Title: Introduction of Prevention of Money Laundering (Amendment) Bill.

12.46 hrs.

MR. SPEAKER: Well, we will have to take up the Finance Bill. But, there is one Item 14. Would you like to introduce that Bill?

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Yes Sir. Sir, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Prevention of Money-laundering Act, 2002.

MR. SPEAKER: The question is:

"That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to amend the Prevention of Money-laundering Act, 2002."

The motion was adopted.

SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM: I introduce** the Bill.

MR. SPEAKER: Let us start the Finance Bill discussion from 2.00 p.m.

The House stands adjourned till 2.00 p.m.

12.47 hrs.

The Lok Sabha then adjourned for Lunch till Fourteen of the Clock.

^{*} Published in the Gazaite of India, Extraordinary, Part-II, Section-dated 29.04.05

^{**} Introduced with the Recommendation of the President.