



Monsoon Session 2018

Press Meet of Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs Government of India

PIB Shastri Bhawan 11 am on 11th August 2018

1. The Monsoon Session 2018 has been a successful session in terms of the legislative business conducted and wide participation of all political parties in discussions on various issues of national importance, said Shri Ananthkumar, Union Minister for Parliamentary Affairs and Chemicals & Fertilizers, here today. Shri Vijay Goel, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs and Statistics and Programme Implementation, and Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal, Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs and Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, were also present.



The Union Minister for Chemicals & Fertilizers and Parliamentary Affairs, Shri Ananth Kumar addressing the media on successful completion of Monsoon Session 2018 of Parliament, in New Delhi on August 11, 2018. The Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs, Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal and the Minister of State for Parliamentary Affairs and Statistics & Programme Implementation, Shri Vijay Goel are also seen.

- The Monsoon Session, 2018 of Parliament which commenced on Wednesday, the 18th July, 2018, concluded on Friday, the 10th August, 2018. Both Houses were adjourned sine die. The Session provided **17 sittings spread over a period of 24 days. The productivity of Lok Sabha was 118% and that of Rajya Sabha was 74%.** During the session, a motion of No-Confidence moved by Shri Srinivas Kesineni was defeated with Ayes 135, Noes 330.



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- During the Session, **22 Bills (21 in the Lok Sabha and 1 in the Rajya Sabha) were introduced.**



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The Lok Sabha passed 21 Bills and while the Rajya Sabha passed 14 Bills during the session. 20* Bills were passed by both the Houses of Parliament. This has been an achievement considering that it was a short session of Parliament and a

considerable time was devoted to discussions on issues of national importance and the

Election to the Office of the Deputy Chairman of Rajya Sabha. **Shri Harivansh was elected as Deputy Chairman, Rajya Sabha.**

4. The **Monsoon Session was devoted to bringing Social Justice in the society as major highlights** of this Session included the passing of Bills relating to Social Justice. These Bills are: -

- The Constitution (One Hundred and Twenty-third Amendment) Bill, 2018;
- The National Commission for Backward Classes (Repeal) Bill, 2018; and
- The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Bill, 2018

5. Regarding the **Legislative Business** carried out during the Monsoon Session 2018, it was

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informed that during the Session, Supplementary Demands for Grants for 2018-19 and Demands for Excess Grants for 2015-16 and the related Appropriation Bills, were discussed and passed by the Lok Sabha. These Bills were transmitted to Rajya Sabha on 07.08.2018 and could not be taken up for consideration and

as they are not likely to be returned to Lok Sabha within the period of fourteen days from the date of their receipt in Rajya Sabha, the Bills will be deemed to have been passed by both Houses at the expiration of the said period in the form in which they were passed by Lok Sabha under clause (5) of article 109 of the Constitution.

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6. **Six Bills replacing the Ordinances**, namely, the Fugitive Economic Offenders Ordinance, 2018, the Criminal Law (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018, the Commercial Courts, Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division of High Courts (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018, the Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018, the National Sports University Ordinance, 2018 and the Insolvency and

- 17 sittings
- 112 hours
- 22 bills introduced
- 21 bills passed
- 360 starred questions
- 4140 un-starred questions
- 534 zero hour issues
- 326 issues raised under-rule 377

Bankruptcy Code (Amendment) Ordinance, 2018 which were promulgated by the President before Monsoon Session, were considered and passed by both the Lok Sabha and the Rajya Sabha.

7. **In the Lok Sabha, one Short Duration Discussions under Rule 193** was held on recent floods and drought situation in the various parts of the country.
8. **In the Rajya Sabha, two Short Duration Discussions under Rule 176** was held on (i) Non-Implementation of the provisions of Andhra Pradesh Re-Organization Act, 2014 and (ii) recent increase in the Minimum Support prices for Kharif Crops and challenges in agricultural sector (inconclusive). Further, **one discussion on final draft of the National Register of Citizens in Assam** was also held in Rajya Sabha.
9. **Besides, one calling attention motion** on the misuse of social media platforms to spread rumours and fake news leading incidents of violence and lynching in the Country was discussed in Rajya Sabha.
10. **Four old pending Bills were withdrawn** (Three in Lok Sabha and one in the Rajya Sabha) namely (i) The National Sports University Bill, 2017; (ii) The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development (Amendment) Bill, 2015; (iii) The Financial Resolution and



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 Addressed the press alongwith Union @mpa_india Minister Shri @AnanthKumar_BJP, MoS Sh. @VijayGoelBJP Ji, Sh. @ianuragthakur Ji, Sh @npanchariyabjp Ji & other officials on a productive #MonsoonSession of Parliament.

Deposit Insurance, Bill, 2017; and (iv) The Armed Forces Tribunal (Amendment) Bill, 2012.



11. *The six Bills, as passed by Lok Sabha and transmitted to Rajya Sabha for its recommendation, are not likely to be returned to Lok Sabha with in the period of fourteen days from the date of their receipt in Rajya Sabha. The Bills will be deemed to have

been passed by both Houses at the expiration of the said period in the form in which they were passed by Lok Sabha under clause (5) of article 109 of the Constitution.

Legislative Business transacted during 15thSession of 16thLok Sabha and 246thSession of Rajya Sabha (Monsoon Session, 2018)

I – BILLS INTRODUCED IN LOK SABHA

1. The Trafficking of Persons (Prevention, Protection and Rehabilitation) Bill, 2018
2. The Banning of Unregulated Deposit Schemes Bill, 2018
3. The Airports Economic Regulatory Authority of India (Amendment) Bill, 2018
4. The Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) Bill, 2018
5. The National Sports University Bill, 2018
6. The Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development (Amendment) Bill, 2018
7. The Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Bill, 2018
8. The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Second Amendment) Bill, 2018.
9. The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2018.
10. The Commercial Courts, Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division of High Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2018.
11. The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Bill, 2018
12. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Bill, 2018
13. The Central Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2018
14. The Integrated Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2018
15. The Union Territory Goods and Services Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2018
16. The Goods and Services Tax (Compensation to States) Amendment Bill, 2018
17. The Appropriation (NO.4) Bill, 2018
18. The Appropriation (No.5) Bill, 2018.
19. The DNA Technology (Use and Application) Regulation Bill, 2018.
20. The Protection of Human Rights (Amendment) Bill, 2018
21. The Personal Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2018

II – BILLS INTRODUCED IN RAJYA SABHA

1. The National Trust for Welfare of Persons with Autism, Cerebral Palsy, Mental Retardation and Multiple Disabilities (Amendment) Bill, 2018

III – BILLS PASSED BY LOK SABHA

1. The Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (Amendment) Bill, 2017
2. The Fugitive Economic Offenders Bill, 2018
3. The Negotiable Instruments (Amendment) Bill, 2017.
4. The National Council for Teacher Education (Amendment) Bill, 2017.
5. The Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Bill, 2018
6. The Trafficking of Persons (Prevention, Protection and Rehabilitation) Bill, 2018
7. The Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Bill, 2018

8. The Criminal Law (Amendment) Bill, 2018
9. The Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (Second Amendment) Bill, 2018.
10. The Commercial Courts, Commercial Division and Commercial Appellate Division of High Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2018.
11. The Constitution (One Hundred and Twenty-third Amendment) Bill, 2017 with amendments alternative to the amendments made by Rajya Sabha and further amendments made by Lok Sabha
12. The National Sports University Bill, 2018
13. The Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Amendment Bill, 2018
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20. The Representation of People (Amendment) Bill, 2017
21. The Arbitration and Conciliation (Amendment) Bill, 2018

IV – BILLS PASSED BY RAJYA SABHA

1. The State Banks (Repeal and Amendment) Bill, 2018
2. The Requisitioning and Acquisition of Immovable Property (Amendment) Bill, 2017
3. The Prevention of Corruption (Amendment) Bill, 2013.
4. The Specific Relief (Amendment) Bill, 2018.
5. The Fugitive Economic Offenders Bill, 2018.
6. The Negotiable Instruments (Amendment) Bill, 2018
7. The Constitution (One Hundred and Twenty-third Amendment) Bill, 2017
8. The National Commission for Backward Classes (Repeal) Bill, 2017.
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V – BILLS WITHDRAWN

The National Sports University Bill, 2017

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