

# **BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

(Thirteenth Lok Sabha)

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**FORTY-NINTH REPORT**

(Presented on 23.04.2003)

The Business Advisory Committee held a sitting on Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2003.

2. The Committee recommend that the discussion and voting on Demands for Grants (General) for 2003-2004 in respect of the following Ministries may be taken up on the dates indicated against each:

(i)	Labour	May be taken up on Tuesday, the 22 <sup>nd</sup> April, 2003. and to be concluded on same day
(ii)	External Affairs	May be taken up on Wednesday, the 23 <sup>rd</sup> April, 2003 and to be concluded on same day
(iii)	Youth Affairs & Sports	May be taken up on Thursday, the 24 <sup>th</sup> April, 2003 and to be concluded on same day

3. The Committee also recommend that all questions necessary to dispose of all the outstanding matters in connection with the Demands for Grants in respect of Budget (General) for 2003-2004 may be put to vote at 12 noon on Friday, the 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2003.

4. The Committee further recommend the allocation of time to the following items of business as shown against each:

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| <p>(1) The Finance Bill, 2003<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>  | <p>May be taken up on Friday, the 25<sup>th</sup>, Monday, the 28<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, the 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2003.<br/>         The Finance Minister may reply on Wednesday, the 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2003.</p> |
| <p>(2) The Election and other Related Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2003.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>   | <p>2 hours</p>  |
| <p>(3) The Constitution (Ninety-fifth Amendment) Bill, 2003.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>   | <p>2 hours</p>  |
| <p>(4) The Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Bill, 2000.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>   | <p>6 hours</p>  |
| <p>(5) The Essential Commodities (Amendment) Bill, 2003 as passed by Rajya Sabha.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>  | <p>2 hours</p>  |
| <p>(6) The Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Products (Prohibition of Advertisement and Regulation of Trade and Commerce, Production, Supply and Distribution) Bill, 2003 as passed by Rajya Sabha.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p> | <p>3 hours</p>  |
| <p>(7) The Indian Council of World Affairs (Amendment) Bill, 2003.<br/> <u>(Consideration and passing)</u></p>   | <p>2 hours</p>  |

**NEW DELHI;**  
April 22, 2003  
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**MANOHAR JOSHI**  
**Chairman**  
**Business Advisory Committee**