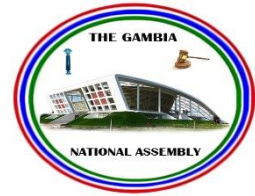




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Time: @10:00am prompt

Wednesday
14th June, 2023
@ 10:00 a.m.

1. P R A Y E R S

2. Correction and Approval of Record of Votes and Proceedings of the National Assembly Sitting of Tuesday 13th June, 2023

4. Questions for Oral Answer (Standing Order 36 & 41)

1. HON. ATTORNEY GENERAL AND MINISTER FOR JUSTICE

110/2023 (Member for Banjul North) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Attorney General and Minister for Justice update this August Assembly on the status of the Draft Constitution and why the executive cannot still re-introduce it to the National Assembly for consideration?

111/2023 (Member for Kombo South) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Attorney General and Minister for Justice update this August Assembly on the status of implementation of the Never Again Memorial Arch and the inscription of the names of the victims of former dictator Yahya AJJ Jammeh on the arch?

2. HON. MINISTER FOR DEFENCE

JUNE, 2023 Questions

191/2023 (Member for Niani) - Hon. Speaker could the Hon. Minister for Defence inform this august Assembly if his Ministry has any plans of controlling the usual attack by the armed robbers in Wassu and Ngunta?

192/2023 (Member for Foni Bintang Karania) - Hon. Speaker, the presence of Senegalese security forces in Foni has been queried by the people of Foni from the beginning as their presence exposes them to threats and insecurity which was evident during the clash between the Senegalese Forces and the MDFC rebels. Could the Hon. Minister for Defence inform this august Assembly of the government's plans to address the concern of the residence of Foni?

193/2023 (Member for Foni Kansala) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Defence inform this August Assembly why the Senegalese soldiers continues shooting shells that are landing into Gambia compounds in Foni and displacing citizen internally leading to residents abandoning their lands, gardens and schools around the border villages?

194/2023 (Member for Foni Kansala) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Defence update this August Assembly on the investigations into the killing of Aruna Jatta in early 2017 during a peaceful demonstration by the Senegalese forces stationed at Kanilai?

3. HON. MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT, WORKS AND INFRASTRUCTURE

164/2023 (Member for Brikama North) - Hon Speaker, could the Hon Minister for Transport, Works and Infrastructure inform this august Assembly as to when the

much talked about constructions of the Brikama-Mandinaring via Bafuloto road and Brikama-Gunjur via Kassakunda, Nyolfelleh Madina and Nyolfelleh roads would commence?

165/2023 (Member for Niani) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Transport, Works and Infrastructure inform this august Assembly if there are plans to revitalise the Kuntaur ferry service that connect Niani and Niamina?

166/2023 (Member for Kiang West) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Works update this august Assembly on the Sankandi-Karantaba road project in Kiang West?

167/2023 (Member for Bundung Ka-Kunda) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Transport, Works and Infrastructure inform this august Assembly the current status of the Bundung Road Project and whether the contractors have any safety measures in place to cover the holes as we head to the rainy season?

168/2023 (Member for Banjul North) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Works update this august Assembly on the level of progress in the construction of the main ring canal in Banjul as part of the Banjul Road Rehabilitation Project?

169/2023 (Member for Serekunda West) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Transport, Works and Infrastructure inform this august Assembly how much revenue was realised from The Senegambia and Basse bridges from January 2022 to December 2022?

170/2023 (Member for Serekunda) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon Minister for Transport, Works and Infrastructure update this august Assembly on the state of the proposed OIC road from London-corner to Bundung-Borehole starting from Safideen?

171/2023 (Member for Jeshwang) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Transport, Works and

Infrastructure inform this august Assembly of his Ministry's plan to construct the road linking Kanifing South to Kairaba Avenue from the main mosque?

4. HON. MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

JUNE, 2023 Questions

120/2023 (Member for Basse) - Hon. Speaker, the collection and management of waste is becoming problematic for the country. Could the Hon. Minister for Environment, Climate Change and Natural Resources inform this august Assembly if her ministry has any plans of engaging or inviting international stakeholders for waste recycling?

121/2023 (Member for Serekunda) - Hon. Speaker, as we approached the rainy season, we were informed by the Hon. Minister for Environment that funds have been secured to augment the water canal that runs from Abuko through London Corner to Kotu stream. Could the Hon. Minister for Environment, Climate Change and Natural Resources inform this august Assembly when the project will commence?

5. HON. MINISTER FOR YOUTH AND SPORTS

JUNE, 2023 Questions

175/2023 (Member for Janjanbureh) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Youth and Sports shed light on the Youth and Sports Levy and what is the status of its expenditure on youth and sports development initiatives?

176/2023 (Member for Banjul Central) - Hon. Speaker, considering the cross-cutting issues and need of Youth in the country, could the Hon. Minister for Youth and Sports inform this august Assembly if the government would consider splitting youth and

sports affairs into separate ministries to improve viability?

6. HON. MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS, INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND GAMBIANS ABROAD

JUNE, 2023 Questions

177/2023 (Member for Serekunda West) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Foreign Affairs inform this august Assembly how much does running a full-fledged embassy cost The Gambia Government on average, in particular, the three new embassies (Sweden, Germany and Japan)?

178/2023 (Member for Jeshwang) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Foreign Affairs tell this august Assembly the financial constraint confronting our foreign embassies?

7. HON. MINISTER FOR LANDS AND REGIONAL GOVERNMENT

JUNE, 2023 Questions

179/2023 (Member for Brikama North) - Hon. Speaker, on the 30th August 2022, the people of Kassa-Kunda wrote a petition against the appointment of Ebrima Sheriffo Sabally as Alkalo of the village whose successor, Cherno Siranding Sabally, Alkalo of Kassa Kunda was dismissed by a letter dated 10th August 2022 referenced LM 31/252/01/(224). Could the Hon Minister of Lands, Regional Government and Religious Affairs inform this august Assembly the reason(s) for the former Alkalo's dismissal, and what is the government's response to the petition of the villagers?

180/2023 (Member for Basse) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Lands and Regional Government update this august Assembly on the development of land allocation for Basse main hospital?

181/2023 (Member for Banjul South) - Hon. Speaker, rent is a big problem in the country especially in Banjul South Constituency where landlords are exploiting tenants by demanding additional payments mid-way during their tenancy agreement. What plans does the government have to enforce the Rent Act and put an end to such?

8. HON. MINISTER FOR AGRICULTURE

JUNE, 2023 Questions

182/2023 (Member for Niani) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture inform this august Assembly if his ministry has any plan to reduce the cost of fertiliser for farmers?

183/2023 (Member for Foni Bintang Karamia) - Hon. Speaker, many vegetable gardeners and gardens across the country are in need of proper fencing and water. Could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture inform this august Assembly if the ministry has any projects in relation to water and fencing of gardens for vegetable gardeners?

184/2023 (Member for Janjanbureh) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture, inform this august Assembly on the criteria used to determine the monthly fuel supply of Janjanbureh rice fields in Faraba and Nyantenglay which is 80 litres currently?

185/2023 (Member for Janjanbureh) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture inform this august Assembly about the Agro-Youth grant allocation for rural youth farmers, under the " Roots" project?

186/2023 (Member for Kiang West) - Hon. Speaker, the women of Kiang West Constituency suffered so much to have a tractor during the past rainy season even though 85 percent of the population depend on farming as sources of living. Could Hon. Minister for Agriculture inform this august Assembly the

possibilities of giving 2 tractors to Kiang West Constituency?

187/2023 (Member for Lower Saloum) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture update this august Assembly on the Roots Project especially the cold store in Lower Saloum and what caused the delay in opening the cold store?

188/2023 (Member for Kombo South) - Hon Speaker, could the Hon. Minister of Agriculture update this august Assembly on the status of renovation and modernization of the 27 mixed farming centres across the Country?

189/2023 (Member for Kombo South) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture update this august Assembly on the Status of Implementation of the small ruminant project, and provide the Assembly with the list of communities that benefited from the said project?

190/2023 (Member for Sami) - Hon. Speaker, could the Hon. Minister for Agriculture inform this august Assembly why Livestock Assistants that graduated from The Gambia College are not easily appointed by the ministry?

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