FIFTEENTH PARLIAMENT OF SINGAPORE (FIRST SESSION)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS WEDNESDAY, 15 OCTOBER 2025

No. 8 **11.30 am**

PRESENT:

Mr SPEAKER [Mr Seah Kian Peng (Marine Parade-Braddell Heights)]

Mr ABDUL MUHAIMIN ABDUL MALIK (Sengkang)

Mr ANG WEI NENG (West Coast-Jurong West)

Mr BAEY YAM KENG (Tampines), Minister of State, Ministry of Culture, Community and

Youth and Ministry of Transport

Mr CAI YINZHOU (Bishan-Toa Payoh)

Mr CHAN CHUN SING (Tanjong Pagar), Coordinating Minister for Public Services and

Minister for Defence

Mr CHEE HONG TAT (Bishan-Toa Payoh), Minister for National Development

Dr CHARLENE CHEN (Tampines)

Ms ELYSA CHEN (Bishan-Toa Payoh)

Mr EDWARD CHIA BING HUI (Holland-Bukit Timah)

Ms EILEEN CHONG PEI SHAN (Non-Constituency Member)

Mr DESMOND CHOO (Tampines Changkat), Minister of State, Ministry of Defence

Dr CHOO PEI LING (Chua Chu Kang)

Mr ERIC CHUA (Queenstown), Senior Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Law and

Ministry of Social and Family Development

Mr CHUA KHENG WEE LOUIS (Sengkang)

Mr CHRISTOPHER DE SOUZA (Holland-Bukit Timah)

Mr DINESH VASU DASH (East Coast), Minister of State, Ministry of Culture, Community

and Youth and Ministry of Manpower

Mr FADLI FAWZI (Aljunied)

Mr FOO CEXIANG (Tanjong Pagar)

Mr GAN KIM YONG (Punggol), Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Trade and Industry

Ms GHO SZE KEE (Mountbatten)

Mr GERALD GIAM YEAN SONG (Aljunied)

Ms GOH HANYAN (Nee Soon), Senior Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Culture,

Community and Youth and Ministry of Sustainability and the Environment

Dr HAMID RAZAK (West Coast-Jurong West)

Ms HAZLINA ABDUL HALIM (East Coast)

Ms HE TING RU (Sengkang)

Mr DAVID HOE (Jurong East-Bukit Batok)

Mr SHAWN HUANG WEI ZHONG (West Coast-Jurong West), Senior Parliamentary

Secretary, Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Manpower

Dr KOH POH KOON (Tampines), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Health and Ministry of Manpower

Mr KWEK HIAN CHUAN HENRY (Kebun Baru)

Mr GABRIEL LAM (Sembawang)

Mr JACKSON LAM (Nee Soon)

Ms JASMIN LAU (Ang Mo Kio), Minister of State, Ministry of Digital Development and Information and Ministry of Education

Ms CASSANDRA LEE (West Coast-Jurong West)

Mr DESMOND LEE (West Coast-Jurong West), Minister for Education and Minister-incharge of Social Services Integration

Mr LEE HONG CHUANG (Jurong East-Bukit Batok)

Mr LEE HSIEN LOONG (Ang Mo Kio), Senior Minister

Ms LEE HUI YING (Nee Soon)

Ms VALERIE LEE (Pasir Ris-Changi)

Mr LIANG ENG HWA (Bukit Panjang)

Assoc Prof JAMUS JEROME LIM (Sengkang)

Ms SYLVIA LIM (Aljunied)

Mr SHAWN LOH (Jalan Besar)

Mr LOW WU YANG ANDRE (Non-Constituency Member)

Mr VICTOR LYE (Ang Mo Kio)

Ms MARIAM JAAFAR (Sembawang)

Mr MASAGOS ZULKIFLI B M M (Tampines), Minister for Social and Family Development Assoc Prof Dr MUHAMMAD FAISHAL IBRAHIM (Marine Parade-Braddell Heights),

Acting Minister-in-charge of Muslim Affairs and Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Home Affairs

Mr MURALI PILLAI (Jurong East-Bukit Batok), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Law and Ministry of Transport

Ms NADIA AHMAD SAMDIN (Ang Mo Kio)

Mr DAVID NEO (Tampines), Acting Minister for Culture, Community and Youth and Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Education

Mr NG CHEE MENG (Jalan Kayu)

Mr NG SHI XUAN (Sembawang)

Miss RACHEL ONG (Tanjong Pagar)

Mr ONG YE KUNG (Sembawang), Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health

Ms DIANA PANG LI YEN (Marine Parade-Braddell Heights)

Ms JOAN PEREIRA (Tanjong Pagar)

Ms DENISE PHUA LAY PENG (Jalan Besar)

Ms POH LI SAN (Sembawang West)

Mr PRITAM SINGH (Aljunied), Leader of the Opposition

Ms RAHAYU MAHZAM (Jurong East-Bukit Batok), Minister of State, Ministry of Digital Development and Information and Ministry of Health

Mr K SHANMUGAM (Nee Soon), Coordinating Minister for National Security and Minister for Home Affairs

Mr SHARAEL TAHA (Pasir Ris-Changi)

Ms SIM ANN (Holland-Bukit Timah), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Home Affairs and Deputy Government Whip

Mr JEFFREY SIOW (Chua Chu Kang), Acting Minister for Transport and Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Finance

Ms HANY SOH (Marsiling-Yew Tee)

Ms SUN XUELING (Punggol), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of National Development and Ministry of Transport

Dr SYED HARUN ALHABSYI (Nee Soon)

Mr ALVIN TAN (Tanjong Pagar), Minister of State, Ministry of National Development and Ministry of Trade and Industry

Mr DENNIS TAN LIP FONG (Hougang)

Mr DESMOND TAN (Pasir Ris-Changi), Senior Minister of State, Prime Minister's Office

Dr TAN SEE LENG (Chua Chu Kang), Minister for Manpower

Ms JESSICA TAN SOON NEO (East Coast)

Mr PATRICK TAY TECK GUAN (Pioneer)

Mrs JOSEPHINE TEO (Jalan Besar), Minister for Digital Development and Information

Mr KENNETH TIONG BOON KIAT (Aljunied)

Mr VIKRAM NAIR (Sembawang)

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

Dr WAN RIZAL (Jalan Besar)

Mr LAWRENCE WONG (Marsiling-Yew Tee), Prime Minister and Minister for Finance

Mr XIE YAO QUAN (Jurong Central)

Mr ALEX YAM ZIMING (Marsiling-Yew Tee)

Mr ALEX YEO (Potong Pasir)

Ms YEO WAN LING (Punggol)

Mr YIP HON WENG (Yio Chu Kang)

Mr MELVIN YONG YIK CHYE (Radin Mas)

Mr ZAQY MOHAMAD (Marsiling-Yew Tee), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Defence and Ministry of Sustainability and the Environment and Deputy Leader of the House

Mr ZHULKARNAIN ABDUL RAHIM (Chua Chu Kang)

ABSENT:

Mr DARRYL DAVID (Ang Mo Kio)

Ms GRACE FU HAI YIEN (Jurong East-Bukit Batok), Minister for Sustainability and the Environment and Minister-in-charge of Trade Relations

Ms GAN SIOW HUANG (Marymount), Minister of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Trade and Industry

Mr GOH PEI MING (Marine Parade-Braddell Heights), Minister of State, Ministry of Home Affairs and Ministry of Social and Family Development

Ms INDRANEE RAJAH (Pasir Ris-Changi), Minister, Prime Minister's Office, Second Minister for Finance, Second Minister for National Development and Leader of the House Dr JANIL PUTHUCHEARY (Punggol), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Education and Ministry of Sustainability and the Environment and Government Whip

Ms LOW YEN LING (Bukit Gombak), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Culture,

Community and Youth and Ministry of Trade and Industry

Mr SAKTIANDI SUPAAT (Bishan-Toa Payoh)

Mr TAN KIAT HOW (East Coast), Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Digital Development and Information and Ministry of Health

Ms TIN PEI LING (Marine Parade-Braddell Heights)

Mr EDWIN TONG CHUN FAI (East Coast), Minister for Law and Second Minister for Home Affairs

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 Road Traffic (Power-Assisted Bicycles Approval) (Amendment) Rules 2025 Presented on 15 October 2025 (S. L. 187 of 2025)
- 1.2 Road Traffic (Registration of Power-Assisted Bicycles) (Amendment) Rules 2025 Presented on 15 October 2025 (S. L. 188 of 2025)
- 2 16 Questions for Oral Answer were answered during Question Time.
- Online Safety (Relief and Accountability) Bill "to provide persons affected by online harmful activity with timely redress through the office of the Commissioner of Online Safety and rights of action in court proceedings, to improve and promote online safety, to deter and prevent online harmful activity, to promote accountability and responsible and reasonable conduct in the online environment, to make amendments to certain other Acts for alignment with this Act, and to make related amendments to other Acts" presented by the Minister for Digital Development and Information; read the first time; to be read a second time on the next available sitting day and to be printed. [Bill No. 18/2025].
- 4 Statutes (Miscellaneous Amendments) 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 (Ms Rahayu Mazham), on behalf of the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health).

(In the Committee)

Clauses 1 to 29 inclusive agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Bill reported, without amendment; read a third time.

5 Electronic Conveyancing and Other Matters 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 – (Senior Minister of State (Mr Murali Pillai), on behalf of the Minister for Law).

(In the Committee)

Clauses 1 to 16 inclusive agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Bill reported, without amendment; read a third time.

6 CareShield Life and Long-Term Care (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 – (Senior Minister of State (Dr Koh Poh Koon), on behalf of the Coordinating Minister for Social Policies and Minister for Health).

(In the Committee)

Clauses 1 to 9 inclusive agreed to.

Bill to be reported.

Bill reported, without amendment; read a third time.

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

Adjourned at 6.39 pm

SEAH KIAN PENG, Speaker

MEMORANDUM

Parliament stands adjourned to a date to be fixed.