

Mr PATRICK TAY TECK GUAN (West Coast).

Mr TEO CHEE HEAN (Pasir Ris-Punggol), Deputy Prime Minister and Coordinating Minister for National Security.

Dr TEO HO PIN (Bukit Panjang).

Mrs JOSEPHINE TEO (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Senior Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Transport.

Mr TEO SER LUCK (Pasir Ris-Punggol), Minister of State, Ministry of Manpower.

Mr THARMAN SHANMUGARATNAM (Jurong), Deputy Prime Minister and Coordinating Minister for Economic and Social Policies.

Ms TIN PEI LING (MacPherson).

Mr EDWIN TONG CHUN FAI (Marine Parade).

Mr VIKRAM NAIR (Sembawang).

Dr VIVIAN BALAKRISHNAN (Holland-Bukit Timah), Minister for Foreign Affairs.

Mr LAWRENCE WONG (Marsiling-Yew Tee), Minister for National Development.

Assoc Prof Dr YAACOB IBRAHIM (Jalan Besar), Minister for Communications and Information and Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs.

Mr ALEX YAM ZIMING (Marsiling-Yew Tee).

Mr YEE CHIA HSING (Chua Chu Kang).

Mr MELVIN YONG YIK CHYE (Tanjong Pagar).

Mr ZAINAL SAPARI (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Mr ZAQY MOHAMAD (Chua Chu Kang).

ABSENT:

Ms LEE LI LIAN (Non-Constituency Member).

- 1 Parl Papers – Papers presented after the adjournment of the last sitting of the previous Parliament on 18 August 2015 and before the Opening of Parliament on 15 January 2016, and received by the Clerk of Parliament pursuant to Standing Order No. 31 (Presentation of Papers) and ordered to lie upon the Table:
- 1.1 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Organised Crime Bill [Bill No 21/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 22 of 2015).
 - 1.2 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Asian Infrastructure Investment Bank Bill [Bill No 22/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 23 of 2015).
 - 1.3 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Employment (Amendment) Bill [Bill No 23/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 24 of 2015).
 - 1.4 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Silver Support Scheme Bill [Bill No 24/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 25 of 2015).
 - 1.5 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Human Biomedical Research Bill [Bill No 25/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 26 of 2015).
 - 1.6 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Bus Services Industry Bill [Bill No 26/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 27 of 2015).
 - 1.7 Report of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights on the Public Transport Council (Amendment) Bill [Bill No 27/2015] – Presented on 20 August 2015 (Pres. Co. 28 of 2015).
 - 1.8 Republic Polytechnic Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 20 August 2015 (S. 59 of 2015).
 - 1.9 Income Tax (PIC Automation Equipment) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 August 2015 (S. L. 128 of 2015).
 - 1.10 Institute of Southeast Asian Studies Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 6 August 2015 as S. 48 of 2015 and ordered to lie upon the Table – Order discharged and Paper withdrawn on 25 August 2015.
 - 1.11 Institute of Southeast Asian Studies Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 25 August 2015 (S. 60 of 2015).
 - 1.12 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Re-Appointment of a Member of the Public Service Commission – Presented on 14 September 2015 (S. 1 of 2015).
 - 1.13 National Environment Agency Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 2 of 2015).
 - 1.14 Economic Development Board Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 3 of 2015).

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- 1.15 Public Utilities Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 4 of 2015).
 - 1.16 Health Sciences Authority Annual Report 2014/15 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 5 of 2015).
 - 1.17 International Enterprise Singapore Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 6 of 2015).
 - 1.18 Land Transport Authority Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 15 September 2015 (S. 7 of 2015).
 - 1.19 Environmental Protection and Management (Air Impurities) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. L. 1 of 2015).
 - 1.20 Health Promotion Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 8 of 2015).
 - 1.21 Audited Financial Statements of Agri-Food and Veterinary Authority FY 2014 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 9 of 2015).
 - 1.22 Audited Financial Statements of Building and Construction Authority FY 2014 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 10 of 2015).
 - 1.23 Audited Financial Statements of Council of Estate Agencies Authority FY 2014 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 11 of 2015).
 - 1.24 Audited Financial Statements of National Parks Board FY 2014 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 12 of 2015).
 - 1.25 Audited Financial Statements of Urban Redevelopment Authority FY 2014 – Presented on 16 September 2015 (S. 13 of 2015).
 - 1.26 United Nations (Sanctions – Yemen) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 17 September 2015 (S. L. 2 of 2015).
 - 1.27 Inland Revenue Authority of Singapore Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 17 September 2015 (S. 14 of 2015).
 - 1.28 Agency for Science, Technology and Research Annual Report and Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 17 September 2015 (S. 15 of 2015).
 - 1.29 Presidential Council for Minority Rights Annual Report for the period from 1 August 2014 to 31 July 2015 – Presented on 18 September 2015 (Cmd. 1 of 2015).
 - 1.30 Legal Profession (Qualified Persons) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 18 September 2015 (S. L. 3 of 2015).
 - 1.31 Energy Market Authority Annual Report 2014/15 – Presented on 18 September 2015 (S. 16 of 2015).

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- 1.32 Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 21 September 2015 (S. 17 of 2015).
 - 1.33 Jurong Town Corporation Annual Report FY 2014 – Presented on 22 September 2015 (S. 18 of 2015).
 - 1.34 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Extension of Appointment of Mr Edmund Leow as a Judicial Commissioner – Presented on 22 September 2015 (S. 19 of 2015).
 - 1.35 Competition Commission of Singapore Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 22 September 2015 (S. 20 of 2015).
 - 1.36 Public Order (Unrestricted Area) (Revocation) (No. 2) Order 2015 – Presented on 23 September 2015 (S. L. 4 of 2015).
 - 1.37 Public Order (Unrestricted Area) (No. 2) Order 2015 – Presented on 23 September 2015 (S. L. 5 of 2015).
 - 1.38 Parliamentary Elections Act (Amendment of Third Schedule) Order 2015 – Presented on 23 September 2015 (S. L. 6 of 2015).
 - 1.39 Standards, Productivity and Innovation Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 23 September 2015 (S. 21 of 2015).
 - 1.40 Public Transport Council Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 25 September 2015 (S. 22 of 2015).
 - 1.41 Annual Report of Casino Regulatory Authority for 2014/2015 – Presented on 28 September 2015 (S. 23 of 2015).
 - 1.42 Sentosa Development Corporation Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 29 September 2015 (S. 24 of 2015).
 - 1.43 Intellectual Property Office of Singapore Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 29 September 2015 (S. 25 of 2015).
 - 1.44 Singapore Land Authority Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 29 September 2015 (S. 26 of 2015).
 - 1.45 Community Mediation Centre Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 29 September 2015 (S. 27 of 2015).
 - 1.46 People's Association Annual Report (Audited Financial Statements) 2014/2015 – Presented on 29 September 2015 (S. 28 of 2015).
 - 1.47 Sport Singapore Annual Report 14/15 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 29 of 2015).
 - 1.48 National Heritage Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 30 of 2015).

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- 1.49 ComCare Annual Report FY 2014 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 31 of 2015).
 - 1.50 Singapore Tourism Board Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 32 of 2015).
 - 1.51 Ang Mo Kio Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 33 of 2015).
 - 1.52 Bishan-Toa Payoh Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 34 of 2015).
 - 1.53 Chua Chu Kang Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 35 of 2015).
 - 1.54 East Coast Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 36 of 2015).
 - 1.55 Holland-Bukit Panjang Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 37 of 2015).
 - 1.56 Jurong Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 38 of 2015).
 - 1.57 Marine Parade Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 39 of 2015).
 - 1.58 Moulmein-Kallang Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 40 of 2015).
 - 1.59 Nee Soon Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 41 of 2015).
 - 1.60 Pasir Ris-Punggol Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 42 of 2015).
 - 1.61 Potong Pasir Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 43 of 2015).

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- 1.62 Sembawang Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 44 of 2015).
 - 1.63 Tampines Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 45 of 2015).
 - 1.64 Tanjong Pagar Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 46 of 2015).
 - 1.65 West Coast Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Reports and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 47 of 2015).
 - 1.66 National Arts Council Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S.48 of 2015).
 - 1.67 Singapore Totalisator Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 49 of 2015).
 - 1.68 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Appointments to the Housing & Development Board (HDB) – Presented on 30 September 2015 (S. 50 of 2015).
 - 1.69 Singapore Workforce Development Agency Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 51 of 2015).
 - 1.70 ACRA Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 52 of 2015).
 - 1.71 Agri-Food & Veterinary Authority Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 53 of 2015).
 - 1.72 Building and Construction Authority Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 54 of 2015).
 - 1.73 Council for Estate Agencies Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 55 of 2015).
 - 1.74 Housing and Development Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 56 of 2015).
 - 1.75 National Parks Board Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 57 of 2015).
 - 1.76 Urban Redevelopment Authority Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 1 October 2015 (S. 58 of 2015).

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- 1.77 Third-Party Taxi Booking Service Providers (Registration of Registered Providers) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 2 October 2015 (S. L. 7 of 2015).
 - 1.78 Third-Party Taxi Booking Service Providers (Composition of Offences) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 2 October 2015 (S. L. 8 of 2015).
 - 1.79 Road Traffic (Electronic Road Pricing System) (Amendment No. 4) Rules 2015 – Presented on 5 October 2015 (S. L. 9 of 2015).
 - 1.80 National Council of Social Service (NCSS) Annual Report FY14/15 – Presented on 5 October 2015 (S. 59 of 2015).
 - 1.81 Income Tax (Definition of Designated Unit Trust) Rules 2015 – Presented on 6 October 2015 (S. L. 10 of 2015).
 - 1.82 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Re-Appointment of Chairman of the Presidential Council for Minority Rights (PCMR) – Presented on 7 October 2015 (S. 60 of 2015).
 - 1.83 Annual Report of the Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore 2014/2015 – Presented on 8 October 2015 (S. 61 of 2015).
 - 1.84 Annual Report of the Media Development Authority 2014/2015 – Presented on 8 October 2015 (S. 62 of 2015).
 - 1.85 Annual Report of the National Library Board 2014/2015 – Presented on 8 October 2015 (S. 63 of 2015).
 - 1.86 Corrigendum to Aljunied-Hougang-Punggol East Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Report and Annual Report for FY2013/2014 – Presented on 8 October 2015 (S. 64 of 2015).
 - 1.87 Community Disputes Resolution Tribunals Rules 2015 – Presented on 9 October 2015 (S. L. 11 of 2015).
 - 1.88 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Re-Appointment of Directors to the Board of GIC Private Limited – Presented on 9 October 2015 (S. 65 of 2015).
 - 1.89 National Research Fund Report and Financial Statements Year Ended 31 March 2015 – Presented on 12 October 2015 (S. 66 of 2015).
 - 1.90 Singapore Armed Forces (Central Welfare Fund) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 October 2015 (S. L. 12 of 2015).
 - 1.91 Civil Service College Annual Report 2014/2015 – Presented on 16 October 2015 (S. 67 of 2015).
 - 1.92 Civil Service College and its subsidiary (CSC International Pte Ltd): Financial Statements for the year ended 31 March 2015 – Presented on 16 October 2015 (S. 68 of 2015).

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- 1.93 Sewerage and Drainage (Trade Effluent) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 19 October 2015 (S. L. 13 of 2015).
 - 1.94 Legal Profession (Qualified Persons) (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015 – Presented on 22 October 2015 (S. L. 14 of 2015).
 - 1.95 Central Provident Fund (Revocation) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 4 November 2015 (S. L. 15 of 2015).
 - 1.96 Central Provident Fund (Private Medical Insurance Scheme) (Revocation) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 4 November 2015 (S. L. 16 of 2015).
 - 1.97 Central Provident Fund (Withdrawal of Cash Grants) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 4 November 2015 (S. L. 17 of 2015).
 - 1.98 Central Provident Fund (Medisave Account Withdrawals) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 4 November 2015 (S. L. 18 of 2015).
 - 1.99 Central Provident Fund (Medisave Account Withdrawals – Medical Insurance Premiums) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 4 November 2015 (S. L. 19 of 2015).
 - 1.100 Corrigendum to Bishan-Toa Payoh Town Council's Audited Financial Statements, Auditors' Report and Annual Report for FY2014/2015 – Presented on 5 November 2015 (S. L. 69 of 2015).
 - 1.101 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Re-Appointment of a Member of the Public Service Commission – Presented on 6 November 2015 (S. L. 70 of 2015).
 - 1.102 Pioneer Generation Fund (Pioneer Generation Benefits) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 11 November 2015 (S. L. 20 of 2015).
 - 1.103 Road Traffic (Electronic Road Pricing System) (Amendment No. 5) Rules 2015 – Presented on 11 November 2015 (S. L. 21 of 2015).
 - 1.104 Road Traffic (Motor Vehicles, Registration and Licensing) (Amendment No. 3) Rules 2015 – Presented on 18 November 2015 (S. L. 22 of 2015).
 - 1.105 Legal Profession (Revocation) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 23 of 2015).
 - 1.106 Legal Profession (Legal Practice Management Course) (Revocation) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 24 of 2015).
 - 1.107 Legal Profession (Law Corporation) (Revocation) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 25 of 2015).
 - 1.108 Legal Profession (Limited Liability Law Partnership) (Revocation) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 26 of 2015).

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- 1.109 Legal Profession (International Services) (Revocation) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 27 of 2015).
 - 1.110 Legal Profession (Foreign Representation in Singapore International Commercial Court) (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 28 of 2015).
 - 1.111 Legal Profession (Disciplinary Tribunal) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 29 of 2015).
 - 1.112 Legal Profession (Foreign Practitioner Examinations) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 30 of 2015).
 - 1.113 Legal Profession (Legal Practice Management Course) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 31 of 2015).
 - 1.114 Legal Profession (Professional Indemnity Insurance) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 32 of 2015).
 - 1.115 Legal Profession (Inadequate Professional Services Complaint Inquiry) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 33 of 2015).
 - 1.116 Legal Profession (Prevention of Money Laundering and Financing of Terrorism) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 34 of 2015).
 - 1.117 Legal Profession (Amendment) Act 2014 (Commencement) (No. 2) Notification 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 35 of 2015).
 - 1.118 Legal Profession (Law Practice Entities) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 36 of 2015).
 - 1.119 Legal Profession (Modified Application of Act for International Services) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 37 of 2015).
 - 1.120 Legal Profession (Regulated Individuals) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 38 of 2015).
 - 1.121 Legal Profession (Professional Conduct) Rules 2015 – Presented on 20 November 2015 (S. L. 39 of 2015).
 - 1.122 MediShield Life Scheme Regulations 2015 – Presented on 23 November 2015 (S. L. 40 of 2015).
 - 1.123 MediShield Life Scheme (Prescribed Public Scheme for Disclosure of Information) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 23 November 2015 (S. L. 41 of 2015).
 - 1.124 MediShield Life Scheme (Private Medical Insurance Scheme) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 23 November 2015 (S. L. 42 of 2015).

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- 1.125 Central Provident Fund (Home Protection Insurance Scheme) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 24 November 2015 (S. L. 43 of 2015).
 - 1.126 Medical Endowment Scheme Annual Report FY2014/2015 – Presented on 25 November 2015 (S. 71 of 2015).
 - 1.127 Corrigendum to the Medical Endowment Scheme Annual Report FY2014/2015 – Presented on 27 November 2015 (S. 72 of 2015).
 - 1.128 Road Traffic (Driver Improvement Points System) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 2 December 2015 (S. L. 44 of 2015).
 - 1.129 Legal Profession (Deposit Interest) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 3 December 2015 (S. L. 45 of 2015).
 - 1.130 Legal Profession (Modified Application of Act for International Services) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 3 December 2015 (S. L. 46 of 2015).
 - 1.131 Tobacco (Control of Advertisements and Sale) (Licensing of Importers, Wholesalers and Retailers) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 10 December 2015 (S. L. 47 of 2015).
 - 1.132 Goods and Services Tax (General) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 December 2015 (S. L. 48 of 2015).
 - 1.133 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Extension of Appointment of Mr Quentin Loh Sze-On as a Judge of the High Court – Presented on 16 December 2015 (S. 73 of 2015).
 - 1.134 Animals and Birds (Prescribed Classes of Animals) Rules 2015 – Presented on 30 December 2015 (S. L. 49 of 2015).
 - 1.135 Road Traffic (Taxi Vocational Licence Demerit Points System) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 4 January 2016 (S. L. 50 of 2016).
 - 1.136 Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Vocational Licences and Conduct of Drivers, Conductors, Trishaw Riders and Passengers) (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015 – Presented on 4 January 2016 (S. L. 51 of 2016).
 - 1.137 Road Traffic (Power-Assisted Bicycles – Approval) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 4 January 2016 (S. L. 52 of 2016).
 - 1.138 Workplace Safety and Health (Operation of Cranes) (Amendment) Regulations 2016 – Presented on 11 January 2016 (S. L. 53 of 2016).
 - 1.139 Planning (Development Charges) (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 54 of 2016).
 - 1.140 Planning (Development Charges) (Amendment No. 3) Rules 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 55 of 2016).

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- 1.141 Planning (Development Charge – Exemption) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 56 of 2016).
 - 1.142 Building Control (Buildability and Productivity) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 57 of 2016).
 - 1.143 Building Control (Buildability and Productivity) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 58 of 2016).
 - 1.144 Road Traffic (Motor Vehicles, Driving Licences) (Amendment No. 3) Rules 2015 – Presented on 12 January 2016 (S. L. 59 of 2016).
 - 1.145 Road Traffic (Public Service Vehicles) (Vocational Licences and Conduct of Drivers, Conductors, Trishaw Riders and Passengers) (Amendment No. 3) Rules 2015 – Presented on 13 January 2016 (S. L. 60 of 2016).
- 2 Parl Papers – Papers presented upon Opening of Parliament on 15 January 2016, and received by the Clerk of Parliament pursuant to Standing Order No. 31 (Presentation of Papers) and ordered to lie upon the Table:
- 2.1 Central Provident Fund (Public Sector Employees) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 61 of 2016).
 - 2.2 Central Provident Fund (Self-Employed Persons) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 62 of 2016).
 - 2.3 Central Provident Fund (Voluntary Contributions) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 63 of 2016).
 - 2.4 Central Provident Fund (Workfare Income Supplement Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 64 of 2016).
 - 2.5 Central Provident Fund (Topping Up of Medisave Account) (Revocation) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 65 of 2016).
 - 2.6 Central Provident Fund (Investment Schemes) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 66 of 2016).
 - 2.7 Central Provident Fund (Prescribed Amount for Medisave Account) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 67 of 2016).
 - 2.8 Central Provident Fund (Medisave Account Transfers) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 68 of 2016).
 - 2.9 Central Provident Fund (Nominations and Nominee Accounts) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 69 of 2016).
 - 2.10 Central Provident Fund (Lifelong Income Scheme) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 70 of 2016).
 - 2.11 Central Provident Fund (Division of Fund-Related Assets in Matrimonial Proceedings) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 71 of 2016).

- 2.12 Central Provident Fund (Amendment No. 2) Rules 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 72 of 2016).
- 2.13 Central Provident Fund (New Minimum Sum Scheme) (Amendment No. 3) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 73 of 2016).
- 2.14 Central Provident Fund (Revised Minimum Sum Scheme) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 74 of 2016).
- 2.15 Central Provident Fund (Minimum Sum Scheme) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 75 of 2016).
- 2.16 Central Provident Fund (Minimum Sum Topping-Up Scheme) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 76 of 2016).
- 2.17 Central Provident Fund (Topping-Up of Special Account) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 15 January 2016 (S. L. 77 of 2016).
- 3 Election of Speaker – Leader of the House, addressing herself to the Clerk of Parliament proposed that Mdm Halimah Yacob do take the Chair of this Parliament as Speaker, which proposal was supported by Mr Cedric Foo Chee Keng.

There being only one proposal, the Clerk of Parliament declared Mdm Halimah Yacob to have been elected as Speaker of this Parliament.

- 4 Affirmation of Mdm Speaker – Mdm Speaker, standing at the Table, took and subscribed the Affirmation of Allegiance and thereafter took the Chair of the House.

The Mace, which before lay below the Table, was placed upon the Table.

- 5 Oaths or Affirmations of Allegiance – The following Members took and subscribed the Oath of Allegiance or made and subscribed the Affirmation in the order below (in groups):

Mr Lee Hsien Loong – Ang Mo Kio

Group 1

Mr Teo Chee Hean – Pasir Ris-Punggol
Mr Tharman Shanmugaratnam – Jurong
Mr Khaw Boon Wan – Sembawang

Group 2

Mr Lim Swee Say – East Coast
Mr Lim Hng Kiang – West Coast
Mr K Shanmugam – Nee Soon
Dr Ng Eng Hen – Bishan-Toa Payoh
Mr Gan Kim Yong – Chua Chu Kang
Dr Vivian Balakrishnan – Holland-Bukit
Timah
Assoc Prof Dr Yaacob Ibrahim – Jalan
Besar

Group 3

Mr Heng Swee Keat – Tampines
Mr S Iswaran – West Coast
Mr Tan Chuan-Jin – Marine Parade
Ms Grace Fu – Yuhua
Mr Chan Chun Sing – Tanjong Pagar
Mr Lawrence Wong – Marsiling-Yew Tee
Mr Masagos Zulkifli – Tampines
Mr Ong Ye Kung – Sembawang
Mr Ng Chee Meng – Pasir Ris-Punggol

Group 4

Ms Sim Ann – Holland-Bukit Timah
 Mr Sam Tan Chin Siong – Radin Mas
 Mr Desmond Lee – Jurong
 Mr Chee Hong Tat – Bishan-Toa Payoh
 Dr Amy Khor Lean Suan – Hong Kah North
 Dr Janil Puthucheary – Pasir Ris-Punggol
 Mrs Josephine Teo – Bishan-Toa Payoh
 Mr Heng Chee How – Jalan Besar
 Dr Mohd Maliki Bin Osman – East Coast
 Ms Indranee Rajah – Tanjong Pagar

Group 5

Ms Low Yen Ling – Chua Chu Kang
 Dr Koh Poh Koon – Ang Mo Kio
 Dr Lam Pin Min – Sengkang West
 Mr Teo Ser Luck – Pasir Ris-Punggol
 Mr Charles Chong – Punggol East
 Assoc Prof Dr Muhammad Faishal Ibrahim
 – Nee Soon
 Dr Teo Ho Pin – Bukit Panjang
 Mr Baey Yam Keng – Tampines
 Mr Amrin Amin – Sembawang
 Mr Goh Chok Tong – Marine Parade

Group 6

Ms Foo Mee Har – West Coast
 Mr Edwin Tong Chun Fai – Marine Parade
 Mr Ong Teng Koon – Marsiling-Yew Tee
 Mr Christopher de Souza – Holland-Bukit
 Timah
 Mr Alex Yam Ziming – Marsiling-Yew Tee
 Mr Patrick Tay Teck Guan – West Coast
 Mr Lee Yi Shyan – East Coast
 Mr Vikram Nair – Sembawang
 Mr Sitoh Yih Pin – Potong Pasir
 Dr Chia Shi-Lu – Tanjong Pagar
 Mr David Ong Kim Huat – Bukit Batok
 Mr Lim Biow Chuan – Mountbatten

Group 7

Dr Intan Azura Bte Mokhtar – Ang Mo
 Kio
 Dr Lim Wee Kiak – Sembawang
 Mr Cedric Foo Chee Keng – Pioneer
 Dr Lily Neo – Jalan Besar
 Mr Png Eng Huat – Hougang
 Ms Sylvia Lim – Aljunied
 Ms Denise Phua Lay Peng – Jalan Besar
 Mr Seah Kian Peng – Marine Parade
 Mr Liang Eng Hwa – Holland-Bukit
 Timah

Group 8

Mr Yee Chia Hsing – Chua Chu Kang
 Mr Louis Ng Kok Kwang – Nee Soon
 Ms Sun Xueling – Pasir Ris-Punggol
 Mr Chong Kee Hiong – Bishan-Toa Payoh
 Mr Melvin Yong Yik Chye – Tanjong Pagar
 Ms Joan Pereira – Tanjong Pagar
 Mr Desmond Choo – Tampines
 Mr Zainal Sapari – Pasir Ris-Punggol
 Ms Jessica Tan Soon Neo – East Coast
 Mr Ang Hin Kee – Ang Mo Kio
 Ms Tin Pei Ling – MacPherson
 Mr Gan Thiam Poh – Ang Mo Kio

Group 9

Mr Darryl David – Ang Mo Kio
 Miss Cheryl Chan Wei Ling – Fengshan
 Dr Tan Wu Meng – Jurong
 Mr Pritam Singh – Aljunied
 Mr Chen Show Mao – Aljunied
 Mr Kwek Hian Chuan Henry – Nee Soon
 Mr Saktiandi Supaat – Bishan-Toa Payoh
 Miss Cheng Li Hui – Tampines

Group 10 (in Malay)

Mr Zaqy Mohamad – Chua Chu Kang
 Assoc Prof Fatimah Abdul Lateef – Marine
 Parade
 Mr Muhd Faisal Abdul Manap – Aljunied
 Ms Rahayu Mahzam – Jurong

Group 11 (in Chinese)

Mr Low Thia Khian – Aljunied
 Er Dr Lee Bee Wah – Nee Soon
 Mr Ang Wei Neng – Jurong

Group 12

Mr Dennis Tan Lip Fong – (Non-
 Constituency Member)
 Mr Leon Perera – (Non-Constituency
 Member)

- 6 Addresses and Acknowledgement – The Leader of the House, Mr Zainal Sapari, Ms Tin Pei Ling and Mr Vikram Nair made congratulatory addresses to Mdm Speaker and Mdm Speaker thanked the House for the great honour which the House had bestowed upon her.
- 7 Suspension of Sitting – Mdm Speaker suspended the sitting until 8.30 pm pursuant to Standing Order No. 2(4)(b).
- 8 President's Speech – The President delivered his speech at the opening of the First Session.

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- 9 Adjournment – Parliament stood adjourned without question put, pursuant to Standing Order No. 15(1).

Adjourned at 9.03 pm

HALIMAH YACOB,
Speaker

MEMORANDUM

Parliament stands adjourned to a date to be named by the Leader of the House.
