

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS OF THE
TWELFTH PARLIAMENT OF SINGAPORE**

Second Session

MONDAY, 13 APRIL 2015

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1.30 pm

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PRESENT:

Mdm SPEAKER (Mdm HALIMAH YACOB (Jurong)).

Mr ANG HIN KEE (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr ANG WEI NENG (Jurong).

Mr BAEY YAM KENG (Tampines).

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

Mr CHEN SHOW MAO (Aljunied).

Dr CHIA SHI-LU (Tanjong Pagar).

Ms CHIA YONG YONG (Nominated Member).

Mrs LINA CHIAM (Non-Constituency Member).

Mr CHARLES CHONG (Joo Chiat), Deputy Speaker.

Mr THOMAS CHUA KEE SENG (Nominated Member).

Mr CHRISTOPHER DE SOUZA (Holland-Bukit Timah).

Assoc Prof FATIMAH LATEEF (Marine Parade).

Mr ARTHUR FONG (West Coast).

Mr CEDRIC FOO CHEE KENG (Pioneer).

Ms FOO MEE HAR (West Coast).

Ms GRACE FU HAI YIEN (Yuhua), Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Second Minister for the Environment and Water Resources and Second Minister for Foreign Affairs.

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

Mr GAN THIAM POH (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Mr GERALD GIAM YEAN SONG (Non-Constituency Member).

Mr GOH CHOK TONG (Marine Parade).

Mr HENG CHEE HOW (Whampoa), Senior Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office and Deputy Leader of the House.

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

Mr HRI KUMAR NAIR (Bishan-Toa Payoh).

Mr INDERJIT SINGH (Ang Mo Kio).

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

Dr INTAN AZURA MOKHTAR (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr S ISWARAN (West Coast), Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Second Minister for Home Affairs and Second Minister for Trade and Industry.

Mr K KARTHIKEYAN (Nominated Member).

Mr KHAW BOON WAN (Sembawang), Minister for National Development.

Dr AMY KHOR LEAN SUAN (Hong Kah North), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Health and Ministry of Manpower and Deputy Government Whip.

Ms KUIK SHIAO-YIN (Nominated Member).

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

Er Dr LEE BEE WAH (Nee Soon).

Ms ELLEN LEE (Sembawang).

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

Ms LEE LI LIAN (Punggol East).

Mr DESMOND LEE (Jurong), Minister of State, Ministry of National Development.

Mr LEE YI SHYAN (East Coast), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Trade and Industry and Ministry of National Development.

Mr LIANG ENG HWA (Holland-Bukit Timah).

Mr LIM BIEW CHUAN (Mountbatten).

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

Mr RAYMOND LIM SIANG KEAT (East Coast).

Mr LIM SWEE SAY (East Coast), Minister, Prime Minister's Office.

Ms SYLVIA LIM (Aljunied).

Dr LIM WEE KIAK (Nee Soon).

Ms PENNY LOW (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Mr LOW THIA KHIANG (Aljunied).

Ms LOW YEN LING (Chua Chu Kang), Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Social and Family Development and Minister for Culture, Community and Youth.

Mr LUI TUCK YEW (Moulmein-Kallang), Minister for Transport and Second Minister for Defence.

Mr MAH BOW TAN (Tampines).

Mr MASAGOS ZULKIFLI B M M (Tampines), Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Second Minister for Home Affairs and Second Minister for Foreign Affairs.

Dr MOHAMAD MALIKI BIN OSMAN (East Coast), Minister of State, Ministry of Defence and Ministry of National Development.

Mr MOHD ISMAIL HUSSEIN (Nominated Member).

Mr MUHAMAD FAISAL ABDUL MANAP (Aljunied).

Assoc Prof Dr MUHAMMAD FAISHAL IBRAHIM (Nee Soon), Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Health and Minister for Transport.

Dr LILY NEO (Tanjong Pagar).

Dr NG ENG HEN (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Minister for Defence and Leader of the House.

Ms IRENE NG PHEK HOONG (Tampines).

Mr DAVID ONG KIM HUAT (Jurong).

Mr ONG TENG KOON (Sembawang).

Ms DENISE PHUA LAY PENG (Moulmein-Kallang).

Mr PNG ENG HUAT (Hougang).

Mr PRITAM SINGH (Aljunied).

Mr SEAH KIAN PENG (Marine Parade), Deputy Speaker.

Mr SENG HAN THONG (Ang Mo Kio).

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

Ms SIM ANN (Holland-Bukit Timah), Minister of State, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Communications and Information.

Mr SITO H YIH PIN (Potong Pasir).

Ms RITA SOH SIOW LAN (Nominated Member).

Dr BENEDICT TAN (Nominated Member).

Mr SAM TAN CHIN SIONG (Radin Mas), Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office and Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth.

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

Assoc Prof RANDOLPH TAN (Nominated Member).

Prof TAN TAI YONG (Nominated Member).

Mr PATRICK TAY TECK GUAN (Nee Soon).

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

Dr TEO HO PIN (Bukit Panjang), Deputy Government Whip.

Mrs JOSEPHINE TEO (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Transport.

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

Mr THARMAN SHANMUGARATNAM (Jurong), Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance.

Ms TIN PEI LING (Marine Parade).

Mr EDWIN TONG CHUN FAI (Moulmein-Kallang).

Mr VIKRAM NAIR (Sembawang).

Dr VIVIAN BALAKRISHNAN (Holland-Bukit Timah), Minister for the Environment and Water Resources.

Mr WONG KAN SENG (Bishan-Toa Payoh).

Mr LAWRENCE WONG (West Coast), Minister for Culture, Community and Youth and Second Minister for Communications and Information.

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

Mr ALEX YAM ZIMING (Chua Chu Kang).

Mr YEE JENN JONG (Non-Constituency Member).

Mr ALVIN YEO (Chua Chu Kang).

Mr YEO GUAT KWANG (Ang Mo Kio).

Mr ZAINAL SAPARI (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Mr ZAINUDIN NORDIN (Bishan-Toa Payoh).

Mr ZAQY MOHAMAD (Chua Chu Kang).

ABSENT:

Mr HAWAZI DAIPI (Sembawang), Senior Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Education and Minister for Manpower.

Dr JANIL PUTHUCHEARY (Pasir Ris-Punggol).

Ms JESSICA TAN SOON NEO (East Coast).

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- 1 Papers presented to Parliament 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 Legal Profession (Admission) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 30 March 2015 (S.L. 63 of 2015).
 - 1.2 Industrial Relations (Amendment) Act 2015 (Commencement) Notification 2015 – Presented on 31 March 2015 (S. L. 64 of 2015).
 - 1.3 Industrial Relations (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 31 March 2015 (S. L. 65 of 2015).
 - 1.4 Industrial Relations (Recognition of a Trade Union of Employees) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 31 March 2015 (S. L. 66 of 2015).
 - 1.5 Industrial Relations (Referee Appeal) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 31 March 2015 (S. L. 67 of 2015).
 - 1.6 Advice of the Council of the Presidential Advisers on the Appointment of Non-Permanent Members for Presidential Council for Minority Rights – Presented on 2 April 2015 (S. 17 of 2015).
 - 1.7 Rules of Court (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 6 April 2015 (S. L. 68 of 2015).
 - 1.8 Central Provident Fund (Medisave Account Withdrawals) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 6 April 2015 (S. L. 69 of 2015).
 - 1.9 Pioneer Generation Fund (Pioneer Generation Benefits) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 6 April 2015 (S. L. 70 of 2015).
 - 1.10 Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore Annual Report 2014 – Presented on 8 April 2015 (S. 18 of 2015).
 - 1.11 Public Order (Unrestricted Area) Order 2015 – Presented on 8 April 2015 (S. L. 71 of 2015).
 - 1.12 Customs (Liquors Licensing) (Revocation) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 72 of 2015).
 - 1.13 Customs (Liquors Licensing) (Exemption) (Revocation) Order 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 73 of 2015).
 - 1.14 Liquor Control (Supply and Consumption) (Liquor Licensing) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 74 of 2015).
 - 1.15 Liquor Control (Supply and Consumption) (Saving and Transitional Provisions) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 75 of 2015).

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- 1.16 Liquor Control (Supply and Consumption) (Restrictions on Consumption) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 76 of 2015).
 - 1.17 Liquor Control (Supply and Consumption) (Composition of Offences) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 77 of 2015).
 - 1.18 Liquor Control (Supply and Consumption) (Appeal Proceedings) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 78 of 2015).
 - 1.19 Public Entertainments and Meetings (Specified Establishments) Rules 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 79 of 2015).
 - 1.20 Public Entertainments and Meetings (Demerit Points) (Amendment) Rules 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 80 of 2015).
 - 1.21 Environmental Public Health (Public Cleansing) (Amendment) Regulations 2015 – Presented on 9 April 2015 (S. L. 81 of 2015).
 - 1.22 Advice of the Council of Presidential Advisers on the Appointment of Judicial Commissioner – Presented on 10 April 2015 (S. 19 of 2015).
- 2 28 Questions for Oral Answer were answered during Question Time.
 - 3 Ministerial Statement – Honouring the Founding Prime Minister of Singapore, the Late Mr Lee Kuan Yew – (Prime Minister).
 - 4 Monetary Authority of Singapore (Amendment) Bill – "to amend the Monetary Authority of Singapore Act (Chapter 186 of the 1999 Revised Edition) and to make consequential amendments to certain other Acts" – presented by the Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance; read the first time; to be read a second time on the next available sitting day and to be printed. [Bill No. 11/2015].
 - 5 Government Securities (Amendment) Bill – "to amend the Government Securities Act (Chapter 121A of the 2014 Revised Edition)" – presented by the Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Finance; read the first time; to be read a second time on the next available sitting day and to be printed. [Bill No. 12/2015].
 - 6 Unmanned Aircraft (Public Safety and Security) Bill – "to amend the Air Navigation Act (Chapter 6 of the 2014 Revised Edition) and the Public Order Act (Chapter 257A of the 2012 Revised Edition) to regulate the operation of unmanned aircraft in Singapore in the interests of public safety and security" – presented by the Minister for Transport; read the first time; to be read a second time on the next available sitting day and to be printed. [Bill No. 13/2015].
 - 7 Third-Party Taxi Booking Service Providers Bill – "to regulate third-party taxi booking services and to make consequential and related amendments to certain other Acts" – presented by the Minister for Transport; read the first time; to be read a second time on the next available sitting day and to be printed. [Bill No. 14/2015].

- 8 Housing and Development (Amendment) Bill – read a second time and committed to a Committee of the whole House.

The House immediately resolved itself into a Committee on the Bill – (Minister of State, Ministry of National Development).

(In the Committee)

Clauses 1 to 14 inclusive agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Bill reported, without amendment; read a third time.

- 9 Adjournment – (Leader of the House) – Resolved, "That Parliament do now adjourn to a date to be fixed."

Adjourned at 5.41 pm

HALIMAH YACOB,
Speaker

MEMORANDUM

Parliament stands adjourned to a date to be fixed.
