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94, Parliament House
New Delhi-110001.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Monthly Summary for the month of December, 2020 in respect of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the Monthly Summary of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs for the month of December, 2020.



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1. All the Members of the Council of Ministers.
2. Vice Chairman, NITI Aayog, Sansad Marg, New Delhi.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

Subject: - Monthly Summary for the month of December, 2020 of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

1. IMPLEMENTATION OF ASSURANCES IN PARLIAMENT

This Ministry is the co-ordinating agency to ensure that the Ministries fulfil their assurances, given by the concerned Ministers while replying to questions or supplementary thereon or during discussion on Bills, Resolutions, Motions in Parliament, in time. The Ministry extracts from the daily proceedings of both the Houses, assurances given by Ministers and forward the same to concerned Ministries for necessary action. The Implementation Reports received from administrative ministries in fulfilment of an assurance are laid on the Table of the respective Houses.

From 1956 to December, 2020 a total to 96620 Assurances were culled out in Lok Sabha and 56794 Assurances were culled out in Rajya Sabha. Out of these, 2096 Assurances of Lok Sabha and 876 Assurances of Rajya Sabha are pending.

In the month of December 2020, 10 Assurances were culled out from Lok Sabha proceedings and 05 Assurances were culled out from Rajya Sabha proceedings.

2. DIGITAL GOVERNANCE - IMPLEMENTATION OF e-OFFICE

This Ministry was selected for implementation of e-Office Mission Mode Project (MMP) by Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG) in the second phase. From October, 2013 after digitization of physical files, sections of the Ministry were brought under e-office.

All matters relating to leave of employees, service, billing etc are being done in e-office. This has helped the Ministry to be more efficient, lesser usage of paper, rule based file routing, quick search and retrieval of files and office orders. DARPG has awarded this Ministry for commendable performance shown in implementation of e-office.

In the month of December, 2020, in light of CoVID Pandemic, most of the work was done electronically and 1650 e-files were moved.

3. MEETING OF RAJBHASHA KARYANVAYAN SAMILTI IN THE MINISTRY

A meeting of Rajbhasha Karyanvayan Samiti was held on 18th December 2020 and various matters were discussed.

4. FOLLOW UP ACTION ON MATTERS RAISED UNDER RULE 377 IN LOK SABHA AND BY WAY OF SPECIAL MENTION IN RAJYA SABHA.

Members of the Lok Sabha who wish to bring to the notice of the House any matter which is not a point of order, are permitted by the Speaker to raise the matter under the rule 377 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha. In the Rajya Sabha, the Chairman permits the members to mention the matters of urgent public importance, generally known as special mentions, under Rule 180 A-E of the Rules of Procedure and conduct of Business in the Rajya Sabha. The Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs takes follow up action on such matters raised by Members of both houses of period.

The Status of Matters raised and replies given to various matters raised in both Houses of Parliament at the end of December 2020.

	Matters pending on 1st December	Replies Received during December	Pendency at the end of December
Matters raised under Rule 377 in Lok Sabha	108	46	62
Matters raised by way of Special Mention in Rajya Sabha	345	66	279

5. NATIONAL e-VIDHAN APPLICATION (NeVA) : ONE NATION – ONE APPLICATION

NeVA is a Mission Mode Project under the Digital India Programme. Its mission is to make the legislatures of all the States/UTs paper less, streamline all the processes for information exchange with the different State Government Departments and to publish the allowed contents on the public portal in real time. The NeVA works on both web-based and application based (both Android and IOS) platform, in a format consistent across National and State legislatures. As per the Scheme, financial assistance is being given to the states to transform their legislative houses into “Digital House” so as to enable them to transact entire Government Business on digital platform including exchange of information with the State Government Departments in paperless mode.

Various States have adopted the NeVA, a project for digital legislatures and have started working on it. With the sole objective of knowledge transfer for

capacity building of the officials of the legislatures, CPMU, NeVA has started in house training/workshop in association with the concerned Assembly/Council/State NIC.

Upto the month of November, Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for implementation of NeVA has been signed with both the legislatures of Bihar (Assembly and Council), Punjab, Odisha, Meghalaya, Manipur, Gujarat, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland and Tripura. Detailed Project Reports (DPR) for the sanction of NeVA project have been submitted by Punjab, Odisha, Bihar (Assmebly), Bihar (Council), Nagaland and Manipur.

In the month of December, 2020 the Detailed Project Report (DPR) submitted by Manipur has been scrutinized and submitted for the concurrence of Financial Adviser for the sanction of NeVA Project.

6. FUNCTIONING OF CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEES

Informal Consultative Committees were constituted for various Ministries/Departments of Government of India, first time in the year 1954 to provide opportunities to Members of Parliament to have some glimpse into the working of the Government. Nature of these Committees is advisory. At present 37 Consultative Committees are functioning for various Ministries.

In the month of December 2020, 6 meetings of Consultative Committees were held. Further in this month, 08 Members of Parliament were deleted from various Consultative Committees and 02 Members of Parliament were nominated on various Committee/Board/Commission by Government. Details of the meeting of Consultative Committees held in this month are placed at Annexure-I and details of members removed and nominated in various Consultative Committees are placed at Annexure-II.

7. MOTIVATING YOUTH THROUGH YOUTH PARLIAMENT SCHEMES

In the month of December, 2020, registrations of 2350 schools participating in National Youth Parliament Scheme were reviewed and out of them, registrations of 78 schools were approved.

8. SOCIAL MEDIA

Social Media is an emerging platform for information sharing and receiving feedback. Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs has taken the initiative of getting its presence registered on various social media platforms.

With a total of 1735 tweets, the number of twitter followers for the Ministry's handle https://twitter.com/mpa_india touched 4334 and that of Facebook's followers became 36014.

दिसम्बर, 2020 में परामर्शदात्री समिति बैठकों का ब्यौरा

S.No.	Day, Date and Time	Ministry	Subject	Venue / Remarks
1.	Monday, the 14 th December, 2020 at 11.00am	Coal and Mine Subject pertain to M/O Coal	First Mile connectivity for coal Mines	53, Parliament House
2.	Tuesday, the 15 th December, 2020 at 11.00am	Ports, Shipping and Waterways	(i) Merchant Shipping Bill (ii) Inland Vessels Bill	Through Video Conference
3.	Tuesday, the 22 nd December, 2020 at 12.00noon	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	Credit Guarantee Fund Trust for Micro and Small Enterprises (CGTMSEE)	Through Video Conference
4.	Wednesday, the 23 rd December, 2020 at 3.00pm	Tribal Affairs	Tribal Areas Governance as per Constitution and Role of States	Committee Room No. B PHA, New Delhi
5.	Monday, the 28 th December, 2020 at 11.00am	Health and Family Welfare	Ayushman Bharat-Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojna & Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centre	Committee Room No. B PHA, New Delhi
6.	Monday, the 28 th December, 2020 at 3.30pm	Environment, Forest and Climate Change	Conservation and Protection of wetlands	Committee Room No. B PHA, New Delhi

Members of Parliament have been deleted from various Consultative Committees after their death during December, 2020:-

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of CC in which they stand nominated	Reason
1.	Shri Ahmed Patel, MP (Rajya Sabha)	Ministry of Railways	Expire on 25.11.2020

Members of Parliament have been deleted from various Consultative Committees after their Retirement during December, 2020:-

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of CC in which they stand nominated	Reason
1.	Dr.Chandrapal Singh Yadav	M/o Power and Ministry of New & Renewable Energy	Retired on 25.11.2020
2.	Shri Javed Ali Khan	M/o Finance	Retired on 25.11.2020
3.	Shri P.L. Punia	M/o Food Processing Industries	Retired on 25.11.2020
4.	Shri Ravi Prakash Verma	M/o Petroleum and Natural gas	Retired on 25.11.2020
5.	Shri Rajaram	M/o Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution	Retired on 25.11.2020
6.	Shri Veer Singh	M/o Power and Ministry of New & Renewable Energy	Retired on 25.11.2020
7.	Shri Raj Babbar	M/o Health and Family Welfare	Retired on 25.11.2020

Members of Parliament have been Nominated on various Consultative Committees during the month of December, 2020:-

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of the CC in which they are nominated	Remarks
1.	Shri H.D. Devegowda, MP(RS)	Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	Member
2.	Shri Ayodhya Rami Reddy Alla, MP(RS),	Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change	Member