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PREFACE

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Secretary-General.

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1. DURATION OF SESSION

Date of Commencement	:	*25 July, 2005
Date of Adjournment <i>Sine die</i>	:	**30 August, 2005
Date of Prorogation of the House	:	1 September, 2005
Total Number of days of Session	:	37 days
Number of actual sittings	:	24 days
Number of Hours of sittings	:	158 hours 49 minutes

* The first sitting commenced with the playing of National Anthem.

** The Session was scheduled to conclude on 26 August, 2005. However, as per the decision taken in the meetings of Business Advisory Committee held on 18 and 24 August, 2005, and agreed to by the House the sitting of the House fixed for Friday the 26th August, 2005, was cancelled and the sittings of Lok Sabha were held on Monday, the 29th and Tuesday, the 30th August, 2005 in order to provide sufficient time for completion of essential Government Business. The sitting ended with the playing of National Song.

2. ADJOURNMENT—MOTION ADMITTED, DISCUSSED AND NEGATIVED

Sl.	Name of Member No. who had tabled notices	Subject matter of the notice	Date on which Admitted	Date on which Discussed	Time taken H. M.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	Shri L.K. Advani Dr. Arun Kumar Sharma Shri Braja Kishore Tripathy	Failure of the Government to protect the eastern borders of our country against massive illegal immigration from Bangladesh, described by the Supreme Court of India in a Judgement, as nothing short of external aggression.	26.7.2005	26.7.2005	4 47	<p>Shri Braja Kishore Tripathy who had secured first position in the ballot, had requested the Speaker that Shri L.K. Advani, who had also given notice of adjournment motion on the same subject, might be permitted to seek leave of the House to move the adjournment motion in his place. The Speaker acceded to his request. Accordingly, Shri L.K. Advani sought leave of the House. As leave was not opposed, the Speaker informed that the leave was granted and directed that the motion would be taken up at 2 P.M.</p> <p>Accordingly, the motion was discussed and negatived.</p>

2. Shri Sukhdev Singh
Dhindsa
Shri Ramji Lal Suman
Prof. Vijay Kumar
Malhotra

Shri Santosh Gangwar
Shri Prabhunath Singh
Shri Sarbananda Sonowal
Shri Sushil Kumar Modi
Shri P.C. Thomas
Shri Anant G. Geete
Shri Yogi Aditya Nath

Failure of the Government to take action against the persons indicted by the Nanavati Commission.

10.8.2005

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Shri Sushil Kumar Modi who had secured first position in the ballot, had requested the Speaker that Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa, who had also given notice of adjournment motion on the same subject, might be permitted to seek leave of the House to move the adjournment motion in his place. The Speaker acceded to his request.

Accordingly, Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa sought leave of the House. As leave was not opposed, the Speaker informed that the leave was granted and directed that the motion would be taken up immediately. Accordingly, the motion was discussed and negatived after division.

— Ayes 130; Noes 270.

3. BILLS
(i) Government Bills

S. No.	Title of the Bill	Date of introduction	Date of laying on the Table (in case of Bill passed by Rajya Sabha)	Date of discussion in Lok Sabha	Time taken	No. of amendments tabled	No. of amendments carried	Progress/remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
				H M				
1.	*The citizenship (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	2.8.2005	16.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	02.11	-	-	Passed
2.	The Bihar Appropriation (Vote on Account) No. 2 Bill, 2005	5.8.2005	-	5.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.03	-	-	Passed
3.	The Appropriation (No. 3) Bill, 2005	8.8.2005	-	8.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.03	-	-	Passed
4.	The Appropriation (No. 4) Bill, 2005	8.8.2005	-	8.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.03	-	-	Passed
5.	The Appropriation (Railways) No. 4 Bill, 2005	11.8.2005	-	11.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.02	-	-	Passed
6.	The Appropriation (Railways) No. 3 Bill, 2005	11.8.2005	-	11.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.04	-	-	Passed
7.	The Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	16.8.2005	29.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0.45	-	-	Passed

8. The Displaced Persons Claims and Other Laws Repeal Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	16.8.2005	29.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0 13	-	Passed
9. The Immigration (Carriers' Liability) Amendment Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	16.8.2005	29.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	0 17	-	Passed
10. The Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) and Financial Institutions Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2005	16.8.2005	-	-	-	-	Pending
11. The Cess Laws (Repealing and Amending) Bill, 2005	16.8.2005	-	-	-	-	Pending
12. The Factories (Amendment) Bill, 2005	16.8.2005	-	-	-	-	Pending
13. The Payment of Wages (Amendment) Bill, 2004, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	3.12.2004 (Earlier Session)	17.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	03 07	2	2 Passed, as amended
14. The Hindu Succession (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha	-	18.8.2005	29.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	02 33	-	Passed
15. The National Rural Employment Guarantee Bill, 2004	21.12.2004 (Earlier Session)	23.8.2005	18.8.2005 22.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	13 20	80	51 Passed, as amended

* The motion for consideration of the Bill was discussed together with the Statutory Resolution seeking disapproval of the Citizenship (Amendment) Ordinance, 2005 (No. 2 of 2005) promulgated by the President on 28 June, 2005.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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16. The Khadi and Village Industries Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2005	22.8.2005	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pending
17. The Prevention of Insults to National Honour (Amendment) Bill, 2005	22.8.2005	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pending
18. The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Bill, 2005	22.8.2005	-	23.8.2005 24.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	05.04	-	-	-	Passed
19. *The Railways (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Raja Sabha	-	23.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	29.8.2005 30.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	01.15	-	-	-	Passed
20. The Warehousing Corporations (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Raja Sabha	-	24.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	29.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	01.10	-	-	-	Passed
21. The High Court and Supreme Court Judges (Salaries and Conditions of Service) Amendment Bill, 2005	12.5.2005 (Earlier Session)	-	24.8.2005 (Consideration and passing)	01.19	-	-	-	Passed
22. The Punjab General Sales Tax (As in force in the Union Territory of Chandigarh) Repeal Bill, 2005	25.8.2005	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pending
23. The Food Safety and Standards Bill, 2005	25.8.2005	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pending
24. The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Bill, 2005	29.8.2005	-	-	-	-	-	-	Pending

*Discussed together with Government Resolution seeking approval of the recommendations contained in Second Report of Railway Convention Committee (2004).

SUMMARY

1. Bills pending at the end of the last Session	19
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3. Bills opposed at introduction stage	1
4. Bills passed by Rajya Sabha and laid on the Table	7
5. Bills passed by Rajya Sabha and returned by Lok Sabha with amendments	1
6. Bills returned by Rajya Sabha with amendments and laid on the Table of Lok Sabha	Nil
7. Bills passed	16
8. Bills negatived	Nil
9. Bills withdrawn	Nil
10. Bills—part discussed	Nil
11. Motions for adjournment of debate on the Bills adopted	Nil
12. Bills referred to Select Committee	Nil
13. Bills referred to Joint Committee	Nil
14. Bills reported by Select Committee	Nil
15. Bills reported by Joint Committee	Nil
16. Bills originated in and referred to Joint Committee by Rajya Sabha in respect of which motion for concurrence were adopted by Lok Sabha	Nil
17. Bills referred to Standing Committees by Chairman/Speaker	10
18. Bills reported by Standing Committees	18
19. Bills pending at the end of Fifth Session of the Fourteenth Lok Sabha	24

**(ii) Bills Referred to the Standing Committees and Presentation/
Laying of Reports thereof**

Sl. No.	Title of the Bill	Date of introduction in Lok Sabha/ Rajya Sabha	Referred by Speaker/ Chairman	Name of the Committee/date of reference	Date of presentation/ laying of report	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1.	The Pension Fund Regulatory and Development Authority Bill, 2005	21.3.2005 (LS)	Speaker	Finance (24.3.2005)	26.7.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
2.	The Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes (Reservation in Posts and Services) Bill, 2004	22.12.2004 (RS)	Chairman	Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice (31.12.2004)	26.7.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
3.	The National Rural Employment Guarantee Bill, 2004	21.12.2004 (LS)	Speaker	Rural Development (24.12.2004)	27.7.2005	Passed
4.	The Displaced Persons Claims and Other Laws Repeal Bill, 2004	(6.12.2004) (RS)	Chairman	Home Affairs (9.12.2004)	27.7.2005	Passed
5.	The Manipur University Bill, 2005	4.5.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Human Resource Development (6.5.2005)	27.7.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
6.	The Merchant Shipping (Amendment) Bill, 2004	23.12.2004 (LS)	Chairman	Transport, Tourism and Culture (31.12.2004)	27.7.2004	Pending in Lok Sabha
7.	The Homoeopathy Central Council (Amendment) Bill, 2005	23.3.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Health and Family Welfare (19.4.2005)	29.7.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
8.	The Indian Medicine Central Council (Amendment) Bill, 2005	23.3.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Health and Family Welfare (19.4.2005)	29.7.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
9.	The Government Securities Bill, 2004	21.12.2004 (LS)	Speaker	Finance (24.12.2004)	4.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
10.	The Small and Medium Enterprises Development Bill, 2005	12.5.2005 (LS)	Chairman	Industry (30.5.2005)	4.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
11.	The Arbitration And Conciliation (Amendment) Bill, 2003	22.12.2003 (RS)	Chairman	Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice (17.8.2004)	4.8.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
12.	The High Court And Supreme Court Judges (Salaries and Conditions of Service) Amendment Bill, 2005	12.5.2005 (LS)	Chairman	Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice (30.5.2005)	4.8.2005	Passed
13.	The National Tax Tribunal Bill, 2004	6.12.2004 (LS)	Chairman	Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice (14.12.2004)	4.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
14.	The Commission For Protection of Child Rights Bill, 2005	2.5.2005 (LS)	Chairman	Human Resource Development (30.5.2005)	18.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
15.	The State Emblem of India (Prohibition of Improper Use) Bill, 2004	10.12.2004 (LS)	Chairman	Home Affairs (28.12.2004)	25.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
16.	The Disaster Management Bill, 2005	11.5.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Home Affairs (30.5.2005)	25.8.2005	Pending in Rajya Sabha
17.	The Actuaries Bill, 2005	19.3.2005 (LS)	Speaker	Finance (17.5.2005)	29.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
18.	The Contempt of Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2004	1.12.2004 (LS)	Chairman	Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice (14.12.2004)	29.8.2005	Pending in Lok Sabha
19.	The Banking Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) and Financial Institutions Laws (Amendment) Bill, 2005	16.8.2005 (LS)	Speaker	Finance (30.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
20.	The Cess Laws (Repealing and Amending) Bill, 2005	16.8.2005 (LS)	Chairman	Commerce (7.9.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
21.	The Khadi and Village Industries Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2005	22.8.2005 (LS)	Chairman	Industry (7.9.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
22.	The Food Safety and Standards Bill, 2005	25.8.2005 (LS)	Speaker	Agriculture (30.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
23.	The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Amendment Bill, 2005	29.8.2005 (LS)	Speaker	Social Justice and Empowerment (30.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
24.	The Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy Pharmacy Bill, 2005	12.8.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Health and Family Welfare (24.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
25.	The Labour Laws (Exemption from Furnishing Returns and Maintaining Registers by certain Establishments) Amendment and Miscellaneous Provisions Bill, 2005	22.8.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Labour (30.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
26.	The National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions (Amendment) Bill, 2005	23.8.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Human Resource Development (24.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
27	The Indian Medical Council (Amendment) Bill, 2005	23.8.2005 (RS)	Chairman	Health and Family Welfare (25.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee
28.	The Central Silk Board Amendment) Bill, 2005	30.8.2005 (RS)	Speaker	Labour (13.8.2005)	-	Pending with the Committee

(iii) Private Members' Bills

Sl. No.	Title of the Bill and No. member-in-charge	Date of introduction	Date(s) of laying on the Table (in the case Bills passed by Rajya Sabha)	Date(s) of discussion in Lok Sabha	Time taken	No. of amend- ments tabled	No. of amend- ments carried	Progress/ Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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1.	The Compulsory Voting Bill, 2004 by Shri Chandrakant Khaire, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
2.	The Private Schools (Regulation) Bill, 2005 by Shri Kashiram Rana, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
3.	The Voluntary Organisations (Regulation) Bill, 2005 by Shri Kashiram Rana, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
4.	The National Parks Bill, 2005 by Shri Subodh Mohite, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
5.	The Backward Areas Development Board Bill, 2005 by Shri Subodh Mohite, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
6.	The States Reorganisation Commission Bill, 2005 by Shri Subodh Mohite, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
7.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (Insertion of new article 24A) by Shri Subodh Mohite, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
8.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (Amendment of article 19) by Shri Brajesh Pathak, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
9.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (Insertion of new article 31) by Shri Brajesh Pathak, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
10.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (Insertion of new article 16A) by Shri Brajesh Pathak, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending

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				H M				
11.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Insertion of new article 21B)</i> by Shri Brajesh Pathak, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
12.	The Forest (Conservation) Amendment Bill, 2005 <i>(Insertion or new section 3C)</i> by Shri Bachi Singh Rawat, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
13.	The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of the Schedule) by Shri Kiren Rijiju, M.P.</i>	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
14.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of article 200, etc.) by Shri Hannan Mollah, M.P.</i>	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
15.	The Agricultural Workers Welfare Bill, 2005 by Shri Hannan Mollah, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
16.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Insertion of new article 16A) by Shri Chandrakant Khaire, M.P.</i>	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
17.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of article 371) by Shri Chandrakant Khaire, M.P.</i>	29.7.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
18.	The Airlines Regulatory Authority Bill, 2005 by Shri Chandrakant Khaire, M.P.	29.7.2005	--	0-11 minutes taken on introduction of Bills from Sl. Nos. 1 to 18	--	--	--	Pending
19.	The Abolition of Child Labour Bill, 2005 by Shri Iqbal Ahmed Saradgi, M.P.	11.3.2005	--	13.5.2005 (Fourth Session) 29.7.2005 12.8.2005	4-18 (Excluding Session) 04 minutes taken during Fourth Session)	--	--	Withdrawn by leave of the House on 12.8.2005

20.	The Prohibition of Extravagant Expenditure on Marriages Bill, 2005 by Shri R. Sambasiva Rao, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
21.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Substitution of new article for article 130</i>) by Shri Suresh Kurup, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
22.	The Old Age Pension and Rehabilitation Bill, 2005 by Shrimati Krishna Tirath, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
23.	The Coffee Growers Welfare Bill, 2005 by Shri M.P. Veerendrakumar, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
24.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Substitution of new article for article 253, etc.</i>) by Shri M.P. Veerendrakumar, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
25.	The Contract Labour (Regulation and Abolition) (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Amendment of section 10</i>) by Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
26.	The Payment of Bonus (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Amendment of section 2, etc.</i>) by Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
27.	The Payment of Wages (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Amendment of section 1</i>) by Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
28.	The Industrial Disputes (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Amendment of section 2A, etc.</i>) by Shri Gingee N. Ramachandran, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
29.	The National Child Welfare Board Bill, 2005 by Shri R. Sanbasiva Rao, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
30.	The Family Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2005 (<i>Amendment of section 7, etc.</i>) by Shri C.K. Chandrappan, M.P.	12.8.2005	--	--	0-07 minutes taken on introduction	--	Pending

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
31.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2004 <i>(Insertion of new article 4(A) by Shri Suravaram Sudhakar Reddy, M.P.</i>	17.12.2004	--	12.8.2005 25.8.2005	H M 2-27	--	--	Discussion on motion for consideration not concluded. Pending
32.	The Inter-State River Water Regulatory Authority Bill, 2005 by Shri Mohan Singh, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
33.	The Promotion of Small Family Bill, 2005 by Shri Balasaheb Vikhe Patil, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
34.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of the Seventh Schedule)</i> by Ch. Lal Singh, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
35.	The Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of paragraph 3, etc.) by Shri C.K. Chandrappan, M.P.</i>	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
36.	The National Social Security Bill, 2005 by Shri Balasaheb Vikhe Patil, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
37.	The Agricultural Insurance Scheme Bill, 2005 by Shri Balasaheb Vikhe Patil, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
38.	The Population Control Bill, 2005 by Shrimati Daggubati Purandeswari, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
39.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Substitution of new article for article 48A) by Shrimati Daggubati Purandeswari, M.P.</i>	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
40.	The Health Insurance (For Persons Living Below Poverty Line) Bill, 2005 by Shri K.S. Rao, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
41.	The Citizens (Identity Card) Bill, 2005 by Shri K.S. Rao, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending
42.	The Indian Penal Code (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of section 375) by Shri C.K. Chandrappan, M.P.</i>	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	--	Pending

43.	The Constitution (Amendment) Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of the Eighth Schedule)</i> by Shri C.K. Chandrapan, M.P.	25.8.2005	--	--	--	--	Pending
44.	The Forest (Conservation) Amendment Bill, 2005 <i>(Amendment of section 2) by Shri Bachti Singh Rawat, M.P.</i>	25.8.2005	--	--	0-07 minutes taken on introduction of Bills from Sl. Nos. 32 to 44	--	Pending

SUMMARY

(Private Members' Bills)

1. Bills pending at the end of the last session	104
2. Bills introduced	42
3. Bills withdrawn	01
4. Bills negatived	Nil
5. Bills removed from the Register of Pending Bills	Nil
6. Bills part-discussed	01
7. Bills pending at the end of the Session <i>vide</i> para No. 1638 of Bulletin-Part II, dated 9.9.2005	145

4. CALLING ATTENTION

Sl. No.	Subject	Name of Member who called attention	Name of Minister and Date when taken up	Time Taken
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Situation arising out of increasing incidents of atrocities on women in Delhi and other parts of the country and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Prof. Vijay Kumar Malhotra	Shri Shivraj V. Patil 27.7.2005	H. 00 44
*2.	Need for effective implementation of various Centrally sponsored schemes for Rural Development.	Shri Prabhunath Singh	Dr. Raghuvansh Prasad Singh 28.7.2005	00 50
*3.	Situation arising out of closure of more than 600 dyeing and bleaching factories located in and around Tirupur in Coimbatore district in Tamil Nadu and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri K. Subbarayan	Shri Shankersinh Vaghela 28.7.2005	00 13
*4.	Situation arising out of the Government's move to disinvest the Government equity shares of the profit making public sector undertakings, particularly BHEL.	Shri Gurudas Dasgupta	Shri P. Chidambaram 2.8.2005	00 33
*5.	Situation arising out of rise in prices of medicines, particularly life saving drugs in the country and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Ajoy Chakraborty	Shri Ram Vilas Paswan 2.8.2005	00 35
6.	Situation arising out of non-setting up of a Special Economic Zone in Amritsar (Punjab) as announced by Hon'ble Prime Minister and steps taken by the Government in this regard.	Shri Navjot Singh Sidhu	Shri Kamal Nath 3.8.2005	00 21

*The Chair allowed some members, whose names were not in the List of Business, to seek clarifications.

1	2	3	4	5
*7.	Situation arising out of on-going economic blockade in Manipur resulting in non-availability of essential commodities, including medicines and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Prof. Vijay Kumar Malhotra	Shri Shivraj V. Patil 4.8.2005	H. 00 M. 56
*8.	Situation prevailing in the Beedi Industry and problems being faced by the Beedi workers in the country, particularly in Kerala and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri P. Karunakaran	Shri Kamal Nath 8.8.2005	00 32
*9.	Situation arising out of recent instructions issued by the Government to the Jute Corporation of India to stop procurement of raw jute in West Bengal resulting in closure of jute mills being run by NJMC, rendering thousands of people unemployed and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Prabodh Panda	Shri Shankersinh Vaghela 11.8.2005	00 16
*10.	Situation arising out of spread of encephalitis in the country and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Yogi Aditya Nath	Dr. Arjunan Ramadoss 12.8.2005	00 15
11.	Situation arising out of devastating fire that broke out in Bombay High Oil Platform of ONGC on 27 July, 2005 resulting in loss of lives and property worth crores of rupees and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Mohan Rawale	Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar 16.8.2005	00 47
12.	Situation arising out of dilapidated condition of National Highways in Bihar and steps taken by the Government in this regard.	Shri Raghunath Jha	Shri T.R. Baalu 16.8.2005	00 30

*13.	Need for a suitable legislation providing for reservation to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes in all the Higher Educational Institutions recognized/aided by the Government and Self-Financing Institutions of the country in accordance with the Constitutional provisions on reservation.	Shri A. Krishnaswamy	Shri Arjun Singh 17.8.2005	00	52
14.	Need to expedite the approval of Kalasa and Banduri Nala Projects, tributaries to river Mahadayi, in Karnataka in order to solve the acute drinking water problem in the State.	Shri Anant Kumar	Shri P.R. Dasmunsi 17.8.2005	00	31
15.	Situation arising out of shortage of LPG in the country and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri N.N. Krishnadas	Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar 18.8.2005	00	26
16.	Situation arising out of flood in Karnataka, particularly in Belgaum, Bagalkot, Gulbarga, Raipur and Mangalore resulting in loss of lives and damage to crops and property and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Anant Kumar	Shri Shivraj V. Patil 22.8.2005	00	37
17.	Situation arising out of spread of infectious diseases in Mumbai, after heavy rains and floods, resulting in loss of human lives and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Hansraj G. Ahir	Dr. Ambumani Ramadoss 22.8.2005	00	14

*The Chair allowed some members, whose names were not in the List of Business, to seek clarifications.

1	2	3	4	5
18.	Situation arising out of violation of Labour Laws in the Country particularly in Private and Unorganized sectors and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Sunil Khan 23.8.2005	Shri K. Chandrasekhar Rao 23.8.2005	H. 01 M. 09
*19.	Need for an effective law to take action against fake universities in the country and steps taken by the Government in this regard.	Shri Ramji Lal Suman 23.8.2005	Shri Arjun Singh 23.8.2005	00 25
*20.	Situation arising out of recent agreement of Orissa Government with Korean Steel Major POSCO allowing them to export mineral wealth of the Country and steps taken by the Government in this regard.	Shri Basudeb Acharia 24.8.2005	Shri Sis Ram Ola 24.8.2005	00 49
*21.	Situation arising out of proposed closure of Central Inland Water transport Corporation resulting in retrenchment of employees and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri Adhir Chowdhury 24.8.2005	Shri T.R. Baalu 24.8.2005	00 44
*22.	Situation arising out of unsatisfactory utilization of funds under the Pradhan Mantri Gramin Sadak Yojana in Uttrakhand and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Maj. Gen. B.C. Khanduri, AVSM (Retd.)	Dr. Raghuvanshi Prasad Singh 25.8.2005	00 20
*23.	Situation arising out of unprecedented fall in price of green Tea leaves particularly in Nilgiri hill district of Tamil Nadu causing hardships to the small tea growers and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.	Shri R. Prabhu 25.8.2005	Shri Kamal Nath 25.8.2005	00 19

- *24. Need to provide financial assistance to the displaced families of Kashmiri Pandits in Jammu and Kashmir and steps taken by the Government in this regard.
- *25. Situation arising out of recurring accidents in Coal Mines in the country, particularly the accident at Saunda Colliery under the Central Coalfields Limited (CCL) resulting in death of fourteen coal workers and steps taken by the Government in regard thereto.

Prof. Vijay Kumar Malhotra	Shri Shivraj V. Patil 29.8.2005	00	38
Shri Bhubneshwar Prasad Mehta	Dr. Dasari Narayan Rao 29.8.2005	00	17

*The Chair allowed some members, whose names were not in the List of Business, to seek clarifications.

5. COMMITTEES

(i) Financial Committees

Sl. No.	Name of Committees	Date of constitution	No. of sittings	Duration		Average percentage of attendance	Study Tours/ Local Visits under taken	Reports presented Original (1)	Action Taken (2)	Remarks
				H.	M.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1.	Committee on Estimates	1.5.2005	1	2	10	43%	—	—	—	—
2.	Committee on Public Undertakings	1.5.2005	2	1	10	52% (Approx.)	—	1	2	—
3.	Committee on Public Accounts	29.4.2004	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	*
	Total		3	3	20	32%	—	3	4	—

*Ten Action Taken Statements were also laid on the Table of Lok Sabha/Rajya Sabha by the Committees on 24.8.2005

(ii) Standing Committees

Sl. No.	Name of Committees	Date of constitution	No. of sittings	Duration H. M.	Average percentage of attendance	Study Tours/ Local Visits under- taken	Reports presented		Remarks
							Original	Action Taken	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	(1)	(2)	
1.	Committee on Agriculture	5.8.2005	1	19	39%	—	—	—	—
2.	Committee on Defence	5.8.2005	2	30	52%	—	—	—	One further Action taken
									Statement on 21st Action
									Taken Report on Demands for Grants (2003-2004)
									of the Ministry of Defence was laid on the Table of both the Houses of Parliament.
3.	Committee on Energy	5.8.2004 & *5.8.2005	3	3	55	51%	—	—	2 1 *Reconstituted
4.	Committee on External Affairs	4.8.2005	1	1	15	45.1%	—	—	*
5.	Committee on Finance	5.8.2005	4	5	25	62.09%	—	**2	1@ —
6.	Committee on Food, Civil Supplies and Public Distribution	5.8.2005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7.	Committee on Labour	5.8.2005	1	0	55	60.71%	—	—	—
8.	Committee on Petroleum & Natural Gas	*5.8.2004 & *5.8.2005	2	1	15	45.16%	—	2	*Reconstituted

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9.	Committee on Chemicals and Fertilizers	5.8.2005	1	1 00	53.84%	—	—	—	—
10.	Committee on Railways	5.8.2004	5	5 00	39.35%	—	3	1	—
11.	Committee on Urban Development	5.8.2004	3	4 00	46.03%	—	2	1	Reconstituted on 30.8.2005
12.	Committee on Coal and Steel	5.8.2005	2	1 20	42%	—	—	—	5.8.2005
13.	Committee on Information and Technology	5.8.2005	4	7 30	11%	—	—	—	—
14.	Committee on Water Resources	5.8.2005	1	1 00	60%	—	—	—	—
15.	Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment	5.8.2005	1	0 20	34.4%	—	—	—	—
16.	Committee on Rural Development	5.8.2005	1	0 30	52%	—	—	+1	—

* An Action Taken Statement on the recommendations contained in Chapter III of the 5th Report (14th L.S.) on Action Taken on the recommendations contained in the 1st Report (14th L.S.) on Demands for Grants of MEA for the year 2004-05 had been laid on the Table of both the Houses of Parliament on 30th August, 2005.

** (i) The Government Securities Bill, 2004; (4.8.2005), and (ii) The Actuaries Bill, 2005 (29.8.2005)

@ Action Taken Report on the First Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2004-05) of the Ministry of Finance (Departments of Economic Affairs, Expenditure and Disinvestment)

† Thirteenth Report on 'The National Rural Employment Guarantee Bill, 2004' (Department of Rural Development) Ministry of Rural Development.

(iii) Committees other than Financial and Standing Committees

Sl. No.	Name of Committees	Date of constitution	No. of sittings	Duration H. M.	Average percentage of attendance	Study Tours/ Local Visits under- taken	Reports presented		Remarks
							Original	Action Taken	
(1)	(2)						(1)	(2)	
1.	Business Advisory Committee	30.6.2004 and *13.5.2005	5	2 35	72%	—	5	—	*Reconstituted
2.	Committee of Privileges	13.7.2005 (Reconstituted)	2	0 50	50%	—	*	—	—
3.	Committee on Ethics	28.4.2005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4.	Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House	7.8.2005	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
5.	Committee on Government Assurances	7.8.2005	1	1 00	47%	—	1	—	—
6.	Committee on Papers Laid on the Table	7.8.2005	1	0 45	40%	—	—	—	—
7.	Committee on Petitions	13.7.2005	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
8.	Committee on Private Members Bills and Resolutions	7.8.2005	3	2 30	53.33%	—	3	—	—
9.	Joint Committee on Offices of Profit	26.8.2004	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10.	Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes	1.5.2005	1	1 30	46.6%	—	—	2	**

* First Report of the Committee of Privileges presented to H.S. on 24 August, 2005, laid on the Table on 25 August, 2005 and Adopted by the House on 29 August, 2005.

**Two tour reports and five final action taken statements were also laid in both the Houses of Parliament.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11.	Rules Committee	6.7.2004	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12.	House Committee	10.6.2004	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13.	Committee on Subordinate Legislation	7.8.2005	1	1 45	66%	—	—	—	—
14.	Joint Committee on Salaries and Allowances of Members of Parliament	8.8.2005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15.	General Purposes Committee	21.9.2005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16.	Railway Convention Committee	17.9.2005	1	0 40	61.11%	—	1	—	—
17.	Joint Committee on Food Management in Parliament House Complex	14.2.2005	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

6. DIVISIONS

Sl. No.	Date	Subject matter	Brief question on which Division was sought	Final Result	Remarks
1.	2.8.2005	The motion that "this House expresses its deep concern over the deteriorating law and order situation in the State of Bihar under President's Rule and also on the situation arising out of the Chief Secretary of the State proceeding on long leave" moved by Shri Nitish Kumar, MP	On the motion for adoption	Negated Ayes: 108 Noes: 185 Abst: 002	By Operating AVR machine
2.	10.8.2005	The adjournment motion regarding 'failure of the Government to take action against the persons indicted by the Nanavati Commission' moved by Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa, MP	-do-	Negated Ayes: 130 Noes: 270 Abst: Nil	-do-

7. FINANCIAL BUSINESS

Subject	Date of Presentation		Date(s) of Discussion	Time taken
(i) RAILWAY BUDGET				
Supplementary Demand for Grant in respect of Budget (Railways) for 2005-2006	3.8.2005	11.8.2005	*Discussion and voting on Supplementary Demand for Grant (Railways)	
Demands for Excess Grants (Railways) for 2002-2003	3.8.2005	11.8.2005	*Discussion and voting on Demands for Excess Grants (Railways)	7 00
(ii) GENERAL BUDGET				
Supplementary Demands for Grants in respect of Budget (General) for 2005-2006	2.8.2005	8.8.2005	*Discussion and voting on Supplementary Demands for Grants (General)	
Demands for Excess Grants (General) for 2002-2003	2.8.2005	8.8.2005	*Discussion and voting on Demands for Excess Grants (General)	4 23
(iii) BIHAR BUDGET				
Budget (Bihar) for 2005-2006	2.8.2005	5.8.2005	**General discussion **Discussion and voting on Demands for Grants on Account (Bihar)	1 31

*Discussed together.

**Taken up together.

8. LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Sl. No.	Name of Member	Period for which Leave granted	Date when Leave granted
1.	Shri Basanagouda R. Patil	25.02.2005 to 22.03.2005	
2.	Shri P.K. Vasudevan Nair	25.02.2005 to 24.03.2005	
3.	Shri Atiq Ahamad	25.02.2005 to 24.03.2005 and 19.04.2005 to 13.05.2005	24.08.2005

9. MOTIONS

Motions Under Rules 191 and 342

Brief Subject	Disposal of Motion under rule	Name of member who moved	Date(s) of discussion	Time taken	Ministry/ Department concerned	Amendments/ Remarks	
						H	M
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

* That this House expresses its deep concern over the deteriorating law and order situation in the State of Bihar under President's Rule and also on the situation arising out of the Chief Secretary of the State proceeding on long leave.

* Discussed together with the Statutory Resolution for approving the continuance in force of the proclamation in respect of the State of Bihar, issued under article 356 of the Constitution by the President.

Motions Under Rules 191 and 342

SUMMARY

No. of notices received	:	366
No. of motions admitted	:	118
No. of motions discussed	:	1
No. of discussions completed	:	1
No. of discussions remained part-discussed	:	Nil
Total time taken	:	6 Hours 24 Minutes

10. OATH OR AFFIRMATION

Name of Member	Constituency/ State	Oath/ affirmation	Language in which oath made	Date of oath	Time Taken H M
Shri. S. Bangarappa	Shimoga/ Karnataka	Oath	English	27.07.2005	0 01

11. OBITUARY REFERENCES

Sl. No.	Name of Member	Date of Death	Date of obituary references	Time Taken H. M.
1.*	Shri Sunil Dutt (Sitting Member)	25.05.2005		
2.*	Shri P.K. Vasudevan Nair (Sitting Member)	12.07.2005		
3.	Shri Hukam Ram (Member, Sixth Lok Sabha)	12.05.2005		
4.	Shri Murlidhar Mane (Member, Eighth Lok Sabha)	24.05.2005		
5.	Shri Chhangur Ram (Member, Seventh Lok Sabha)	16.06.2005		
6.	Shri Laxminarain Tripathi (Member, Tenth Lok Sabha)	19.06.2005	25.07.2005	0 21
7.	Shri Balram Singh Yadav (Member, Eighth, Twelfth and Thirteenth Lok Sabhas)	04.07.2005		
8.	Dr. Biplab Dasgupta (Member, Ninth Lok Sabha)	17.07.2005		
9.	Reference to the loss of several lives in the terrorist bomb blast in London, UK.	7&21.07.2005		
10.	Reference to the terrorist attacks in Sharm-el-Sheikh, Egypt resulting in large-scale deaths	23.07.2005		
11.	Shri Bipin Pal Das (Member, Eighth Lok Sabha)	03.07.2005	26.07.2005	0 03
12.	Reference to the loss of several lives due to heavy rainfall in Mumbai, Maharashtra	26.07.2005	28.07.2005	0 03
13.	Reference to the collision of a shipping vessel with a drilling platform in Mumbai High Field Area, resulting in a major fire causing loss of lives.	27.07.2005		
14.	Shrimati Girija Kumari (Member, Fourth Lok Sabha)	18.07.2005	29.07.2005	0 02
15.*	Shri Bikash Chowdhury (Sitting Member)	01.08.2005	01.08.2005	0 02
16.	His Majesty King Fahd Bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud of Saudi Arabia	01.08.2005	02.08.2005	0 04
17.	Shri Nathu Ram Shakyawar (Member, Seventh Lok Sabha)	31.07.2005	12.08.2005	0 02

* House was adjourned for the day without transacting any business.

12. PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

(a) By Government	938
(b) By Private Members	Nil

13. PERSONAL EXPLANATION—UNDER RULE 357

Sl. No.	Name of the Member Who Made Personal Explanation	Brief Subject	Date	Time	H. M.
(1)	Shri R. Velu	Certain remarks made against him by Prof. Mahadeorao Shiwankar, M.P, in Lok Sabha while raising Supplementary to SQ. No. 61 relating to train accidents on 28th July, 2005.	11.8.2005	0 17	
(2)	Shri P. Chidambaram	Regarding alleged appointment of the wife of Union Finance Minister as a Special Counsel by CBDT.	30.8.2005	0 05	

14. PETITION

Petition presented by Member one

15. PRIVILEGE MATTERS

Sl. No.	Brief Subject	Name of the member who raised the matter	Date on which matter brought before the House	Time Taken H. M.	Decision of Chair/House
1.	Notice of question of privilege dated 5 August, 2005 given by Shri Hannan Mollah, MP against Dr. Subhash C. Kashyap, former Secretary-General, LS for casting serious aspersions on the Hon'ble Speaker in an interview given to a TV news-channel on 4 August, 2005.	Shri Hannan Mollah, MP	8.8.2005	01	The Speaker observed that he had admitted the notice. Thereafter the Speaker referred the matter to the Committee of Privileges for examination, investigation and report, in exercise of his powers under Rule 227 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha.
2.	Notice of question of privilege dated 12 August, 2005 given by Sarvashri Ramji Lal Suman, Devendra Prasad Yadav, Sita Ram Singh, Ganesh Prasad Singh, Raghunath Jha, Ram Kripal Yadav and M.P. Veerendra Kumar, MPs against Editor, Publisher & concerned correspondent of 'The Pioneer' for having published an allegedly derogatory news-report captioned 'Speaker asks for trouble' appearing in 'The Pioneer' dated 7 August, 2005.	Sarvashri Ramji Lal Suman, Devendra Prasad Yadav, Sita Ram Singh, Ganesh Prasad Singh, Raghunath Jha, Ram Kripal Yadav and M.P. Veerendra Kumar, MPs	12.8.2005	06	On 18 August, 2005, HS gave a ruling and treated the matter as closed.

16. QUESTIONS

(i) Starred Questions	
(a) Number of Questions put down in Question Lists for oral answer	439*
(b) Number of Questions orally answered	77
(ii) Short Notice Questions	
Number of Questions put down in Short Notice Question List	1
(a) Number of Short Notice Question orally answered	1
(b) Number of Short Notice Question Laid on the Table of the House	NIL
(iii) Unstarred Questions	
(a) Number of Questions put down in Question Lists for written answers	4594**
(b) Number of Questions for which written answers were laid on the Table including those put down for oral answers but were not called for answer or the Member was absent.	4956

*Excluding one Starred Question postponed and one deleted.

**Excluding two Unstarred Questions deleted.

**(iv) Half-an-hour Discussion Arising out of Answers to Questions
during the Fifth Session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha**

Sl. No.	Brief Subject	Name of members who got priority in the ballot to raise the Discussion	Date of Discussion	Ministry/ Dept.	Time taken Hrs. Mts.
1.	Eradication of Vector Borne Diseases	Dr. Chinta Mohan	8.8.2005	Health and Family Welfare	0 46
2.	Use of Railway land	Sh. A. Krishna Swamy	12.8.2005	Railways	0 27

17. RESIGNATION BY MEMBER

Name of Member	State	Constituency	Date on which accepted by Speaker	Remarks
Shri Bhupinder Singh Hooda	Haryana	Rohtak	06.06.2005	Resigned on 06.06.2005. Announcement was made in the House on 26.07.2005.

18. RESOLUTIONS

(i) Government Resolution

Brief Subject	Name of Member who moved	Date of moving and discussion	Time taken	Ministry/ Department concerned	Remarks
			H M 01 15		
@That this House approves the recommendations contained in paras 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45 and 46 of the Second Report of the Railway Convention Committee (2004) appointed to review the Rate of dividend payable by the Railway Undertaking to General Revenues etc., which was presented to Lok Sabha on 28.4.2005.	Shri Lalu Prasad	29.8.2005 (Moved) 30.8.2005 (Adopted)		Railways	Adopted
@Discussed together with the Railways (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha.					

(ii) Statutory Resolutions

Sl. No.	Subject	Article/Section of the Constitution/ Act	Name of Member who moved and discussion	Date of moving and discussion	Time taken	Ministry/ Department concerned	Remarks
1.	* That this House approves the continuance in force of the Proclamation, dated 7th March, 2005 in respect of the State of Bihar, issued under article 356 of the Constitution by the President, for a further period of six months with effect from 7th September, 2005.	356	Shri Shivraj V. Patil	28.2.2005	6 24	Home Affairs	Adopted
2.	** That this House disapproves of the Citizenship (Amendment) Ordinance, 2005 (No. 2 of 2005) promulgated by the President on 28 June, 2005.	356	Shri Santosh Gangwar	16.8.2005	2 09	Home Affairs	Negatived

* Discussed together with the motion under Rule 184 regarding the deteriorating law and order situation in the State of Bihar under President's Rule and also situation arising out of the Chief Secretary of the State proceeding on long leave.

** Discussed together with the motion for consideration of the Citizenship (Amendment) Bill, 2005, as passed by Rajya Sabha.

(iii) Private Members' Resolutions

Sl. No.	Subject	Name of Member who moved	Date(s) of moving and discussion	Time taken	Ministry/ Departments	Remarks
				H M		
1.	In view of the demand for ensuring adequate representation to women in the State Legislatures and Parliament gaining ground, this House resolves that the Central Government should bring forward a suitable legislation to reserve atleast one-third of the seats for women in all the State Legislatures and both Houses of Parliament.	Shri C.K. Chandrappan	6.5.2005 (Fourth Session) 5.8.2005 25.8.2005	4 46 (excluding 31 minutes taken during Fourth Session)	Law and Justice	Withdrawn
2.	This House recommends to the Government to grant special economic package for the speedy completion of construction of,— (i) national highway No. 215 between Panikoli and Rajamunda; (ii) national highway No. 23 between Barahpal and Ranchi; and (iii) railway lines from Talcher to Bimlagarh and Daitari to Banspani in order to facilitate movement of minerals from hinterland in Keonjhar and Sundargarh districts in the State of Orissa to Paradeep Port and for the overall development of the region.	Shri Jual Oram	25.8.2005	0 07	Finance	Discussion not concluded

19. SHORT DURATION DISCUSSIONS
(Rule 193)

Sl. No.	Brief Subject	Name of the member who raised	Date(s) of discussion	Time taken	Ministry/ Department concerned		Remarks
					H	M	
1.	Natural Calamities in the country	Shri Basudeb Acharia	26.7.2005 27.7.2005 28.7.2005 5.8.2005	7 59	Home Affairs, Agriculture, Water Resources		Discussion concluded
2.	On the Statement made by the Prime Minister on 29.7.2005 regarding his recent official visit to the United States of America	@Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee	3.8.2005	5 14	Prime Minister's Office		Discussion concluded
3.	Terrorism in the country including attack on Ram Janam Bhoomi Complex at Ayodhya	#Prof. Vijay Kumar Malhotra	4.8.2005 12.8.2005	5 47	Home Affairs		Discussion concluded
4.	Rise in prices of essential commodities including hike in petroleum prices	Shri Avinash Rai Khanna	16.8.2005	1 42	Finance, Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Petroleum and Natural Gas		Discussion not concluded

@ On behalf of Shri Prabodh Panda.

On behalf of Shri Bach Singh Rawat "Bachda".

**SHORT DURATION DISCUSSIONS UNDER RULE 193 ON
MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE**

Summary

No. of notices received	:	500
No. of discussions admitted	:	5
No. of discussions held	:	4
No. of discussions completed	:	3
No. of discussions remained part-discussed	:	1
Total time taken	:	20 Hours 42 Minutes

20. SITTINGS OF LOK SABHA

Sl. No.	Subject	Date	Remarks
1.	Cancellation of sitting fixed for Friday, the 26th August, 2005	18.8.2005	As decided in the meeting of the Business Advisory Committee held on Thursday, the 18th August, 2005 and agreed to by the House, the sitting fixed for Friday, the 26th August, 2005 was cancelled.
2.	Fixation of sittings of Lok Sabha on Monday, the 29th and Tuesday, the 30th August, 2005	24.8.2005	As decided in the meeting of the Business Advisory Committee held on Wednesday, the 24th August, 2005 and agreed to by the House, Lok Sabha also sat on Monday, the 29th and Tuesday, the 30th August, 2005 in order to provide sufficient time for completion of essential Government business.

21. SPEAKER/DY. SPEAKER/CHAIRMAN
Announcements/Observations/References/Rulings

Sl. No.	Subject	By Whom	Date
1	2	3	4
1.	Observation by the Speaker regarding relinquishing of Office of the Secretary-General of Lok Sabha by Shri G.C. Malhotra w.e.f. 31.7.2005 and appointment of Shri P.D.T. Acharya as Secretary-General, Lok Sabha w.e.f. 1.8.2005.	The Speaker	28.7.2005
2.	Observation on the decision taken at the meeting of H.S. with leaders' of parties in Lok Sabha held on 24 July, 2005, regarding raising of matters of urgent public importance after Question Hour in a phased manner w.e.f. 1.8.2005 (i.e. about five matters of extremely urgent national and international importance ordinarily be taken after Question Hour and remaining matters of public importance including constituency matters be taken up at 6.00 P.M.)	The Speaker	29.7.2005
3.	Reference regarding 125th Birth Anniversary of Munshi Premchand.	The Speaker	2.8.2005
4.	Observations regarding the business transacted by the House during the weeks ended on 29 July, 5 August, 12 August and 18 August, 2005.	The Speaker	2.8.2005 11.8.2005 16.8.2005 23.8.2005
5.	Observation regarding behaviour of a member in the House.	The Speaker	4.8.2005
6.	Observation regarding insinuations made against the Chair in the Print and Electronic Media.	The Speaker	5.8.2005
7.	Reference regarding 63rd Anniversary of the Quit India Movement on the 9th August, 1942 and the 60th Anniversary of dropping of Atom Bombs on the Japanese cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.	The Speaker	9.8.2005
8.	Observation regarding casting of reflections on the Speaker, Lok Sabha in a derogatory article captioned 'The Speaker asks for trouble' published in the Pioneer dated 7th August, 2005.	The Speaker	12.8.2005
9.	Announcement regarding decision taken at the meeting of the Business Advisory Committee held on 17 August, 2005 regarding cancellation of sitting fixed for 26 August, 2005 and re-scheduling of Private Members' Business listed for 18 and 26 August, 2005.	The Chair	17.8.2005

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10.	Announcement regarding decision taken at the meeting of Business Advisory Committee held on 24.8.2005 regarding the fixation of sittings on 29 and 30 August, 2005 in order to complete the essential Government business.	The Chair	24.8.2005
11.	*Observation regarding need for harmonious relations between the Legislature and the Judiciary.	The Speaker	24.8.2005
12.	Observation regarding a news item captioned 'Mind your job, Speaker tells Judiciary' which sought to misrepresent the facts.	The Speaker	25.8.2005
13.	Valedictory Reference on the conclusion of the Fifth Session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha.	The Speaker the Prime Minister and the Leader of Opposition	30.8.2005

*After submissions by the members on the subject.

(ii) Statement under Rule 199

Brief Subject	Name of Minister	Date	Time Taken H. M.
Statement in explanation of resignation from the office of Minister of Overseas Indian Affairs	Shri Jagdish Tytler	18.8.2005	00 10

22. STATEMENTS

(i) Statements Made/Laid by Ministers under Rule 372 and Direction 73A During Fifth Session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha

S. No.	Brief Subject	Name of Minister	Date	Time Taken H. M.
1	2	3	4	5
	*1. The status of implementation of recommendations contained in the 152nd Report of the Standing Committee on Industry on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to Ministry of Agro and Rural Industries.	Shri Mahabir Prasad	26.7.2005	00 01
	2. Incident at Gurgaon on 25th July, 2005.	Shri Shivraj V. Patil	26.7.2005	00 14
	3. Fire accident in Mumbai High North Platform of ONGC on 27 July, 2005.	Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar	28.7.2005	00 06
	4. Violent incident in Gurgaon, Haryana on 25 July, 2005.	Shri Shivraj V. Patil	28.7.2005	00 12
	5. Official visit to the United States of America.	Dr. Manmohan Singh	29.7.2005	00 25
	*6. Status of Implementation of recommendations contained in the First Report of Standing Committee on Finance relating to Department of Economic Affairs, Department of Expenditure and Disinvestment and the Sixth Report of Standing Committee on Finance relating to Department of Revenue.	Shri P. Chidambaram	29.7.2005	00 01
	*7. Fourth Progress Report on the Action Taken pursuant to the recommendations of the Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC) on Stock Market Scam and matters relating thereto.	Shri P. Chidambaram	29.7.2005	00 01
	8. Government business for the week commencing the 1st August, 2005.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	29.7.2005	00 09
	9. Bomb blast in Train No. 2391 Patna-New Delhi Shramjeevi Express on 28th July, 2005 at 1715 hrs. near Harpalganj Railway Station on Lucknow Division of Northern Railway.	Shri Lalu Prasad	29.7.2005	00 09

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1	2	3	4	5
10.	The New Framework for the U.S.- Indian Defence Relationship	Shri Pranab Mukherjee	2.8.2005	00 04
*11.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the First Report of Standing Committee on Coal and Steel.	Dr. Dasari Narayan Rao	3.8.2005	00 01
12.	Statement by Minister of Parliamentary Affairs with regard to the conduct of a member in the House.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	4.8.2005	00 06
13.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Seventh Report of Standing Committee on Information Technology pertaining to Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.	Shri S. Jaipal Reddy	4.8.2005	00 01
14.	Government business for the week commencing the 8th August, 2005.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	5.8.2005	00 07
15.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Second Report of Standing Committee on Food, Consumer Affairs and Public Distribution.	Shri Sharad Pawar	8.8.2005	00 01
16.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Third Report of Standing Committee on Agriculture (Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries).	Shri Sharad Pawar	8.8.2005	00 01
17.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the First and Third Reports of Standing Committee on Labour.	Shri K. Chandrasekhar Rao	8.8.2005	00 01
18.	Correcting the reply given on May 09, 2005 to Unstarred Question No. 6573 by Shri Hansraj G. Ahir, M.P. regarding Indira Sagar Gosikhurd Irrigation Project of Maharashtra.	Shri P.R. Dasmunsi	8.8.2005	00 01
*19.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the 109th Report of Standing Committee on Home Affairs on Demands for Grants (2004-05) pertaining to the Ministry of Home Affairs.	Shri Shivraj V. Patil	10.8.2005	00 01

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1	2	3	4	5
*20.	Policy package for stepping up Credit to Small and Medium Enterprises.	Shri S.S. Palanimanickam	10.8.2005	00 01
*21.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Second Report of Standing Committee on External Affairs on Demands for Grants (2004-05) pertaining to Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs.	Shri Srivakash Jaiswal	10.8.2005	00 01
*22.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Third Report of Standing Committee on Finance on Demands for Grants (2004-05) pertaining to the Ministry of Planning.	Shri M.V. Rajasekharan	10.8.2005	00 01
23.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Ninth Report of Standing Committee on Information Technology on 'Working of DAVP', pertaining to Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.	Shri S. Jaipal Reddy	11.8.2005	00 02
24.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Second Report of Standing Committee on Labour on Demands for Grants (2004-05) pertaining to the Ministry of Textiles.	Shri Shankarsinh Vaghela	12.8.2005	00 01
25.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Fifth and Ninth Reports of the Standing Committee on Finance.	Shri Prem Chand Gupta	12.8.2005	00 01
26.	Government business for the week commencing the 16th August, 2005.	Shri B.K. Handique	12.8.2005	00 08
27.	Issuance of duplicate passports to those people whose passports have been damaged in the recent floods in Maharashtra on a reduced payment of Rs. 500/-	Shri E. Ahamed	17.8.2005	00 02
28.	Government Business for the week commencing the 22nd August, 2005.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	18.8.2005	00 10
29.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Third report of Standing Committee on Coal and Steel pertaining to the Ministry of Steel.	Shri Ram Vilas Paswan	22.8.2005	00 01

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1	2	3	4	5
30.	Shanghai Cooperation Organisation Summit, held in Astana on the 5th July, 2005.	Shri K. Natwar Singh	22.8.2005	00 04
*31.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Fifth Report of Standing Committee on Urban Development on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Urban Development.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	23.8.2005	00 01
*32.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 146th, 147th, 153rd, 154th, 155th and 159th Reports of Standing Committee on Industry pertaining to the Ministry of Small Scale Industries (SSI).	Shri Mahabir Prasad	23.8.2005	00 01
*33.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Sixth Report of Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment on action taken by the Government on the recommendations/observations contained in the Second Report of the Committee on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs.	Shri P.R. Kyndiah	23.8.2005	00 01
*34.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the Third Report of Standing Committee on External Affairs on the 'Working of ICCR'.	Shri Rao Inderjit Singh	23.8.2005	00 01
*35.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the 81st Report of Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways, Department of Shipping.	Shri T.R. Baalu	24.8.2005	00 01
*36.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the 82nd Report of Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Shipping,	Shri T.R. Baalu	24.8.2005	00 01

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	Road Transport and Highways, Department of Road Transport and Highways.			
*37.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Second and Fifth Reports of the Standing Committee on Coal and Steel on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Mines.	Shri Sis Ram Ola	24.8.2005	00 01
*38.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the First and Third Reports on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) and Fifth Report on Demands for Grants (2005-2006) of Standing Committee on Energy, pertaining to the Ministry of Power.	Shri P.M. Sayeed	-do-	00 01
*39.	Correcting the reply given on 20th April, 2005 to Unstarred Question No.3968 by Shri Narendra Kumar Kushawaha and 4 others regarding Local Call Dialling Facility and reasons for delay in correcting the reply.	Dr. Shakeel Ahamed	-do-	00 01
*40.	Correcting the reply given on 10th August, 2005 to Unstarred Question No.2679 by Dr. K. Dhanaraju regarding Quality of Medical Diagnostic Kits and reasons for delay in correcting the reply.	Dr. A. Ramadoss	-do-	00 01
*41.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Sixth and Fourteenth Reports of the Standing Committee on Information Technology, pertaining to the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting.	Shri B.K. Handique	25.8.2005	00 01
*42.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Second Report of the Standing Committee on Personnel, Public Grievances, Law and Justice pertaining to the Ministry of Law and Justice.	Shri H.R. Bhardwaj	-do-	00 01

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1	2	3	4	5
43.	Signing of Memorandum of the Understanding on Ken-Betwal Link.	Shri P.R. Dasmunsi	25.8.2005	00 04
*44.	Status of implementation of recommendations contained in the First Report of the Standing Committee on Petroleum and Natural Gas on Demands for Grants (2004-2005), pertaining to the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas.	Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar	-do-	00 01
*45.	Correcting the reply given on 5.5.2005 to Unstarred Question No. 6082 by Shri K.C. Palanisamy regarding 'LNG from Qatar' and giving reasons for delay in correcting the reply.	Shri Mani Shankar Aiyar	-do-	00 01
*46.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Fourth Report of the Standing Committee on Agriculture on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Food Processing industries..	Shri Subodh Kant Sahai	-do-	00 01
*47.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the Second Report of the Standing Committee on Energy on Demands for Grants (2004-2005) pertaining to the Ministry of Non-Conventional Energy Sources.	Shri Vilas Muttemwar	-do-	00 01
*48.	Status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 2nd, 5th, 6th and 7th Reports of the Standing Committee on Railways.	Shri R. Velu	-do-	00 01
*49.	Government business for the remaining part of the session.	Shri Ghulam Nabi Azad	-do-	00 12

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(iii) Matters Under Rule 377

Position regarding receipt of replies from Ministries concerned during Fourteenth Lok Sabha (as on 20.10.2005)

	Total No.of matters raised	No. of replies sent to members by Ministers and copies endorsed to Lok Sabha Secretariat	Percentage of replies sent to members by the Ministers
First Session (02.06.2004 to 10.06.2004)	35	34	97.14
Second Session (05.07.2004 to 26.08.2004)	220	161	73.18
Third Session (01.12.2004 to 23.12.2004)	188	152	80.85
Fourth Session (25.02.2005 to 13.05.2005)	365	244	66.85
Fifth Session (25.07.2005 to 30.08.2005)	273	105	38.46

(iv) Statement showing the time lost owing to interruptions in the House during Fifth session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha

Date	Time spent on Interruptions		Time lost due to Adjournment of the House following interruptions H. M.	Remarks
	H.	M.		
29.07.2005	0	33	1 16	Interruptions started at 1239 hrs. and continued upto 1247 hrs. At 1247 hrs., Lok Sabha adjourned to meet at 1400 hrs. Interruptions started at 1402 hrs. and continued upto 1418 hrs. At 1418 hrs., Lok Sabha adjourned to meet at 1447 hrs. At 1247 hrs., interruptions again started and continued upto 1456 hrs. At 1456 hrs., Lok Sabha adjourned to meet at 1530 hrs.
02.08.2005	0	26	—	Interruptions started at 1213 hrs. and continued upto 1239 hrs.
04.08.2005	0	19	1 01	Interruptions started at 1320 hrs, and continued upto 1335 hrs. Due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned at 1339 hrs. to meet at 1400 hrs. Interruptions again started at 1416 hrs. and continued up to 1420 hrs. At 14.20 hrs. Lok Sabha adjourned to meet at 1500 hrs.
09.08.2005	0	02	5 54	Interruptions started at 1104 hrs, and continued upto 1106 hrs. At 1106 Hrs. due to interruptions, Lok Sabha adjourned for the day.
12.08.2005	0	10	0 19	Interruptions started at 1216 hrs. and continued upto 1226 hrs. At 1226 hrs., Lok Sabha adjourned to meet at 1245 hrs.
23.08.2005	0	21	—	Interruptions started at 1100 hrs. and continued till 1121 hrs. At 1121 hrs. on the suggestion made by a member and agreed to by all sections, the Speaker adjourned the House till 1400 hrs.

Time calculated on the basis of normal time of the House *i.e.* from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. and from 2 P.M. to 6 P.M.

(v) Statement indicating matters of urgent Public Importance raised after Question Hour and the time taken thereon during Fifth Session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha

Date	Number of matters raised	Number of members who spoke	Time Taken	
			H.	M.
25.7.2005	—	—	—	—
26.7.2005	14	21	0	35
27.7.2005	5	6	0	25
28.7.2005	—	—	—	—
1.8.2005	—	—	—	—
2.8.2005	—	—	—	—
3.8.2005	34	39	1	29
4.8.2005	9	9	0	24
5.8.2005	18	24	0	42
8.8.2005	16	35	0	48
9.8.2005	—	—	—	—
10.8.2005	—	—	—	—
11.8.2005	6	6	0	13
12.8.2005	17	19	0	45
16.8.2005	15	25	0	38
17.8.2005	29	29	1	07
18.8.2005	19	21	0	46
22.8.2005	5	12	0	13
23.8.2005	29	31	0	59
24.8.2005	29	40	1	42
25.8.2005	28	31	1	14
29.8.2005	25	25	1	02
30.8.2005	45	53	1	44
Total	343	426	14	46

23. Statement showing time taken on various kinds of business transacted during the Fifth Session of Fourteenth Lok Sabha

Business	Time Taken		Percentage of the total time taken
	1	2	
	H.	M.	
ADJOURNMENT MOTION	13	04	8.22
BILLS			
(a) Government Bills	@ *31	29	19.82
(b) Private Member's Bills	7	10	4.51
BUDGETS—			
(a) Railway Budget	07	00	4.40
(b) General Budget	04	23	2.75
(c) Budget in respect of States under President's rule	01	31	0.95
CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES	13	53	8.74
DISCUSSIONS—			
Short Duration Discussions (Rule 193)	20	02	12.65
Discussion under Rule 191	06	24	4.02
MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE	14	46	9.30
MATTERS UNDER RULE 377	02	42	1.70
QUESTIONS	15	58	10.05
Half an Hour Discussion	01	13	0.76
RESOLUTIONS—			
(a) Government Resolutions	*		—
(b) Statutory Resolutions	06	24	4.02
(c) Private Members' Resolutions	04	53	3.07
STATEMENTS—			
Rule 372 and Direction 73A	02	47	1.75
Rule 199	00	10	0.10
OTHER MATTERS such as Oath or Affirmation, Papers Laid on the Table, Obituary References, Questions of Privileges, Points of Order, Personal Explanations etc.	05	00	3.19
TOTAL	158	49	100

@Joint discussion took place on certain Statutory Resolution [vide Statement No. 18(ii) S. No. 2] and Motion for consideration of connected Government Bill [vide Statement No. 3(i) S. No. 1]. Time taken on joint discussion has been shown under Government Bills.

*Joint discussion took place on Government Resolution [vide Statement No. 18(i)] approving recommendations contained in Second Report of Railway Convention Committee (2004) and Railways (Amendment) Bill, 2005 [vide Statement No. 3(i) S. No. 19]. Time taken on joint discussion has been shown under Government Bills.