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New Delhi-110001.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Monthly Summary for the month of July, 2021 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 July, 2021.



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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS

Subject: - Monthly Summary for the month of July, 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 6th Session of 17th Lok Sabha and 254th Session of Rajya Sabha (Monsoon Session, 2021) commenced on Monday, the 19th July, 2021.

The details of Parliamentary Business conducted during the period are placed at Annexure-I.

2. ALL PARTY MEETING

An All Party Meeting of floor leaders was held on 18th July 2021 before the commencement of Parliament Session in which concluding remarks were made by Hon'ble Prime Minister.

Ministry of Parliamentary also organised a presentation on 20th July 2021 by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare for floor leaders of all the political parties in the Parliament on "CoVID and Vaccination", in august presence of Hon'ble Prime Minister.

3. 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 June, 2021 a total of 96820 Assurances were culled out in Lok Sabha and 56944 Assurances were culled out in Rajya Sabha. Out of these 1698 Assurances of Lok Sabha and 738 Assurances of Rajya Sabha are pending.

During the month of July, 2021, 30 Assurances were culled out from Lok Sabha proceedings and 20 Assurances were culled out from Rajya Sabha proceedings.

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 July 2021.

	Matters raised under Rule 377 in Lok Sabha	Matters raised by way of Special Mention in Rajya Sabha
Matters pending on 1st July	152	255
Matters raised during the months	187	8
Replies Received during June	49	23
Remaining Matters	290	210

5. 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 July 2021,

- a. Three Meetings of Consultative Committee were held.
- b. Thirty Five Members of Parliament have been removed from Various Consultative Committees after their retirement/ Induction into the Council of Ministers..
- c. One Member of Parliament has been nominated on the Consultative Committee of Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship.

The above details are placed in Annexure-II.

6. 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 July, 2021, most of the work was done electronically and 2430 electronic files were moved..

7. MOTIVATING YOUTH THROUGH YOUTH PARLIAMENT SCHEMES

During the month of July, 2021,-

- a. Registrations of 315 schools for participating in National Youth Parliament Schemes were reviewed and out of them, registrations of 55 schools were approved.
- b. The result of 23rd National Youth Competition for Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalayas 2019-2020 was declared. Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya, Alleppey, Kerala (Hyderabad Region) has emerged as National Winner of the Competition.

8. 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 July, 2021 Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for implementation of NeVA has been signed with 17 States (18 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 and Mizoram. Detailed Project Reports (DPR) for the sanction of NeVA project have been submitted by 11 States (12 Houses) viz Punjab, Odisha, Bihar (Assembly and Council), Nagaland, Manipur, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Tripura 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 July, 2021 –

- i. A 4 day (2 session) online training programme was organized from 6-7 July, 2021 through Video Conferencing for Karnataka Assembly. In meeting the officials for Karnataka Assembly were trained in various modules of NeVA software which included clarification of their doubts.
- ii. Bihar Council used NeVA software during their Budget session in July 2021. Active support was given to Bihar Council by CPMU NeVA team in successful conduct of Budget Session. Active support was also given to various state legislatures through telephonic conversation and video conferencing, who have started the implementation of NeVA Software..
- iii. Certain new features were added and necessary testing done in NeVA software. A special feature of Balloting was successfully added in Question Processing Module. Also, Reporter Module was completed and it is now a part of NeVA. Necessary work for revamping of NeVA Mobile application is under progress.

9. 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 1780 tweets, the number of twitter followers for the Ministry's handle https://twitter.com/mpa_india touched 5291 and that of Facebook's followers became 38509.

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS TRANSACTED DURING SIXTH SESSION OF
SEVENTEENTH LOK SABHA AND 254TH SESSION OF RAJYA SABHA
(July, 2021)

I. Bills Introduced in Lok Sabha

1. The Inland Vessel Bill, 2021
2. The Essential Defence Service Bill, 2021.
3. The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
4. The Appropriation (No. 4) Bill, 2021.
5. The Appropriation (No. 5) Bill, 2021.
6. The Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2021.
7. The Commission for Air Quality Management in National Capital Region and Adjoining Areas, Bill, 2021.
8. General Insurance Business (Nationalisation) Amendment Bill, 2021.

II. Bills Introduced in Rajya Sabha

1. The Coconut development Board (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
2. The Limited Liability Partnership (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
3. The Deposit Insurance and Credit Guarantee Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2021.

III. Bills Passed in Lok Sabha.

1. The Factoring Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
2. The National Institute of Food Technology, Entrepreneurship and Management Bill, 2021.
3. The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
4. The Appropriation (No. 4) Bill, 2021.
5. The Appropriation (No. 5) Bill, 2021.
6. The Airports Economic Regulatory Authority of India (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
7. The Inland Vessel Bill, 2021

IV. Bills Passed in Rajya Sabha.

1. The Marine Aids to Navigation Bill, 2021.
2. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Bill, 2021.
3. The Factoring Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 2021.
4. The The Coconut development Board (Amendment) Bill, 2021.

V. Bills Passed by both Houses.

1. The National Institute of Food Technology, Entrepreneurship and Management Bill, 2021.
2. The Marine Aids to Navigation Bill, 2021.
3. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Bill, 2021.
4. The Factoring Regulation (Amendment) Bill, 2021.

VI. Bills Withdrawn by Rajya Sabha.

1. The Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Bill, 2021.

Details of Members of Parliament that have been Nominated on various Consultative Committees during the month of July, 2021:-

S.No.	Day, Date and Time	Ministry	Subject	Venue / Remarks
1.	Thursday, the 1 July 2021 at 11:00AM	COAL AND MINES	(1) Reaching 1 Billion Tones in coal production (Ministry of Coal) (2) Role of District Mineral Foundation (DMF) in improving livelihood of mining affected families (Ministry of Mines)	Committee Room No. "53", Parliament House, New Delhi
2.	Tuesday, the 13 July 2021 at 6:00PM	COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY	Trade in the Post Covid World - Policy and Prospectus	Committee Room D, Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi
3.	Friday, the 23 July 2021 at 9:30AM	DEFENCE	DRDO Programmes	Committee Room "B", Parliament House Annexe, New Delhi

Members of Parliament who have been Nominated on various Consultative Committees during the month of July, 2021:-

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of the CC in which they are nominated	Remarks
1.	Shri Maddila Gurumoorthy, MP (Lok Sabha)	Ministry of Skill Development & Entrepreneurship.	Nominated on 12.07.2021

Members of Parliament have been who have been removed/deleted from various Consultative Committees after their Death/ Retired during July, 2021:-

S. No.	Name of MPs	Name of CC in which they stand nominated	Reason
1.	Shri Vayalar Ravi, MP (Rajya Sabha)	Ministry of Commerce & Industry	Retired on 21.04.2021
2.	Shri K.K. Ragesh, MP (Rajya Sabha)	Ministry of Finance	Retired on 21.04.2021

Following the reshuffle of the Council of Ministers on July 2021, the following Members of Parliament who are currently members of the Consultative Committees have assumed the Charge of Cabinet Ministers.

Sl. No.	Name of Members of Parliament	Membership on the Consultative Committee of	House	Assumed charge of
1.	Shri Narayan Tatu Rane	M/o Youth Affairs and Sports	RS	Cabinet Minister
2.	Dr.Virendra Kumar	M/o Women and Child Development	LS	Cabinet Minister
3.	Shri Ashwini Vaishnav	M/o Information & Broadcasting	RS	Cabinet Minister
4.	Shri Pashu Pati Kumar Paras	M/o Railways	LS	Cabinet Minister
5.	Shri Bhupender Yadav	M/o Finance	RS	Cabinet Minister
6.	Shri Ramchandra Prasad Singh	M/o Home Affairs	RS	Cabinet Minister
7.	Shri Pankaj Chaowdhary	M/o Rural Development & Panchayati Raj	LS	Minister of State

8.	Smt. Anupriya Singh Patel	M/o Petroleum & Natural Gas	LS	Minister of State
9.	Shri Rajeev Chandrasekhar	M/o Electronics & IT and Communications	RS	Minister of State
10.	Sushri Shobha Karandlaje	M/o Women and Child Development	LS	Minister of State
11.	Shri Bhanu Pratap Singh Verma	M/o Defence	LS	Minister of State
12.	Smt. Meenakshi Lekhi	M/o Defence	LS	Minister of State
13.	Smt. Annpurna Devi	M/o Power and New & Renewable Energy	LS	Minister of State
14.	Shri A. Narayanaswamy	M/o Social Justice and Empowerment	LS	Minister of State
15.	Shri Kaushal Kishore	M/o Education	LS	Minister of State
16.	Shri Ajay Bhatt	M/o Health and Family Welfare	LS	Minister of State
17.	Shri B.L. Verma	M/o Agriculture & Farmers's Welfare	RS	Minister of State
18.	Shri Devusinh Chauhan	M/o Food Processing Industries	LS	Minister of State
19.	Shri Bhagwanth Khuba	M/o Railways	LS	Minister of State
20.	Shri Kapil Moreshwar Patil	M/o Textiles	LS	Minister of State
21.	Sushri Pratima Bhoumik	M/o Railways	LS	Minister of State
22.	Dr. Subhas Sarkar	M/o Power and New & Renewable Energy	LS	Minister of State
23.	Dr. Bhagwat Kishanrao Karad	M/o Power and New & Renewable Energy	RS	Minister of State
24.	Dr. Rajkumar ranjan	M/o Development of North-	LS	Minister of State

	Singh	Eastern Region		
25.	Dr. Bharati Pravin Pawar	M/o Skill Development and Entrepreneurship	LS	Minister of State
26.	Shri Bishweswar Tudu	M/o Culture & Tourism	LS	Minister of State
27.	Shri Shantanu Thakur	M/o Rural Development & Panchayati Raj	LS	Minister of State
28.	Shri John Barla	M/o Minority Affairs	LS	Minister of State
29.	Shri Nisith Pramanik	M/o Social Justice and Empowerment	LS	Minister of State
30.	Prof. S.P. Singh Baghel	M/o Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution	LS	Minister of State
31.	Dr. Mahendra Bhai Kalubhai Munjpara	M/o Culture & Tourism	LS	Minister of State
32.	Smt. Darshana Vikram Jardosh	M/o External Affairs	LS	Minister of State
33.	Shri Ajay Misra Teni	M/o Food Processing Industries	LS	Minister of State