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New Delhi-110001.

Dated 13<sup>th</sup> December, 2021

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Monthly Summary for the month of November, 2021 in respect of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.**

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The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of the Monthly Summary of the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs for the month of November, 2021.



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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**

**MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS**

Subject: - Monthly Summary for the month of November, 2021 of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs.

**1. LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS IN PARLIAMENT**

Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs serves as an important link between the two Houses of Parliament on the one hand and the Government on the other in respect of Government Business in Parliament.

The Cabinet Committee on Parliamentary Affairs held a meeting on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021, to consider Note No 07/2021 dated 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021 regarding summoning of Winter Session, 2021 and approved that both Houses of Parliament may be summoned for its Winter Session, 2021 on Monday, the 29<sup>th</sup> of November, 2021 and subject to exigencies of Government Business, the Session may conclude on Thursday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> December, 2021.

The Winter Session of 7<sup>th</sup> Session of 17<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha and 255<sup>th</sup> Session of Rajya Sabha (Winter Session, 2021) commenced on Monday, the 29<sup>th</sup> November 2021.

The details of the legislative business are placed at Annexure-I.

**2. 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 October, 2021 a total of 97004 Assurances were culled out in Lok Sabha and 57072 Assurances were culled out in Rajya Sabha. Out of these 1701 Assurances of Lok Sabha and 820 Assurances of Rajya Sabha are pending.

During the month of November, 2021, 10 Assurances were culled out from Lok Sabha proceedings and 5 Assurances were culled out from Rajya Sabha proceedings.

**3. 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 November 2021.

	<b>Matters raised under Rule 377 in Lok Sabha</b>	<b>Matters raised by way of Special Mention in Rajya Sabha</b>
<b>Matters pending on 1<sup>st</sup> November</b>	95	158
<b>Matters raised during the month</b>	48	3
<b>Replies Received during November</b>	26	5
<b>Remaining Matters</b>	117	156

#### 4. 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 November 2021, -

- a) Seven Meetings of Consultative Committee were held.
- b) One Member of Parliament was removed from Consultative Committee on his resignation.

The above details are placed in Annexure-II.

#### 5. 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 November, 2021, most of the work was done electronically and 2100 electronic files were moved.

#### 6. MOTIVATING YOUTH THROUGH YOUTH PARLIAMENT SCHEMES

During the month of November, 2021-

- a) Registrations of 224 schools for participating in National Youth Parliament Schemes were reviewed and out of them, registrations of 34 schools were approved.

**7. 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.

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, 2021 Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for implementation of NeVA has been signed with 18 States (20 Houses) which includes Bihar (Assembly and Council), Punjab, Odisha, Meghalaya, Manipur, Gujarat, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Tripura, Chattisgarh, Sikkim, Puducherry, Himachal Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh (both Houses), Jharkhand and Mizoram. Detailed Project Reports (DPR) for the sanction of NeVA project have been submitted by 13 States (15 Houses) viz Punjab, Odisha, Bihar (Assembly and Council), Nagaland, Manipur, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Tripura, Mizoram, Uttar Pradesh (Legislative Council) and Haryana out of which first instalment for implementation of NeVA has been paid to the first 7 States (8 Houses).

In the month of November, 2021 –

- i) A CPMU, NeVA team visited Bihar during 16<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> November 2021 to facilitate and supervise the implementation of NeVA in Bihar Legislative Council. The visit resulted in the following events –
- a) Presentation was given to Hon'ble MLCs to give an idea about NeVA Software. Hands-on experience was also given to Hon'ble MLCs to enable them to use various NeVA software modules.
  - b) Training in various modules of NeVA was also given to Personal Assistants (Pas) of MLCs and officials of Bihar Council.
  - c) The visit of officials from CPMU NeVA to Bihar Council was preceded by a number of initiatives by Bihar Council:-
    - After the disbursement of funds by the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs, the installation of new devices and other hardware was done in the House for the implementation

of NeVA Project. In this context, Bihar Legislative Council has become the 1<sup>st</sup> House in the country to install hardware infrastructure inside the House for digitisation of house using NeVA.

- On 25<sup>th</sup> November 2021, the inagation of NeVA in Bihar Council was done by Chief Minister, Bihar. As a result, Bihar Legislative Assembly has become the first House in the country to fully migrate its working to NeVA platform.
  - After the installation of hardware and training by CPMU, NeVA, Bihar Council ran its winter session from 29<sup>th</sup> Novwmber, 2021 through NeVA platform. Also, various works related to legislative council were done using various modules of NeVA software such as question processing, reporting, E-book etc.
- ii) A one day online session (through Video Conferencing) organized on 30<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 for Karnataka Assembly. In the meeting, the officials from Karnataka Assembly were given basic training and information about NeVA software and also included clarification of their doubts.

## 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 1814 tweets, the number of twitter followers for the Ministry's handle [https://twitter.com/mpa\\_india](https://twitter.com/mpa_india) touched 7430 and that of Facebook's followers became 40397.

Annexure –I**LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS TRANSACTED DURING SEVENTH SESSION OF  
SEVENTEENTH LOK SABHA AND 255<sup>TH</sup> SESSION OF RAJYA SABHA  
(November, 2021)****I. Bills Introduced in Lok Sabha**

1. The Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021.
2. The High Court and Supreme Court Judges (Salaries and Consitions of Service) Amendment, Bill, 2021.

**II. Bills Introduced in Rajya Sabha**

1. The Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021.

**III. Bills Passed in Lok Sabha**

1. The Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021

**IV. Bills Passed in Rajya Sabha**

1. The Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021

**V. Bills Passed by Both Houses**

1. The Farm Laws Repeal Bill, 2021

Annexure -IIDetails of Meetings of Cnsultative Committee during the month of November, 2021

S.No.	Day, Date and Time	Ministry	Subject	Venue / Remarks
1.	Monday, the 1 <sup>st</sup> November 2021 at 11:00 AM	<b>Information and Broadcasting</b>	New Technology in Broadcasting	Committee Room No. "B" PHA, New Delhi
2.	Tuesday, the 9 <sup>th</sup> November, 2021 at 3:00 AM	<b>Ports, Shipping and Waterways</b>	Development of Inland waterways	Committee Room No. "C" PHA, New Delhi
3.	Friday, the 12 <sup>th</sup> November, 2021 at 10:00 AM	<b>External Affairs</b>	QUAD and Indo-Pacific	Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan (Conference Room No 1) Gate No 1, "C" wing, 26D, Janpath, new Delhi
4.	Sunday-Monday, the 14-15 November, 2021	<b>Steel</b>	Steel Usage	Kevadia, Gujarat
5.	Friday, the 19 <sup>th</sup> November, 2021	<b>Commerce and Industry</b>	Investment Promotion for Manufacturing and revival in post COVID situation	Hotel Raddission Blu, Guwahati (Assam)
6.	Friday, the 19 <sup>th</sup> November, 2021	<b>Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution</b>	One Nation One Ration Card (ONORC)	Hotel Raddission Blu, Guwahati (Assam)
7.	Saturday, the 20 <sup>th</sup> November, 2021	<b>Textiles</b>	Development of Sericulture and Silk Industry	Classic Grande Mamang, Chingmeirong, Imphal (E), Manipur.

**Members of Parliament who have been removed from various Consultative Committees during the month of November, 2021:-**

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of the CC in which they are nominated	Reason
1.	Shri Babul Supriyo, MP(LS)	M/o, Ports, Shipping and Waterways	Resigned on 22.10.2021