

BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Fourteenth Lok Sabha)

THIRD REPORT

(Presented on 18.08.2004)

The Business Advisory Committee held a sitting on Monday, the 16th August, 2004.

2. The Committee recommend that the discussion and voting on Demands for Grants (Railways) for 2004-05 may be taken up on Monday the 23rd August, 2004 and concluded on the same day.

3. The Committee also recommend that the discussion and voting on Demands for Grants (General) for 2004-2005 in respect of the following Ministries may be taken up in the following order:

(i)	Agriculture	May be discussed and voted on Tuesday, the 24 th , Wednesday, the 25 th and Thursday, the 26 th August, 2004.
(ii)	Defence	
(iii)	Human Resource Development	

4. The Committee further 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 2004-2005 may be put to vote at 6 P.M. on Thursday, the 26th August, 2004.

5. The Committee also recommend that the Finance (No.2) Bill, 2004 may be taken up for consideration and passing on Friday, the 27th and Monday, the 30th August, 2004.

6. The Committee further recommend that the Private Members' Business, scheduled for Friday, the 27th August, 2004 may be taken up on Friday, the 3rd September, 2004.

7. The Committee also recommend that discussions under rule 193 on the following subjects may be held on the dates indicated against each:

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| (i) Situation arising out of shortage of Power in the country. | May be taken up on Tuesday, the 17 th August, 2004. |
| (ii) Problems being faced by Jute Industry. | May be taken up on Wednesday, the 18 th August, 2004. |
| (iii) Streamlining of Public Distribution System. | May be taken up on Thursday, the 19 th August, 2004. |

8. The Committee further recommend that in order to provide sufficient time for completion of essential items of Government Business, the House may sit during lunch hour from the 23rd to 26th August, 2004.

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